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Will continue operations during effort to reorganize debt :

Thunder Ridge owners file bankruptcy



by Scott Perry
Times Editor

Less than five months after its historical opening, Floyd County's Thunder Ridge horse racing and entertainment complex is facing the most serious challenge yet to its short but

TROUBLES continue for Floyd County's newest venture into tourism development. Thunder Ridge owners are seeking protection under federal bankruptcy laws while they attempt to reorganize their debt. (photo by Mike Burke)

death-defying act.

Appalachian Racing Inc., the parent company for Thunder Ridge, filed a voluntary petition Tuesday for reorganization under Chapter 11 of the U.S. bankruptcy code, seeking protection from creditors. The move comes just three weeks after new management was named to direct the Thunder Ridge complex.

David Allio, named November 1 as president and general manager for Thunder Ridge, said Monday that the decision to seek bankruptcy protection was an unfortunate but necessary call.

"I was hired to insure the success of

this impressive racing and entertainment facility," he said. "Upon my arrival, it became apparent that the debt owed to creditors could not be fully satisfied during the winter months."

The decision to seek bankruptcy came, Allio explained, after unsuccessful attempts to negotiate long-term paybacks to some creditors.

"Their unwillingness to negotiate terms forced us to take this action," he said.

Compounding the financial troubles, he added, were the costs associated with constructing the facility under a strict timeline and a

shortened revenue-producing season of operations.

"It took an overwhelming amount of manpower and materials to get the facility up and running by the July deadline," Allio said. "Unfortunately, there was not enough short-term revenue available during the first off-season to cover all of the debts incurred by the massive construction at the complex."

The facility opened in early July with live harness racing, adding stock car racing soon after. While live horse and auto racing produced substantial

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State board must approve any changes in plans :

PHS renovation may be on hit list

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Although building plans are completed, some Floyd County school board members appear to be balking at a planned renovation of Prestonsburg High School.

At Monday's school board meeting, board member Eddie Patton sug-

gested that the board may want to take another look at the Prestonsburg renovation project "to see if that's the direction" the board wants to pursue.

Patton said the renovation project was originally estimated to cost about \$3 million, but recent cost estimates put the price tag at over \$6 million.

Last year's board approved plan for the renovation project was esti-

mated at \$5.5 million.

When the project was first discussed by the board in 1990, the concept was for a new high school to be built on a site purchased by the board at Middle Creek. That plan was abandoned when it was estimated that the cost for site preparation and construction would exceed \$10 million.

A long-term facility plan developed by the district's Local Planning Committee and adopted by the board recommended renovation of the high school instead of building a new facility.

Under state Department of Education guidelines, the facility plan adopted by the board shall remain in effect unless the state school board approves any changes to the plan.

Patton made a motion for the board to reconsider the Prestonsburg project, which was quickly seconded by Brent Clark, but the board took no vote on the issue.

For the past several months, Clark has been pushing for the board to buy a site at Mud Creek for a Betsy Layne Middle School, which is next in line on the district's facility plan after the Prestonsburg project. Design and construction of the middle school project could not begin for several years, according to school officials.

Patton has been pushing for the board to buy additional property in the Left Beaver area for an outdoor athletic complex for South Floyd High School.

State education officials have put a hold on the Prestonsburg project because of concerns about the district's ability to finance it.

In a work session earlier this month, Mark Ryles, director of facilities management for the education department, told board members that personnel in the finance administration department were worried about the district's finances in relation to school construction projects.

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Special delivery

At Highlands Regional Medical Center Tuesday afternoon, Larry Adams gazed at the baby he helped deliver earlier that morning. Cindy Green, not pictured, aided the mom, Verna Fitch, in the baby's delivery at Blue River Market until Adams arrived.

Roadside 'delivery' gives EMT teacher hands-on experience

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

For years, Larry Adams has taught others how to deliver babies, although he had never delivered one himself. He just listened — and envied — his former students who returned to his EMT classes to tell about their experiences delivering babies. Adams knew his day would come. It came Tuesday morning at David.

Around 7:35 a.m., Adams was getting ready for work when he received a call from someone at Blue River Market that a man had stopped at the store and said his wife was giving birth in a truck parked at the store.

Adams, who lives about a mile and a half from the store, hopped in his car and turned on the blue lights and sirens.

In the meantime, Cindy Green, who was taking her children to school because they had missed the bus, stopped at Blue River Market to purchase doughnuts. The owner of the market, Nancy Stone, came running out of the store.

Stone told Green that a woman was having a baby and pointed to a nearby pickup. Stone said she was going to get her grandchild's blankets which were inside the store. She asked Green, who works at a dental office in Martin, to check on the woman.

Green, who is scheduled to give birth in March, opened the truck door. The woman was lying on the truck seat and had a jacket covering the lower portion of her body.

"I moved the jacket and saw the

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Officials reverse stand on vehicles

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Money may be tight for a while in county government, but three of Floyd County's magistrates and the judge-executive won't be doing without new vehicles.

In an about face Friday, the fiscal court voted 3-2 to go ahead with the purchase of new vehicles, after deciding last month that the purchase would not be wise considering the financial condition of county government.

Magistrate Gerald DeRossett said he was in favor of postponing the purchases of "crew trucks" indefinitely, but agreed that two new dump trucks should be purchased.

Magistrate Tommy Neil Adams, who led last month's crusade against the buying the vehicles, said the purchase of the pickup trucks and the sport 4-wheel drive vehicle should be delayed until after January.

Magistrate Ermal Tackett said the court should include their new vehicles with the purchase of the dump trucks.

Magistrate Jackie Edford Owens was not opposed to the purchase of the new vehicles during Friday's discussion, but he and DeRossett voted against it.

Last month, Adams, Tackett and DeRossett voted against buying the vehicles and Owens and Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo voted in favor of the purchase.

Stumbo told magistrates Friday that he should be authorized to proceed with arranging the financing because interest rates could rise after January.

Stumbo commented at Friday's meeting that the new pickup trucks would be used to haul tools to workers and not to be driven "up and down the road."

Bids received earlier this year from

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Eula Hall

Clinic gets a bonus at event for founder

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

The Mud Creek Clinic got a potent dose of medicine Sunday during a dinner to honor its founder, Eula Hall.

The clinic will receive more than \$20,000 in drugs from area providers of medicinal supplies.

Dr. Chandra Varia, a member of the Big Sandy Health Care board which oversees operation of the clinic, made the announcement of the donation during the dinner Sunday honoring Hall for her 20 years of service to the clinic.

The dinner, which was held at the Wilkinson Stumbo Convention Center, was sponsored by Highlands Regional Medical Center and Marman Medical Inc. It was held to raise money to aid the clinic's new dental program and to help pay for patients' medications.

The drug donation will boost the clinic's pharmacy, which has gone over budget almost every year, Jim Stewart, executive director of Big Sandy Health Care, said Monday.

"Sometimes, we're \$100,000 over budget," said. "It gets tougher and tougher every year."

Stewart explained that the price of medicine changes every three months but the federal grant money the clinic

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Police charge attorney with solicitation

A Johnson County attorney was arrested in Floyd County Tuesday for allegedly trying to solicit sexual favors from juveniles.

Roger T. Adams, 30, of Paintsville, who reportedly is also an honorary deputy sheriff, was arrested by Prestonsburg police officer Ricky Conn after police received complaints that an adult was trying to solicit sexual favors from juveniles in the Prestonsburg Village Shopping Center Tuesday afternoon.

It was reported that a man in a dark colored car was circling the parking lot trying to solicit sexual favors in exchange for money.

Adams was booked at the Floyd County Jail on a charge of criminal attempt to promote a sexual performance from a minor, a class D felony.

Adams will be arraigned in Floyd District Court Wednesday (today).

The incident is under investigation by officer Conn.

No garbage will be picked up on Thanksgiving Day in Floyd County or the city of Prestonsburg.

The garbage usually collected on Thursday will be picked up Friday, and the garbage usually collected on Friday will be picked up Saturday.

In the Goble-Roberts Addition, the garbage truck will be in the area Saturday.

McDowell man is killed in single-vehicle accident

A Floyd County man was killed in an early morning accident Tuesday at McDowell.

Ottis Newsome, 60, of McDowell, was pronounced dead on arrival at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital after a one-vehicle accident

at Frasures Creek.

Police reports indicate that Newsome was driving northbound on KY 1929 when he apparently ran off the road and struck an embankment. The accident happened at approximately 4:40 a.m.

State police trooper Ronald Peppi is investigating.

Newsome was a disabled factory worker and is survived by his wife, Bonnie Parsons Newsome of McDowell; two sons, Gilver Keith Newsome of Campton and Ottis Timothy Newsome of Pikeville; and a daughter, Mary Suzanne Newsome of Prestonsburg.

Funeral services will be Friday, November 25 at 11 a.m. at the Little Rose Old Regular Baptist Church at McDowell.

We'll be closed

The Floyd County Times office will be closed Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, and Friday, November 25. We'll be back to regular office hours Monday.



Let the games begin!

Officials from the Floyd County Fiscal Court and Board of Education, as well as county coaches, took part in the ribbon cutting ceremonies at the dedication of the new track and field facility at Allen Central Sunday. The new facility will be used by county schools. (photo by Ed Taylor)



V.F.W.

This week, Pikeville V.F.W. Post 3769 donated \$500 to Boy Scout Troop 805. The troop is chartered by Vogel Day United Methodist Church of Harold. Pictured from left is Clayton Case; Elster Ratliff, quartermaster; Post 3769; Jack Tackett, Scoutmaster; and Jeremy Tackett.

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baby had crowned," Green said. "Then I guess natural instinct kicked in. I told (the mom) 'you have to push cause it's coming out.'"

"I grabbed the baby and it came out into my hands. She was so incredibly tiny. She looked like a little doll," she said.

The newborn, which was a month early, weighed 3 lbs. 9 oz.

As soon as the baby was born, Slone wrapped it in a baby quilt while Green held the newborn.

Both Slone and Green admitted to being scared. The baby was blue and the morning was so cold that there was ice on the vehicle's windshield.

"I was thinking 'come on little baby do something,'" Green said. "It gave a little whimper. I could feel its body heat through the blanket and I could feel it moving. Then she put her hand to her mouth and I knew she was okay."

Green held the baby in an upright position. She saw some fluids come out of its mouth, but she was still worried about the infant.

"I knew I couldn't fall apart," she said.

Minutes later, help arrived. When Larry Adams arrived at the scene. When he pulled into the market's parking lot, he said he couldn't help but think about the last time he was called to the store's parking lot for an emergency. It was in July, and he performed CPR on a heart attack victim for 20 minutes before an ambulance took the man to the hospital. At the hospital, the man's pulse returned, but he lived for only a few hours, Adams said.

But this was a totally different scene. He saw the glowing faces of the people at the scene.

"Nancy's face just lit up. The baby had just been born. (Cindy) caught the baby," he said, extending his cupped hands in front of him Tuesday as he relived the morning's adventure. He was still trembling with excitement around 10 Tuesday during an interview.

"I came out (of the vehicle) with my mind clicking," he said.

He ran to the trunk of his car, which he calls his office, and retrieved his medical supplies. He quickly wrapped the baby in a trauma blanket, an aluminum-type blanket which helps the baby retain heat.

He examined the baby and, after he knew it was okay, he examined the mother. He kept talking to the mother, Verna Fitch of Magoffin County, and reassuring her that both she and the baby were doing fine.

He grabbed his scissors and asked Slone to retrieve alcohol from her store to sterilize them.

"She was there and back before I could get ready for them," he said, chuckling. Everybody at the scene was offering to help, especially Marty Green, Cindy's husband, who had received a call that his wife had a baby at the market's parking lot.

"He came running and grabbing and handing me my tools," Adams said. "It was a community affair."

After Slone sterilized the scissors, Adams used them to cut the umbilical cord. P & B Ambulance arrived just as Adams cut the cord.

On board the ambulance were two of Adams' former students. "They came out of the ambulance saying 'you finally got to do it,'" Adams said.

"All my life as a fireman I've splintered broken bones, stitched wounds, and seen the agony of death. Just once I wanted to start a little one on its way. This is totally different than what we're used to working with. It was just a picture, the little tiny girl," he said, still cupping his hands in remembrance.

"You can teach from textbooks, but you can teach so much more from experience. It's a whole different ballgame when you do it yourself," he said.

"EMTs are out there in the dark and cold, sometimes with gasoline running under their feet. That's what they do. When you pull into a scene, you usually see the agony on the faces (of the people involved). When you pull into a scene like this and see the faces glowing and they're smiling from ear to ear, the experience lifted me up so high. It's totally opposite from what we're used to," he said.

"This was God's way of letting us feel the good side of things for a change," he said. "What a great way to start the day."

The baby and mother were taken to Highlands Regional Medical Center and admitted to the obstetrics unit. Both were doing fine Tuesday afternoon.

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revenues, the season ended on Labor Day weekend and so did the facility's major source of income. Intertrack wagering continues throughout the year at Thunder Ridge, but revenues from that activity are not high enough to offset financial liabilities.

Allio said Monday he did not see the move to seek protection under bankruptcy provisions as "a major setback or the long-term death knell for the facility." Nor does he expect the move to jeopardize the standing of bondholders, noteholders or the county, which has given full financial backing to the project.

And, the facility will continue to operate under a reorganizational plan that was expected to be filed this week with the federal bankruptcy court.

"It is my desire to see that all outstanding accounts are paid quickly and fairly," Allio said. "The protection granted by the court will allow us to continue operations while arranging for payment to the appropriate creditors. In the interim, we merely need the patience and understanding of all parties concerned."

Allio estimated the facility's current debt at near \$1 million and he speculated that it could take two years to work out of the bankruptcy. He is convinced that the financial problems can be resolved and he indicated that additional private investors are being actively recruited by management.

