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## Team effort shapes plan for 'new' PHS

by Scott Perry  
Times Editor

The planners of a new and improved Prestonsburg High School are taking a novel approach to their task.

They're employing a team-design concept that incorporates the input of the high school's staff, those most likely to be affected by renovation of the school.

The result has been a design that is functional, efficient and, the project architect said, cost-effective.

"We found we could renovate with more bang for the buck than we could by building a totally new building," architect Byron Romanowitz told the Floyd County Board of Education Monday. "But, for all intents and purposes, this will be a new building."

But the team approach to the design of renovation work at PHS has a positive side that school principal Karen Trivette says can't be measured in dollars and cents.

"The staff is going to feel like the building is theirs because they helped design it," Trivette said. "Allowing our input in the planning has created a lot of excitement."

It has created some financing problems, as well.

Meetings between PHS staff and architects has produced a "wish list," Trivette said, that has helped push the project's estimated cost about a million dollars beyond the board's \$5 million estimate for the school's renovation.

But Trivette said there are still some revisions to be made to plans and staff members were "well aware that not everyone will get everything they want."

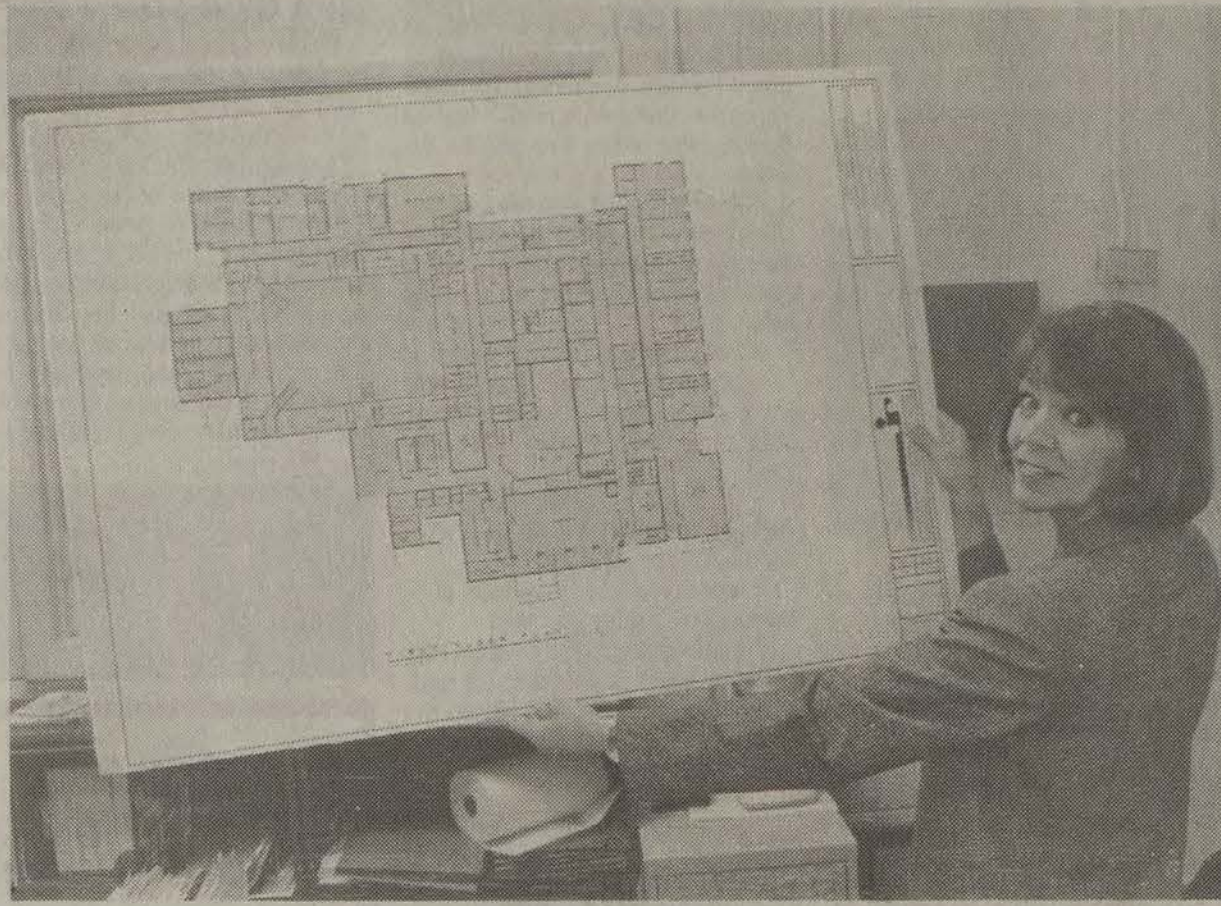
The board did, however, give architects the green light Monday evening to schedule a meeting with state officials that could lead to a more precise construction cost and bring the project closer to reality.

As currently designed, the PHS renovation will address the top concern of state and local officials and clear the way for funding by the state School Facilities Construction Commission (SFCC).

Using a "wrap-around" approach, new construction will create a natural barrier against flooding, the primary obstacle in the use of SFCC funding. The School Facilities Construction Commission restricts funding for projects in flood plains to 25 percent of the total cost.

As designed, though, the renovation at PHS will make the funding restriction a moot point. New construction will completely surround the existing school at a level above the 100-year flood plain. The new area will serve as a "flood wall," Romanowitz told the board, protecting the existing sections of the school from flooding.

The architect projected a two-year renovation project.  
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Picture this...

Prestonsburg High School principal Karen Trivette displayed a drawing of proposed renovation at the school that was the product of a team effort among architects and the high school's certified staff. As designed, the renovations would flood-proof the school and nearly double its size on the existing site. (photo by Scott Perry)

## Police are quick to respond to escape

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Within 24 hours of their escape, two prisoners from the Otter Creek Correctional Facility were back in custody after being found about four miles from the prison.

Harold Stewart, 26, of Harlan County, and Christopher L. Gordon, 21, of Barren County, were apprehended at Melvin by sheriff's deputy Bill Howell and Wheelwright police chief David Dotson and patrolman David Gray.

The two prisoners were reported missing after 11 p.m. Saturday night by Wheelwright prison officials.

Stewart's and Gordon's escape is the second walk away from the prison in about a month. Three prisoners walked away from the facility on February 19. Michael Ackerson, 39, and James Cox, 19, were caught several days later. Larry Rigdon, 22, remains at large.

Sunday evening, police received a report that two men were walking along the roadway at Melvin. Officers decided to search along the railroad tracks in the Melvin area using the sheriff's department dog, Dingo.

Deputy Howell gave the dog an article of clothing belonging to one of the suspects and the dog tracked the scent down the railroad tracks where Stewart and Gordon were spotted on the railroad bridge near Melvin Grade School.

Gordon, who was serving one year

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## Board puts ceiling on track funds

by Scott Perry  
Times Editor

Proponents of a track and field facility at Allen Central High School may have to look elsewhere for funding if the cost of the project exceeds \$100,000.

With little discussion, the Floyd County Board of Education voted Monday evening to cap the board's contribution to the project at that amount, leaving the responsibility for any cost overruns up in the air.

Project architect Nick Feldman, meanwhile, has estimated a \$161,700 price tag for the track project. Some of that cost will be covered by the use of school employees and materials and other expenses are expected to be handled by "in-kind" contributions from school supporters and businesses.

School officials did not indicate Monday how much of the difference between the board's \$100,000 cap and the estimated total price for the project would be covered by in-kind support nor did the board speculate how any extra costs would be paid.

The track project is under construction now and includes the development of a track and field facility plus the reconstruction of the school's football field. The ACHS baseball facility was razed to make way for the track and school officials are exploring options for relocating the baseball diamond elsewhere.

Renovation and repairs to the high school's swimming pool are also underway.

## Garbage bill collections up; reopening of landfill is out

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

In a relatively mild fiscal court meeting Friday, court members heard a bit of good news from solid waste custodian Bob Meyer.

Meyer reported to the court that monthly revenues in that department are up by approximately \$14,000, due in part to letters sent out to delinquent customers.

The increase in monies received monthly is some relief for the department's money woes, but the major problems with that office remain.

It appears that the county's attempt to construct its own landfill is out of the question because of the large amount of money it would take to build one.

Meyer estimated that it would cost "megabucks" to properly close the

county's old dump and to open another cell at the Garth site.

Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo told court members that the Big Sandy Area Development District is trying to put together a proposal from a "circle" of counties for the formation of a regional landfill.

Meyer said that there are several landfills in the area that county offi-

## Wait-and-see policy is adopted on public input

by Scott Perry  
Times Editor

The Floyd County Board of Education heard some encouraging words from a variety of fronts Monday evening after applying some curbs to the words they would hear.

The board voted 5-0 Monday to

limit the public comment segment of their regular meetings to five minutes per person then adopted a policy which prohibits immediate responses from board members to any queries posed by those addressing the board during the public comment sessions.

Board chairman Ed Patton explained the necessity for the move, noting that the board had occasionally "responded too quickly" to public requests and suggesting that members should take more time to consider comments before answering them.

The new board policy requires superintendent Stephen Towler to provide written responses to public questions no later than the next meeting after those questions are posed. That will normally mean a two-week waiting period.

The new wait-and-see approach

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## Wheelwright commissioners offer commendations to police officers

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

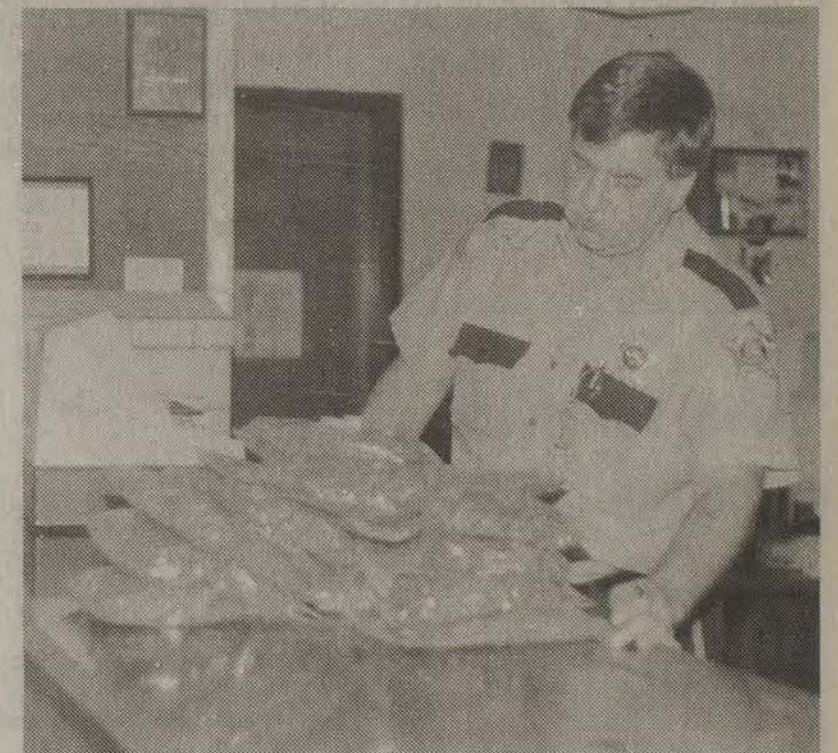
In a show of appreciation for their efforts to capture two prison escapees Sunday, Wheelwright City Commissioners presented two of their officers with plaques of appreciation Monday evening.

Police commissioner Charles Harmon presented police chief David

Dotson and patrolman David Gray with the plaques and lauded the officers for their long hours searching for the two convicts.

"These fine young men solved a great danger to the community (Sunday)," Harmon said. "We appreciate your time and effort." Harmon also said that letters of com-

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Pot haul from Knott County

Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson and deputies, plus members of The Mountain Area Drug Task Force found almost two pounds of marijuana in Knott County Friday. Officers received a tip that someone tossed the bag out of a car window and over a hill. The investigation is continuing. (photo by Susan Allen)

## Development job is not on city's agenda

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin said Monday that city officials are not looking to hire an economic development director and they will work with the Floyd County Development Authority on any future projects.

Development authority members expressed concern last week about the city's desire to work with their group because of a report in the Times last week that the city council discussed hiring someone to pursue economic development.

Fannin said that the issue was not discussed at the March 14 city council meeting.

"We can't afford what we have now, how can we think about hiring someone else?" Fannin said.

Fannin said that council discussed tourism director Fred James' position at the March 14 meeting and that it was mentioned that James also worked on some economic development projects.



For the love of the law

Floyd County public defender John Delaney, at right, is making his mark with hard work and a passion for the law. Delaney discussed legal issues Tuesday with Circuit Judge John David Caudill. Delaney has moved from district court to circuit court. (photo by Susan Allen)

## Public defender talks funny, but takes his job seriously

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

One of Floyd County's newest public defenders has been called a prosecutor's worst nightmare, but to his clients, John Delaney has to be a dream come true.

Delaney, a tall, slim attorney with a funny accent, began showing up in Floyd District Court almost a year ago and started building his reputation as one of the most hard working, best prepared public advocates to hit this county in a long time.

Being a public defender is not a popular career move for many attorneys. Most lawyers who work for the Department of Public Advocacy are usually underpaid and overworked with heavy caseloads. Attorneys are assigned clients who cannot afford their own legal representation and

dozens of cases can be assigned by a judge during one morning of arraignments.

It wasn't uncommon for Delaney to defend his clients, charged with misdemeanors in district court, with all the vigor most attorneys defend those charged with more serious crimes.

Probably what makes Delaney, 35, so good at what he does is simply that he loves his job.

"For people to be really good at their jobs, no matter what is, I think you have to love it; you have to have some kind of passion for it," Delaney said. "I love my job. I love being a public defender, it's the best job I've had. I get to do trials. I get to be in court. I love to do trials. It's the most fun thing about being a lawyer."

Now Delaney has moved to defending cases in Floyd Circuit Court

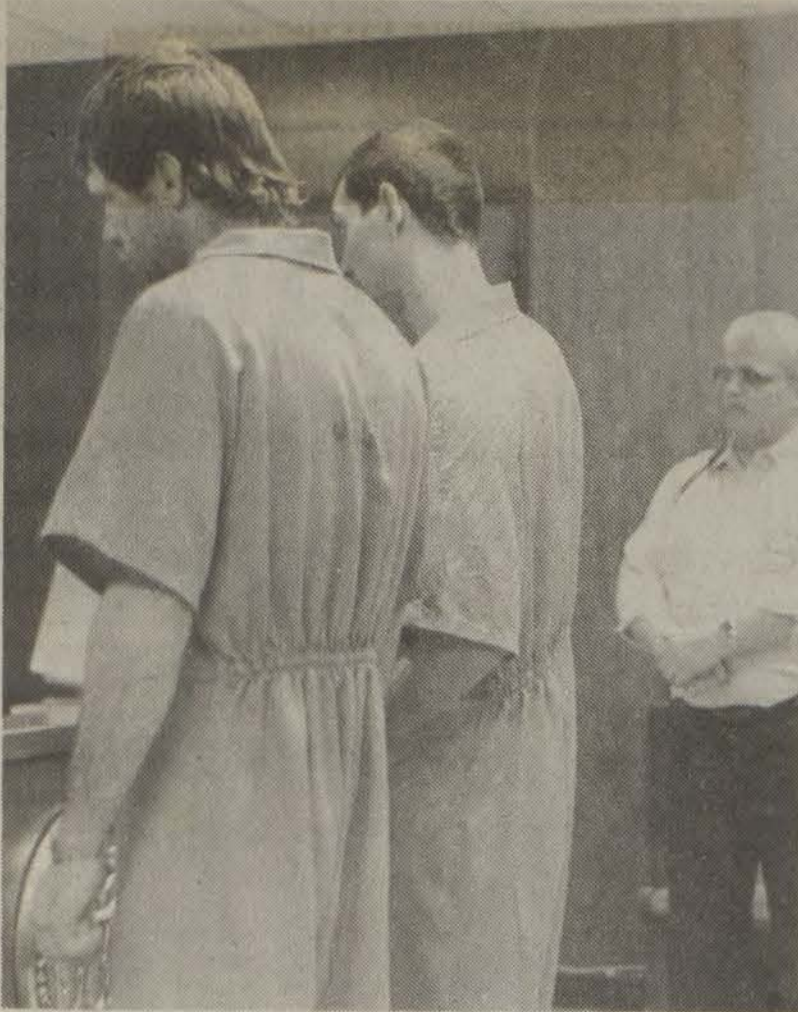
where persons are charged with more serious crimes.

One of the most pressing needs Delaney and others see for Floyd County is that a full-time public defender's office needs to be established in Floyd County.

"There's not enough of us," Delaney stressed. "I can't practice law as a public defender the way I'd like to practice it or the way it really should be done. Massachusetts' public defender system is funded about five times that of Kentucky."

"More money is one of the answers," Delaney said. "But, more money wisely spent. Prestonsburg doesn't have a public defender's office. We have no office here. We also cover Magoffin County and we have no office in Magoffin County. We

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**Escapees captured Sunday**

Harold Stewart, at left, and Christopher Gordon, escapees from the Otter Creek Correctional Facility Saturday, were arraigned in Floyd District Court Monday. The two were captured Sunday by a sheriff's deputy and Wheelwright police officers. Gordon was scheduled to be released from prison April 1. (photo by Susan Allen)

**Escape**

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for receiving stolen property, was scheduled to be released from the prison April 1. Stewart was in prison for two counts of second degree burglary and one first degree burglary conviction and scheduled to be paroled in December 1995.

During their arraignment Monday on charges of second degree escape, Gordon asked Floyd District Judge Danny Caudill if he would be released on April 1, if he posted the \$5,000 cash bond set by the judge.

Judge Caudill reminded Gordon that he was facing a felony charge and, that since he had escaped from prison, if would be doubtful he would be released.

Gordon persisted with his plea to be released and Judge Caudill ordered that Gordon appear on April 1, for reconsideration of his bond. The two remained lodged in the Floyd County Jail under a \$5,000 cash bond.

Otter Creek warden Tim Maguigan said Monday that the system prison workers used to notify law enforcement officials of an escape worked well Saturday evening.

Prison officials were criticized for a delay in reporting the February escapes.

Saturday's escapes were reported to local law enforcement within "five minutes" after they were confirmed to be missing, Maguigan said. Also, prison officials decided to sound one long blast from the city's siren Satur-

day night to warn residents about the escape.

Maguigan said he had discussed using the siren system earlier with Wheelwright commissioners Luther Johnson and Charles Harmon.

"Obviously, it is a plan that will have to be refined over time," Maguigan said. "We decided to use it even though the full plan was not developed because we felt like the citizens would basically know what it meant."

Because of the five prisoners who have walked off, Maguigan said some tighter security measures have been taken and that some changes have been made to make the facility more secure.

A 19-foot high fence is begin constructed around the facility and is expected to be finished in two weeks. The fence curves inward toward the prison yard, which is supposed to make it impossible to climb.

One option, the warden said, is that prisoners who are not in their assigned areas during head counts can be charged with attempted escape.

A preliminary hearing for Gordon and Stewart will be held March 30 at 2:30 p.m. in Floyd District Court.

**Wheelwright** — (Continued from page one)

mentation will be placed in their files and that they will receive distinguished service medals.

Gray was also promoted to the rank of lieutenant.

Also, Harmon thanked officers Mark May, Rodney Newsome and Brent Huff for their work over the weekend.

Monday's commission meeting was held in the city's new office building, located in the old Dollar Store. City workers, along with inmates from the Otter Creek Correctional Facility, completed the building earlier this month, which houses the city and utility commission offices.

The new facility also offers a spacious meeting room for monthly commission meetings, which is a sharp contrast to the old cramped meeting hall.

Also Monday, commissioners:

- approved a lease with David Little for a piece of city property adjacent to Little's home for \$12 per year;

- accepted a liability insurance package from River City Insurance for \$3,302 per year;

- approved the purchase of a lawnmower for the city; and

- approved a contract to extend the warranty for Brock Excavating until November 1, for work done on the city's waste water treatment plant.

Commissioner Allen Taylor said that he disapproved of city police officers answering complaints outside of the city limits. Commissioners took no action on Taylor's comments.

All members were present for Monday's meeting and the next scheduled meeting is Monday, April 18 at 7 p.m. at city hall.

**How high's the water?**

During a flood event, folks along the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River can find out the river level and the rate of rise by calling 297-4111.

The number, which gives the caller access to recorded information, is a service of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at Paintsville Lake. Information provided includes current fishing activity at the lake, hunting season dates, current weather information, and a daily safety message. Information about current fish stockings and special events at the lake are also available.

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**Collins, Shepherd to wed**

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**Back in a 'Flash'**

by Scott Perry  
Times Editor

A story in the Friday, March 18 edition of the Times incorrectly noted that Martin High School was the only one of the four schools that consolidated to form Allen Central High School that had never made an appearance in the state high school basketball tournament.

Martin, which was misidentified as "Martin County" in the Kentucky High School Athletic Association's Sweet Sixteen Record Book, made it to the state tourney in 1965, losing to Breckinridge County 73 to 55 in the opening round.

Allen Central makes its first appearance in the basketball classic at 7:30 p.m. today, Wednesday, facing Shelby County.



1993 Homecoming Queen  
Miss Erica Courtney Branham

Miss Erica Courtney Branham, daughter of Gary and Sharon Branham of Prestonsburg, was crowned Paintsville High School's 1993 Homecoming Queen on October 29th.

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# Garbage

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cials could consider as sites to dump garbage.

Negotiations with Pike County officials about Floyd County's debt for solid waste disposal is at an impasse, Meyer reported.

Magistrate Jackie Edford Owens suggested that county officials not pay Pike County any money on the debt or that they pay no more than \$7 per ton for the garbage dumped.

Floyd County Attorney Jim Hammond said that he had been trying to arrange a meeting between Pike Judge-Executive Donna Damron and Judge-Executive Stumbo to discuss the issue. Hammond said that he hasn't had a response to the request.

Stumbo said that he has had several conversations with Judge-Executive Damron, but he declined to offer specific details about those discussions.

Also Friday, after about 40 minutes in a closed session to discuss personnel and pending litigation, the

court voted to rehire Fred Mynhier at \$6 per hour to work at the county garage. He had been fired from his position in the county garage.

Mynhier's attorney, Rusty Davis of Pikeville, is to work out the terms of a settlement to settle the lawsuit filed last year by Mynhier.

The details of Mynhier's lawsuit were not discussed Friday.

In other action Friday:  
 • Several citizens asked that roadways at Slick Rock and Abbott Creek be repaired, but the court took no action on the requests;

• the court approved Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson's 1994-95 budget and the sheriff reported that tax collections were at approximately 80 percent;

• the court tabled a proposal to close Gosling Branch Road at Minnie; and

• the court passed an emergency budget amendment for new voting machines.

All members were present at Friday's meeting. A special meeting of the fiscal court has been set for Tuesday, March 29. The time for that meeting has not been determined.

## Childbirth classes at Our Lady of the Way Hospital

Our Lady of the Way Hospital, in collaboration with the Big Sandy Family and Childbirth Education Association, will begin the next series of six weekly Childbirth Education Classes on Monday, March 28 at Seton Complex from 6:30-8:30 p.m. The series will run through May 2, 1994.

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**LOST:** Rottweiler mix male pup. Seven months old. Approximately 65 lbs. Cropped tail. Black with reddish legs and face, white chest and white front paw. Wearing blue collar. Last seen Friday, March 18, behind Dr. Adams office in Prestonsburg. Reward offered. No questions asked. 886-2185.

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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

## Joshua fit the battle of Jericho...

by Scott Perry

If we can get beyond the picks and shovels of outrageous fortunes spent on school construction, there are plenty of reasons to smile about what's going on in the Floyd County School System.

Fourteen of nineteen schools in the district have embraced the concept of school-based decision making.

School councils bring teachers, parents and administrators together for the purpose of determining what's right for their school and the councils have generally proven that local control is an educational plus.

Academics are on the rise in Floyd County, too. Kids are competing...and winning...on the state level; most schools are facing the challenges of KERA head-on; and the district's emphasis on technology is a model program.

Even the monster of school construction is showing signs of domestication.

At Prestonsburg High School, every member of the certified

staff has participated in some form or fashion in the planning of major renovations at that school.

Is that a logical approach to determining needs, or what?

An alternative school is blossoming as a real solution to plugging the cracks too many students have fallen through in the past.

And for crying out loud, teachers and administrators have even opened discussions among themselves that are void of the customary gnashing of teeth.

We won't presume to declare the educational crisis in Floyd County over.

It is still a long way away from ideal.

But there are encouraging signs of progress.

After years of struggle against mediocrity, who knows, maybe we're seeing the beginning of the end.

"Joshua fit the battle of Jericho.

And the walls came tumbling down."

Could we be singing the same song soon?

## —Letters to the editor

### Lauds county teams

Editor:  
Well, we may have bad roads, no 911 service and no clean city water in most places, but we do have something to be proud of in Floyd County: The Betsy Layne Lady Bobcats and the Allen Central Running Rebels. We've got two teams in the Sweet 16 and how sweet it is!

If you had the opportunity to attend the girls and boys regional tournaments, you would have seen the great community support these and other Floyd County teams had as well as school spirit that fired up many of us long since out of school. It's been my pleasure to call sports on radio and more recently on WPRG TV 5. I want to thank all the schools for quality of play and sportsmanship. I've had loads of fun this year covering all of you. Once again, congratulations to the Lady Bobcats and Running Rebels. You have made us all proud!

Charles Scoville  
"Champagne Charlie"  
WPRG TV 5 and WXLN 104.9

### Enjoys reading the Times

Editor:  
I have enjoyed reading your Floyd County Times down through the years here in Missouri. Keep up the good work. I remember the years your previous editor published the Times before his death.

The freshness and breath of news and events in your newspaper awakes us to the far off days of war, peace and joys of life as we remember them.

Continue to work for a better community, county and Eastern Kentucky.

Rutherford Hamilton  
Cook Station, Missouri

### Let's get it right!

Editor:  
I listened to Pete Grigsby Jr. on WPRG during the Regional Tournament. He said "No Right Beaver team has gone to the state tournament since 1968."

WRONG! Ask coach Gene Frasure about Maytown High School Wildcats going to the Sweet Sixteen in 1969. Then, Friday I picked up the paper... "the only school out of the four NEVER to win the 15th Regional was Martin." WRONG AGAIN!

What's wrong with all of you experts? Don't any broadcasters/reporters have to check the facts before reporting in black and white or saying something over the airways? I guess I should be used to it by now.

You definitely owe Coach Denzil "Hoss" Halbert and the 1965 Martin Purple Flash team an apology.

Delores F. Dingus  
Martin

### "Stand up and be counted, get house in order"

Editor:  
I am a citizen of Floyd County and do wish to do my best to work for the betterment of this county.

I want to ask our officials if they feel good about themselves after the pay raises they got when they know some children have roads unfit to drive school buses over to pick up these children, as well as homes without drinking water, and people striving to pay their taxes, garbage and phone bills.

After we go through this routine each month looking for a better year, all we manage to get are higher taxes, double garbage bills and a 911 services which we may never get.

Each election we hear, "Now is the time to stand up and be counted." Well, Mr. Official we are indeed ready to stand up and be counted. We will ask you one and all to hold yourselves accountable for your actions. We, the public, should not have to police our government and local officials. But indeed time tells us we must keep a watchful eye on each and every one of you.

After attending the last fiscal court meeting, I am well pleased with the fact that Bob Meyer is trying to "get our house in order," as Jim Hammond so bluntly put it for about the 10th time at that meeting.

Now, I read in Wednesday's paper that Mr. Hammond wishes to remove Mr. Meyer from his job at the solid waste.

I suppose we do not like to look ourselves in the eye and see exactly what everyone else sees in us. Therefore, Mr. Hammond, maybe you are the one who should leave your job and let someone else try to get our house in order. You and this fiscal court sure seem to be doing one rotten job so far.

I do realize, however, you do not like someone outside "as you like to call everyone," coming in to tell us how to run our county. Well, wait just one minute. You just said the magic word OUR county. Not your county or Judge Stumbo's county, not the magistrates county, either. There are too many honest Floyd countians to let you control us like a country ruled by Communism. We pay taxes and pay our bills.

I suppose the statement by Jackie Owens—"I don't think we should pay Pike County the garbage bill they say we owe, or anything,"—would not work if we decided not to pay taxes and cut your salaries as well.

Would that work?  
Relax Jim and let the chips fall where they may as Mr. Meyer tries to get this garbage mess cleaned up.

Put your attention toward getting our 911 money and putting our service in use. You seem more interested in that race track than our house cleaning.

There will be a meeting for Floyd

County citizens at the Martin Senior Citizens Building, behind the Shop Wise parking lot in Martin, at 7 p.m. on March 24.

Please come and bring a friend with you. We are truly concerned with this garbage problem and feel it is time for some changes in our local government. Time for responsibility.

Sandy Blackburn  
Prestonsburg

### Health care plan is not a favorite of area seniors

Editor:  
As a member of the Seniors Coalition, I want you to know that most Seniors do not favor the Clinton Health Care plan.

Under the Clinton plan, senior citizens will surely face drastic cuts in Medicare coverage, lose their right to choose their own doctors, face long waiting lines, and possibly be denied life-saving medical treatment.

These matters are documented in a report, available at no charge, from the 2-million member Seniors Coalition. I urge you to contact the Coalition today at (703) 273-5449, get a copy of their report.

Abe Vanderpool  
Prestonsburg

Ova Music  
Prestonsburg

James A. George  
Betsy Layne

Irene Hayes  
Hueysville

E. B. May Jr.  
Prestonsburg

P. H. Allen  
McDowell

Ralph Eallen  
McDowell

### Citizens solicit help saving Auxier school

Editor:  
We, the concerned parents and citizens of the community of Auxier, would appreciate any help and support you can give us in our efforts to save our school. The Floyd County Board of Education has a long-range plan to close our school, bus our children across the county to other schools (Prestonsburg Grade School, Adams Middle School and Clark Elementary School.)

The Floyd County school board has a proposal before them to have the land the Prestonsburg Grade School sits on, filled with fill dirt and raised above the flood state, then build a new school at that location.

We would like to see a new school in our community.

(See Letters A 5)

## Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

Talk about government waste and mismanagement and you're certain to raise a few eyebrows among the populace.

Tell a community that their high school team never made it to the Sweet Sixteen basketball tourney, though, and you'd better take cover.

We goofed up last week when we suggested in a story that Martin High School was the only one of four schools that consolidated to form Allen Central that had never won a 15th regional high school basketball crown.

The Purple Flash went to the state tourney in 1965.

We could pass the buck and blame the error on the state tournament record book—our source for the story—which mistakenly identified Martin High as Martin County, but we'll take full credit for the discredit to the '65 team and its fans.

Contrary to popular call-in theory, we did not make the error on purpose.

Even the most sincere masochist would not welcome the level of abuse we've suffered since our foul up.

So, how about taking that pot of tar off the fire?

We want to say up front that we are not among those unidentified newspaper publishers who have been accused of "threatening" state lawmakers who were considering the establishment of a news council to hear complaints against the media.

The news council proposal apparently died in committee and some legislators said they didn't push the plan because their hometown papers had threatened to make them "look bad" if they supported it.

No state legislator has solicited nor have we offered our opinion on the news council idea.

Had any lawmaker stopped by our office on Friday, (see goof-up comments, above), they would have seen that we already have an active "news council" in place.

Our readers keep us on our toes.

What do The Stenholm Plan, The Barton Plan, The Kyl Plan and The Wise Plan have in common?

First, they all attempt in one way or another to require the federal government to operate under a balanced budget.

Next, they all failed to get enough votes in Congress to pass.

The Stenholm Plan, which would have allowed deficit spending only on a 60 percent majority vote by Congress, came closest to getting the two-thirds vote needed for adoption of a proposed constitutional amendment.

The Kyl Plan, which would likely be the most effective deficit reducer because it would have given the president line-item veto power over congressional "pork" projects, fared rather poorly.

Since our leaders can't seem to find a budget-balancing solution that suits them, we'd recommend they take a look at the Edd Redd Plan, named for the former area businessman whose simple philosophy for success is tried and true... Never spend more than you take in.

A voluntary tax to help resolve an involuntary predicament.

Sounds interesting.

The president has proposed a four percent surcharge on gambling revenue to fund the cost of child care for the working poor.

And why not?

Gambling is, after all, something most people do by choice. Taxes on gambling revenues, then,

would be paid by people who choose to gamble.

If revenues from gambling taxes can allow people to get off welfare by picking up the tab for child care so they can work, then we ought to give it a try.

Maybe then more people will have a chance at something better than the hand that was dealt them.

Get kinda tickled at the folks downstate who are having a tough time coping with and navigating around the many potholes left by an incomparably nasty winter.

Seems the flatlanders aren't accustomed to driving on roads that aren't as smooth as a baby's behind.

Boy, could we teach them a thing or two. Potholes are so common on our country roads that we consider many of them to be members of the family and dodging them requires the skill of an Indy race car driver.

Say, wonder if we could market those skills? Potholes R Us.

Call anytime for a driving lesson.

# Seriously

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cover Prestonsburg and Magoffin County out of our Pikeville office. That is just unfair.

"It absolutely affects the quality of the representation people get in Floyd County and Magoffin County," Delaney continued. "There's no place for me to meet my clients. My clients can never get a hold of me because, one, I don't have an office here. I'm never in my office, my office is in Pikeville and I'm always here. There's no place for us to sit down and meet. It's always catch me as I'm walking to my car."

If one of his clients wants to set up a meeting with Delaney they have to drive to his Pikeville office, which most of the time isn't possible.

"Most of my clients, one, don't have cars," Delaney said. "Two, a lot of the times they're in trouble because they drove at a time they shouldn't have been driving. So they don't have driver licenses, they don't have insurance. And yet, to meet with me they have to somehow get in a car and drive down to Pikeville. It's not fair."

Delaney is not alone in his bid to get an office in Prestonsburg. Floyd Circuit Judge John David Caudill agrees.

"Floyd County definitely needs a public defender's office because of the caseload," Judge Caudill said. "It is desperately needed so that public defenders can provide adequate representation for the people that their office is charged to defend."

There are no plans for an office in Prestonsburg and Delaney stresses that the lack of accessibility to their attorneys does shortchange clients in the system.

"It's hard," Delaney continued. "We work with a very politically unpopular group of people. My clients are poor; they're uneducated; they can't produce votes. Most of them don't vote themselves. They're too disconnected. People don't win elections by saying to Mr. and Mrs. Public, 'if you elect me, I promise I will put more money into making sure that indigent, criminally accused people get fair representation in court.' It's a group of people really easy to ignore. They get what the law says they have to get and not much more."

Perhaps one reason why Delaney, who hails from Massachusetts, has been so well received by people in the mountains, who are usually wary of northern strangers, is that he came to Floyd County because he wanted to, but not with the usual Appalachian stereotypes in mind. His first brush with the stereotyping came from the people he met here.