"I accepted the challenges at Thunder Ridge because I firmly believe in the long-term benefits that this facility may provide to the community. The manner in which this announcement is received will be an indicator of those in the community which share the goal of the success of the Thunder Ridge Racing and Entertainment Complex."

The history of difficulties for Thunder Ridge began soon after the project was conceived.

The track was initially scheduled to open in July, 1993 but the company could not meet that deadline imposed by the state racing commission.

The cancelled opening cost Appalachian Racing its license to conduct live harness racing and the rights to offer intertrack wagering during the rest of the year.

After considerable debate, the racing commission renewed the company's license for racing and intertrack wagering in 1994, contingent upon the company's agreement to start live racing on the July 4 weekend.

Construction on the complex, funded through bonds issued by the Floyd County Public Properties Corporation, began in the fall of 1993, continuing up to and through opening day last summer. Allio said this week that approximately \$250,000 in construction remains to be completed.

The Thunder Ridge complex, which is owned by the county and leased to Appalachian Racing, will revert to county control if reorganization under bankruptcy provisions fails, and the county will be liable for paying off the remaining indebtedness.

Local VFW member appointed to national committee

Eddie Akers, a member of VFW Post 5839, in Prestonsburg has been appointed to serve as a member of the organization's National Voice of Democracy Committee, by the Commander-In-Chief of the veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Allen F. Kent. Akers is a resident of Harold.

In announcing the appointment, Commander-In-Chief Kent stated that Comrade Akers' record of service and achievement to both the nation and the VFW were the key considerations in making the selection.

The National Voice of Democracy Committee is responsible for establishing the goals and objectives for the VFW during the 1994-95 administrative year.

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FCMA sponsors ecumenical Thanksgiving service

The Floyd County Ministerial Association (FCMA) is sponsoring an ecumenical Thanksgiving service at 7 p.m. at St. Martha's Catholic Church on Wednesday, November 23. St. Martha's is located on the Lancer/Water Gap Road near Jenny Wiley State Resort Park.

Rev. Tom Biddle, the pastor of Lancer Baptist Church will give the message. The Prestonsburg Honor Choir will perform at the service, as they have done for the past several years. Rev. French Harmon, the President of the FCMA and the pastor of the First Baptist Church in Allen will preside over the service. Rev. David Powers, Sch.P., the pastor of St. Martha's, will be the host pastor. Other member clergy of the ministerial association will also participate in the service, which is expected to last about an hour.

The proceeds from the free-will offering received during the service will aid in the outreach programs of the ministerial association. Each year the association, in cooperation with area motels, provides temporary, emergency accommodations for over 100 families. In addition, the Ministerial Association supports the single mothers program at Prestonsburg Community College, provides food and gasoline vouchers for needy families stranded in the county and provides some emergency rent assistance. The association sponsors several ecumenical religious services each year, including their Thanksgiving and Easter ecumenical services. All pastors of Floyd County churches are eligible for membership in the association.

For more information about the service call 874-9526.

AAA expects record holiday travel

A record number of Americans will travel 100 miles or more during the Thanksgiving holiday, according to AAA Blue Grass/Kentucky.

AAA estimates 30.4 million Americans will travel this holiday, up three percent from 1993. More than 25 million will travel by motor vehicle, while another 5 million will travel by plane, train or bus.

Motor vehicle travel will be heaviest in the Southeast with 6.5 million motorists on the roads, followed by the Midwest with 5.5 million travelers.

Motorists will pay nearly a nickel per gallon more to drive this Thanksgiving than they did in 1993. AAA's latest Fuel Gauge survey shows the nationwide average price of self-serve regular unleaded is \$1.165. In Kentucky, the average is \$1.116. The Lexington area survey of 43 service stations shows a range in price of \$1.06 to \$1.12.

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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

Cruel to be kind?

by Scott Perry

As the song goes, sometimes you have to "be cruel to be kind."

Maybe that's true when it comes to reforming welfare in this country.

But let's not be too quick to inflict more suffering on the millions of people who must rely on government assistance for their survival.

The troubles with welfare date back to the days of FDR and the Great Depression.

We can't expect to fix what's broken in a year or two.

We can't fix it fast because the problems plaguing our system of public assistance are as diverse as the people who need it.

One school of thought for reforming welfare is to replace it with "workfare."

It makes sense to end the free rides some folks get by requiring them to work for their "wages."

But how do we force people to find jobs where none exist?

And how do we require people

to use skills that they don't have?

Simply cutting off public assistance or cutting it back drastically is no solution in areas where we offer no alternatives.

What progress do we make by reducing or eliminating aid to teen-aged mothers and placing the burden for supporting them on impoverished families?

How do we balance cost savings against humanitarianism when we slice the funding for food stamps and aid to families with dependent children?

We can't let them starve.

There is no doubt we must reform welfare and we're going to have to be cruel to be kind.

But, we need to take our time, do it right and with as little cruelty and as much kindness as is possible.

Let's remember that most people on public assistance haven't chosen poverty as a way of life and they'd much prefer to be earning their own keep.

We owe it to ourselves and our country to help them find a way.

Letters to the editor

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Nostalgic recollections of early Little Mud

Editor:
I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the article you wrote about Spruce Pine School.

I learned a lot more than "readin', 'ritin' and 'rithmatic" inside those hallowed walls. I entered Spruce Pine after having moved to Big Branch from the very last house in the head of Little Mud Creek. I had not seen an automobile or used any type of electrical appliances until we moved to Big Branch about 1950.

We heated our log house, cooked our "soup beans" and corn bread with wood and coal. We drew our water from a well and used an outhouse. We used kerosene lamps to illuminate our log house.

None of the back roads in Eastern Kentucky were blacktopped in those days. Mud Creek was paved in "MUD," before the WPA cut roads around the hillsides in the early 1940's.

We hoed corn from daylight until dark and rode an old mule up and down the creek and across the hills into Left Beaver Creek.

Our mail was dropped at a central group of mail boxes down the creek (the mail man rode a horse from the Blue Moon post office, so named by the first postmaster's little girl, who had gotten a bottle of "Blue Moon" perfume for Christmas. The post office closed in 1957).

I went away in the Army in 1963 and returned in 1993 to a Mud Creek that is changed in a lot of ways, but still holds a special place in my heart.

My mom also attended Spruce Pine School, as did most of my many cousins, nieces and nephews, many of whom you mentioned in your article.

Alex Carroll
Mud Creek

"Return my belongings ...no questions asked!"

Editor:
To the person or persons who vandalized my car on Monday, November 21, between 12-2:30 p.m. in the Food City parking lot. I am asking you to please return my purse and belongings. You don't have to return it in person, you can mail it to me or leave it somewhere for me to pick up, since you have my phone number and address on the checkbook you stole. You only got \$5 out of my

wallet and if you would have asked, I would have given you the money.

I can't understand why you chose my car when there were others parked there, also. I also can't understand why you only took my purse and left the other things that were as valuable as it, such as my shoes and coat.

I would like to thank the Prestonsburg City Police for filling out a police report and doing an investigation on the incident.

One last time, all I am asking is that you please return my belongings and there will be no questions asked.

Aleshia Compton
Prestonsburg

Thanks for supporting the adoption parade

Editor:
This serves to thank you for the coverage you gave our plans for the Adoption Parade on November 5, in Prestonsburg. The Big Sandy Recruitment and Certification Unit sponsored the parade in honor and support of National Adoption Month. The parade began at Music Carter Hughes on South Lake Drive, and ended at the Prestonsburg Library on Arnold Avenue.

I wish to thank everyone involved in making the parade a success: Chad Casebolt with Variety Shop Video and Tropical Chills; Ruth Daniels with Floyd County Library and Buddy LeMaster with Floyd County Bookmobile; Sandy Valley Transportation Inc.; Beverly and Freddie Goble (Munroe Birdshot); Robert Rennick with License and Regulation; Trish and Charles Slone with Stop The Hurt; Kenneth (Sammy) and Debbie Hall; Herman and Hattie Newsome

and son Bryan; Alex Carroll with Volunteers for Veterans and Beverly Carroll with Sunshine Lines; Dewayne and Lynn Crum; Jack and Delores Rice with Jack's Barber Shop; Kathy Bohr with Johnson County R&C and Dave Bohr with their children, Josh, Michelle, Justin and Alexis; Tina Hambley with Pike County R&C and her daughter Christina; Peggy Martin with Pike County R&C; Marsha Castle with Martin County R&C; Rev. David Powers with St. Martha's Catholic Church; Mr. Coleman and the Prestonsburg High School Marching Band; Floyd County Soil Conservation; Meredith Campbell and Carolyn Clark with Betsy Layne High School's New Horizons Youth Service Center; Jo Case; Carol Case; Carrie Adams; Clatin Case; Lawson's Restaurant; Cooley Medical, Inc.; Prestonsburg Senior Citizens; Prestonsburg Fire Department; Winn-Dixie; Hardee's; P&B Ambulance Inc.; Radio Stations WDOC, WMDJ, WPRF, WQHY, WKKZ; Television Stations WPRG, WYMT; Prestonsburg City Police; Sara Dunlap, Family Services office supervisor; Virginia Sturgeon, adoption specialist with Special Needs Adoption Program (SNAP); Honorable Paul Burchett, Floyd circuit judge; Mayor Jerry Fannin and his children, Jenna and Mikeal; Susan Howard, Family Service Program supervisor; Petra Kack; and anyone I may have failed to mention.

You have made our first Adoptive Parade a success and we thank you. Hopefully this can become an annual event.

Norma Boyd
Family Services Clinician
Floyd County Recruitment and Certification

EDITORIAL DEADLINES

WEDNESDAY EDITION:

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

FRIDAY EDITION:

News copy, All pictures 5 p.m. Wednesday
Obituaries, Calendar items ... 10 a.m. Thursday

Note: News articles of events more than three months old will not be published. All copy will be edited for clarity and length.

Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

This being Thanksgiving week, and all, we thought we'd use this opportunity to share with you some things for which we ought to be thankful...

- There are still 30 shopping days until Christmas or, for those of us afflicted with terminal procrastination, 28 days to put together our lists of who has been naughty or nice and two days to buy them things they don't want.

- There are still 110 days until April 15, when we must ante up our share of the taxes our government needs to go further into debt. You can also be thankful knowing that if you managed your personal finances the way the government manages theirs, you'd probably be in jail right now.

- There are ten months until the start of the next U K football season.

- There are two days until the start of the U K basketball season.

- There are just two years and 36 days left in the term of President Bill Clinton.

- There are just two years and 36 days left in the term of President Hillary Clinton.

- There are just five years and 36 days

until the turn of the century, when we'll experience an historical moment that occurs just once in three generations...the end of jury selection in the O.J. Simpson trial.

While we're embarking upon a new age of governmental reform, perhaps we ought to take a good long look at the one agency which has more control over our individual lives than any other in Washington.

We're talking about the Federal Reserve and its handful of directors, which decides with near total autonomy what it costs you to live, work and breathe.

With its control over interest rates, the Fed determines what your house payment will be; what your car payment will be; the interest you pay on credit cards; and how much it will cost to borrow money for this or that.

With a snap of their fingers, the Federal Reserve's board of directors can move to slow down economic growth or speed it up, and you don't have any say in the

matter.

It's ironic that a country so enmeshed in the theory of majority rule could have its economic prospects ruled by so few. Is there a better way?

Last week's accidental cut-off of long distance telephone service to various sections of the Big Sandy region was an eye-opening reminder of how dependent we've become on modern technology.

While the service was out, we had no access to a number of services we've come to take for granted...like the state police post in Pikeville...and the downtime cut into our abilities to conduct business on a regional basis.

It's times like these that make us wonder if our shift toward a global economy lacks a few necessary precautions.

If a cut phone cable can cause so many problems between counties, where would we be if a communications satellite went down for the count?

Maybe we ought to brush up on our

smoke signals, just in case.

You know, you hear a lot these days about the national debt and how much we owe, but you never hear anything about who we owe it to.

Best we can figure, though, we owe it to ourselves.

The federal government, see, borrows money from the national treasury...which we stock with our tax dollars...on the assumption that the loan will be repaid...with our tax dollars.

Okay, so we owe ourselves a trillion bucks or two.

Since this is the season where it's better to give than receive, we're willing to just forget about our share.

Now, if the rest of you folks will do the same, we'll just write off the entire national debt.

Say, wonder if we can take the loss on our income taxes?

Alcohol no factor in wreck

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

State police say alcohol was not a factor in the October 20 collision between a school bus and a Disaster and Emergency Service vehicle although there was evidence of alcoholic beverages in the DES pickup truck.

A DES truck driven by John M. Arnold, 65, of Frankfort struck the partially loaded school bus in the front end in a collision at Meade Hill between McDowell and Wheelwright. Omar Marshall, 35, a Frankfort DES worker was a passenger in the pickup.

A vehicle following the DES pickup driven by David Chaffins, area nine DES director in Prestonsburg, was struck by the pickup in the accident.

Chaffins said Tuesday that he wasn't aware there were alcoholic beverages in the pickup until after the accident. Chaffins said that there was a cooler in the truck but he did not know at the time what it contained.

According to the accident report, Arnold was given a blood test because of the "smell of alcoholic beverages in the cab area" of the pickup truck.

Trooper Les Stapleton declined to say Tuesday if the blood test results were known and said the accident is still under investigation.

Don Armstrong, DES public information officer in Frankfort, said Tuesday that Arnold's blood test results showed that the driver had not consumed any alcoholic beverages.

Armstrong said that no personnel actions were likely to be brought against the two men for having alcoholic beverages in the state-owned vehicle because the department had no written policy dealing with the issue.

"There was a common sense policy not to carry alcoholic beverages in a state-owned vehicle," Armstrong said. "We have a written policy now that no alcoholic beverages are to be transported in any state vehicle, period."