"I had never been to Eastern Kentucky before," Delaney explained. "Believe it or not, I didn't know that Eastern Kentucky was part of Appalachia. I had no preconceived concepts at all, which is kind of funny. I always just thought Kentucky was kind of a cool state with bluegrass and horses, mountains and caves. I came here to help myself. I came here because I wanted to be a public defender. My experience has been that people from Eastern Kentucky put more stereotypes on themselves, than I've ever heard people away from here put on them. Now, I realize that there's a lot of stereotypes out there, I don't see them. People are people wherever you go. There's a very strong sense of family here and that's nice."

"I really like it here," Delaney continued. "I like practicing law here, a lot. You have an opportunity here to do a lot more."

Delaney's effort to go the extra mile to provide a good defense for indigent clients has earned him high marks from Judge John Caudill and District Judge Danny Caudill.

"I've seen in my court, district court, that we have a huge volume of cases and, even considering the caseload that we have, he's always been well prepared and represents his clients well," Judge Danny Caudill

said.

"He's a real prepared attorney," Judge John Caudill said. "He's an excellent guy."

The young restless teenager who graduated from high school "by the skin of (his) teeth," was not born with the proverbial silver spoon in his mouth and had a rocky time during his adolescent years.

He gradually settled down and went to law school and graduated in 1992 cum laude from his class. He then did pro bono work with a group of other lawyers, funded by federal grant, who represented clients whose lives had been affected by the disease AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome).

There is no doubt about Delaney's love of the law or the passion he feels about the rights afforded citizens under the U.S. Constitution.

"The guarantees that we have under the constitution should never be taken lightly," Delaney said. "And if

you don't have committed people who come to places, like Floyd County, Kentucky, and fight, really, to assure that constitutional guarantees, that you don't get convicted unless you're proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt; that illegal searches don't happen; that you get your presumption of innocence. All those people that don't see that as part of their life, well, someday they may find themselves charged with a crime and then they'll thank God that those constitutional guarantees are there. They'll understand how valuable they are."

Delaney does have some ties to the bluegrass state, his grandmother, Goldie Young, lives in northern Kentucky and his father, Jack, was a football coach at the University of Cincinnati in Ohio. His mother, Jackie, was born in Kentucky.

Delaney's one-year tour of duty ends May 1, but, for now, he doesn't foresee going home anytime soon.

# Board

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was applied Monday evening during the regular session of the board at Betsy Layne Elementary School, where new construction has become a regular topic of conversation.

Betsy Layne parents Ann Blackburn, Lance Blackburn and Dan Hall addressed the board on construction plans at the elementary school, asking that a plan to phase in the completion of a new kitchen be reconsidered.

Ann Blackburn, noting that the school's existing kitchen was in a state of disrepair and the subject of several unfavorable inspections by the county health department, asked the board to correct those problems and to fully equip the new kitchen.

Hall and Lance Blackburn repeated those requests and asked the board to allow a "local representative" to be involved in the school's construction process "to see that the school is built as planned."

Board chairman Ed Patton said the requests would be answered in writing at the next session of the board.

The board did respond somewhat to proposals made Monday evening by Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson, agreeing to study his offer of a full-time "floating" security officer for the school system. Thompson said his office would provide a deputy to the schools for added security, adding that the deputy could divide his time each week among all of the county high schools. The sheriff's department already employs two deputies who provide drug and alcohol abuse education for county elementary schools.

Thompson also asked the board to authorize a field trip this summer for ten students from each high school who will tour the western U.S. The sheriff's office will pick up the tab for the trip, which will include five boys and five girls from each high school, and the board will decide how the trip participants will be chosen. The board will respond to the request at the next meeting.

The board listened to a good news-bad news report from Phil Paige, director of the system's student assessment program, who noted that 1993 test scores showed signs of improvement in some schools and decline in others.

Paige said the 1993 scores showed that different schools have different needs and the system is concentrating on "building a network of teachers with expertise" on the state KIRIS assessment process. That network, he added, would be useful in educating other teachers on the assessment process requirements.

The board gave quick approval and a round of applause Monday to requests from South Floyd and Prestonsburg high schools, which allowed those schools to begin im-

mediate implementation of school-based decision making councils. The schools needed board waivers to begin the site-based process prior to July 1.

Board chairman Patton commended both high schools for joining the system's list of locally managed schools and he noted that 14 of 19 schools in the county now had school-based councils.

Also Monday, the board heard a report from alternative school director Jerry Fultz, who noted that the dropout prevention program now has "just about a full house." Fultz said 18 students are enrolled in the alternative school, which has a cap of 21, and monthly attendance was at 89 percent.

Superintendent Towler added that development of the alternative school would allow the system to seek state approval for another program aimed at reducing dropouts. State law permits systems with alternative schools to implement a process for denying or revoking driver's licenses for students guilty of chronic absenteeism. Towler said he would ask the state for approval to implement that system next school year in Floyd County.

In a final action before retiring to executive session, the board voted by acclamation Monday to elect Ray Brackett as chairman for the next year and Dolores Smith as vice-chairman.

# Renovation

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construction period for completing the renovation, noting that the work would be an inconvenience for staff and students attending classes while construction was in progress. The results, though, Romanowitz added, would be "a completely new school."

Trivette said Tuesday that school staff members were prepared for the adversity that renovation would create, noting that the school's current condition offered "it's share on inconveniences."

"We move people all over the place now," the principal said. "Every time it rains we have a new leak and another class to relocate."

The end, she added, will justify the means.

Other than authorizing pre-construction conferences with state officials, the board of education has given no formal approval for the PHS renovation project.

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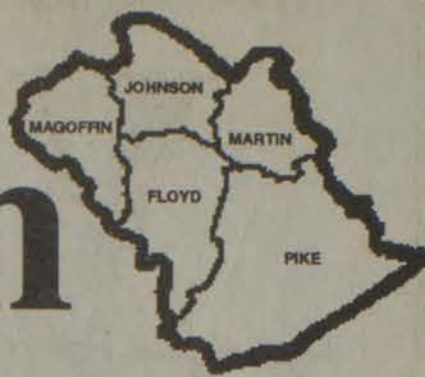
We feel our day has come that we should have a new school in our community. That we should have something to show for all those school tax dollars we have paid over the past six decades from which we have received nothing.

Finally, but most importantly, the Floyd County school board would be putting their money in education, rather than sports, and our children can get a first-class education.

Again, we would like to thank you for taking time to hear our plea, and would appreciate any and all support you can give to our cause.

Charles Music for concerned parents, teachers and citizens of the Auxier community

# Around the Region



## The Numbers Game: Kentucky Lottery Results

Saturday's Results  
**March 19**

**LOTTO KENTUCKY** 05-14-18-25-34-41

Next Estimated Jackpot \$5.8 million

**POWERBALL** 01-06-33-42-43-37

Next Estimated Jackpot \$14 million



## WEATHER WATCH

**WEDNESDAY (TODAY):** Mostly sunny and warm. High in the mid 70s.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT:** Mostly cloudy with a 60 percent chance of showers. Low in the lower 50s.

**THURSDAY:** Mostly cloudy with a 60 percent chance of showers. High in the lower 60s.

**THURSDAY NIGHT:** Mostly cloudy. Low in the lower 40s.

**FRIDAY:** Mostly sunny. High in the mid 50s.

Information provided by the Jackson Weather Service

said. "I just picked a few numbers here and there, and I zig them and I zag them and I've gotten lucky and won. Twice!" — staff report

## Two men arrested; armed robbery charged

Clifford William Perkins, 23, and Bobby J. Perkins, both of Turkey Creek in Pike County, were arrested Thursday, March 17, and charged with robbery of the Family Pharmacy at South Williamson on March 16.

William Perkins was arrested at his home on Turkey Creek by Kentucky State Police Detective Terry Thompson. Bobby Joe Perkins was arrested by the Mann, West Virginia Police Department for illegal possession of prescription drugs.

Both men are charged with 1st degree robbery, 1st degree unlawful imprisonment, 1st degree wanton endangerment, terroristic threatening and 2nd degree assault.

Other charges are pending. The case is still under investigation. — staff report

## Lawrence County animal shelter possible

The Lawrence County Humane Society has secured a \$48,000 grant from a California foundation to build an animal shelter for the county.

But to take advantage of the grant, the group needs to get a commitment from the county to pay for the continuing operation of the shelter. And it's questionable whether the county can afford to do that, said Judge-Executive Roger Jordan.

"Before obligating the county each year for thousands and thousands of dollars, we've got to look into it," Jordan said. "I don't believe there's anyone on the fiscal court who doesn't want a shelter."

The fiscal court tabled the society's request at a meeting Friday, but promised to take it up again in April.—*Louisville Courier Journal*

## Teen-ager charged with shooting man

A 42-year-old Johnson County man was in the hospital Saturday night and his live-in girlfriend's 15-year-old son was being held in the Johnson County Detention Center on charges of shooting the man in the stomach and face, state police said. While the two were arguing about 6 p.m. Saturday at a home on Hunting Fork Road, Andrew Rose threatened to "whip" the boy, police said. Rose followed the youth next door, where he had gone to get an assault rifle, police said. After Rose entered the house, the teen shot him, police said. Rose was listed in stable condition last night.—*Lexington Herald-Leader*

## Cash 5 lightning strikes twice for Phelps man

Kentucky Lottery officials did a double take when Burbige Prater walked into Lottery corporate Headquarters on March 17.

"Haven't we seen you here before," asked Lottery Customer Service Representative Kristen Karl. Prater came in with the winning ticket worth \$100,000 from the Lottery's December 24 Cash 5 drawing. He knew the exact procedure for claiming such a large prize. That's because it was the second time he'd won a \$100,000 prize in Cash 5. The two winning tickets were within a month of each other. The first was from November 26, which Prater claimed right away.

"I didn't come to claim this one until now because I just haven't had time," the self-employed grocery store owner said. "I've been doing a lot of fishing since I won the first time. I wasn't in any rush to get here. I've just been relaxing and taking it easy."

The Pike County man says he can continue to relax now that he's landed a second \$100,000 prize. Lottery officials asked Prater if he had always been lucky.

"No, I'm just catching up," the 71-year-old Prater

## WOMEN'S HEALTH

### Women's health in the U.S.

A new survey shows that more than one third of the 95 million adult women in the U.S. did not have any of the basic preventative services, such as a Pap test, in the past year. Other highlights:

#### Preventative care lacking

Percent of women not getting care in past year	
Breast exam	33%
Pap smear	35%
Pelvic exam	36%
Complete physical	39%
Mammogram*	33%

\*Women over 50 yrs.

#### Osteoporosis a mystery

Percent of women not familiar with osteoporosis	
18-44 yrs.	78%
45-64 yrs.	60%
65 and older	62%

#### Depression big problem

Percent with severe depression in last week:	
Women	40%
Men	25%
Total	37%
White	23%
African American	47%
Hispanic	32%
	53%
	36%

#### Less access to care

Percent not getting needed care in past year	
Total	
Women	13%
Men	9%
Uninsured	
Women	36%
Men	23%

#### One third don't exercise

Percent of women not exercising	
Never exercise	31%
Three or more times a wk.	31%
1 to 2 days a wk.	19%
Less than 3 days a mth.	17%
Not sure	2%

#### Violence in women's lives

Millions of women victims, in the past five years	
Burglary	8.5
Mugging, robbery, assault	7.6
Other physical crime	2.8
Domestic violence	3.9
Rape	1.9

SOURCE: Louis Harris Poll for the Commonwealth Fund; survey of 2,525 women and 1,000 men, Feb. 10 to March 21, 1993; margin of error 2%

# Letters to the editor

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(1) The loss of our grade school would be a tremendous loss to the community itself.

(2) We would not have to see our children bused to other schools across the county and in some cases put in trailers.

(3) We feel to build a new school in our community would be a tremendous savings to the state of Kentucky and the Floyd County Board of Education.

The Floyd County school board owns over five acres of land in Auxier already above flood stage on which the present Auxier Grade School is located. There would be no need to haul fill dirt to raise this property. It is ready to build on. Also, the sewage for the school would be no problem since the Lt. Gov. Paul Patton, Congressman Hal Rogers, the mayors of

both Prestonsburg and Paintsville met to discuss and agree to run city sewage to the American Standard Plant located south of Paintsville. So the sewage lines would run by this location anyway.

With the opening of new U.S. 23 in this end of the county and the developing of this end of the county, we feel this would be the most feasible location.

Over the past six decades every new school facility has gone to the other end of the county. The Floyd County school board has spend hundreds of thousands of dollars on sports facilities such as baseball fields, jogging tracks, football fields, swimming pools and other non-academic activities. The school board has built schools in the other parts of the county of enormous expense to the taxpayers and now they want to close our

# Special Care Nursery Celebrates

# “Special Care to

The opening of the Special Care Nursery at Pikeville Methodist Hospital on March 1, 1989, made neonatal intensive care easily accessible to the Big Sandy ADD region of Pike, Floyd, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin, and Letcher counties. As we celebrate five years of service, 960 babies from 12 Kentucky counties and nearby counties in Virginia and West Virginia benefited from the special care available in our neonatal unit. A full-time neonatologist (pediatrician specializing in the care of sick newborns); a well-trained staff of nurses, therapists, and volunteers; plus the latest technology and equipment provide the best medical treatment available to newborns anywhere east of Lexington, Kentucky.

**Regional Neonatal Transport.** The Pikeville Methodist Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) is part of a regional system for neonatal care. The NICU coordinates with local hospitals which do not have neonatal units and with other distant hospitals which have NICUs with subspecialties. This network ensures that each newborn in the region receives needed care as close to home as possible.

With an ambulance used exclusively for neonatal transport and partially purchased with funds donated by local Kiwanis clubs, Pikeville Methodist brings babies from other hospitals weekly to the NICU for treatment. To date, the Pikeville Methodist Hospital Transport Team has brought 180 babies to the hospital.



Darlene Chapman, R.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Cheryl Hickman, R.N.,  
Director of Children's Services



Ray Vanover, E.M.T.,  
Ambulance Driver



Darren Stapleton, E.M.T.,  
Ambulance Driver



Helen Damron, L.P.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Debbie Scroggins, L.P.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Meleta Little, R.N.,  
Shift Coordinator



Jeanette Sexton, R.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Lisa Thacker, R.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Anna Kiser, L.P.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Nashala Price, R.N.C.,  
Shift Coordinator



Sandra Crum, R.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Nikki White, L.P.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Carolyn Thompson,  
Ward Clerk

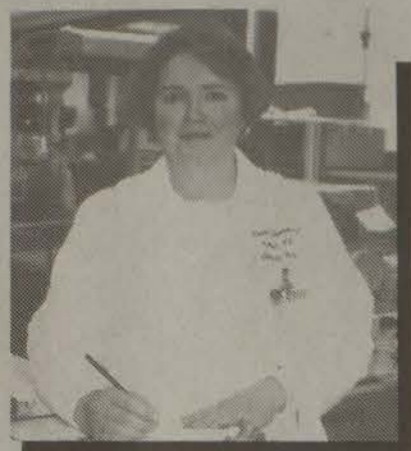


Patricia Hall,  
Ward Clerk



Kelli Mitchell, R.N.C.,  
Shift Coordinator

# celebrates Five Years of Giving "Special Babies!"



Brenda Chapman, R.N.,  
Unit Manager



Regina Chapman, R.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Belinda Elkins, R.N.,  
Staff Nurse



Neonatal Developmental Clinic Staff (1st row, l. to r.)  
Nanette Schmidt, P.T., Melinda Varney. (2nd row, l. to r.)  
Linda DeRossett, O.T.R./L., Lisa Thacker, R.N., Dorian Moe.

The staff of the Special Care Nursery invites you to  
Our Five Year Celebration Party And Reunion for  
Babies Treated in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit  
Since Our Opening March 1, 1989.

Saturday, March 26, 1994  
1 until 4 p.m.  
Pikeville College Gym  
Pikeville, Kentucky

Mr. Cartoon Show at 1 p.m.  
Reception from 2 until 4 p.m.  
Refreshments at 3 p.m. and Program at 3:30 p.m.

Graduates admitted free. Parents and siblings \$1 each.

## Caring About the Future

**Infant Development:** Most parents of a sick baby worry if the illness will affect the baby's development. At the Pikeville NICU, therapists begin working with the baby while still a patient in the neonatal unit and give the family exercise instructions for the baby after discharge. Free developmental testing is available for the first year of life to every infant who has been a patient in the NICU.

**Hearing Testing:** The Hearing In Newborn Testing (HINT) program at Pikeville Methodist Hospital expanded to test hearing in all newborns at the hospital. Babies born with hearing problems can be identified early and receive help during the critical period of language development. The hearing tests are performed by trained volunteers and are free of charge.

**Infant Safety:** All babies born at Pikeville Methodist and any baby treated in the NICU receives a free infant car seat to assure safe traveling.

## Caring About Family

**Family Involvement:** The NICU staff encourages parents and grandparents to be a part of baby's care through liberal visitation policies and participation in baby's feeding and care as the infant gets better.

**Support for Families:** A baby needing special care is stressful for any family. Our staff does their best to answer questions about your baby. Parents are given special instructions on infant CPR, bathing, feeding, and car seat safety.

**Our People Make it Special:** The special part of the NICU is the people who provide care. The entire staff, from ambulance drivers to doctors and nurses to therapists and volunteers, truly care about each child who comes into the unit. As we continue to grow to meet the special needs of newborn infants in the Big Sandy Region, we will improve the quality of health care because babies deserve the best beginning.

**With support from:**

Dietary	Pharmacy
Laboratory and Phlebotomy	Pediatrics
Radiology and Ultrasound	Pediatric Medical Staff
Respiratory Therapy	Obstetrics Medical Staff
Labor and Delivery	Environmental Services
Newborn Nursery	Maintenance
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**Examination time**

Receiving the first exam by Dr. Bellur Jwalamiah, a pediatrician with the McDowell A.R.H., was Jarrod Gibson at the McDowell Family Resource Center. The doctor is at the center every Thursday. Call 377-2678 for an appointment. Jarrod was Dr. Bellur Jwalamiah's first patient on February 24 when the pediatric clinic began at the McDowell Family Resource Center. Alberta Rhea, R.N. and Clara Johnson, director of the McDowell Family Resource Center are also pictured.

**Trash Bash at Dewey**

The U. S. Army Corps of Engineers at Dewey Lake and Jenny Wiley State Resort Park invite everyone to participate in the fifth annual Dewey Lake Trash Bash on Saturday, April 23. Registration will be held from 9 a.m.-10 a.m. at the Wilkinson/Stumbo Convention Center parking lot!

There will be a free cookout for all participants at the Picnic Hollow Recreation Area adjacent to Dewey Dam at 2:30 p.m.

The Dewey Lake Trash Bash is held in conjunction with the celebration of Earth Day and Earth Month. Come out and help clean up your lake!

For more information call the Corps of Engineers office at Dewey Lake at (606) 886-6709 or (606) 789-4521 or Jenny Wiley State Park (606) 886-2711.

**100th birthday party planned**

The children of Florence Tackett, formerly of Melvin, are planning a reception in honor her 100th birthday on Saturday, April 2, at Riverview Manor Nursing Home in Prestonsburg, from 1-4 p.m.

Mrs. Tackett is the daughter of the late Owen and Lydia Elliott Bryant and widow of the late Will Tackett, formerly of Melvin and Virgie.

**World health day celebrated with senior health fair**

Our Lady of the Way Hospital, the Big Sandy Area Development District, the McDowell Family Resource Center, and several Floyd County Senior Centers are collaborating on a senior citizen health fair. The fair will be held at the McDowell Family Resource Center (old high school) on World Health Day, April 7, from 10:00-2:00 p.m.

those who pre-register at the sponsoring senior citizen centers; Betsy Layne, Wayland, Martin, McDowell and Wheelwright. Snacks will be available and attendance prizes awarded throughout the day. All individuals sixty or over are encouraged to attend and are asked to call the area senior center if transportation is needed.

All seniors are invited to attend presentations on topics including bladder control, arthritis, oral hygiene, depression, elder abuse, prostate/women's cancers, foot care, and dialysis. The following screenings will be available: a health risk appraisal (to be administered at the centers by the Floyd County Health Department during March), blood pressure, pulse oximetry, cholesterol, eye, and hearing.

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**Local Sheriff announces honorary membership program**

Sheriff Paul Thompson recently announced that Floyd County citizens who would like to help the underprivileged children of our state are invited to become Honorary Members of the Kentucky Sheriffs' Boys and Girls Ranch.

The Kentucky Sheriffs' Boys and Girls Ranch first opened its doors as a summer camp for needy boys in 1976. The sheriffs offered the first session for girls in 1979.

Sheriff Thompson says that many of the underprivileged boys and girls who come to the camp have never before experienced the childhood pleasures of swimming, arts and crafts, summer recreation and fellowship. At camp they also learn about crime prevention and respect for law enforcement.

"Hopefully, our program will leave a favorable impression upon a few young minds and in some way inspire these less fortunate boys and girls to become law-abiding, productive citizens in the future," Sheriff Thompson said.

"We are inviting the public to help us better serve these children," Sheriff Thompson said. Floyd County residents should soon receive membership applications in the mail. "It is difficult to get an application to everyone who might want to join the Kentucky Sheriffs' Boys & Girls Ranch as an Honorary Member," the Sheriff said. "If you don't receive an application by mail, you can come by the Sheriff's Department, or you can send your name, address, and check—\$25 for individual membership—to the Kentucky Sheriffs' Boys & Girls Ranch, P.O. Box 57, Gilbertsville, Kentucky, 42044.

Honorary Members will receive a wallet membership card, 2 bumper stickers, and an automobile license plate (when purchased for an additional \$7.50). Later on during the

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**MSHA to host summit on health and safety problems at small mines**

The Labor Department's Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) will hold a one-day public forum on Saturday, April 9 in Beckley, West Virginia, to gather information regarding the increased level of safety and health problems that exist at small coal mining operations in the United States.

"For a number of years small mines have had a rate of fatal accidents that is much higher than larger operations," said J. Davitt McAteer, assistant secretary of labor for mine safety and health. "This small mine summit is an effort to open the dialogue among the mining industry's most talented minds and channel their knowledge and experience toward exploring ways to reduce the safety and health problems that small mines experience."

Fatality rates for small mines in

1992, the latest year available show that small underground coal mines with fewer than 20 employees had a fatal incidence rate of about six times that of larger mines. Small underground mines with more than 20 but fewer than 50 employees had a fatal incidence rate about four times that of larger mines.

During the small mine summit, selected representatives of management, labor, academia, and state and federal government will address a designated panel of mine safety and health specialists. Allotted time for speaking will be limited. The agency also welcomes the input of congressional representatives from states and regions of the country in which mining is prevalent.

The public is welcome to attend.

The small mine summit will be held at MSHA's National Mine Health and Safety Academy near Beckley, West Virginia, beginning at 8:30 a.m. For further information on program content, contact Doug Altizer or Keith Gaskill at MSHA on 703-235-1400.

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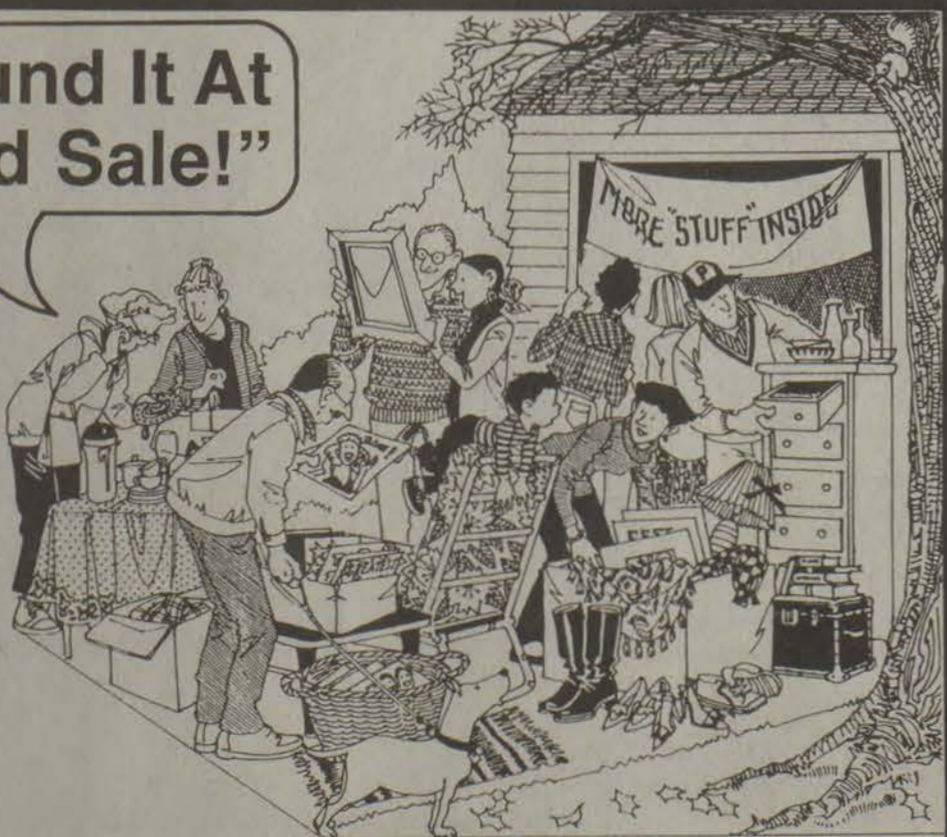
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# Obituaries

## James Edison Camp

James Edison Camp, 64, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, formerly of Pike County, died March 17, in Milwaukee.

Born October 1928, he was a former tool and die maker. He was the son of Jim Camp of Pikeville and the late Annie Camp.

In addition to his father, he is survived by one son, Charles Edward Camp of Allen; three daughters, Brenda Sue Camp and Anita Lynn Robinson, both of Martin, and Patricia Ann Osborne of Langley; two brothers, William S. Camp of Pekin, Illinois, and Willard Camp of Meta; four sisters, Marie Hall of Kite, Pauline Thompson of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Ida Mae Hicks of Palmdale, California, and Anna Ruth Cole of Columbia, South Carolina; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 20, at 1:30 p.m. at the R.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home Chapel with the minister Tommy Dehart officiating.

Burial was in the Johnson Memorial Park at Pikeville under the direction of R. S. Jones and Son Funeral Home.

## Frank "Red" Branham

Frank "Red" Branham, 81, of Prestonsburg, died Sunday, March 20, at Mt. Carmel Medical Center in Columbus, Ohio, following a brief illness.

Born April 20, 1912 in Prestonsburg, he was the son of the late John E. and Nora Ester Hopson Branham. He was a World War II veteran. He taught school in Floyd County for four years and he retired from Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company in Prestonsburg. He also worked for Triple B, Corp in Prestonsburg.

Survivors include his wife, Gertrude Hyden Branham; one son, John Ellis Branham of Columbus, Ohio; one stepdaughter, Phillis Porter of Allen; one brother, Estill J. Branham of Bowling Green; one sister, Elvie Sammons of Prestonsburg; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 22, at 2 p.m., at Floyd Funeral Home Chapel.

## Pallbearers listed

Pallbearers listed for the funeral of Ruth W. Martin were Kevin Martin, Phillip Martin Jr., Richard Martin, D.J. Martin, Shawn Martin, Darik Martin, Jonathan Martin and Dustin Hamilton.

## Charlie "Short" Akers

Charlie "Short" Akers, 77, of Dana, died Wednesday, March 20, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, following a long illness.

Born December 10, 1916 at Dana, he was the son of the late Burley and Gracie Conn Akers. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Boyd Akers. He was a retired coal miner, formerly employed by the Hite Preparation Plant. He was a member of the Little Salem Regular Baptist Church and a member of the U.M.W.A District 30, Local No. 9845 at Martin.

Survivors include two sons, Perry Akers and Larry Akers, both of Dana; two brothers, Willard Akers and Johnnie Akers, both of Dana; four sisters, Nelva Lewis of Prestonsburg, Nollie Robinson and Bertha McClanahan, both of Florissant, Missouri, and Edna Redding of St. Louis, Missouri; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 23, at 1 p.m. at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

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

## Delza Collins

Delza Collins, 81, of Hindman, died Sunday, March 20, at Hazard Appalachian Regional Medical Center.

Born June 7, 1912 in Knott County, he was the son of the late Nathaniel and Eliza Parks Collins. He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Linda Collins and his second wife, Jeanette A. Collins.

Survivors include three sons, Lowell and Hillard Collins of Warsaw, Indiana, and Robert Lee Collins of Greenup; three daughters, Glenna Amburgey of Litt Carr, Martha Sue Tackett of Topmost, and Patricia Ann Crider of Prestonsburg; four stepchildren, Christine Wombles, Linda Ritchie, Wanda Akeman and Delbert Akeman; 16 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, seven step grandchildren and six step great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 23, at 1 p.m., at the Hindman Funeral Services Chapel with Carlos Craft officiating.

Burial will be in the Parks Cemetery at Brinkley under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

## Herbert Patton

Herbert Patton, 74, of Melbourne, Florida, died Tuesday, February 22, at Holmes Regional Medical Center in Florida.

He was a retired machinist for Piper Aircraft Corp in Vero Beach, Florida. He moved to Brevard County in 1963 from Prestonsburg, where he was born. He owned Gulf, Fina and Shell stations from 1963-1976.

He was a combat-decorated Army veteran of World War II who served with the Elite 10th Mountain Division, the ski troopers. He was a Mason and a past commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5839 in Prestonsburg, a Kentucky Colonel and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Melbourne, Florida.

Survivors include his wife, Zella Patton; sons, Herbert Patton Jr. of Pam Bay, Florida, and Robert Patton of Melbourne, Florida; brother, Lewis Patton of Paintsville; sisters, Carmen Mason and Ruth May, both of Milwaukee, and Hildred Powell of Louisville; and three grandchildren.

Arrangements were under the direction of Florida Memorial Funeral Home.

## Terry Edward Tackett

Terry Edward Tackett, 25, of Grethel, died Thursday, March 17, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington, following a short illness.

Born December 29, 1968 at Grethel, he was the son of the late Sarah Hall Tackett and the late Kenis Tackett. He was a coal miner, formerly employed by the Bobby Hall Mining Company.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by one sister, Emma Ratliff of Betsy Layne.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 20, at 10 a.m. at the Pilgrim Home Regular Baptist Church at Grethel with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

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

## Nancy Campbell Triplett

Nancy Campbell Triplett, 71, of Mousie, died Saturday, March 19, at Hazard Appalachian Regional Medical Center at Hazard.

Born March 13, 1923 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Seymour and Molly Collins Campbell. She was preceded in death by her husband, Freddie Triplett.

Survivors include one sister, Rose Campbell Pollitt of Dayton, Ohio; one brother, Seymour Campbell Jr. of Lima, Ohio.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 22, at 11 a.m. at the Ball Branch Regular Baptist Church at Mousie with Roger Hicks and Ralph Howard officiating.

Burial was in the Triplett-Wicker Cemetery at Mousie under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

## Gilford B. Hall

Gilford B. Hall, 82, of Frankfort, formerly of Knott County, died Saturday, March 12, at the Humana Hospital, Lexington.

Born in Knott County, he was the son of the late Richard and Haley McCurry Hall. He was preceded in death by his wife, Anna Butcher Hall. He was a self-employed contractor, a member of the Wheelwright Baptist Church and a member of the Hiram Masonic Lodge No. 4.

Survivors include two sons, Morris Ray Hall of Hi Hat and Jimmy Joe Hall of Silver Springs, Maryland; two sisters, Stella Thurman of Wheelwright and Delcie Slone of Ypsilanti, Michigan; eight grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 15, at 11 a.m. at the LeCompte and Johnson Funeral Home, Frankfort.

Graveside services were Tuesday at 3:30 at the Newman Cemetery at Hi Hat with local arrangements under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

This obituary is reprinted due to errors in last Wednesday's edition of the Times.

## Dorothy Boyd Greer

Dorothy Boyd Greer, 76, of East Point, died March 19, at her residence.

Born December 13, 1917 in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late James Boyd and Myrtle Music. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles W. Greer, on June 1, 1978.

Survivors include three sons, John Michael Greer of Homersville, Ohio, Homer Greer of East Point, and Ricky Greer of Paintsville; four daughters, Clara Edith Krupiac, Myrtle Deloris Laux and Charolene Peggy Greer, all of Cleveland, and Billie Coral Hyden of East Point; one brother, James Ernest Boyd of Columbus, Ohio; 10 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 21, at 2 p.m. at the Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel with the minister Dave Flannery officiating.

Burial was in the Greer Family Cemetery at East Point under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel.

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**The family of Elizabeth Hamilton**

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Homer Frasure would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help in the loss of our loved one. A special thanks to Our Lady of the Way Hospital, city of Martin, the Senior Citizens Center at Martin, Martin Whittlers Association, coach Reeves & Allen Central football team, D.A.V. Chapter 128 of Garrett, KY. The Bethel Church, the Old Regular Baptist Ministers, Mr. & Mrs. Jackie E. Owens & Crew, Floyd County Sheriff's Department, Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

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# Cancer experts part of PCC student program

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Dr. Edward H. Romond and Dr. David P. Wood Jr., both on the staffs of the University of Kentucky Medical Center and the Veterans Administration Hospital in Lexington, are slated to speak on March 24 at 10:20 in the Pike Auditorium at PCC.

Both are noted for their work on prostate cancer, the focus of their presentations at the college. Wood, chief of urologic oncology at UK, is the chief investigator of a seven-year prostate cancer study.

The student group in Leo Weddle's Modern Social Problems class also slated a panel discussion on cancer for March 22, at 10:20 in the Pike Auditorium.

Panelists included Jane Bond, education coordinator for the Floyd County Health Department; Rodney Castle, a young cancer patient from Thelma; Dr. Varia Chandra, a gynecologist from Martin; Gay Herrin, a

PCC faculty member who is a recovered cancer patient and American Cancer Society volunteer; Dr. Marie Parsons, also a PCC faculty member and friend of a cancer patient; Pat Tyson of the Kentucky Cancer Pro-

gram; Dr. S. A. Vyas, a urologist from South Williamson; Sandra Robertson, PCC librarian and a recovering cancer patient.

The student planning group includes Mashawna Aiken of Cow Creek, Barbara Mullins of Pikeville, and Cassandra Lewis, Jackie Scott and Jim Witten, all of Prestonsburg.

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A one-day workshop will be held Thursday, April 18, at Jenny Wiley State Park in Prestonsburg. Anyone wanting to attend the workshop should pre-register by mailing or sending a fax with the following information: name, job title, business or organization, address and preferred workshop location. The information should be mailed to the Division of Air Quality, 316 St. Clair Mall, Frankfort, KY 40601; or faxed to 1-(502) 564-3787.

The Division for Air Quality adopted a new state permitting regulation on November 29, 1993. The state agency is awaiting approval from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to use this regulation as part of the federally mandated operating permit system created under Title V of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990. In the meantime, sources must comply with all state construction and operating permit requirements.

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# WOMAN'S HEALTH

## CHLAMYDIA

By Richard S. Hollis, MD  
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Chlamydia is one of the most common sexually transmitted diseases (STDs). Between three and five million people are infected with the disease each year.

Though men are the primary carriers of chlamydia, it is women who suffer most of the serious ill effects of the disease after becoming infected during sex, including oral sex. Unfortunately, women often experience no immediate symptoms of chlamydia and may not even know they were at risk of being infected until their sexual partner begins to show symptoms.