Armstrong said the two DES employees were emotionally shaken after the incident and the department was thankful that no one was seriously injured in the accident.

"I don't think they were being negligent," Armstrong said. "He went

around a sharp curve, hit the brakes and it didn't work. The bus was over the center line. It was an unfortunate situation."

Chaffins said he was with the two DES worker the entire day of the crash and he did not observe either worker drink any alcoholic beverage.

Fifteen people, including 12 students on the bus were taken to McDowell Appalachian Regional

Hospital for treatment after the crash. Two students were admitted for observation.

Stapleton did say that alcohol was not a factor in the accident and that no charges would be filed in connection with the crash.

The accident report says that Arnold said that the bus was over center line when he saw it and that he slid into it when he applied his brakes.

Vehicles

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Music Carter Hughes, the company that received the bid, show that cost of the sport vehicle at \$23,439 and \$16,794 each for the pickup trucks.

It was not announced when the vehicles would be delivered.

Magistrates offered no explanation as to why they apparently changed their minds on the purchases or any comments about the financial condition of the county.

Also Friday, Stumbo told the court that finances would be tight until next year because sending out the county tax bills could be delayed until March.

Stumbo said that Property Valuation Administrator Lovel Hall reported that property reassessments had to be completed before tax bills can be mailed out.

No county workers will be laid off, Stumbo said, but employees will have to "tighten up" on finances.

"The budget is not going to be short," Stumbo said. "It's going to be tight, but we're not going to cut anybody off. If we don't have any disasters, we'll make it through all right."

In other business Friday, the court held second reading of a code of ethics for county officials and employees. The only change from the original version discussed Friday was that candidates for office and office holders must file financial disclosure statements with the county clerk within 10 days after filing to run for office.

County officials must file an updated financial statement annually with the clerk before their anniversary of taking office.

Other than court members, no one at the meeting offered any public input concerning the ethics code.

In other action Friday:

- the court appointed Bob Meyer and Lowell Sammons to two vacancies on the Floyd County Solid Waste Commission;
- accepted the sheriff's 1993 audit report;
- the court held first reading of budget amendments for various departments; and
- the court voted to accept a 16-foot road at Allie Fork at Spradlin Farm into the county road system.

Lawsuit is still alive for two defendants

by Scott Perry
Times Editor

A federal lawsuit between former school administrators and current and past members of the Floyd County Board of Education apparently has two remaining defendants.

A story on the lawsuit published last week indicated that only current board member Eddie Patton remained as a defendant in the suit, which challenged a 1993 board decision on reorganization of the school system's central office.

Superintendent Stephen Towler and Patton are still in the suit, but Patton's attorney, Ned Pillersdorf, filed a motion Monday asking that all claims against his client be dismissed.

The suit was filed last year by former school administrators Pete Grigsby Jr.; Wayne Ratliff and Tommy Thompson after the board approved its reorganizational plan. After the reorganizational plan was adopted, Grigsby was reassigned to other duties, Ratliff retired, and Thompson was not rehired.

Original defendants in the federal suit included Towler, Patton, former board members Eddie Billips, Hattie Owens, Robert Isaac and current board member Brent Clark.

Previous orders from the court have dismissed federal claims against all but Towler and Patton.

Complicating the case, however, is an issue of state law claims pending in federal court. Those claims apparently have not been dismissed against any of the defendants.

Clinic

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receives to help with cost of the medicine stays the same.

"The sick have to have medicine," he said, so the clinic absorbs the costs.

The clinic also received nearly \$5,000 in cash donations, Stewart said. Those funds will help the clinic provide supplies for the dental program.

For the past year, the clinic has had a dentist, Bryan Griffith Jr., on staff. Patients pay for the service based on their income.

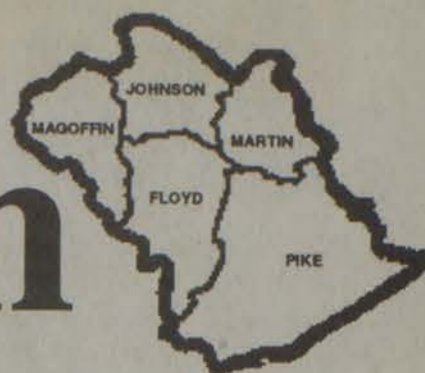
Hall, who established the dental office in August 1993, has been called "Kentucky's Godmother to the Poor." In addition to the clinic and dental office, she also founded the Mud Creek Water District and the Mud Creek Food and Clothing Pantry.

At the fund-raising dinner Sunday, Lt. Governor Paul Patton spoke about Hall and her commitment to improving health care conditions for the low-income people in the region.

Rep. Greg Stumbo, Sen. Bill Bradley, Sen. Mitch McConnell and Con. Hal Rogers sent letters of congratulations to Hall.

"If we had a Eula Hall in every region of America, this nation would be a better place and we, in Congress, would not be debating the health care problem," Congressman Rogers wrote.

Around the Region



The Numbers Game: Kentucky Lottery Results

Saturday's Results November 19	LOTTO KENTUCKY 04-06-13-31-32-45 Next Estimated Jackpot \$2 million
	POWERBALL 06-10-13-26-39 (43) Next Estimated Jackpot \$55 million

Deadbeat dads could lose licenses

Fourteen thousand Kentuckians who haven't paid child support in nearly a year could lose their driver's licenses, a state agency announced Monday.

Letters being sent by the Department for Social Insurance this week warn of license suspensions in January if steps are not taken to begin paying amounts due.

The letters are going to people who will be a full year in arrears, a statement from the department said. Those receiving letters have two options: Pay the entire amount or begin making payments under a court-approved agreement.—*Louisville Courier-Journal*

Blaine students off the bottle

Students at Blaine Elementary School were able to drink from water fountains for the first time since January, when state environmental officials found traces of barium in the school wells.

The school now is served by a \$2.3 million water-line extension from the Paintsville system. Since the Kentucky Division of Water banned drinking or cooking with the water, the school's 340 students have been using bottled water.

Barium can combine with other elements to cause health problems ranging from high blood pressure to swelling of the brain, paralysis and death.

The project, to be completed in April, also will provide water to about 530 households.—*The Louisville Courier-Journal*

2 state mining offices to close to save money

A state regulator says closing two mining offices in Eastern Kentucky will promote greater efficiency, but a critic says it could hinder citizen participation.

The state Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement will close offices in Jackson and Grayson by early next year. The General Assembly required that two of the six regional offices in Eastern Kentucky be closed to cut costs.

Dave Rosenbaum, commissioner of the department, said he thought the consolidations would "result in the best organizational framework that we have in regulating coal mining in Eastern Kentucky."

No layoffs are planned, Rosenbaum said. Instead, employees will transfer to the London or Prestonsburg offices.

The closures have disappointed some people. "It's just going to make it hard for citizens to participate," said Sidney Cornett, a Perry County landowner and former chairman of the Kentuckians for the Commonwealth, a citizens-rights group.

Cornett is among many citizens who have fought for public access to the surface mining permit system. Some, who have driven to Jackson for meetings, will now have longer trips to London or Prestonsburg.

No single reason led to the decision of which offices to close, said Carl Campbell, deputy commissioner of the department. The number of mining permits was one consideration, but there were other factors, such as distances inspectors have to drive, he said.

There are 43 employees in the Jackson office, 17 in Grayson, 33 in Prestonsburg and 28 in London. The Middlesboro office has 38 employees and Pikeville has 43.

The Madisonville office, the only one in Western Kentucky, has 27 employees.—*Associated Press*

Less pollution at Big Sandy plant

One of two generators at Kentucky Power Company's Big Sandy plant will emit less pollution when it goes on line next month. About 200 construction workers have been laboring since mid-September to complete the generator's \$10.7 million set of coal burners. The 36 new burners change the way the plant's powdered coal fuel is injected, spreading it over a wider area of the burner flame so it burns slower. They will cut in half, emissions of nitrogen oxides—those chemicals, known as NOX, that cause smog.—*Lexington Herald-Leader*

Renovation

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At Monday's meeting, Clark suggested that the board "fudge" to state officials the amount of unmet construction needs in the county in order to get more state funding from the state's School Facility Construction Commission (SFCC) for school construction projects.

"We need to get our unmet needs up as high as we can," Clark said. "Can't we fudge to get it higher? It's a trick that has caught on across the state. I'll bet we didn't say our need was \$100 (million) and we were cut to \$60 (million). I bet we asked for \$60 (million) and we got \$60 (million)."

The \$60 million figure was the amount Superintendent Steve Towler said Floyd County has received in bonding potential from the SFCC allocation of funds since the state program started in 1986.

Board Chairman Ray Brackett said that the renovation project at Prestonsburg also includes some new construction.

Superintendent Towler commented that the plans for the project are complete and the district is waiting for state approval in regard to the financing issue.

Patton said he was concerned that the Prestonsburg project would use up all the district's local bonding capacity for several years to come. He added that the board should reconsider the issue and that the LPC may have been misinformed about the estimated cost of the project.

Patton said after Monday's meeting that he was not necessarily advocating building a school on the Middle Creek site.

Towler said he would have a report on the project for the board at the December 19 meeting.

Newly-elected District One Board Member Earsl Wilcox had no comment on the issue.

Israel and Jordan



An agreement on water allocation was the final detail worked out between Israel and Jordan before the two nations agreed to a draft peace treaty ending 46 years of on-again, off-again hostilities.

Those who continue their educations earn more, a lot more

Many people have questioned if the rising cost of earning a college degree offsets the increased earning power traditionally associated with a degree. A Census Bureau study finds that additional education can significantly increase a person's lifetime earning power.

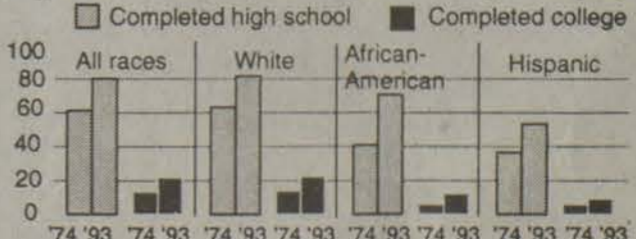
Estimated lifetime earnings potential

In thousands, based on education:

Not a high school graduate	\$609
High school graduate	\$821
Some college	\$993
Two-year degree	\$1,082
Bachelors degree	\$1,421
Masters degree	\$1,619
Doctorate	\$2,142
Professional degree	\$3,013

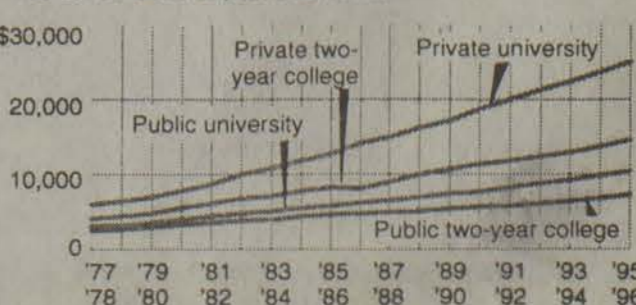
Percentage of Americans who have completed high school or graduated from college

Age 25 and older, Hispanics may be from any racial group:



Rising cost for a college education

Average yearly costs for tuition, fees, room, board, books, supplies and personal expenses. Commuter students who live at home can expect lower costs.



SOURCES: Chicago Tribune, Census Bureau, American Council on Education

NOTE: 1992-93 and 1993-94 figures are estimates; 1994-95 and 1995-96 are projections

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Compensation hearing

Administrative Law Judge Richard H. Campbell Jr., left, along with Kara H. Davis, attorney Eric D. Hall and attorney Brett Davis were among those attending a seminar on Workers' Compensation.

PCC hosts seminar on Workers' Compensation

The Kentucky Workers' Compensation System was the topic of discussion November 8 at a special seminar arranged for Mazola Salmons' Introduction to Business Law class at Prestonsburg Community College.

Local attorneys Brett Davis of Francis, Kazee and Francis and Eric D. Hall of Turner and Hall were in attendance, as were Kara H. Davis, Special Fund representative from Frankfort, and Administrative Law Judge Richard H. Campbell Jr. from Danville.

Brett Davis, who organized the seminar, began discussion by explaining that the Workers' Compensation System was established to save an employee from having to sue his employer in circuit court every time there is an injury on the job. Davis, who has worked as both a plaintiff and defense attorney in Workers' Compensation, explained that the system has evolved through the years, with the most recent changes occurring in 1987. The updated system, Davis said, is a "lot better, a lot faster, with more settlements than there used to be."

Hall detailed the process of filing a Workers' Compensation claim, explaining that there must be an injury or occupational disease arising out of employment, the injury must have occurred within a time limit stated by law (which is two years in

Kentucky), and the employer must have informed his employer of the injury.

Both Davis and Hall stressed that if an injury occurs, the employee should insist that an accident form be filed, no matter how minor the injury. This is in the best interests of both the employee and the employer they asserted.

Hall advised the students, as potential future, small business owners, not to try to operate a business without Workers' Compensation insurance. "There is no quicker way to the bankruptcy court," Hall warned.

Judge Campbell agreed. "If you can't afford Workers' Compensation insurance, you can't afford to be in business."

Judge Campbell also advised that the answer to total disability settlements is education. "In six out of eight claims that I handle, the people have less than a high school education," he stated, explaining that an educated worker can more easily be retrained for another field of employment in the event of injury as compared to someone with a limited education.

The panel also informed the students that 60 percent of the Workers' Compensation claims made in Kentucky are for lower back injuries, mainly from workers in the coal mining industry.

Wendy's-GED connection not so odd

Twice a month, through the early morning fog, the GED wanna-be's make their way to the campus of Prestonsburg Community College.

They've prepared long and hard for this exam; it means a lot to them. Perhaps just a personal sense of satisfaction, a promise to a parent long overdue, a desire to show their children that, yes, education is important. It might even mean access to a job long denied or promotion within the workplace.

Whatever their reasons, these test-takers have devoted themselves to studying and learning at specialized programs within their communities and are now ready for the BIG exam—seven hours and 35 minutes of pondering, figuring, thinking, deducing, remembering. The number two pencil coloring the little round circles, anonymous grading, and a note through the mail letting them know if they've passed or failed.

Taking a standardized test, particularly one of such length, is never a pleasant experience. But the lunch break, well that's another matter. Because lunch is free, compliments of the Wendy's restaurant in Prestonsburg, and provided on site so test takers don't have to leave the campus.

This is important, says Brenda Music, dean of student affairs at PCC and chief GED examiner, whose department administers the test. It's important because the college has no grill or food service in operation on Saturdays, when the tests are given. While some of the students do have access to a vehicle and can go off-campus for a lunch break, they have only 35 minutes. And some of the students do not have access to transportation; their parents, spouses or other family member having dropped them off in the morning with an arranged pick-up time late in the afternoon.

noon. "We really appreciate Wendy's generosity," Music said.

And that generosity has not gone unnoticed either. In the summer of 1993, both PCC and the restaurant were given awards from the Cabinet for Workforce Development - The Kentucky State Board for Adult and Technical Education. PCC's plaque reads "for outstanding contribution toward education and training excellence."

Wendy's manager Tom Slack coordinates the GED food program at the local restaurant. Music lets him know in advance how many test-takers are expected on a given day. Then, Slack and his crew box the free lunches consisting of a Wendy's bacon-cheeseburger, fries and a soft drink. PCC employees collect the lunches and bring them to the campus for giveaway during the break.

On average, Wendy's gives away 80 free lunches to GED test-takers at PCC each month. That's an average of 960 meals per year. Wendy's has been involved in the program for a year-and-a-half.

Actually, however, the Wendy's-GED connection is not so odd. Dave Thomas, the founder of Wendy's who is featured in the restaurant's commercials, obtained his degree through the GED program.

While there is no way of knowing what the PCC GED test-takers will go on to become and accomplish, it is doubtful they will forget the day of their big exam and the free lunch they enjoyed. Perhaps they too will find a way to reach back and reach out, helping those who are looking to better themselves by furthering their education.

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Mountain Voices

Mountaineers head to city for seasonal shopping

by Willie Elliott

As sure as the Christmas season rolls around this year, the cars, vans and trucks from the various points in the mountains can be seen on the highways to Lexington, Huntington, Charleston, and other metropolitan areas. For many the ritual has become as much a part of the holiday season as fireworks and the mistletoe myth.

If you asked the average shopper why he/she goes to all the trouble to drive a long distance for goods that can, for the most part, be found in his/her home county, the respondent will give you an answer about better prices and selections. It seems that each year there is one toy or video game in great demand and a limited supply. Shoppers feel a big city means a better chance of finding that elusive gift. Still there is more to the story than economics and supply and demand.

As the holiday season gets into full swing, people feel an urge to share their good feelings with others. What better way to do this than spend a weekend with family or friends in the city shopping and having a good time. While the group is in town, people have an opportunity to go out to a nice restaurant (not that we don't have nice ones in the mountains, but it's nice to have a change ever so often), attend a play, concert, or athletic event, or just take the opportunity to rest at the motel or hotel. (Mothers especially like the idea of letting someone wait on them for a change.)

On Sunday, the same string of cars can be seen on the parkways heading toward Hazard, Pikeville, Manchester, and other mountain towns. The vehicles will be loaded down with more goods than the people had intended to buy. Satisfied looks can be seen on Mom's face because once again she has found exactly what Junior or Sis has asked for. Dad will relate some past memories that he and his friends discussed during the trip. Of course, the children will say, "I'm bored." So we tell them the only answer we know for that: get out and walk a while. That usually takes care of that little problem.

Everyone gets home, hides gifts in various places in the houses, and gets ready for the rush that is sure to come with the Christmas season. Before each person goes his/her separate way, plans are made to do it all again. Many of the same people in this group will be heading out to Louisville or Lexington in March on the pretext of going to the state tournament.

It would seem that we are envious of our city neighbors because of the availability of shopping malls, athletic events, and cultural events. Appreciative, yes. Envious, no. We figure we get the best of both worlds our way. We would just ask the city folks to come up and spend some time with us. We have many attractions that would be of interest to the city dweller.

Breeding admitted to the Kentucky Bar Association

Bradford L. Breeding, son of Lester and Betty Meade Breeding of Lexington, was admitted to the Kentucky Bar Association in a private ceremony on October 13 in the chambers of Supreme Court Justice Joseph Lambert in the Rockcastle County Courthouse in Mt. Vernon.

He participated also in a public ceremony with other new attorneys in Frankfort, on October 21 at the capitol building. A reception was held in honor of all the new lawyers by the

Bar Association following the swearing-in ceremony. Bradford's guests included his parents and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Meade, from Allen Park, Michigan.

Bradford, a May graduate of the University of Louisville School of Law, is an associate with the Farmer and Farmer Law Firm of London.

He is the grandson of the late John and Martha Breeding, and Sam T. and Vada Meade of Floyd County.



New attorney

Bradford L. Breeding is pictured being congratulated by Judge Joseph Lambert. Breeding was admitted to the Kentucky Bar Association in October.

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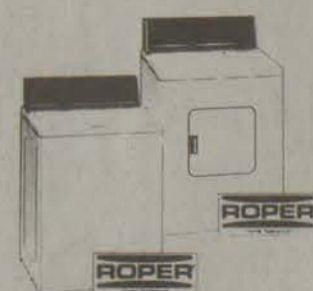
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Obituaries

Goldie Lou Spencer Morris

Goldie Lou Spencer Morris, 36, of East Point, died Monday, November 21, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born January 4, 1958 in Paintsville, she was the daughter of the late Otto and Arizona Collins Spencer. She was a member of the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church where she was a Sunday school teacher and youth leader.

Survivors include her husband, Larry D. Morris; three sons, Larry Edward Morris, Jonathan Otto Morris and Zachary Seth Morris, all of East Point; three brothers, James Otto Spencer of Prestonsburg, Billy Clyde Spencer of West Van Lear and Bobby Joe Spencer of East Point; three sisters, Wanda Miller of Prestonsburg, and Willa S. Flannery and Wilma T. Daniels, both of East Point.

Funeral services will be Friday, November 25, at 11 a.m., at the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church with Rev. Clifford Austin officiating.

Burial will be in the family cemetery at East Point under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Pallbearers listed for Haywood service

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Grace Ousley Haywood were the grandsons, Charlie Johnson, Marvin Johnson, Gregory Johnson, Robert Calvin Haywood, Randall Ousley and Jim Adams.

Pallbearers listed for Sexton funeral

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Pearl Mae Sexton were Bill Sexton, Robert Sexton, Barry Layne, Matthew Collins, Jason Conley and Tim Sexton.

Lakie Hamilton Hall Stephens

Lakie Hamilton Hall Stephens, 83, of Printer, Kentucky, a resident of Mountain Manor Nursing Home, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, died Saturday, November 19, 1994, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, after a long illness.

Born July 30, 1911 at Ivel, Kentucky, she was the daughter of the late George W. Hamilton and Rosa B. Roberts Hamilton. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Ervin Hall, in 1934, and her late husband, Albert Stephens in 1986, to whom she was married for 50 years. Lakie was a member of the Spurlock Church of Christ for 30 years. Lakie will be deeply missed by her family and all who knew and loved her.

She is survived by one sister, Anzie Hamilton Martin of Langley, Kentucky. Lakie was the cherished mother of one son, Delbert Stephens of Langley, Kentucky; and six daughters, Bossie H. Kidd of East Point, Kentucky; Berniece H. Westfall of Ivel, Kentucky; Bonnie Stephens of East Point, Kentucky; Rose M. Humble of Pickney, Michigan; Barbara Parsons of Eastern, Kentucky; and Peggy Bentley of Wayland, Kentucky. She is also survived by 29 grandchildren, 43 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren, along with many nieces and nephews.

Lakie was laid to rest beside late husband Albert Stephens in the family cemetery.

Pallbearers were Larry Jr. Bentley, Michael Conn, Rodney A. Humble, Raffel Hunter, Mickey Parsons, Gordon D. Stephens, and Mark A. Westfall. Honorary pallbearers were Charles Bentley, Daniel Bentley, James Campbell, Tony Conn, Randy Humble, Chris Hunter, Greg Hunter, Tim Hunter, Ronnie Parsons, John P. Sloan, and Thomas L. Westfall, Jr. (gold obituary)

Zella Slone Waddell

Zella Slone Waddell, 64, of Larkslane, died November 20, at her home.

Born November 5, 1930 in Knott County, she was the daughter of the late Dave and Ida Mosley Slone. She was preceded in death by her husband, Blaine Waddell, in 1992.

Survivors include three daughters, Brenda Lovelace of Sassafras, Carol Amburgey of Vest, and Ida Katherine Calhoun of Lackey; four sons, Roy Waddell of Carrie, Blaine Richard Waddell and Glen Warren Waddell, both of Larkslane, and Marvin Waddell of Sassafras; three brothers, Oscar Slone of Garrett, Indiana, Wayne Slone of Johnstown, Ohio, and Barkley Slone of Marion, Ohio; seven sisters, Ruth Dobson of Vest, Anna Lou Slone of Garner, Alma Craft of Mallie, Lana Reynolds of Pippa Passes, Lora Coon of Madison, Ohio, Eliouse Barnett of Fairhope, Alabama, and Lillian Huff of Johnstown, Ohio; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, November 22, at 1 p.m., at the Hindman Funeral Services Chapel with Clyde Wicker Jr. officiating.

Burial was in the Hays Cemetery in Hindman under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Julia Isaacs

Julia Isaacs, 58, of Wakeman, Ohio, formerly of Knott County, died November 18, at U.K. Medical Center in Lexington.

Born May 10, 1936 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Ted and Carrie Cook Childers.

Survivors include her husband, George Isaacs Jr.; four sons, Kenneth Isaacs of Topmost, Ricky Isaacs of Wakeman, Ohio, Clay Isaacs of Phoenix City, Alabama, and Timothy Isaacs of Hi Hat; one daughter, Elaine Preston of Ohio; one sister, Jeanette Coffman of Ashtabula, Ohio; three brothers, Shade and Newburn Childers of Ashtabula, Ohio, and Johnny Childers of Missouri; and eight grandchildren.

Graveside services were Tuesday, November 22, at 3 p.m., at the Wakeman Cemetery in Wakeman, Ohio, with Curtis Hall and Ellis Holbrook officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Evan Hall

Evan Hall, 72, of Honaker, died Sunday, November 20, at Williamson Memorial Hospital, Williamson, West Virginia, following a long illness.

Born March 2, 1922 at Honaker, he was the son of the late Buddy Anderson and Sissy Louisa Harvey Hall. He was a farmer and laborer.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, November 23, at 10 a.m., at the Honaker Church of Christ with the Church of Christ ministers officiating.

Burial will be in the Harvey Cemetery at Honaker under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Ingeborg K. Baldrige

Ingeborg K. Baldrige, 58, of Flatwoods, died Friday, November 18, at Bellefonte Hospital in Russell, following a long illness.

Born May 5, 1936 in Annaberg, Germany, she was the daughter of the late Rudi and Martha Lange Bart. She attended the Church of Christ and the Baptist Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Angelika Grube of Frankfort, Germany, Patricia McCoy of Allen, and Marita Figueroa of Jersey City, New Jersey; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Tuesday, November 22, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel with the clergyman Mark Tackett officiating.

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

Sylvia Wallen Hall

Sylvia Wallen Hall, 85, of Banner, died Monday, November 21, at her residence, following a long illness.

Born January 19, 1909 at Dana, she was the daughter of the late William S. and Martha Clark Wallen. She was a retail merchant and assistant U.S. postmaster at Banner. She was a member of the First Baptist Church at Allen. She was preceded in death by her husband, Eugene Hall.

Survivors include one son, Ballard L. Hall of Banner; two daughters, Rebecca Faye DeRossett of Prestonsburg and Norma Gene Davis of Banner; two sisters, Melle Dorsey of Victorsville, California, and Leslie Clinton of Arizona; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, November 23, at 11 a.m., at the Allen First Baptist Church with the clergymen French Harmon, Earl Waugh and Fred McGinnis officiating.

Burial will be in the Jones Cemetery at Allen under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers will be Brett D. Davis, Craig Davis, Barry Davis, James Jeffrey DeRossett, Mike DeRossett and Adrian Bentley Jr.

Mildred "Cotton" Horn Johnson

Mildred "Cotton" Horn Johnson, 67, of Pikeville, died Monday, November 21, at her residence, following an extended illness.

Born July 17, 1927 at Inez, she was the daughter of the late Leonard and Nerva Copley Horn. She was a retired school teacher for Martin County, Pike County, Pikeville College Academy and head start. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Pikeville.

Survivors include her husband, George F. Johnson Jr.; one son, James Claude Rice of Pikeville; two daughters, Susan Rice and Teresa Rice Piper, both of Pikeville; and one sister, Elva Chaffin of Mesa, Arizona; and one grandson.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, November 23, at 1 p.m., at the First Baptist Church of Pikeville with the ministers Rick Shannon and Larry Keene officiating.

Burial will be in the Johnson Memorial Park under the direction of J.W. Call and Son Funeral Home.

Edward "Josh" Newsome

Edward "Josh" Newsome, 70, of McDowell, died Monday, November 21, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following an extended illness.

Born June 15, 1924 in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Henry Newsome and Virgie Tackett Newsome Moore. He was a disabled coal miner and veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Little Rosa Old Regular Baptist Church at McDowell.