Chlamydia is a germ, which generally infects the cervix and may spread to the uterus and fallopian tubes. The greatest danger women face from chlamydia is developing pelvic inflammatory disease—a major cause of infertility in women due to scarring and damage to the reproductive system.

Symptoms of chlamydia often mirror those of gonorrhea, including a yellowish vaginal discharge, pain or burning during urination, frequent urination, burning or itching in the genital area, and pain in the pelvic area during sex. These symptoms can begin to appear anywhere from two days to three weeks after sexual contact with a person who has the disease.

The only definite way to determine if someone has chlamydia is for a doctor to do diagnostic tests. Earlier this year, the Food and Drug Administration approved a fast and more accurate

test for chlamydia. The test is done using a swab sample from the woman's cervix or urethra. The new test can be completed in four hours, compared to three to seven days for other available types of tests. Most doctors, when testing for chlamydia, will also test for gonorrhea since nearly half of all people diagnosed with one have the other.

Once a diagnosis has been made, patients are treated with antibiotics and they can expect to see the disease clear up within a week. In addition to treating the patient, it is important for that person's sexual partner(s) to be treated, otherwise the disease could be passed back to the patient.

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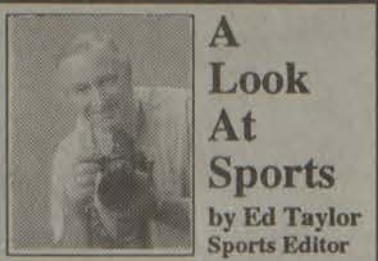
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**A  
Look  
At  
Sports**  
by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISH**  
to Bob Taylor, former Martin Purple Flash. Bob turned (?) this past Monday and we just want to let him know that we wish him a belated Happy Birthday. Really, I called him Monday and told him the same thing.

**WHAT AN OUTPOURING.**  
I never dreamed that I would receive the response that I have about getting Hoss Halbert in the Kentucky Hall of Fame. To date, Monday, March 21, I have received 1,504 names from people who responded to the notice in the sports section. We have heard from folks as far away as Kansas. Some came from Lexington, Ashland, Louisville, Paducah, and, of course, from all around the region. One came from Bobby F. Crager of Flatwoods and he included a note, as did others. The note said:  
"Mr. Taylor,  
Coach Halbert should be in the Hall of Fame. He should have been there before now."  
"It was my pleasure to know Coach Halbert and to have officiated for him. He is an outstanding individual and did an outstanding job of coaching."  
"Say hello to Coach for me the first chance you get."  
Mr. Crager is part of the Northeastern Kentucky Officials Association.  
Folks love "Hoss" Halbert. Even former officials love the man. He has done so much for athletics in this part of the country that he deserves to be in the Hall. I had a chance to talk with some of the KHSAA officials about getting Hoss in the Hall of Fame. They were very supportive and gave me some advice about what to do.  
I will be sending out the nomination form (Wednesday) along with all the names that have been sent to me (hopefully we will have more before I mail them out).  
To all of you who sent in your name in support of Hoss, thank you from me and, I'm sure that I can speak for him and say thank you on his part. You haven't forgotten a great individual. We need to get him in the Hall of Fame. He deserves it very much.

**Kentucky season ends...**  
I know that it doesn't seem possible, but the sun will continue to rise and set even though our beloved Wildcats fell from the NCAA tournament.  
It was a better team that out dueled them in St. Petersburg, Florida. Marquette was a very strong and physical team.  
Gone will be some of the players who we have cheered for the past four seasons: Travis Ford, Gimel Martinez, Jeff Brassow, and Rodney Dent. They will not wear a UK uniform again.  
Before next season rolls around (December of this year) let's hope that Rodrick Rhodes has done either one of two things: Quit and leave UK or become determined to be a basketball player next year. If he doesn't shoot free throws, he doesn't score too many points.  
Andre Riddick might just as well look forward to coming off the bench next season behind Mark Pope. Riddick is not even Division I material, yet he is playing for UK.  
I certainly hope that Coach Rick Pitino will look hard and wide for some wide body players who will have some bulk on them. Arkansas and Marquette seem to fair well with those type of players.  
With Antoine Walker committing to play for UK next season, look for Jarod Ward to take his talent to the West Coast next year. Kentucky will lose out on this recruitment battle and with it will go Tennessee star Ron Mercer.  
I was reading about Mercer while I was in Bowling Green last week. Seems the Goodpasture star was going to Tennessee until the

(See A Look At Sports, B4)

**Overview....**

**Betsy Layne's first-game exit nothing new**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

It has been the same old story for 15th Region girls' basketball teams for the past four years in the Sweet Sixteen State Tournament.

The first game is the only game our region team has the opportunity to play.

Except for Elkhorn City, which advanced to the semi-state in 1990, 15th Regional teams have not fared too well in the first game.

Betsy Layne, which represented the 15th Region this year, found that other state teams play a different brand of basketball. Ohio County used a pressure zone press that was awesome and created many problems for Betsy Layne, who otherwise handles the press well. Why the difference?

In the 15th Region, teams do press but not as effectively as the other state teams. Each player knows her assignment on the press and our region teams fail to read the traps. Picking up the dribble too early is inviting a double or triple team.

Betsy Layne was nervous when they took the floor for their first state tournament appearance. It was evident they wanted to perform so well, and maybe they tried a little too hard.

Ohio County set the tempo for the game from the start, even though they missed their first shot attempt and Betsy Layne rebounded the basketball.

The Lady Cats showed some spark in the first period in their first comeback, cutting the lead to two points, 10-8. But it was a disastrous second period that did in Betsy Layne when they failed to score.

The Lady Cats had a great season. They will return some strong players next season and could be a favorite to repeat their trip to the Sweet Sixteen, which will be played in Frankfort next year.

(See Betsy Layne, B 2)

**Betsy Layne (41)**

players	2pt	3pt	fta-m	tp
Conn	1	0	0-0	2
M. Johnson	1	0	2-2	4
Martin	1	0	0-0	2
Clark	0	0	3-3	3
C. Johnson	1	0	0-0	2
Hamilton	6	0	5-5	17
Lawson	1	0	0-0	2
H. Gearheart	2	0	0-0	4
M. Gearheart	0	0	0-0	0
J. Johnson	0	0	2-2	2
Tackett	0	0	0-0	0
M. Hamilton	0	0	0-0	0
Hall	0	0	0-0	0

**Ohio County (67)**

players	2pt	3pt	fta-m	tp
Snodgrass	6	1	0-0	13
Ambrose	1	0	3-1	3
Gillstrap	1	0	2-1	3
Mellott	6	2	3-2	16
Geary	6	0	8-6	18
Chinn	3	2	5-4	12
Daugherty	1	0	0-0	2

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**Wrap-around shot...**



Jessica Hamilton (54) of Betsy Layne shot one of her unusual wrap around shots against Ohio County last Thursday afternoon. Hamilton, coming off the bench, tossed in a team-high 17 points, but it wasn't enough as the Lady Cats fell hard to Ohio County 67-41. It was the first-ever state tournament appearance for a Betsy Layne girls team. (photo by Ed Taylor)

**Bench could play big part as Allen Central heads to Louisville**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Allen Central Runnin' Rebels will travel to Louisville today to make their first appearance in a state tournament since the school began 21 years ago.

The last Floyd County school to travel to the Sweet Sixteen was Gordon Parido's Prestonsburg Blackcats back in 1989. Before that, it was Junior Newsome's Betsy Layne Bobcats that appeared in the big show in 1980.

Prestonsburg lost their first round game to Travis Ford and Madisonville. Betsy Layne, in two state tournament appearances (1976 and 1980), never won a first round game.

Allen Central will match up with Shelby County tonight in the first game of the evening session. The Rebels and Rockets will tipoff at 7:30 p.m. in Louisville's Freedom Hall.

The Rebels could be the best state tournament team that the 15th Region has sent in recent years. Belfry made three consecutive trips (1990-1992) and Elkhorn City represented the region last year.

This is a legitimate high school basketball team, a team that has all the credentials to make a good showing in the classic.

Allen Central has size, offense, defense and they are a good rebounding ballclub. If the Rebs have one weakness, it is that the bench is short. Coach Johnny Martin hasn't played that far down the bench and early foul trouble could spell more trouble.

Senior Jason Martin, with solid performances in the three regional games, was the catalyst that powered the Rebels into the state tournament. Martin scored 23 points against Bel-

fry and tossed in 22 in the Rebels' win over Paintsville. He led all scorers with 27 points in the championship against Pike County Central. Junior point guard Jeremy Hall

did it all in the three-game regional tournament. Hall was spectacular in not only his offensive play, but in setting up his teammates. Hall tossed

(See Allen Central, B 3)

**Rebels not worried about first game jinx**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

For a basketball team that has not received the notoriety that most up-state teams have received, the Allen Central Rebels are just looking to arrive in Louisville's Freedom Hall tonight and just do their thing.

The Rebels are focused on the task that lies ahead of them as they make their first appearance in the Sweet Sixteen.

Freshman Thomas Jenkins put in perspective the way the Rebels feel. "We're not going down there to party," he said. "We're going down to win and not have fun."

Jenkins has been a pleasant surprise for the Rebels this season, averaging just over 11 points a game in his first varsity season. He has pulled down 281 rebounds for an average of just over eight a game.

For the freshman, the trip is to Louisville is a fulfillment of child-

hood dreams.

"It's been a dream come true for me," he said. "I have dreamed of this since I was little kid and heard about 'King' Kelly Coleman playing in the Sweet Sixteen."

"I knew we could do it this year. I figured we'd be down there showing what we've got," he said.

Jenkins thinks that it will take a team effort for the Rebels to advance in the tournament, but he also thinks that there will be some keys to winning.

"We have Jeremy (Hall) controlling the basketball," said Jenkins. "We'll need to take the ball to Phillip (Patton) under the goal and me driving to the basket. We'll need to get some three's from Steve (Turner)."

"But the key is going to be Ronnie (Samons) and Kevin (Stumbo) coming off the bench. Ronnie's really going to be a key."

The freshman forward senses a closeness on the team that has devel-

oped over the past month.

"Since we've been working together all week, everybody's been treating us so good. We've come closer together as a team through all this."

The jinx of a 15th Region team falling out in the first round is in the minds of the players, according to Jenkins, but he thinks the Rebels have something to prove.

"It's in our mind," he said, "but we want to go down there and prove them wrong about losing in the first round."

Junior point guard Jeremy Hall, the team's leading scorer and assist man at 19 points per game and 14.2 assists per contest, thinks that the critics are all wrong when they count the Rebels out in the opening round.

"I think we're going to go far," he said confidently. "I'm expecting us to

(See Rebels, B 8)



Steve Turner



Jeremy Hall



Thomas Jenkins



Phillip Patton



Jason Martin

# 15th Region girls' records in state tournaments

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

State tournament stats don't show much success for 15th Region girls basketball teams that have taken part in the classic since its new beginning in 1975.

The Sheldon Clark Lady Cardinals have made more state tournament appearances (8) than any other regional team. Johnson Central has been to the "big dance" three times with Phelps, Belfry and Pikeville making two appearances apiece.

Elkhorn City and Allen Central has made the trip once. Elkhorn City and Belfry are the only teams to advance past the first round.

Sheldon Clark has a 0-8 record in eight tournament games. Belfry won three while

losing twice. The Lady Pirates advanced to the finals of the 1984 classic under then-coach Delores Dotson. The Lady Pirates fell 55-53 to Marshall County in the championship.

Johnson Central is 0-3 in three state games. The Lady Eagles appeared last year in the state meet, losing to Central Hardin 66-47.

Allen Central made their only appearance in 1982, falling to Marshall County 61-42.

Both Phelps and Pikeville dropped their only two games in the tournament. Phelps made back-to-back appearances in 1988 and again in 1989. Pikeville went in both 1979 and 1980.

Marshall County and Oldham County have made the most appearances in the state tournament with 11 each. Marshall County has won it twice and Oldham County once. Clay County has made 10 appearances.

## A Look at Sports

(Continued from B1) school fired Wade Houston. Now, according to the article, he will be looking closely at who will come to head up the program, after saying publicly that he was upset at the school and they had no chance to recruit him.

Ward and Mercer are close friends and UK fans were hoping that the signing of Ward would lead to the eventual signing of Mercer.

Ward could still sign with UK next month (the early signing period), but I say it will be a long shot.

### ALLEN CENTRAL HEADS TO LOUISVILLE...

And we wish Coach Johnny Martin and the Rebels the best as they take part in the Sweet Sixteen. Out of all the schools that started the season, Allen Central is one of the remaining 16.

Coach Martin has done an excellent job of coaching this season. He always has his teams ready for tournament time. He seems to know what to work on and improve on before each tournament.

The regular season is nothing more than a time of getting a team ready for the big shows (district, regional and state). Coach Martin has done just that.

He has some fine young players coming back next year and should be looking for a third straight district.

At Betsy Layne, the search for a new coach may begin with taking applications, but they should throw those away and award the job to Keith Henry next year. Keith did a very good job of getting his team into the regional tournament with the short time that he had to work with them.

He definitely deserves a full year to repeat. He's a very serious-minded coach who did a great job.

### HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL...

The high school baseball season is scheduled to kickoff this coming Monday as the Betsy Layne Bobcats will inaugurate the season with games Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday (weather permitting).

Allen Central, Prestonsburg and South Floyd will open after the first of April.

The Rebels will be heading to Florida for some early spring games.

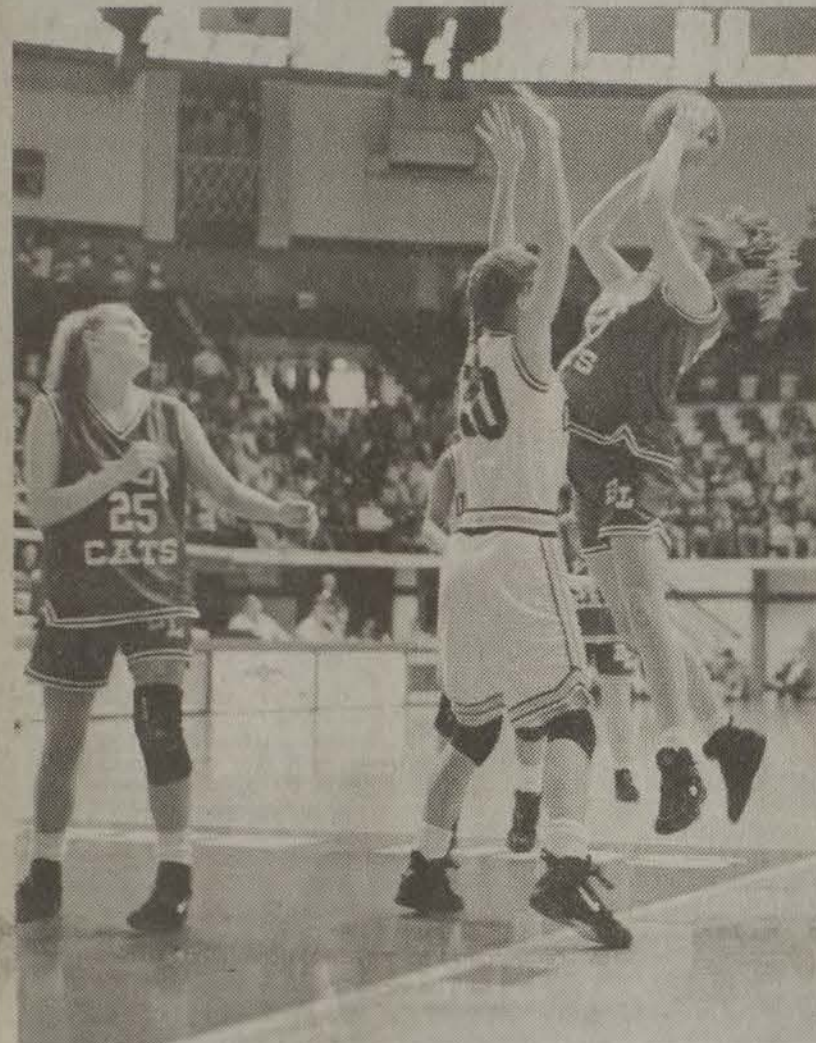
The high school women's softball season opens April 4 when Prestonsburg and Allen Central take to the field.

We do not have a schedule for South Floyd or Betsy Layne women's softball, so we don't know when they play.

Also, no scheduled has been received for Prestonsburg baseball, so we can't tell you when they play.

I'm looking forward to the baseball season. But first, it is on to Louisville today for the state tournament as we go to root on the Rebels of Allen Central.

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports.



### Has bad game!

Betsy Layne's Dee Dee Martin (53) scored her only two points of the game against Ohio County on this shot in the third quarter while teammate Rhonda Conn (25) looked on. Martin was hurt in the game and had to leave. Betsy Layne fell to the Lady Eagles 67-41. (photo by Ed Taylor)

## Betsy Layne

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One of the players returning will be Jessica Hamilton. Hamilton was the bright spot for the Lady Cats with 17 points in the game.

"Jessica came in and gave us a lift," said Coach Bill Newsome. "She will be returning for us next year. These girls have nothing to bow their heads about. It has been a very good season."

Betsy Layne posted the best record a Floyd County team has had since the early '80s when Betsy Layne and Allen Central won over 20 games. The Lady Cats this year won 21 and lost only eight times.

The college-size floor may have been a difference in the way the Lady Cats played. The officiating, although good, could also have had an affect.

Here in the 15th Region we see so many close and insignificant calls made while in the state tournament, officials let teams play more.

On two occasions, Betsy Layne seemed to stop, anticipating a whistle for a foul but no call came. The result was two steals and two baskets for Ohio County. Fouls not called at the state tournament would have been called here.