Survivors include his wife, Nannie Jones Newsome; four sons, Daniel Newsome, Bert Newsome, and Eddie Newsome, all of McDowell, and Eddie Tackett of Ashtabula, Ohio; four daughters, Mrs. Darrell Hamilton, Rebal Salisbury and Misty Newsome, all of McDowell, and Mrs. Rob Kron of Louisville; one brother, Pay Moore of McDowell; one sister, Roxie Moore of McDowell; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Friday, November 25, at 11 a.m., at the Little Rosa Old Regular Baptist Church at McDowell with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will be in the Lucy Hall Cemetery at McDowell under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Elbert Slone

Elbert Slone, 74, of Neon, died Friday, November 18, at Whitesburg Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Born December 12, 1919 in Knott County, he was the son of the late Delcie and Betty Bates Slone. He was a retired coal miner and a veteran of World War II. He was preceded in death by his wife, Beatrice Breeding Slone.

Survivors include one son, Larry Slone of Neon; two daughters, Betty Deryberry of Flint, Michigan, and Virginia Tackett of Melvin; eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, November 21, at 11 a.m., at the Little Rock Old Regular Baptist Church at Halo, with the ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Tom Johnson Cemetery at Halo under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Harmon Spradlin

Harmon Spradlin, 81, of Harrod, Ohio, died Sunday, November 20, at his residence.

Born May 23, 1913 at Bonanza, he was the son of the late Green and Jenny Prater Spradlin. He was preceded in death by his wife, Osie Wright, on February 14, 1970. He was a laborer and farmer.

Survivors include one son, Chester Spradlin of Harrod, Ohio; one daughter, Velta Fay Hackworth of Richmond, one sister, Josephine Spradlin of Ada, Ohio; four grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, November 23, at 11 a.m., at the Alger United Baptist Church with Elder Greg Lewis and Elder Paul Blair officiating.

Burial will be in the Preston Cemetery in Alger, Ohio, under the direction of Hanson-Neely Funeral Home, Alger, Ohio.

Marietta Thompson Anderson

Marietta Thompson Anderson, 74, of Mt. Sterling, died Saturday, November 19, at Winchester Manor Nursing Home.

Born January 3, 1920 at Mill Creek, she was the daughter of the late Isaac R. Thompson and Fannie Brown Helton. She was a member of Carmago Church of Christ in Mt. Sterling. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lloyd Anderson, in 1990.

Survivors include one brother, John J. Thompson of Minford, Ohio; and four sisters, Ruth Wallen of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Joe Tackett of Melvin, Mrs. William M. Mullins of Louisville, and Elsie Kincheloe of Apopka, Florida.

Graveside services were Tuesday, November 22, at 11 a.m., at the Mayo Cemetery in Prestonsburg, with the minister Randy Imel officiating. Arrangement were under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Lois Jean Parsons

Lois Jean Parsons, 62, of Prestonsburg, died Thursday, November 17, at U.K. Medical Center, Lexington, following an extended illness.

Born February 14, 1932 in McDowell, she was the daughter of the late Harry and Stella Adams Litteral. She was a member of the Church of Christ at Drift.

Survivors include two sisters, Myrtle Bowers of Drift and Givonia Stamm of Wallingford.

Funeral services were Sunday, November 20, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home with Frank Kidd Jr., Bruce Coleman and others officiating.

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

Ottis "Pudder" Newsome

Ottis "Pudder" Newsome, 60, of McDowell, was dead on arrival at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, Tuesday, November 22, following a sudden illness.

Born September 9, 1934 at McDowell, he was the son of the late Charlie and Pricy Jones Newsome. He was a disabled factory laborer and member of the Little Rosa Old Regular Baptist Church at McDowell.

Survivors include his wife, Bonnie Parsons Newsome; two sons, Gilver Keith Newsome of Compton and Ottis Timothy Newsome of Pikeville; one daughter, Mary Suzanne Newsome of Prestonsburg; one brother, Voilet Newsome of Willard, Ohio; two sisters, Lora Tuttle and Lois Tackett, both of Willard, Ohio; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Friday, November 25, at 11 a.m., at the Little Rosa Old Regular Baptist Church at McDowell with the ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will be in the Greenbury Hall Cemetery at McDowell under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Lisa Darlene Taylor

Lisa Darlene Taylor, 29, of Cherryville, North Carolina, formerly of Kendallville, Indiana, died Friday, November 18, at Carolinas Medical Center in Charlotte, North Carolina, following an extended illness.

Born January 25, 1965 in Kendallville, Indiana, she was the daughter of Bessie Marie Keene Rose and the late James D. Taylor.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by one son, Joseph Chandler of Cherryville, North Carolina; one daughter, Jessica Chandler of Cherryville, North Carolina; two brothers, James Taylor of Reidsville, North Carolina, and Johnny Taylor of Shelby, North Carolina; five sisters, Phyllis Taylor of Kendallville, Indiana, Sharon Conley of Albion, Indiana, Ruth Davis of Auburn, Maine, Frankie Bolen of Lincolnton, North Carolina, and Susan Bard of Butler, Indiana.

Funeral services were Monday, November 21, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home Chapel with Sterlin Bolen and Bethel Bolen officiating.

Burial was in the Noah Bolen Cemetery at Garrett under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Daniel Crum

Daniel Crum, 75, of Martin, died Monday, November 21, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, following a long illness.

Born February 27, 1919 at Martin, he was the son of the late Tom and Nancy Jane Robinson Crum. He was a retired coal miner, a World War II army veteran, a member of the Arkansas Church of Christ, a member of the U.M.W.A. Local No. 9845, and a member of the VFW at Martin.

Survivors include his wife, Polly Samons Crum; two sons, Prentiss D. Crum and Rufus Crum, both of Martin; one daughter, Frances Crum Castle of Wheeling, West Virginia; two brothers, Hage Crum and Tommy Crum, both of Martin; two sisters, Martha Crum Allen and Mary Crum Samons, both of Martin; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be Saturday, November 26, at 2 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel with the clergymen Ronnie Samons, Bennie Blankenship and Roy Robinson officiating.

Burial will be in the Crum Family Cemetery at Martin, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

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Courthouse News

DISTRICT COURT

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

Richard Tolbut, 19, of Prestonsburg; theft by unlawful taking (shoplifting)—30 days in jail suspended if no violation of laws and leave the state of Kentucky.

Tony Tackett, 30, of Betsy Layne; AI (3rd or more)—\$62.50 and 5 days in jail with 3 days probated.

Franklin Howell, 31, of Betsy Layne; DUI (3rd offense or more, BA .19)—\$257.50 and 3 days in jail.

William G. Mullins, 39, of Harold; DUI (1st offense)—\$257.50 and 2 days public service.

Gary N. Long, 27, of Regina; overweight on AAA highway—\$147.50.

Joseph R. May, 29, of Cross Lanes, West Virginia; AI (3rd offense or more)—amended to 1st offense, \$77.50.

Jerry D. Osborne, 35, of McDowell; DUI (1st offense, BA .20)—\$257.50 and 2 days public service; no insurance—\$500; drinking alcohol in public (1st/2nd offense)—merged with DUI; failure to wear seatbelts—\$25.

Ernest C. Hutton, 55, of Wheel-

wright; DUI (1st offense, BA pending)—\$257.50 and 2 days public service; no operators license—\$50; no insurance—\$500.

Harry J. Sturgill, 39, of Martha; DUI (1st offense, BA .10)—\$257.50 and 2 days public service.

Scott K. Feye, 30, of Belfry; DUI (1st offense, BA .28)—\$457.50 and 7 days in jail.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Norman and Gwen M. Miller, Minnie M. Warrax, Ida Belle M. and George Meadows, Lewis J. and Pearl D. Miller, and Wilson and Martha Q. Miller to Beverly M. and Ishmeal Hackworth, property in Prestonsburg; Bill Ray Collins, Alma Collins, Margaret Ann and Everett Bradley, Vida Stumbo, and Dr. Adrian Collins Jr. and Doris Collins to David Ray and Gay Cooley, property location not listed;

Dixie Mae Hunter to Jessie Mae Keen, property in Prestonsburg; Donald R. and Carolyn Tackett to Judy Lynn and Burnis Mullins, property on Steeles Creek, Wayland;

B. Dixon and Sonia B. Nunnery to B.D. and Danyel Nunnery, property in Prestonsburg; Jeffrey Hayes to Jeffrey and Teresa Hayes, property location not listed;

Earl Winston and Vicky Thomp-

son and Deborah Lea Thompson to Ritzie Caudill, property in the Harry Branham Subdivision; Edgar D. and Mary L. Brown Barnhouse to Century 21 American Way Realty, property in Prestonsburg;

Jerry L. Williams to John P. and Juanita Parsons, property at Bonanza; Archer Music Enterprises Inc., Evalena Ruth, William T. Smiley, Herbert D. Sledd, Raleigh R. and Carol Archer, Martha and Phillip D. Damron and George Preston and Sandi Archer to Commonwealth of Kentucky, commissioner's deed to property, location not listed;

Adam and Ethel Estep to Coranne Estep, property at Harold; Charlotte Mullins, Joe R. and Emma Ruth Mullins, Alafa Nelson Mullins, Samuel Mullins, Sarah Ellen and Roy Johnson, Pamela Mullins, Lena A. Mullins and Paul McKinney, and Charles C. Jr. and Lisa Mullins to Christopher D. and Sabrina C. Holbrook, property on Left Fork of Middle Creek;

Hazel G. Blackburn to Johnnie D. and Connie R. Patton, property at Weeksbury; Nora and Sam Martin to Elk Horn Coal Corporation, property on Frasure's Creek;

Donald and Edna Johnson to Gary L. Johnson, property at Otter Creek;

Ruth Ousley to Ocie and Otis R. Ousley, property on Caney Creek;

Millard Kidd to Timmy and Sharon Kidd, property location not listed; Kevin and Tamela Hamilton to Allied Auction and Realty, property on Stumbo Holler;

Jan and Justine Hamilton to Johnny and Diana Bryant, property on Garden Hollow of Big Mud Creek; Harry V. and Loucarta Turner to Jeffrey and Gretia Martin, property on Left Beaver Creek;

Virginia L. Layne to Malcolm Layne and David Allen Layne, property at Stanville; Carlena Webb to David Webb, property on Little Paint Creek;

Joe R. Mullins, United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Kentucky to Irvin and Ina Slone, property location not listed;

Zellia Rogers to Boyd and Carolyn Rogers, Bill and Patricia Rogers, Ginger and Lenny Imbagnio, Bobby Rogers, Ronald L. Rogers, and Janet and John Dyke, three tracts of property on Keathley Fork of Toler Creek;

Donald and Georgia Hatfield to Terry W. and Bobbi Music, property on Right Fork of Bull Creek; Donald and Georgia Hatfield to Raymond K. and Sharma Roman, property on

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Blackfish, the war chief, offered to take the inhabitants to Detroit where he would turn them over to the English for a bounty. Daniel Boone bargained for a two-day period to decide. Actually he was stalling in hope the reinforcements he had requested from the Holston settlements would arrive.

Less than seventy men and boys old enough to fight were inside the stockade yet it was unanimously agreed to fight instead of surrendering. Everyone, men, women and children alike, busily prepared for the coming battle.

Blackfish thought that Boonesborough housed several companies of sharpshooters. The residents helped further that misconception by having the women and larger children dress as men holding rifles along the defensive positions atop the walls.

During the two-day truce Blackfish told Boone that his men were hungry.

"Take what you need from our fields and herds but do not be wasteful," Boone answered, knowing that the Indians would take what they wanted regardless.

"Your leaders must come to our camp to make peace," Blackfish told Boone. When Boone relayed the message to the residents of Boonesborough they said that the idea wouldn't be considered, saying the Indians could not be trusted.

"The meeting must be held within the clearing, within rifleshot of the stockade," Col. Richard Callaway said, summarizing the feelings of the others. Boone relayed the message to Blackfish and he agreed to the compromise. Twenty guards with loaded rifles were stationed where they could watch over the meeting, which was

uneventful until the end.

The pow-wow ended with Blackfish instructing his men to uphold the old tradition of two Indians shaking hands with each white man. When the Indians were firmly ahold of Daniel and Squire Boone, Col. Richard and Flanders Calloway, William Buchanan, William Hancock, Major

William Bailey Smith and the others, Blackfish's men attempted to wrestle and drag them back over a rise and toward their camp. Blackfish and another strong warrior each held Boone.

The men fought back frantically, one getting loose and then another, with each free man helping those who were still being held. During this melee the rifleman in the fort were carefully taking potshots at the enemy. Boone jerked away from Blackfish with such force that it sent the chief sprawling against a tree stump, leaving him addled. It distracted several of the Indians allowing more of the men to escape.

Boone suffered a tomahawk wound and his brother was hit by gunfire. The wounds were superficial and all the men made it back to the safety of Fort Boonesborough except for one who hid outside the gate until nightfall when he sneaked back inside. The residents waited for the next move from the large Indian force which surrounded them.

Editor's Note: Read more about the Saga of Boonesborough next week in the Floyd County Times.

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Theatre staff making New York debut

Bob Bogdanoff, who directed *Peter Pan* and *Gin Game* during the 1994 Jenny Wiley Theatre season, will collaborate once again with Jenny Wiley's resident artistic director Jim Hunter to create the 25th Anniversary Production of *Dames at Sea* to run in New York City's Harold Clurman Theatre, December 2-11.

Bogdanoff, who has directed at prestigious venues throughout the United States including a production of the *Gin Game* in New York this past September, received the rights to produce the show over Marla Maples, who was turned down in her bid for the 25th Anniversary revival.

Making the most of an opportunity in New York is crucial in the theatre world, and Bogdanoff and Hunter are making moves in the right direction by inviting the original Broadway cast members of *Dames at Sea*, which includes Bernadette Peters, Ann Margaret, Ann Miller and Ann Meira, to view their interpretation of the 1969 Broadway hit.

The show's three authors will also be making the trip for the Bogdanoff

version of their acclaimed work, one of which will be making the journey from London for the opening.

The 25th Anniversary revival is attracting significant attention for Jenny Wiley alumni from the New York theatre community and press, such as the *New York Post*, which featured the upcoming production in a major story.

In addition, noted theatre critic Clive Barnes of the *New York Times*, as well as a representative from the *Village Voice* will be in attendance for opening night.

This revival production of the show will truly be a Jenny Wiley family affair. Ed Goldschneider, the 1994 musical director, B.C. Keller, the 1994 sound designer and Bridgett Barlett, who designed costumes for Jenny Wiley's *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum* will all be participating in those same capacities during the upcoming New York production of *Dames at Sea*.

The Jenny Wiley Theatre veterans who are participating in the cre-

ation of this version of *Dames at Sea* hope that history will repeat itself, as the show's 1986 revival cast all went on to other Broadway shows.

For anyone interested in supporting those who helped support theatre in Eastern Kentucky, ticket information for the *Dames at Sea* revival shows can be obtained by calling (212) 877-1689 until November 27, or (212) 279-4200 beginning November 28.

Support group to meet

The breastfeeding support group will meet Monday, November 28 at 7 p.m. at the Big Sandy Area Development District/Region 8 building (on Cliff Road). For more information, call Robin at 285-3076 or Dawn at 886-4279. Sponsored by the Big Sandy Family and Childbirth Education Association.

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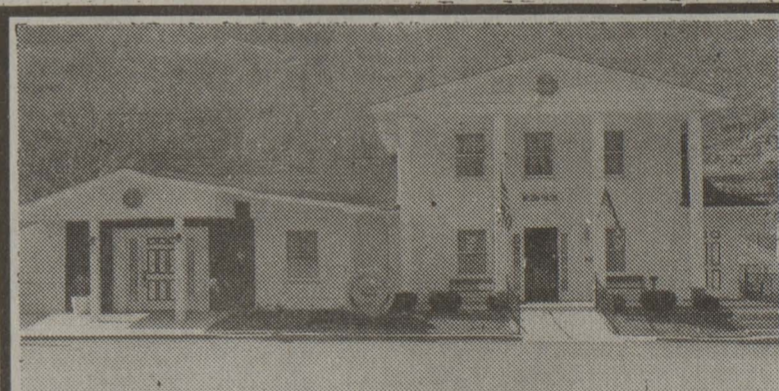
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Card of Thanks

The family of Mae S. Kendrick wishes to thank all of her many relatives, friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy upon Mae's recent passing. Your many acts of kindness, your thoughts and prayers are greatly appreciated by the family.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Julia "Granny" Slone wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors, and family who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers, and words of comfort expressed. A sincere thank-you to the May Memorial United Methodist Church for feeding our large family after the funeral. The Hueysville Church of Christ Choir and the Blue Grass Gospel Singers for their beautiful singing. A special thanks to the Rev. Troy Poff and James Emerson Slone for their words of comfort, the May Memorial United Methodist Church quintet and Betty Frasure, the staff of Riverview Manor Nursing Home, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

The family of Julia "Granny" Slone

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Herschel (Blatz) Stumbo would like to thank everyone for prayers and for coming to visit him in the hospital at McDowell ARH, Hazard ARH and the University of Kentucky Hospital during his brief but sudden illness. The family would like to take this opportunity to say a special thank-you to those who came to pay respects, or sent flowers or food during our time of loss of this special family member. A special thanks to the doctors and nurses who helped care for our loved one. Thanks to Hall Funeral Home for their kindness, and to the pallbearers, the Stumbo brothers, Don, Paul, Klein, Larry, Johnny and Carl.

The family of Herschel (Blatz) Stumbo

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Letticio Crum wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness of friends, relatives, and neighbors in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to the Clergymen Dan Heintzelman and Lorie Vannucci for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

The family of Letticio Crum

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

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

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Pearl Mae Sexton would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help in the loss of our loved one: those who sent food and flowers, or just spoke comforting words. We deeply appreciate you all. A special thanks to the Clergymen Drew Martin and Johnny Collins for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

The family of Pearl Mae Sexton

Health Matters

by Christopher G. Fleming

Dietary fats: Good vs. bad
Dietary fats have been in the news a lot lately. The notion that popcorn is a healthy snack and margarine is better for you than butter have both been recently challenged. Understanding the types of dietary fats and how they differ can shed some light on all this confusion.

There are two basic categories of fat—saturated and unsaturated. The chemical structure of a fat molecule determines whether it is saturated or unsaturated. Saturated fats are those that have no more room on the molecule for hydrogen atoms to bond to it. Those that do have room for additional hydrogen are unsaturated. Monounsaturated fats can accommodate two additional hydrogen atoms while polyunsaturated fats have room for more.

Saturated fats are found mostly in animal products—meats, whole milk dairy products, lard and butter. Palm and coconut oils are also highly saturated. It is the coconut oil added to movie theater popcorn that causes it to be so unhealthy. Saturated fats are solid at room temperature. Polyunsaturated fats are found in sunflower, corn and safflower oils. Monounsaturated fats are found in canola, peanut and olive oils.

Because saturated fats have a longer shelf-life than unsaturated fats, they are more appealing to the food industry; however, because they are more unhealthy, consumers have demanded the more widespread use of unsaturated fats. To solve this dilemma, food scientists developed hydrogenated fats. These are unsaturated fats that have had hydrogen atoms added to them. This makes them more solid like saturated fats. However, it also produces "trans-fatty acids" which have recently come under attack as contributing to heart disease. Concerns about trans-fatty acids have been growing since the

1980s; however, conclusive evidence has not existed until recently. Research shows that trans-fatty acids raise total cholesterol in the body and decrease HDL, the "good" cholesterol.

An example of hydrogenation is turning corn oil into margarine. Hydrogenated oils are found in many commercially-baked cookies and crackers. If a food contains hydrogenated oil, it must be labeled as such in the ingredient list.

In the diet, saturated fats tend to elevate serum cholesterol and may contribute to certain cancers, so they should be limited. Monounsaturated fats may actually reduce serum cholesterol in some people. Overall, no more than 30 percent of the calories you eat each day should come from fat and only 10 percent of your calories should come from saturated fat. In light of recent research, it is best to limit your intake of hydrogenated fats as well. Read labels and be an informed consumer!

Tip of the Week: When reading food labels for trans-fatty acids look for the word hydrogenated oil in the list of ingredients.

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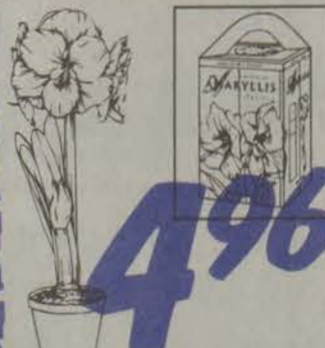
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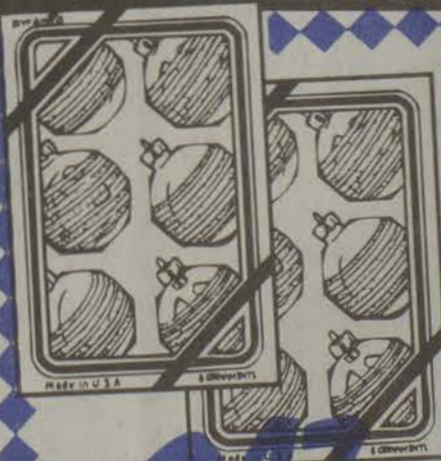


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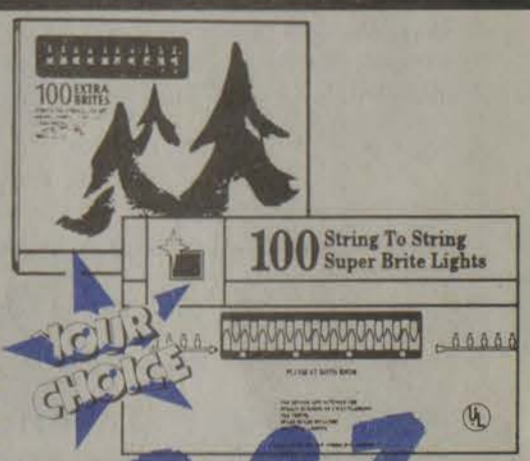
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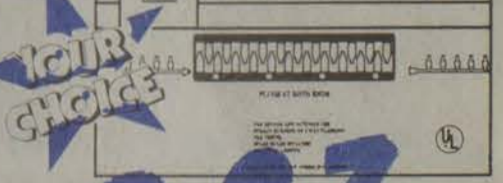
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This exhibition will focus on recent additions to the center's permanent collection by artists whose works have not been featured there previously, according to Adrian Swain, artistic director/curator.

Highlighting the work of Powell County artists Carolyn Hall and Milford Miller, the show includes works by Lenville Maxwell of Wiborg, Doris Smith of Sandy Hook, Elijah Smith of Hazard, and William Wombles of Manchester. Two versions of Hall's "Uncle Sam," and a series of carved portraits of Eastern Kentucky folk arts by Miller will be featured.

The exhibit will also feature works by late Georgia artists, Ralph Griffin and Dilmus Hall, as well as pieces by the Pennsylvania folk artist Jack Savitsky.

The exhibit, sponsored by the Citizens Bank of Morehead, will open with a reception at the center from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Friday, December 2.

The Kentucky Folk Art Center is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays. Admission is free.

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Community Calendar

Editor's Note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, the Floyd County Times' Community Calendar will post meeting and public service announcements. Articles for the Community Calendar must be submitted in writing to the Times no later than 5 p.m. Monday for Wednesday's publication or 5 p.m. Wednesday for Friday's publication. These cannot be taken over the telephone.

Rural Housing Guaranteed meeting

The Farmer Home Administration (FmHA) will hold a Rural Housing Guaranteed meeting on November 23, at 1 p.m. at the Floyd County Library. Contact the local FmHA office at (606) 886-9545 for more information.

Fund-raising events for baby Terri

A dance is set for 8 p.m., Saturday, November 26 at McDowell Elementary School to raise money to cover the cost of transplant surgery for baby Terri LaSha Jarvis of Banner. The dance is for those 18 years or older. Admission is \$5.

On Sunday, December 4, at 2 p.m., Marlow Tackett and his band will host a benefit concert for baby Terri at Allen Central High School. Tackett is inviting all other area bands to participate.

Also, baby Terri sweatshirts (\$15), T-shirts (\$10) and caps (\$5) are on sell to raise funds. Call Susan Stumbo at (606) 358-4030 to purchase an item.

Mothers of Angels meeting

Mothers of Angels, a support group for bereaved families who have had pregnancy loss or loss of a child, will meet November 30 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Highlands Regional Medical Center downstairs in the Floyd Room.

Church offers rite for infants who died before birth

Parents, grandparents, siblings and friends grieving the loss of an unborn child through miscarriage, accident or abortion are invited to attend a special prayer service at St. Martha Church on Route 3 at Water Gap on Tuesday, November 29, at 7 p.m.

For more information, call the church at 874-9526. Reservations are appreciated, but are not required.

Annual Thanksgiving Fellowship

Camp Nathanael, located at Emmalena, will have its Annual Thanksgiving Day Fellowship on November 24. The day will begin with a coffee time at 9:30 a.m., which will be followed by a musical program at 10.

A Thanksgiving service begins at 11:15 with Rev. French Harmon from Allen as the speaker. A Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings at 12:30 will finish out the day.

There is no charge to attend. A nursery and program for children through age 10 will be available. For more information, contact Camp Nathanael at 251-3231.

Advisory board to meet

The advisory board for Morehead State University's Big Sandy Extended Campus Center will meet on Tuesday, November 29, at 4 p.m., in Prestonsburg. The meeting is open to the public.

Additional information is avail-

able by call 886-2405 or 1-800-648-5372. The center is located at 719 University Boulevard in Prestonsburg.

Thanksgiving service

The Floyd County Ministerial Association (FCMA) is sponsoring an ecumenical Thanksgiving Service at 7 p.m. at St. Martha's Catholic Church on Wednesday, November 23. St. Martha's is located on Lancer/Water Gap Road near Jenny Wiley State Resort Park.

Rev. Tom Biddle, pastor of Lancer Baptist Church, will give the message and the Prestonsburg Honor Choir will perform at the service. For more information, call 874-9526.

Singing

The Sammons Family will be singing at the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church on Sunday, November 27, at 6 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Closed for state meeting

Rural Economic and Community Development (formerly Farmers Home Administration) Office will be closed for a state meeting from November 28-30. The office will re-open Monday, December 5.

McDowell Family Resource Center upcoming activities

November 28: Pam Patton from the Floyd County Health Department will be at the center to give 6th grade physicals and well-child exams. Call

377-2678 for an appointment.

November 28: G.E.D. classes with David Adult Education from 8-4.

November 29: A nurse will be at the center to administer 6th grade physicals and well-child exams. Call for an appointment, 377-2678.

November 29: Homemaker's club organizational meeting at 4 p.m. at the center with Francis Pitts from the Floyd County Extension Office.

November 29: Glenda Lawson from McDowell A.R.H. will hold a "Good Touch, Bad Touch" program for the sixth grade students at 10:30 a.m.

November 29: C.P.R. for McDowell school personnel wanting/need certification/recertification, at 4 p.m. by McDowell A.R.H. Training will be held at the center.

November 30: G.E.D. classes with David Adult Education from 8-4.

November 30: "Just Say No" club will meet at 1:30 in the center.

December 1: National HIV Day.

December 1: Dr. Norman de Carvalho will be at the center from 9-12. He is a pediatrician from McDowell A.R.H.

December 1: McDowell Family Resource Center advisory council meeting at 6 p.m. in the center.