Betsy Layne shot a low 31 percent for the game. Hamilton's 17 points led the Lady Cats. Misty Johnson had seven rebounds, two offensive and five defensive, to lead the board work for the Lady Cats. Misty Clark and Heather Gearheart pulled down five each.

Hamilton had two blocked shots for Betsy Layne while Christy Johnson dished off three assists.

Betsy Layne committed 27 turnovers against the Ohio County defense. Ohio County had 21 mistakes.

Ohio County shot 43 percent for the game and hit 14 of 22 free throws. Betsy Layne did not shoot a free throw until the third quarter when they hit three of three. The Lady Cats shot 14 in the fourth quarter and connected on 12. They shot 88 percent from the charity stripe for the game. Hamilton was a perfect five of five.

Everyone on the Betsy Layne team got to see action in their first state tournament game.

Along with Hamilton, Betsy Layne will return a pair of freshman guards next season. Melena Gearheart will also return for Coach Newsome. The Lady Cats should carry a district favorite role next year and be a top contender for another regional title.

Betsy Layne's girls junior varsity only lost once this past season and have the promise of a strong season next year.

Shana Clark had to sit out most of this season with an injury and it is hoped that she will be able to return next season.

Jessica Johnson and Penny Tackett are just freshmen this year and the 15th Region is already talking about these two girls. Jill Smith, another freshman, will return next year.

Others returning include Gina Hall, Loria Hall and Leigh Keathley.

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The Betsy Layne Lady Cats made their first-ever state tournament appearance in the Sweet Sixteen this past Thursday afternoon when they faced a very good Ohio County team. Coach Bill Newsome and the Lady Cats posted a 21-8 overall record and it came through hard work. The team represented the 15th Region well and Coach Newsome will return a solid ballclub next year. Here the team is picture just after tipoff in the first round game. Ohio County, one of the top teams in the state, posted a 67-41 win over the Lady Cats. (photo by Ed Taylor)

## Allen Central

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in 20 points against Belfry while picking up 19 assists.

It was his passing game as well as his offensive talent that sent the Rebels past Paintsville in the semifinals. Hall had a team-high 27 points and 15 assists in an outstanding showing.

Against Pike Central, he took over the show and finished with 19 points and 16 assists, scoring 14 points in the decisive fourth quarter.

Hall is dangerous from the three-point arch if his shots are falling.

Inside, the Rebels will match up with most teams in the state tournament. Phillip Patton (6' 6", 185, senior) had his best game of the season against Pike Central. Patton has been the force in the middle that has kept the defense from shutting down Allen Central's perimeter game. The senior center is averaging close to seven rebounds per contest.

The leading rebounder for the

Rebels is Steve Turner (6'4", 185, senior). Turner is pulling down 13 rebounds per contest and is another one of those streak shooters from the 19' 9" arch.

Freshman Thomas Jenkins (6' 3", 170) has been the surprise of the season for Allen Central. He didn't perform like a frosh but more like a seasoned player who stayed focused.

Despite his 6' 3" frame, Jenkins can jump out of the gym with his leaping ability. He had a strong regional tournament with 23 points against Belfry. His scoring dropped off in the semis and finals, but it was his defensive play in the championship game that helped Allen Central to the win.

While Coach Martin hasn't gone that far down the bench, he does have some steady performers there. One is Kevin Stumbo (6' 1", 150, junior) who just seems to give it all he has

when he enters the game. A very good floor leader, Stumbo can score, but is reluctant to shoot because he looks for the open man.

There is height on the Rebel bench in Ronnie Samons (6' 3", 220, senior) and Jason Bevins (6' 2", 170, sophomore). Samons was a starter earlier in the year but suffered some illnesses. But the senior center has been a big part of the Rebels' defense and offense. A strong rebounder and a good inside player. Though Bevins saw limited playing time this season, he can play the game. A good shot blocker and inside player. Will give Coach Martin some good quality minutes.

How the Rebels perform will depend upon their frame of mind when they take the Freedom Hall floor. The first time in the tournament seems to

always get players a little nervous.

Others off the bench include: Matt Crawford (6' 1", 150, sophomore), Brad Lyons (5' 8", sophomore), Beau Tackett (5' 9", freshman), and John Moore (5' 8", sophomore).

While Allen Central will be making their first tournament appearance, Shelby County will be returning to the event having played last year.

However, the Rockets will be without 6' 11" All-Stater Matt Simons. But the Rockets will have the experience of playing in a previous state tournament.

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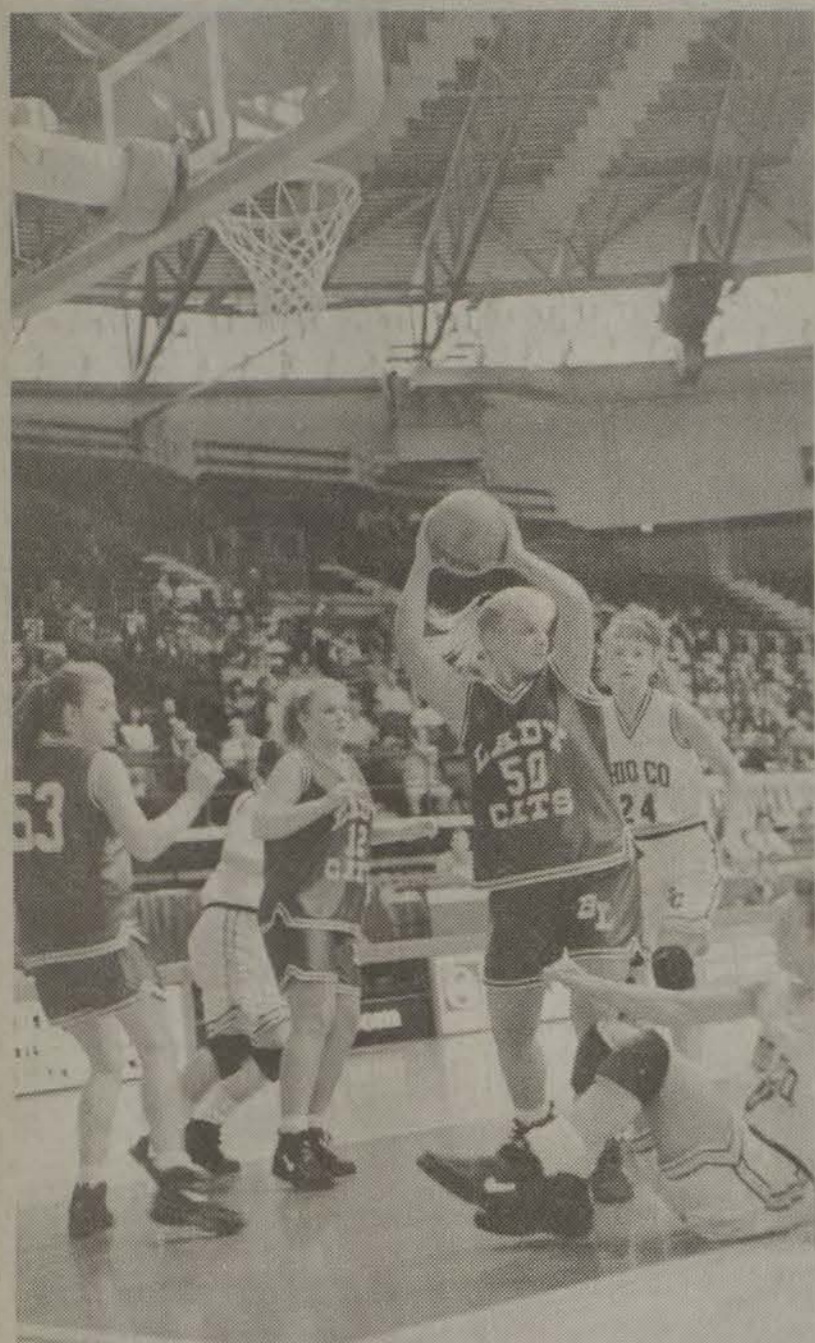
and free throw. Seward and Hall had two apiece in the first period.  
 Chad Newsome scored five for Virgie with Robert Newsome and Sword netting two each.  
 Allen Central blitzed Virgie in the second quarter outscoring them 15-4 to take a 25-14 halftime lead. Mayo hit his second three in scoring five in the second stanza. Seward added four with Hall and Nobility scoring two each.

Mayo hit his third trey of the game in the final period while scoring eight points in the quarter.  
 Against Feds Creek, Mayo poured in 23 points on two treys and hit three of five from the free throw line en route to a 47-41 win over the host team.  
 Jesse Hall and Seward each scored in double figures with Hall netting 10 points and Seward 11. Josh Hall added

two points with Brian Jones scoring one.  
 Paul Hess led Feds Creek with 15 points. James Belcher netted 13 and Carl Sizemore scored five. Hess had three of his team's five three-point baskets. Belcher and Sizemore had one trey each.  
 Allen Central led 12-11 after the first quarter with Hall scoring four points in the period on two field goals. Mayo had a three-pointer and a free throw. Seward and Josh Hall scored two each.

The local AAU team led 21-16 at the half with Allen Central holding Feds Creek to only one field goal, a three-pointer by Sizemore, in the second period. Mayo and Jesse Hall had four each in the quarter.  
 The two teams played even in the third with Allen Central playing one

point better in the fourth. 16-15. Mayo scored nine points in the final stanza.  
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 McKinney scored 15 points and Mullins added 12. Jeremy Sexton just missed double figures, scoring nine points. Patrick Martin tossed in eight while Chris Damron and James Slone scored three apiece.  
 Josh Williamson led Mullins with 11 points. Chris Johnson scored seven.  
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Misty Johnson (50) grabbed a rebound against Ohio County in the first round of the girls' state tournament in Bowling Green last week. Johnson had five rebounds in the game. Betsy Layne dropped a 67-41 loss to Ohio County. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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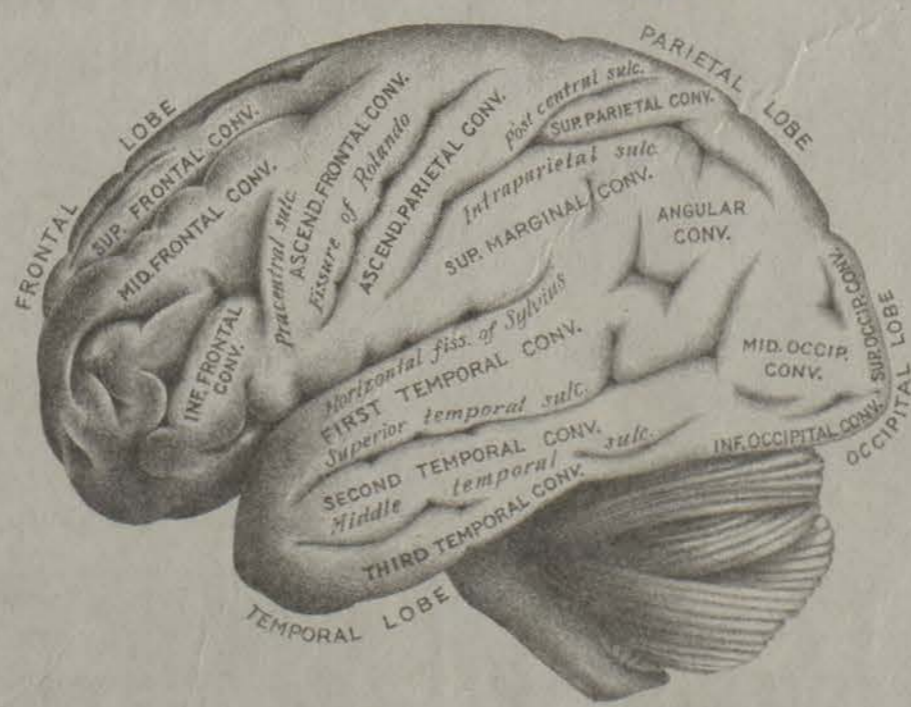
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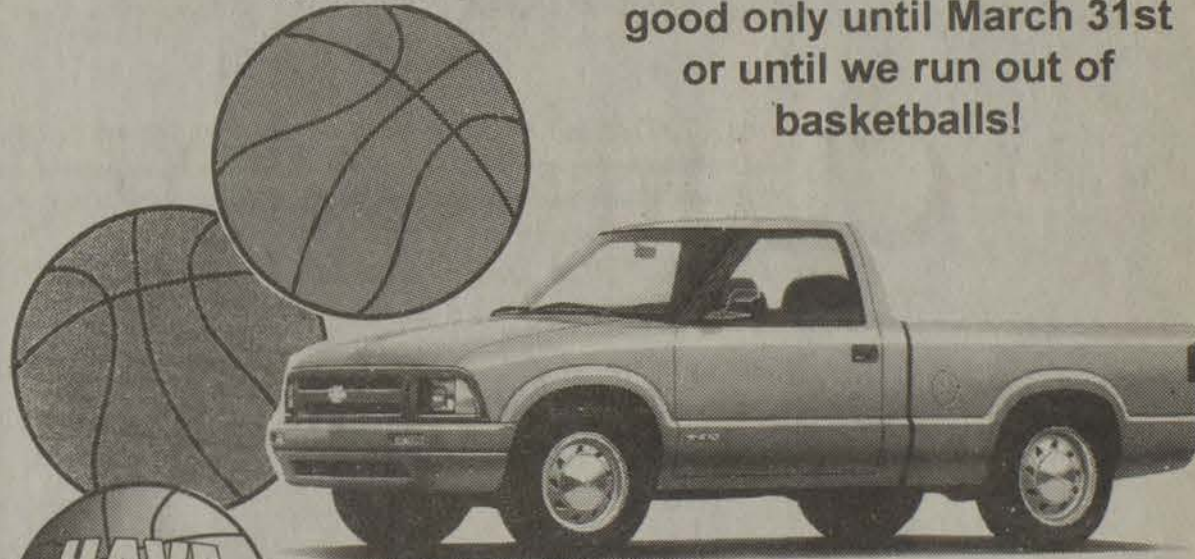
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# Scouting Report

## Shelby County not to be taken lightly, says Martin

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

When the basketball season ends, it is always the dream of a basketball team to reach the Sweet Sixteen in state tournament play. Just to be part of the elite is rewarding enough for hard work during a regular season.

But the Allen Central Rebels are not going just to be going, but they plan to come home a winner.

Tonight, Coach Johnny Martin will lead his team onto the Freedom Hall court for their first state tournament game. They will face the Rockets of Shelby County, a team that has been in the tournament the last two seasons.

Gone from the Shelby County team is 6'11" center Matt Simons. He has moved to the University of Louisville. But, according to Coach Mar-

tin, the Rockets are not to be taken for granted.

"Shelby County is a lot better than people think they are," said the Rebel coach. "They played awful well the last month of the regular season."

"In preseason they thought they would be a good basketball team. It took them a long time to come around because they had some kids playing football."

Shelby County enters the Sweet Sixteen with a 21-10 record. The only common foe the two teams have played this season has been Betsy Layne. Betsy Layne defeated Shelby County earlier in the year and lost four times to Allen Central.

In the Class A Regional Tournament, South Floyd pulled a slow-down game against Coach Martin's ballclub and came to within two points of pulling the upset. Since that time,

Martin is concerned about teams that like the snail's pace.

"The thing that worries me most about them (Shelby County) is that they play a real slow type of offense. They average around 52 to 53 points per game and only give up 48."

"They play good defense and take care of the basketball. They've got a good guard (Jeremy Burchfield) whose got state tournament experience. He doesn't get rattled when pressured. That makes it easier for them to play that type of game."

The Allen Central coach thinks that if his ballclub can get Shelby County in a running game, his team can play with them.

"We can play with them and just about anyone else in the tournament," he said.

Burchfield (6'0", senior) leads the team in scoring and is the Rockets "go-to player."

"They have two very quick kids, McKnight and Allen, who don't shoot so well, but both are good, strong rebounders. Both are good role players that stand at six-feet."

"Long is their biggest player at 6'4" and plays center. He was the backup to Simons last year. Many feel that made him a better player," said Martin.

"They have a kid by the name of Brooks who is about 6'2" and a good rebounder and outside shot. He's probably their best rebounder."

Coach Martin said that his team's opponent will mix up their defenses.

"They will play a variety of defenses against us," he said. "They will play some zone and even some matchup like we do. They play a lot of half-court trap and will trap out of a 1-3-1 or a 2-2-1."

"They do a lot of different things offensively, but slowly. They don't seem to run the break unless Burchfield wants to."

Coach Martin said that they were looking for a key to indicate when Shelby County would run the basketball.

"There doesn't appear to be a key," he said. "It's when Burchfield wants to run it."

"He a heck of a guard, but not the quickest we have faced," said the veteran coach. "He doesn't have a pretty shot, but he's a smart player and he can score."

The Rockets fast break consist of Burchfield bringing the ball up the court and pulling up for the jumper. He will penetrate and dish the ball off.

"They look to be slow in their transition game," said Martin. "If they

are, we feel we can burn them."

Martin said that the Rockets have that state tournament experience that his players don't have and being close to Freedom Hall may make a difference.

"They're just 30 minutes away from Freedom Hall. They can get on the bus and it will be like us going to Prestonsburg to play. It will be just like a normal day for them," he said. "Those things scare me some."

Martin said that the biggest key to winning in the first round against Shelby County will be taking control of the tempo.

"Speeding them up. That will be the key. If they'll play up and down and get into a running game, we can play with them."

"They're going to play real slow, not deliberately, just work the ball around and be real patient. They will try to keep the game in the 20s at the half."

"If we can get up and down, get the break and have no early jitters, I think we'll be all right."