December 1: G.E.D. classes from 8:30-2:30 by Joyce Hall from the Floyd County Board of Education.

December 2: G.E.D. classes with David Adult Education from 8-4.

Christmas dance

A Christmas dance will be held at Martin Elementary gym on December 2, from 7-11 p.m. \$2 admission.

All proceeds go to Martin P.T.O. to help buy a speaker system.

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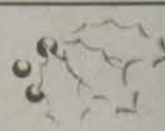


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A Look At Sports
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Sports Editor

Blackburn: "More gym time offered!"

BELATED HAPPY BIRTHDAYS...

Belated happy birthday greetings to Miles Keith Frasure of Allen Central. Keith just turned 18 and is the manager of the Allen Central basketball team. Happy birthday, Keith.

Belated wishes also to Shawn Robinson, who just turned 18. Shawn played football at Allen Central and is a member of the Rebels' track and field team. Happy birthday, Shawn.

Jessica Hamilton of the Betsy Layne Lady Cats turned 18 last Tuesday. She's a super person and I want to wish Jessica the best. Happy birthday, Jessica.

Brandon Castle — remember the name — turned 16 this past Friday. He is a member of the Betsy Layne baseball team and also plays basketball. Happy birthday, Brandon.

Derrick Newsome turned 18 on November 14. Derrick is a member of the Betsy Layne Bobcats' basketball and baseball teams. Happy birthday, Derrick.

BETSY LAYNE ANSWERS BACK...

Some time back I wrote about the lack of practice time for the Harold Red Devils basketball team at the Betsy Layne gym.

We mentioned in the article the schedule that was drawn up for all the teams that used the gym (Harold, Betsy Layne grades, freshmen, junior varsity and varsity).

There is no doubt that the D.W. Howard Fieldhouse is one of the most used facilities in the county.

The folks from Betsy Layne wanted to let their side of the issue be known and we want to be fair. Here are some of the information that the Betsy Layne group presented to me:

- Dwight Newsome (Betsy Layne coach), who is in charge of scheduling the practices (not the school's principal), reportedly offered Harold additional gym time. According to the report, he reportedly (Harold coach) refused to accept the offer of additional hours.

- The painting that has been done in the domed gym was done by Betsy Layne teachers and parents. Help was asked for from Harold parents, but no one reportedly gave that help. Cleaning of the gym is done by Betsy Layne custodians.

- Betsy Layne "bore full cost" of the floor being resurfaced.

Mr. Lance Blackburn states that Betsy Layne is almost twice the size of Harold and, "shouldn't they have more gym time?"

"I have asked some of the Harold parents to help us push for reinstatement of the gym project by writing letters and appealing to the Board so that all area kids can have a safe place to play," said Blackburn. "To date, not one parent has appeared before the board or written letters supporting gym renovation that we know of."

A group of concerned parents presented the Board of Education with a partial listing of the numerous problems that inspections of the gym facility revealed. Alleged problems the report included:

- Leaking roof. Photographs presented showed cheerleaders having to practice while buckets were on the floor catching falling rain.

- Asbestos Panels. Numerous panels were cracked, busted or had holes in them.

- Bleachers. The bleachers are quite old and beyond repair. They have been patched several times and have no protective rails.

- Other problems include broken flooring; lights out; lack of accessibility for the handicapped; falling chunks of wall and ceiling; run-down locker and restroom facilities and an inoperable air conditioning unit in the band room.

Blackburn said that they had

(See A Look at Sports, B 3)

New track and field facility dedicated at Allen Central

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Dedication ceremonies were held this past Sunday afternoon at the new track and field facility at Allen Central. Members of the Floyd County Board of Education gathered to be part of the ribbon cutting ceremonies.

Ina Robinson, president of the Allen Central Ridge Runners Track and Field Club, welcomed those who had joined others from around the area for the special moment.

The new facility was appropriately named "Field of Dreams" because that's all it was in the beginning -- a dream.

The official ribbon cutting ceremony made the field a reality.

Forrest Hughes said that when a track and field facility was put in Floyd County that he would sit down backwards on it. Forrest fulfilled that vow Sunday.

The Ridge Runners Club also had an unveiling of their Memorial Garden which sets at the far end of the football field flanked by two Rebel flags.

The Memorial Garden is in memory of those who have passed away and were involved in athletics

in Floyd County.

"This is for anyone in Floyd County," said Robinson. "All anyone has to do is call me or one of the other officers in the club and we will put their name on the board."

In a tearful moment, the parents of Brandon Holbrook were present as his name was added to the list. Sid Bailey and Billy Wells were also listed in the Memorial Gardens.

Kevin Stumbo, a long time friend of Holbrook, held back tears as he read a piece in honor of his friend.

Linda Holbrook, Brandon's mother, thanked the crowd and the officers for adding Brandon's name

to the memorial.

"There is a verse of scripture on Brandon's stone which reads, 'I have fought a good fight, I have finished my race.' Brandon did finish his race."

Holbrook was one of the most respected athletes in the county and is often mentioned during track season.

He was a member of the track and field team at then Wheelwright High School. He also played basketball and football for the Trojans.

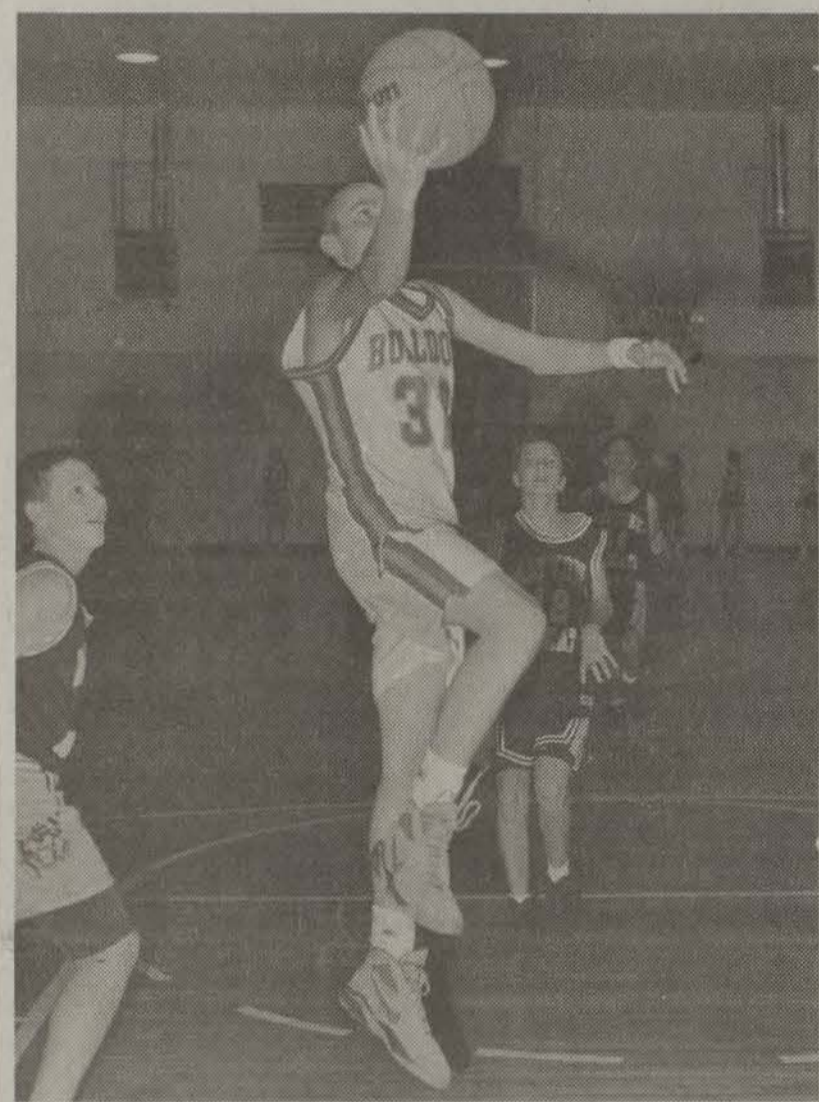
Mary Wallen paid tribute to Bailey and Wells for the support they gave the athletic programs at Allen Central.

"Sid and Billy were caring fathers," she said. "They both loved football and they met there and became good friends. They were both very supportive of the football program and later became interested in the track and field program."

"Sid played for Ohio State in the early '40s. The era when they didn't have pads. He would tell the kids to go and play, 'you don't need pads!'"

Superintendent of Floyd County Schools, Dr. Stephen Towler, along with board member Ray Brackett,

(See Dedication, B 11)



Uncontested!

Duff's Gary Hunter went to the basket for an easy two against Maytown Friday night in the finals of the Right Beaver Classic. Hunter scored 17 points to lead Duff to a 71-43 win over the Wildcats. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Duff wins Right Beaver Classic

Bulldogs' inside game too much for Maytown

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

When you want to talk about high school basketball prospects, the just completed Right Beaver Classic showcased many of them.

The Duff Bulldogs is one of those teams blessed with good talent and fine coaching.

The Bulldogs looked like anything else but a grade school team as they did everything right in blitzing the Maytown Wildcats 65-41 in the championship game of the Right Beaver Classic Friday night at Maytown.

The trio of Rodney Bentley, Gary Hunter and Ryan Owens was too much down low for Maytown.

Bentley, who just missed his third consecutive 20 point night, finished with 19 points to lead Duff. Hunter, a unselfish player, finished with 17 and Owens muscled his way for 14 points.

The last time Maytown saw the Bulldogs close was at 11-10 in the first period. Duff outscored Maytown 7-2 to take an 18-12 first period lead.

The score was tied at 2, 4 and 6 before Duff went on top 9-6 on a three-point play by Hunter. Bentley scored on a rebound basket to make it 11-6.

Jackie Owens, playing in his first game since suffering a shoulder injury in football, hit an acrobatic 4-footer and Johnny Murphy popped in a 6-foot jumper for an 11-10 game.

Nick Samons hit the front end of a two shot foul and Hunter, on a steal, went solo for a lay-up while Owens scored the next two baskets for Duff to take an 18-12 lead.

Duff (65)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Owens	5	0	6-4	14
Hunter	8	0	1-1	17
Bentley	9	0	2-1	19
Samons	1	0	6-3	5
Slone	2	0	1-0	4
Conley	2	0	0-0	4
Hall	1	0	0-0	2
Page	3	0	0-0	6

Maytown (41)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Davis	1	0	0-0	2
Murphy	6	0	2-0	12
Prater	3	0	2-1	7
Hoover	2	0	2-1	5
Ousley	1	0	0-0	2
Prater	0	0	2-0	0
Owens	2	2	7-3	13
Hayes	1	0	0-0	2

Duff.....18 14 26 13 - 65
Maytown...12 03 15 13 - 41

It was in the second period that Duff took over the game. The Bulldogs' defense held Maytown to a single free throw, by Owens, and one field goal by Shawn Ousley to lead 32-15 at the half.

Owens completed a three-point play, Bentley scored on a short jumper and lay-up while Hunter hit a lay-up for Duff.

Murphy scored first for Maytown to start the third period but Duff ran off seven unanswered points to take a 41-19 lead.

The Bulldogs seemed to rest some as Maytown went on a 9-2 run that cut the lead to 41-26.

Owens hit back-to-back three-pointers in scoring seven of the nine points. Duff outscored Maytown 17-4 over the final three minutes to go up 58-30.

Maytown scored the first seven points of the fourth period to narrow the lead to 58-37. But Duff kept pace

(See Duff, B 3)

Lady Hornets tournament champs

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Coaches Ashland Gearheart and Jerome Greathouse knew that they had a special girls team this year at Auxier with two of last year's top girls players returning.

But the Auxier coaches knew that it would be hard for their team, from a small school, to compete against the larger elementaries.

But if you were in the Maytown gym this past Friday night for the championship game of the Right Beaver Classic you would have to say that the larger schools need to take notice of the Lady Hornets.

Auxier got 23 points from Shelly Greathouse and went on to post a 48-24 win over the Lady Mustangs of John M. Stumbo.

It was the first time a girls team at Auxier won a tournament of any magnitude.

The coaching staff at Auxier has found some additional scoring to go with Greathouse and Tonya Honeycutt. Candy Howard had a good outing finishing with eight points. Honeycutt tossed in seven with Bradi Wells scoring eight. Mandy Music, who is going to be a good one, had two points.

In previous games, Coach Greathouse had said that he would like to see more scoring out of the rest of the team and not just Greathouse and Honeycutt.

The trio of Howard, Music and Wells has responded in tournament play.

Amanda Hall led Stumbo with eight points. Hall played in foul trouble most of the night and later had to leave the game in the fourth period after suffering an ankle injury.

Krystal Newsome scored seven points for Stumbo. Shenna Akers finished with three while Samantha Maynard, Courtney Hall and Holly Hamilton had two points each.

Stumbo jumped out to a 4-2 lead on back-to-back baskets by Hall. Auxier scored the next six points to

lead 8-4. Greathouse scored six of her team's first eight.

A free throw by Akers and a three-point play, the old fashioned way, by Newsome tied the game at 8 with 1:44 left in the first period.

Howard and Newsome exchanged baskets to keep the score tied at 10 before Greathouse stole the ball and scored on a lay-up. She scored again ahead of the horn to give Auxier the 14-10 lead.

Auxier, using their full court pressure which has played havoc on most teams, used their quickness on defense and held Stumbo to only one field goal in the second period as they raced out to a 27-12 halftime lead.

Hall had the lone basket for Stumbo. Music grabbed a rebound for the Lady Hornets in the second period to give Auxier a 16-10 lead. A rebound basket by Wells made it 18-10 and the Lady Hornets never looked back.

Greathouse scored seven points in the period along with three steals.