Tipoff time is set for 7:30 p.m. tonight. If the Rebels win the first round, they will face either Clay County or Louisville Fairdale in round two, Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

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The Commission passed an extension to the first segment of squirrel season to run from August 20 through November 11. Previously, the season had closed October 31 each year. The second portion of the season remained unchanged. Squirrel season will reopen November 22 (the day after modern gun deer season closes) and continue through December 31, 1994. Statewide quail and rabbit season will be open from November 1-11 and November 22 through January 31, 1995.

The Commission also approved county zone assignments and other regulations for the 1994-95 deer hunting season. The deer season limit will be two per hunter again this year. Permit prices will remain at \$21 for the two-tag permit and \$12.50 for the one-tag junior deer permit.

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# Rebels

reach the final four at least, if not the final game."

Hall said that he thinks that the teams in the larger areas (Louisville and Lexington) don't think the Rebs are for real.

"I don't think the teams in the big cities think we can play basketball. I feel that we can play with anyone," he said.

Jason Bevins, who comes off the bench for Allen Central and is averaging just over four points per game and 2.8 rebounds, echoes the same sentiments as Hall.

"We don't get any respect," he said. "We've got a good chance to go all the way. We have a lot better team than everybody thinks."

"We've got speed, size, shooting and our defense is stepping up," continued Hall. "We've got the total package."

Hall thinks the keys to an Allen Central win against Shelby County is controlling the tempo of the ballgame.

"We've got to speed the game up. We'll need to control the tempo and not let them slow the game down. Getting back in our transition game will be a key also," he stated.

"Jeremy controls the basketball

for our team," said Bevins. "He sets the ball up and does everything for this team."

Bevins feels that when his chance arrives to enter the game that he will help the Rebels as much as he can. "But I feel a big to winning will be getting the ball inside to Phillip."

Patton has been one of the bright spots for the Rebels late in the season and around tournament time. He has averaged 10 points per contest and has an average of 10.4 rebounds per outing. The senior center thinks that his confidence has grown lately.

"It's real good right now," he said after the Rebels completed practice Monday evening. "I think we'll all play good in Louisville. Any of us are capable of scoring and they can't key their defense on any one person. We'll do all right down there."

Patton said that playing hard pressure defense as well as hitting the boards, will be a must for Allen Central.

"We need to play a very good defensive game and get on the boards," he said. Patton said that he overcomes the nervousness of his first state tournament game by just focusing on the cause before him.

"I just think about the game."

Senior forward Jason Martin, who will carry a 15-point per game average into the state tournament, is just thankful to be there and views Shelby County as a strong team.

"We watched some tapes on them and they're a pretty good team," he said. "They have a point guard in Jeremy Burchfield who likes to penetrate to the basket. He'll sometimes pull up and take the jumper or go straight to the basket."

"We're going to try and stop him as much as we can, especially his penetration."

Martin said that although the Rockets are an experienced state tournament team, the Rebels are ready.

"We've got more size inside than they do," said Martin. "The whole game for Shelby County is built around Burchfield. He controls their whole offense."

The senior Rebel said that overall the team is not nervous about playing in Freedom Hall.

"No, we're not nervous. We know if we play like we're capable of playing that we're as good as any team down there."

"We've got a balanced attack that no team in the 15th Region, lately, has sent down there."

Martin said that if the Rebels play good defense, that their offense will come.

Steve Turner leads the Rebels in rebounds with just over 12 a game. He carries also a 10.8 points per game average into the game tonight. But Turner has been a strong three-point shooter for the Rebels and finds a lot of happiness in going to Louisville.

"I'm thrilled to death to be going," he said. "It's a once in a lifetime opportunity."

Turner gave a little scouting report on the Rockets.

"They'll try to slow the ball down on us," he stated. "They have one big player they'll try to go inside to. We're going to try and make them play our style."

Turner said that the Rebels will have to stay down and play good defense against Shelby County.

"We'll also will need a good game out of Ronnie Samons. He's going have to come in and get some rebounds, especially if Phillip or I get into foul trouble."

While the Allen Central bench is not that long this year, Turner said that they will be expected to contribute when called up on.

"Mister Instant Offense" Kevin Stumbo, says the pressure is not go-

ing to be in the first game.

"There was more pressure in the regional finals than there will be in the first game of the state tournament," he said. "The reason being, we've never been over the hill in the regional and we won it all this year."

"I feel that the pressure is off. This team just hasn't got the respect that it deserves around the state. There are going to be some dandy teams down in Louisville, but I think we're as good as any team down there."

"We have a good inside game. We have a good outside game. We run the fast break well and when we want to play defense we can."

Stumbo thinks that he and his teammates have the best shot at advancing in the state when compared to past 15th region teams.

"We're going into it with a positive attitude," said Stumbo. "Most regional teams were just happy to be there. We want to win."

Stumbo is averaging just over seven points a game coming off the bench. He has averaged three assists per outing and two rebounds per contest.

Allen Central will bring a 27-7 record into their first state tournament. The Rebels have averaged close to 80 points per contest while giving up 64.

Shelby County is a more deliberate team that likes to keep the game in the 50's. The Rockets are averaging 53 points per game and giving away 48.

The game can be heard over radio stations WQHY and WMDJ. Each station will air all Allen Central games. WQHY will also carry the entire tournament while WMDJ will carry only Allen Central games.

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Father, son act!

Allen Central coach Johnny Martin (right) took time to share this special moment with his father, Roy Martin, after the Rebels defeated Pike County Central to win the 15th Regional basketball championship. The Rebs play Wednesday at Louisville. (photo by Ed Taylor)



A helping hand!

Melena Gearheart (34) offered Jessica Hamilton (54) a helping hand after she was fouled on this play during state tournament action in Bowling Green Thursday. Hamilton led the Lady Cats with 17 points in a 67-41 loss. Hamilton is only a junior and will return next season. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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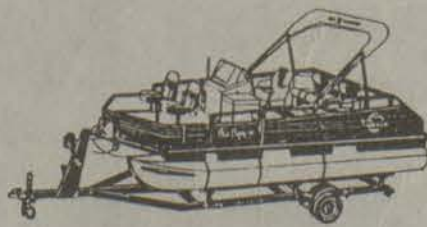


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## Lady Bears place second in Early Bird Tournament

The Pikeville College Lady Bears softball team placed second in the Early Bird Softball Tournament at Cumberland College on March 5. Cumberland College won the double elimination tournament.

The Lady Bears opened the tournament with impressive wins over Lees College and Sue Bennett College. Pikeville defeated Lees 19-7 and then rolled past Sue Bennett 15-4 with both games going just five innings because of the mercy rule. Pikeville lost their two games to Cumberland 5-4 and 9-2.

Elizabeth Baird took to the mound for the Lady Bears and received some good defensive play in the first two games. However, Baird was hampered in the final two games with a strained back but showed great cour-

age and was able to finish with some help from Claire Fuller.

Melissa Davis looked like the Brooks Robinson of women's softball with some dazzling plays at third base. She made diving stops at third base holding the runners to one base. Heather Bailey had an excellent game at shortstop for Pikeville and did not commit an error at the six position. She displayed some good base running on the base paths. The fleet-footed shortstop had to sit out part of the third game and almost of game four due to a breathing difficulty.

Candice Keene played an excellent game in centerfield for the Lady Bears making several difficult catches.

Jennifer Cantrell, Tina Childress, Claire Fuller, Sarah Norma, Amy Reed (Prestonsburg), Carolyn Reffitt (Prestonsburg) and Susan Rowe all hit the ball well and played good defense.

Brandi Coleman, Stephanie May and "Mouse" Justice contributed as well.

After the tournament, the team had supper at Cumberland Falls State Park.

The Lady Bears will open their regular season on Saturday, March 26, at Lindsey Wilson. The Lady Bears' first home game is scheduled for Wednesday, March 30, at the Bob Amos Park. Game time is scheduled for 3:30 p.m.



Scores on drive!

Betsy Layne's Shawnda Lawsons (4) drove to the basket and scored a layup against Ohio County in the girls' Sweet Sixteen last Thursday at Bowling Green. Betsy Layne made their first-ever appearance and dropped a 67-41 decision to Ohio County. (photo by Ed Taylor)

### Commonwealth rebounds from early loss to take league title

The First Commonwealth's independent basketball team overcame an early first round loss and rebounded with four consecutive wins to capture the league title in the Johnson County Men's Independent Basketball League which ended this past Sunday.

The only loss for Commonwealth in the league tournament was a 94-93 overtime setback at the hands of Ferrell Gas.

The finals came down to Commonwealth and Mr. Gatti's, a team that was undefeated until they faced the local team. Commonwealth posted consecutive victories over Mr. Gatti's to secure the title.

Marty Adams led with 18 points in the final game that First Commonwealth won 83-72.

First Commonwealth edged Mr. Gatti's 92-89 in the first game to force a second match in the double elimination tournament.

Robbie Russell led the Commonwealth offense in the first game.

Earlier victims for First Commonwealth were Blair's Body Shop, 85-61 and Ferrell Gas, 85-67.

Members of the First Commonwealth team include Robert Allen, Kenny Music, William Rowe, Kevin Mullins, who played in league play. Other members who took part in the tournament for Commonwealth were Reggie Gravely, Robbie Russell, Marty Minix, Ronnie Clark, Shannon Elswick and Marty Adams.

First Commonwealth shared the league's regular season championship with a 13-5 record.



A show of appreciation!

Allen Central Athletic Director David Bolen presents Dr. Ira Potter a plaque in appreciation for the time he has given as team physician. The presentation was made during the regional tournament. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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If implemented, the proposed action may directly or indirectly convert important farmland or prime forest land and convert or impact floodplain or wetland. The purpose of this notice is to inform the public of this possible result and to request comments concerning (1) the impacts of the proposed location on important farmland, prime forest land, floodplain or wetland, (2) alternative sites or actions that would avoid these impacts, and (3) methods that could be used to reduce these impacts.

The proposed action is available for review at the following FmHA Office: FmHA District Office, 207 London Shopping Center, London, Ky. 40741.

Any persons interested in commenting on the proposed action may do so by sending such comments within 30 days following the date of this publication to: Thomas G. Fern, State Director, Farmers Home Administration, 771 Corporate Drive, Suite 200, Lexington, Ky. 40503.

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#### Hunter Safety Class scheduled for March 31, April 1, 2

A Hunters Safety Class, along with a Bowhunters Class, will be held at the McDowell Elementary Family Resource Center on March 31, April 1 and 2.

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**Girls' 15th Region All-Tournament Team**

Named to the Girls' 15th Region All-Tournament team were: front row, Rhonda Conn, Dee Dee Martin, Misty Clark, all of Betsy Layne. Back row: Heather Hinkle, Jamie Runyon and Jamie Hefflin, all of Belfry; Amanda Pinson of Paintsville; Danielle Campenella of Phelps and Marsha Brown of Allen Central. Not pictured: Bernita Wells and Melissa Blair of Johnson Central; Claudette Gillespie of Pike Central. (photo by Ed Taylor)

# Bassin with the Pros

**PROPER SINKER WEIGHT IMPORTANT TO FISHING SUCCESS**

Slip sinkers aren't very large physically, but they play a major role in bass fishing success.

That's why it's important to understand how to choose the proper sinker size for the depth of water you're fishing, according to bass tournament angler Cliff Craft.

"The key in using slip sinkers, particularly when you're fishing plastic worms, lizards, or grubs, is to use the lightest sinker possible to get your lure to the bottom," explains the Evinrude Outboards Pro Staff member.

"The lighter the sinker, the more action your lure will have, which of course, makes it more attractive to bass, but you still have to be able to feel the lure so you know when a fish does hit."

The basic rules for choosing slip sinker weight, says Craft, are to use a 1/8 ounce sinker in water to about five feet deep; a 3/16 ounce sinker in water five to 10 feet deep; a 1/4 ounce sinker in water 10 to 15 feet deep; and a 3/8 ounce sinker in water deeper than 15 feet.

"One factor that enters in on weight choice is wind or rough water," cautions the Evinrude pro. "Normally in high wind or when you're fishing in waves, a heavier sinker is needed for casting and to make sure the lure does get to the bottom."

"If you put on a slip sinker and make a cast but can't feel your lure at all, you need to change to a slightly heavier weight."

For the first time in many years, notes Craft, manufacturers are changing slip sinker designs. The once-standard bullet shape is being replaced by much slimmer needle-nose designs that pull through vegetation much easier, and other sinkers actually have different types of noise devices built into them.

"New materials are also being used," he adds, "because the general belief in the fishing industry is that eventually lead will be banned in the use of fishing lures to prevent lead poisoning in waterfowl, as it has been in shotgun shells. Today some manufacturers are already changing to brass, and the designs are completely different from anything we've seen before."

"One company is designing a slip sinker with holes drilled through it so that each time you move it, the sinker leaves a stream of air bubbles that may help attract a bass."

Adding noise to lures has long been popular, but now several companies are machining brass sinkers with sliding clackers or other noise makers inside the sinker itself, continues Craft.

"Whether you believe noise helps attract bass is largely a matter of personal confidence," he says. "The important thing is not to forget why you're really using a slip sinker at all."

"Its purpose is to take your lure to the bottom and keep it there where most of the bass are located, and you always want to use the lightest sinker weight possible that does that and still lets you feel the lure itself."

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**PLASTIC CRAWFISH IMITATIONS CATCHING PLENTY OF BASS**

Imagine, if you can, the thrill of catching a 12 pound bass, and then following it with dozens of other bass in the five to eight pound range.

Angler David Wharton, a member of the Johnson Outboards Pro Staff and a former guide on Lake Sam Rayburn in Texas has done just that, and all have come from one lure, a plastic imitation crawfish, generally called a craw worm.

"It's a very natural looking lure," says Wharton, "and most of the craw worms now on the market are fairly large lures, too, so they have a tendency to get hit by larger bass. In fact, the present Lake Rayburn record, a 13 pound, 8 ounce bass, was caught on a craw worm."

The name craw worm comes from the fact the lure is actually a combination of two different lures, a crawfish and a plastic worm. A craw worm has the legs and pinchers of a crawfish, but it also has a long, thin worm-type body.

"The easiest and most popular way to fish the lure is like a plastic worm," says Wharton. "Just rig it with a slip sinker and insert the hook in the worm part of the body."

"When you cast a craw worm, let it sink, then slowly crawl or hop it along the bottom. The natural buoyancy of the plastic will let the pinch-

ers float up like a real crawfish, so the lure actually looks alive."

One of the most popular places to fish the craw worm when it's rigged this way, says the Johnson pro, is along the edges of grasslines, especially on points or channels that have a nearby drop into deeper water. That's what Wharton was doing when he caught his largest bass ever, a 12 pound, 10 ounce giant.

Two other methods of fishing craw worms have also become popular among the tournament pros. One method is to fish the lure on a Carolina rig, and the other is as a trailer on a jig.

"Right now, using a craw worm as a jig trailer should be very productive because as the water gets colder, the fish become more sluggish," explains Wharton.

"They also tend to want larger, more bulky lures, too, and a jig and craw worm combination certainly makes for a big bait."

"When you rig this way," he continues, "you can flip or pitch the lure into heavy brush and jug it slowly through the limbs, or you can hop it down channel banks or off the edges of points."

"If you're going to fish a soft plastic lure in the late fall and winter, a craw worm is one of the best to use."

Craw worms are made by a number of manufacturers, adds Wharton, and are available in several sizes and in a wide variety of colors.

**AA ORIENTATION AT PCC**

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## Fertilizing and pruning apple trees

Well-managed, home-grown apple trees will yield larger crops and higher quality fruit when they get off to a good start.

"Fruit trees can be fertilized in February and early March," said John Strang, extension horticulture specialist with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture.

When fertilizer is applied now, tree roots are able to pick up the nitrogen in preparation for spring growth, he said. If nitrogen is applied in mid- to late summer, this may promote winter injury because hardiness development may be delayed.

In most cases, nitrogen in the form of ammonium nitrate is the only fertilizer needed for apple trees, Strang said. The amount of nitrogen that should be applied depends on a tree's age and the amount of growth it made the previous season.

Evaluate tree vigor by examining the terminal shoots of the apple tree to determine how much growth was made the previous season, Strang explained. The point from which the shoot grew the previous season is marked by bud scale scars that form a small ring in the bark around the shoot. These bud scale scars are left by the bud scales that covered the terminal bud during the previous winter.

"On apples, it is best to have an average of 12 to 15 inches of terminal growth," he added. "If a tree has more than this, use a little less fertilizer and if there is less than this, use a little more."

"For apples, apply a quarter pound of nitrogen per year of age of the tree," Strang said. "For example, a four-year-old tree would get about one pound of ammonium nitrate. The fertilizer should be sprinkled on the ground beneath the drip line of the tree, not at the base of the trunk, so rainfall will push the fertilizer down into the root zone."

"But remember," he added, "if a lawn is fertilized, this may supply all the nitrogen fertilizer needed for an apple tree."

Fruit trees should be pruned every year to promote annual fruiting, he said. The goal is to open up the tree to allow sunlight to get into its interior. Pruning is best done between mid-February and the tree's full bloom when the worst of winter is over because pruning dehardens trees and makes them more susceptible to winter injury.

Young trees should be pruned last because they are most susceptible to winter injury, Strang said. On older trees, first remove any dead or diseased branches and then start at the

top of the tree and cut branches to the desired height. Be sure to make these cuts to an outwardly-growing limb and don't leave branch stubs because it is difficult for the tree to seal off or grow over stubs.

If more than two very large limbs need to be removed, plan to remove them over a two- to three-year period, he added. Next, remove any limbs that cross over each other and eliminate limbs that have narrow or weak crotch angles. Try to avoid having more than one branch arising from the same area of the trunk and remove or cut back limbs that crowd other limbs. Also remove water sprouts and try to divert side branches to grow and fill vacant areas of trees.

Since apples grow more on horizontal than vertical branches, pruners should encourage the development of branches that grow at 45 to 60 degree angles from the trunk, which also promotes development of strong branches, Strang added. Try to remove branches that arise at sharp angles from the trunk. These are often weaker because bark accumulates between the branch and the trunk and they often break off under heavy fruit load.

More information on apple tree pruning and a video tape can be obtained from county extension offices.

### Gateway Livestock Market

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## FmHa announces housing preservation grant program

The U.S. Department of Agriculture, Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) will accept preapplications from qualified public and private nonprofit organizations for Housing Preservation Grant (HPG) funds until April 4.

These grant funds are to be used to help repair or rehabilitate rural housing. Proposals may be submitted which target single family homes owned and occupied by very low or low income rural residents, rural rental properties, rural rental cooperatives. No combination proposals will be accepted.

Kentucky's allocation is \$636,380 for Fiscal Year 1994. A request from any qualified applicant will be considered up to 50 percent of the state's allocation of funds. Applicants must demonstrate a need for repair and rehabilitation of the targeted housing type in the area to be served, accept-

able plans for selecting recipients and desiring the quality of work performed, support for the program or the local government of the area to be served, and the availability of other funds which would be used to supplement the funds received from FmHA.

Applicants must make their Statement of Activities available to the public (for review and comments) 15 days prior to the deadline for submission of the preapplication to the agency. This notice to the public must be placed in a newspaper no later than March 20. Publication in a local newspaper is desirable.

For additional information about the Housing Preservation Grant Program, prospective applicants should contact the FmHA District Office at 207 London Shopping Center, London, KY 40741, 606/864-5168 where the repair and rehabilitation program is to be utilized.

## Meeting consumer demands for fish

Consumers fishing for a good diet produce growth for the aquaculture industry.

"Increased awareness of the importance of consuming a healthy diet helped spur this change," said Sandra Bastin extension nutrition specialist with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture.

"The average consumption of fish and shellfish increased from three pounds per person in 1970 to 15 pounds per person in 1993, so the aquaculture industry is rapidly growing," said Bastin.

Over 20 different species are farmed in a controlled environment, she said. Catfish account for one-half

of the production with other species including shrimp, salmon, shell fish, and crawfish.

"The aquaculture industry in the United States serves as the world's largest seafood exporter and second largest importer," she said. "Current tight restrictions on commercial harvesting will boost the aquaculture industry's expansion."

As with any meat or poultry, seafood should be chosen carefully and cooked properly to avoid foodborne illness, Bastin said. Purchasing fish from reputable markets and cooking it sufficiently will help to avoid bacterial contamination.

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# County Kettle

### Mozzarella-Stuff Mushrooms

2 *tblsp.* butter or margarine (1/4 stick)  
 8 very large mushrooms, each about 2 1/2 inches in diameter (about 1 pound)  
 1/2 8-ounce package mozzarella or scamorza cheese  
 8 fresh basil leaves or mint leaves, or 1 *tblsp.* chopped arugula, or 1/2 *tsp.* dried basil  
 Place butter or margarine in 12" by 8" baking dish; cover dish with waxed paper. Cook at high (100 percent power) 1 minute or until butter melts.

Meanwhile, remove stem from each mushroom. Wrap stems and reserve for another use. Rinse mushrooms with running cold water and pat dry with paper towels. Place mushrooms in baking dish; brush with melted butter or margarine. Then arrange mushrooms, stem side down, in dish, arranging larger mushrooms near ends of dish; cover with waxed paper. Cook on high 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 minutes until mushrooms are tender. Turn mushrooms stem side up.

Cut mozzarella cheese into 8 pieces; place one piece in each mushroom cap; top with a basil leaf. Cook, uncovered, at medium (50 percent power) 6 to 8 minutes, until cheese melts and is a smooth, rotating dish a half turn after 4 minutes.

### Zucchini and Green Beans with Dill

2 *tblsp.* salad oil  
 1 medium-sized onion, sliced  
 1/2 pound green beans, cut into 2-inch pieces  
 1/4 cup water  
 2 medium-sized zucchini (about 12 ounces each), cut into 2" by 1/2" strips  
 1 large red pepper, cut into thin strips  
 1 *tblsp.* lemon juice  
 2 *tblsp.* chopped fresh dill

In 3-quart casserole or bowl, place salad oil and onion; cover with casserole lid or large plate. Cook at high 6 minutes, stirring every 2 minutes, or until onion is tender. Stir in green beans and water. Cover and cook at high 6 to 8 minutes, stirring after 4 minutes, until beans are tender-crisp.

To casserole, add zucchini and red pepper. Cover and cook at high 5 to 8 minutes, stirring after 5 minutes, until vegetables are tender. Stir in lemon juice and dill.

### Broccoli With Lemon

1 medium-sized bunch broccoli  
 3 *tblsp.* salad oil  
 1 garlic clove, cut in half  
 1/2 *tsp.* salt  
 1 small lemon, cut into wedges

Cut broccoli into 2" by 1" pieces. In 3-quart casserole or bowl, place salad oil and garlic. Cook at high 2 minutes or until hot. Add broccoli and salt, stirring to coat broccoli with oil; cover with casserole lid or large plate. Cook at high 6 to 8 minutes, stirring after 4 minutes, until broccoli is tender-crisp.

Let broccoli stand, still covered, 5 minutes. Discard garlic. Serve broccoli with lemon.

### All-purpose Barbecue Sauce

1 small onion, minced  
 2 *tblsp.* salad oil  
 1 *tblsp.* chili powder  
 1 8-ounce can tomato sauce  
 1 8-ounce can crushed pineapple in juice  
 1/4 cup packed brown sugar  
 2 *tblsp.* cider vinegar  
 1 3/4 *tsp.* salt  
 1/4 *tsp.* hot-pepper sauce

In 2-quart casserole or bowl, combine onion and salad oil; cover with casserole lid or large plate. Cook at high 3 minutes or until onion is tender, stirring after 1 1/2 minutes. Stir in chili powder; cover and cook at high 1 minute.

Add tomato sauce, crushed pineapple with its juice, brown sugar, cider vinegar, salt and hot-pepper sauce. Cover casserole and cook mixture at high 5 minutes. Stir mixture well. Cover and cook at medium 10 minutes or until mixture thickens slightly. If not using barbecue sauce

right away, cover and refrigerate to use within 3 days. Use barbecue sauce to glaze broiled chicken, dish, ribs, steaks, hamburgers or frankfurters.

### "Fried" Chicken

8 chicken thighs (about 2 1/2 pounds)  
 5 *tblsp.* butter or margarine  
 1 cup finely crushed round buttery crackers  
 1/2 *tsp.* paprika  
 1/2 *tsp.* salt  
 1/4 *tsp.* rosemary, crushed

Remove skin and cut away any excess fat from chicken thighs. Place butter or margarine in pie plate; cover with waxed paper. Cook

at high 1 to 1 1/2 minutes until butter melts. On waxed paper, mix crumbs, paprika, salt and rosemary.

Dip chicken thighs in butter or margarine; then coat with cracker-crumbs mixture. Arrange coated chicken thighs on rack in 12" by 8" baking dish; cover dish with waxed paper. Cook at high 9 minutes. Remove waxed paper and rotate dish a half turn. Cook at high 5 to 7 minutes longer until thighs are tender. Let thighs stand 5 minutes before serving.

### Roast Turkey Breast With Brown Rice

1 small onion, finely chopped  
 1/4 pound mushrooms, sliced  
 Water  
 1 1/2 cups brown rice  
 1 *tsp.* thyme leaves 1 *tsp.* salt  
 1 6-pound fresh or frozen (thawed) turkey breast  
 2 *tblsp.* butter or margarine (1/4 stick)  
 1/2 *tsp.* browning and seasoning sauce  
 In 5-quart casserole or bowl, com-

bine onion, mushrooms, and 1/4 cup water; cover with casserole lid or large plate. Cook at high 5 minutes, stirring after 3 minutes. Stir in brown rice, thyme, salt, and 1 1/4 cups hot tap water. Cover and cook at high 10 minutes, stirring after 5 minutes.

Meanwhile, if turkey breast comes with neck, giblets, and with back and rib bones attached, with kitchen shears, cut off back and rib bones from breast (wrap bones, neck, and giblets with plastic wrap and refrigerate to use in soup another day).

Stir rice in casserole; then place turkey, skin side down, in mixture. Cover and cook at medium high (70 percent power) 20 minutes. Remove from oven. In 1-cup glass measuring cup, place butter; cook at high 45 seconds or until melted. Stir in browning and seasoning sauce.

Turn turkey skin side up. Add 3/4 cup hot tap water to rice, pouring water over turkey breast to remove any rice on turkey. Brush turkey with butter mixture. Cover and cook at medium high 30 to 35 minutes longer,

until turkey breast reaches 160° when tested with meat thermometer, stirring rice after 20 minutes. (Unless using a microwave-safe meat thermometer, the thermometer should be used only outside microwave oven.) Remove casserole from oven. Let turkey and rice stand, still covered, 10 minutes. Turkey will continue to cook to reach 170° on meat thermometer. Place turkey breast on warm large platter; spoon rice around turkey.

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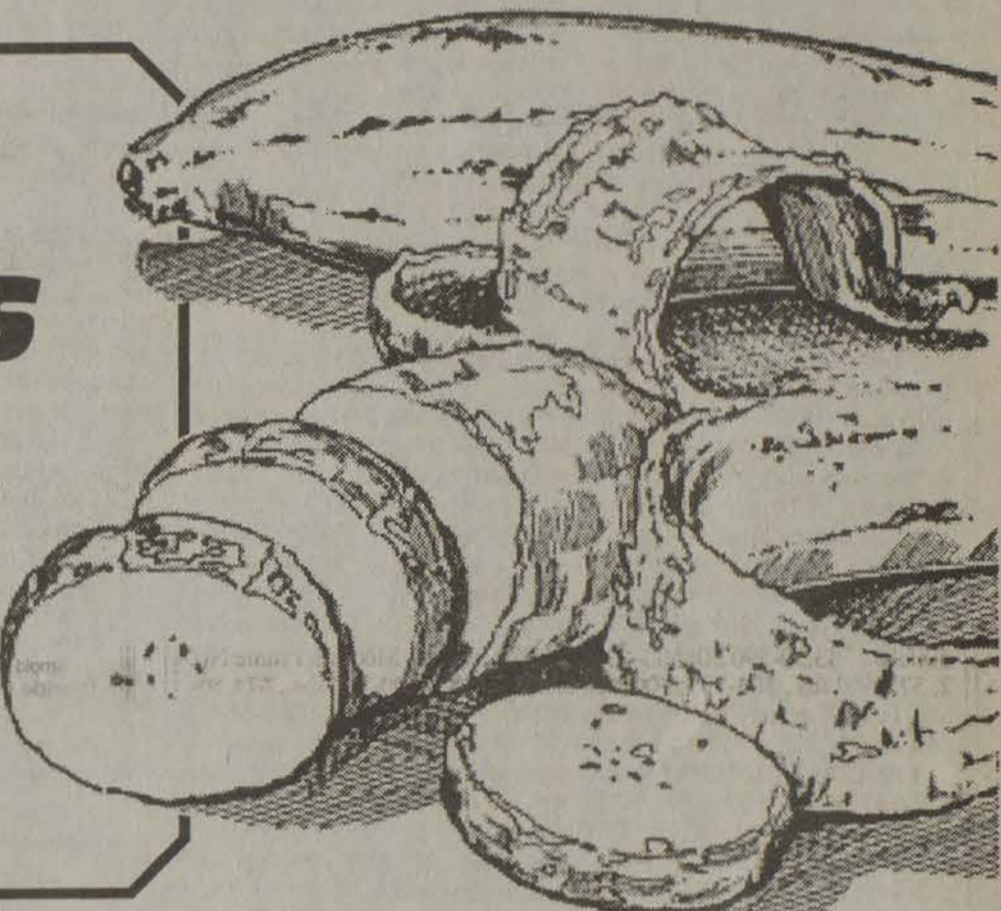
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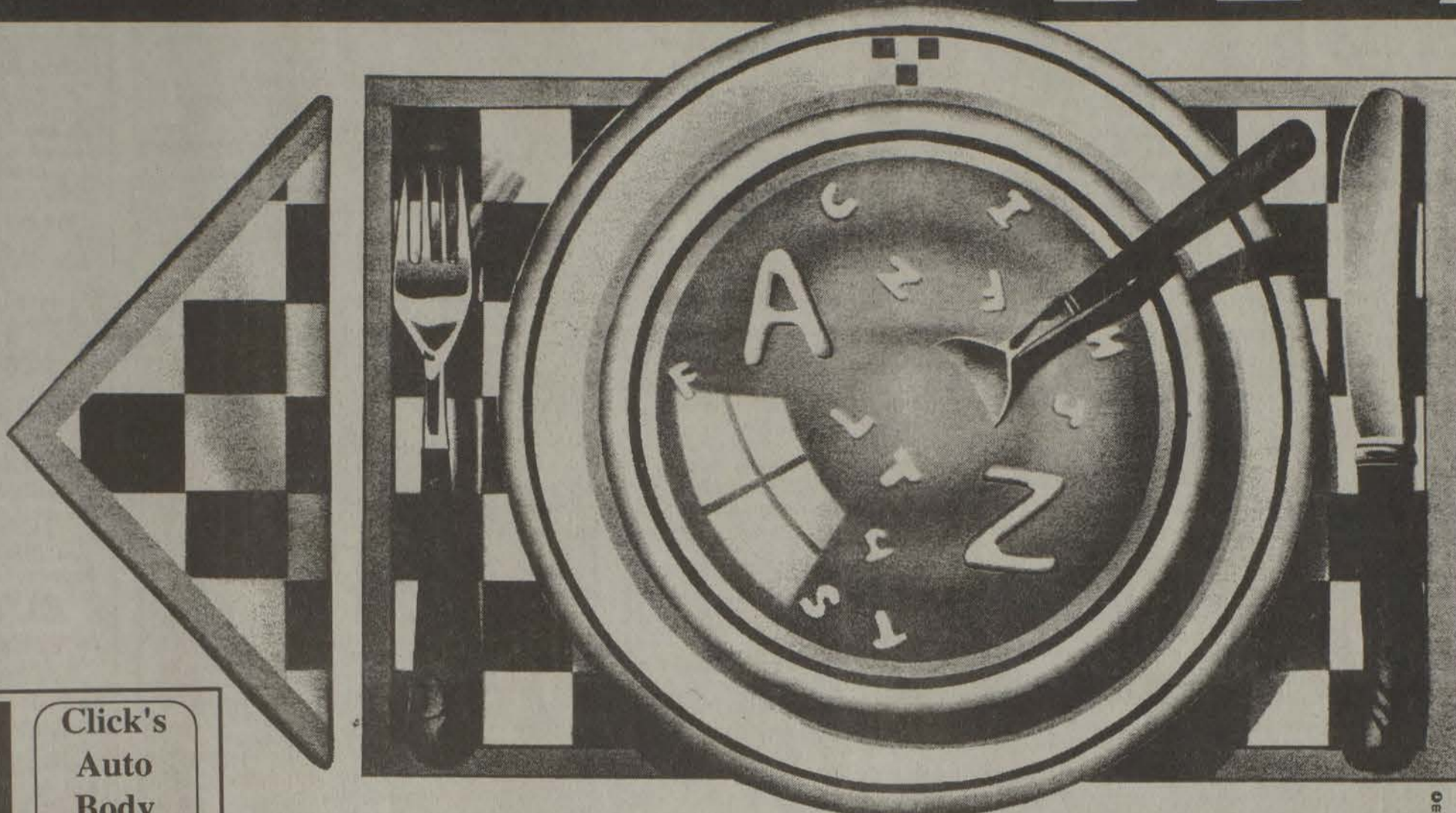
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2X6 CONST.	3.89	4.95	6.10	7.10	8.09
2X8 CONST.	5.30	6.70	8.10	9.40	10.70
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2X4 TREATED	2.59	3.95	4.88	---
2X6 TREATED	3.95	5.29	6.59	9.29
2X8 TREATED	6.20	7.75	8.90	12.77
2X10 TREATED	7.80	9.80	14.80	19.80
5/4X6 TREATED	3.25	3.99	4.39	---
4X4 TREATED	4.99	8.70	10.10	13.10

4'x8' PRESSURE TREATED LATTICE .....\$6.95      6"x6"—12' PRESSURE TREATED POST .....\$22.99  
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|---|--|
| 12-2 Wire with Ground .....\$23 <sup>92</sup> | Duplex Ground Fault Receptacle .....\$9 <sup>97</sup>        |
| 5/8"x 8' Ground Rod .....\$7 <sup>99</sup>    | 100 Amp 20-Circuit Breaker Box & Lid .....\$39 <sup>97</sup> |
| 2"x 10' Rigid Conduit .....\$20 <sup>99</sup> | 200 Amp 30-Circuit Breaker Box & Lid .....\$79 <sup>97</sup> |
| 2"x 3" Plastic Wall Box .....20¢              | 200 Amp 40-Circuit Breaker Box & Lid .....\$89 <sup>97</sup> |
| 2"x 3" Metal Wall Box .....79¢                | 200 Amp Trailer Disconnect .....\$79 <sup>97</sup>           |
| 4"x 4" Metal Ceiling Box .....89¢             | 175 Watt Pole Lights .....\$26 <sup>99</sup>                 |
| Duplex Receptable .....49¢                    | 300 Watt Quartz Lights .....\$9 <sup>97</sup>                |
| Quiet Light Switch .....69¢                   |  |

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| 3/4"x 10' C-PVC .....\$2.99                 | 30-Gal. Electric Water Heater .....\$125.00           |
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