Again the defense of Auxier went to work in the third period as Stumbo could only get a basket from Newsome to trail 40-14 after three periods. Honeycutt hit an eight footer and scored on a lay-up to start the period for a 31-14 lead.

In a bizarre play, Hall picked up her fourth personal with 4:29 to play in the third period.

Hall received the basketball in her own backcourt and had a free pass to the basket. But in the midst of confusion, Hall started back toward the other end.

The ball was stolen by Honeycutt who was equally confused and she shot the ball at the wrong basket. On the shot, Hall fouled Honeycutt.

The officials, just as confused, awarded two shots to Honeycutt, but at the other end.

Auxier scored the final nine points of the third period to build a 26 point advantage.

The biggest lead for the Lady Hornets came in the fourth period when they led by 30, 48-18. Stumbo

scored the final six points of the period for a final of 48-24.

Auxier remains undefeated at 6-0. Stumbo is 2-2 on the year.

• Mandy Robinette, Betsy Layne, won the individual free throw trophy.

Auxier (48)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Greathouse	10	0	7-3	23
Honeycutt	3	0	6-1	7
Howard	4	0	2-0	8
Wells	3	0	2-2	8
Music	1	0	2-0	2

Stumbo (24)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Hall	4	0	3-0	8
Newsome	3	0	2-1	7
Akers	1	0	6-1	3
Maynard	1	0	0-0	2
Hall	1	0	0-0	2
Hamilton	1	0	0-0	2

Auxier.....14 13 13 08 - 48
Stumbo.....10 02 02 10 - 24



Leads Lady Hornets

Shelly Greathouse (3) drove around Krystal Newsome (30) in the championship game of the Right Beaver Classic at Maytown Friday night. Greathouse tossed in 23 points to lead her team to the tournament championship. (photo by Ed Taylor)

15th Region Men and Women High School Basketball Pre-season Poll

—Men—

1. Paintsville (59)
2. Allen Central (55)
3. Belfry (39)
4. Pikeville (35)
5. Prestonsburg (34)
6. Shelby Valley (27)
7. Sheldon Clark (26)
8. Johnson Central (20)
9. Magoffin County (14)
10. Pike County Central (12)

—Women—

1. Belfry (41)
2. Johnson Central (41)
3. Paintsville (37)
4. Allen Central (37)
5. Betsy Layne (27)
6. Sheldon Clark (27)
7. Pike County Central (20)
8. Millard (18)
9. Prestonsburg (14)
10. Pikeville (10)

POLL WAS TAKEN BY 15 REGION SPORTSWRITERS AND BROADCASTERS

Adams defense stops Stumbo in finals of invitational

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Adams Middle School Blackcats' defense held the John M.

Stumbo Mustangs to only one first half field goal en route to a 44-23 victory to capture the first Adams Invitational. The championship game was held this past Friday night.

Adams stopped the Mustangs by just allowing them two free throws in the first period as they jumped out to a 15-2 lead behind the scoring of Joe Campbell.

Campbell stepped behind the three-point circle and buried two three point baskets in the first period with John Ortega and Kalen Harris scoring four points each in the period.

Adam Tackett got the first field goal for the Mustangs in the second period. He scored four points to account for all of his team's second period points.

Adams led 25-6 at the half. The Blackcats' starters extended their lead to 36-6 with 11 unanswered points to start the third period. Coach Jack Goodman then brought them out of the game for good as the reserves saw plenty of playing time.

Jake Carroll led Stumbo in scoring with 15 points. Tackett finished with eight as he was the only other Stumbo player to score.

Carroll hit four three-pointers in the game for Stumbo.

Ortega topped Adams with 12 points. Campbell finished with 11 and Harris netted eight.

Adam Hall totaled five points in the win with Todd Kidd scoring four. John Dixon and David Ousley scored two each.

Both teams shot poorly from the free throw line with Stumbo connecting on seven of 16 tries. Adams hit four of 15 attempts.

Adams improved to 3-0 on the season and will play at Duff Elementary this Wednesday night.

Stumbo falls to 2-2 on the season. The Mustangs host Prater at home next Wednesday night.



Duff Bulldogs
Right Beaver Boys Champions



Maytown Wildcats
Right Beaver Boys Runners-up

Stumbo (23)

players	fg	3pt	ft	m	tp
Hall	0	0	0-0	0	0
Carroll	0	4	6-3	15	
Tackett	2	0	9-4	8	
Akers	0	0	0-0	0	
Motenell	0	0	1-0	0	

Adams (44)

players	fg	3pt	ft	m	tp
Ortega	5	0	5-2	12	
Campbell	2	2	1-1	11	
Hall	2	0	1-1	5	
Music	0	0	4-0	0	
Harris	4	0	0-0	8	
Price	0	0	2-0	0	
Dixon	1	0	0-0	2	
Kidd	2	0	1-0	4	
Ousley	1	0	0-0	2	

Stumbo.....02 04 06 11 - 23
Adams.....15 10 13 06 - 44

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A Look at Sports

(Continued from B1)

asked the Floyd County Board of Education to revisit the school and look at the situation again. They asked that repairs be made to the gym before a child is injured.

"We want a fair shake for all students in our area whether they come from Harold, Betsy Layne, Prater or Stumbo," said Blackburn. "We have tried to include documentation to back up what we have stated."

Blackburn said that he believed that additional gym time could be found for Harold at other schools such as on "The Hill" or at Stumbo.

He stated that school principal Karen Allen has worked very hard on getting the painting started at the dome gym, including donating her time on Saturdays. She got the voluntary paint and cleanup job started.

"Mrs. Allen is new at the school and has worked very hard," said Blackburn. "Betsy Layne Elementary has paid for almost all the paint to paint the gym."

When we did the original story on the lack of playing time, we were told, from the board of education, that Mrs. Allen had the final say-so in scheduling the gym for practice times.

We did not know that responsibility was placed in the hands of Dwight Newsome, Betsy Layne Elementary coach.

Any picture we may have painted of Mrs. Allen as being unfair, we are sorry for.

The bottom line is this: The kids play the games and the facilities are for them.

I believe that those parents and schools that use the facilities should do their share of work in keeping the gym open.

If the high school uses the gym, and we know they do, they should also (and probably do) share the workload.

But, the kids need a place to practice. It doesn't matter who is keeping the thing open. It is for them, no matter what school.

To this point, Mr. Blackburn has stated that they have worked hard for all the kids in District 3.

I have now stated the Betsy Layne side, I'm sure that there will be more news from the other side.

Please, write a letter to the editor about it. There are too many basketball games to be played. And I don't have any free time the way it is.

DEDICATION TIME...

The track and field facility at Allen Central was dedicated with a ribbon cutting ceremony this past Sunday. The long-time dream has finally become a reality.

On hand for the occasion were members of the Floyd County Board of Education, Floyd County Fiscal Court and others.

The facility is going to be a wonderful place -- for walking.

I mean by that, with all the money that was put into the facility, there is still a need for equipment to hold the meets.

I understand that the necessary equipment is going to cost roughly \$18,000. The Ridge Runners Track and Field Club is responsible for raising the money to purchase the necessary items.

Now I am glad that those people were at the ceremony Sunday and that they got to speak to the good crowd that was there for the dedication.

I'm glad that the local track and field club took money from their funds to award plaques to those in the administrative, as well as political, end.

It was real good to hear them talk about being glad to be "a small part" of what has been accomplished so far.

Now, I ask all those involved to do one more thing: See that the necessary money is provided for equipment for these folks who have worked so hard to get this facility through.

They should not be asked to raise the money. Because you know, and they know, that the track season will be here and gone before that amount of money can be raised.

The school board and the fiscal court should work together on this. Determine that you will not hang

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Goes for block!

Auxier's Brandi Wells (15) went for the block of Sheena Akers' (32) shot in the championship game of the Right Beaver Classic. Auxier posted a 47-24 win over the Lady Mustangs and won their first-ever championship. (photo by Ed Taylor)



Owens returns!

Maytown's Jackie Owens (12) went sailing to the basket on this drive against Duff. Owens played in his first game after coming back from a football injury. He scored 13 points. (photo by Ed Taylor)



Snipping the nets!

It was time to celebrate as Shawn Henson cut the nets after the Duff Bulldogs won the Right Beaver Classic over Maytown Friday night at Maytown. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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Coach Martin likes way Rebels played against Moore

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

It was only an exhibition game when Louisville Moore and Allen Central, both Sweet Sixteen participants last year, met on the hardwood at Allen Central Saturday night.

But the game was played as if it were the first game of the regular season as the two teams went head to head.

It was Moore coming away with a 72-68 win over the Rebels, but both coaches were pleased with what they saw from their respective teams.

"We played everybody and that was good from the moral standpoint," said Moore coach Larry Miller. "I had some players that stood out that I wasn't even sure they would play much tonight."

"Overall I was pretty well pleased with our effort," said Rebel mentor Johnny Martin. "You're never pleased to lose. It was a scrimmage game, but a great game for us to have."

Sophomore sensation Thomas Jenkins tossed in 24 points to lead all scorers. He pulled down, unofficially, nine rebounds and had three assists.

Division I prospect Jeremy Hall had an off game offensively, but played a strong defensive game. He did finish with 15 points and seven assists.

"Jeremy did have an off night on offense," said Coach Martin. "He scrapped hard all night. Played hard on defense. He played a little bit tight."

It was the quick, slashing drives of Jenkins that brought the praise of the Moore coach.

"Thomas Jenkins is an outstanding basketball player," said Coach Miller. "Their two main guys, Jeremy Hall and Thomas Jenkins are great players."

Corey Bailey led Moore with his 20 points. Wes Miller added 19 points and his early scoring gave Moore a 16-15 lead after the first period. Miller hit three three-pointers and scored 11 points in the period.

The score was tied at 2 before Miller buried a trey for a 5-2 Moore lead.

Cold free throw shooting by the Rebels cost them the lead. Kevin Stumbo and Jenkins both missed twice from the charity stripe before Bailey's three-point basket.

Trailing 8-4, Allen Central scored five unanswered points to lead 9-8. Hall, on a steal, hit a lay-up. Stumbo hit one free throw and Jenkins connected on a 12-footer.

Moore recaptured the lead 10-9. The score was tied at 13 on Miller's second trey of the period. Jenkins hit a short jumper to send the Rebels in front 15-13 but Miller gave his team the lead, 16-15, with yet another three-pointer.

With 1:19 left in the second period, Jenkins tied the score at 30 on a lay-up. But Jeremy Carroll hit a six-footer and Miller scored his fourth three-pointer to give Moore a 35-30 halftime lead.

Moore jumped out to a 13 point advantage, 49-36, in the third frame as they went on a 13-2 run. Coach Martin called a time out and the Rebels returned with a different plan for defense.

The defense seemed to spark the offense and the Rebels went on a 10-

2 run of their own to make it a five point, 51-46, game.

With 3:04 left, Hall scored on a lay-up and Jenkins followed suit. Stumbo scored on a pass from Rocky Newsome, who ignited the run. After a Moore basket, Jenkins scored on a rebound and Newsome hit a lay-up with 39 seconds left to play in the period.

Moore opened up a 69-61 lead with less than two minutes remaining to play in the game. But Allen Central missed four straight free throws after making it a 71-66 game. A basket by Jenkins cut the lead to four, 72-68.

"I think Allen Central is really tough," said Coach Miller. "They are physically and mentally tough. We're just honored to be here. It was a good experience for us."

Allen Central was impressive on the boards and blocking out. Moore only pulled down three offensive rebounds in the game. That pleased the Rebel coach.

"I thought we fought the boards a lot better than I thought we would," he said. "I was worried to death that we were going to be hurting there. They weren't a real big team but they were good jumpers."

Coach Martin kept his team active on the floor with different moves. Moves which confused Moore at times.

"Coach Martin does a great job of

coaching. I expect them to have another fantastic year," said the Moore coach. "I was real happy just to come down and come out on top. We feel honored to be asked to come down here."

"We've heard a lot about Eastern Kentucky basketball and we would love to come back. We were treated well down here and it was a real positive experience from the crowd standpoint."

Coach Martin was some what disappointed with his team's offense.

"Offensively, we just couldn't get it going," he said. "I know that we're a lot better offensive team than what we showed tonight. We missed 15 free throws but that is because it is early yet."

Martin said that the game afforded his players time away from practicing against each other.

"We've been so tired of practice. We didn't have our football players for a while and we practiced a couple of weeks and really didn't get a whole lot done. The football players are just now rounding into shape pretty good."

Martin said that he was glad that his team got to face a team like Moore.

"They are a good team. We had a chance to win," he said. "I think if we had played the way we are capable of playing, we would have won."

"When you are playing against a team like that that has a lot of quickness, which they have, it's just differ-

ent. You practice everyday and you're going against your second string.

"Then you face a live team like we did you see how quick they are and you make a lot of turnovers. But this game was really good for us," he said.

Coach Martin said that everything considered this time of year, he was pleased with his team.

"Thomas played a heck of a game for us," he said. "Especially once he got into the flow. He missed several shots early."

"We were sluggish at times. Jeremy had a bad game offensively but not overall," he said.

Martin said that his team didn't have a long bus trip like Moore did and they still missed some easy shots early.

The Rebel coach did like the hustle he saw out of his team on defense and the way they went after loose balls on the floor.

"I like to see that," he said. "If you're going to win, that's what you have to do."

Jason Bevins pulled down seven rebounds but fought hard under the boards.

"Jason did a good job for us," said Martin. He was working the boards real hard. I thought Jason did a good job."

Coach Martin said that his team needed to work on their interior defense more before the start of the season November 29.

"Their big man hurt us in the middle," he said. "Eventually we had to go to a man-to-man defense."

Coach Martin said that he had seen some things in the game that he knows can be corrected before the regular season starts. "Really. Overall we played better than I expected based on the practices we have had. That's a good sign right there."

The Rebels second scrimmage game won't get any easier.

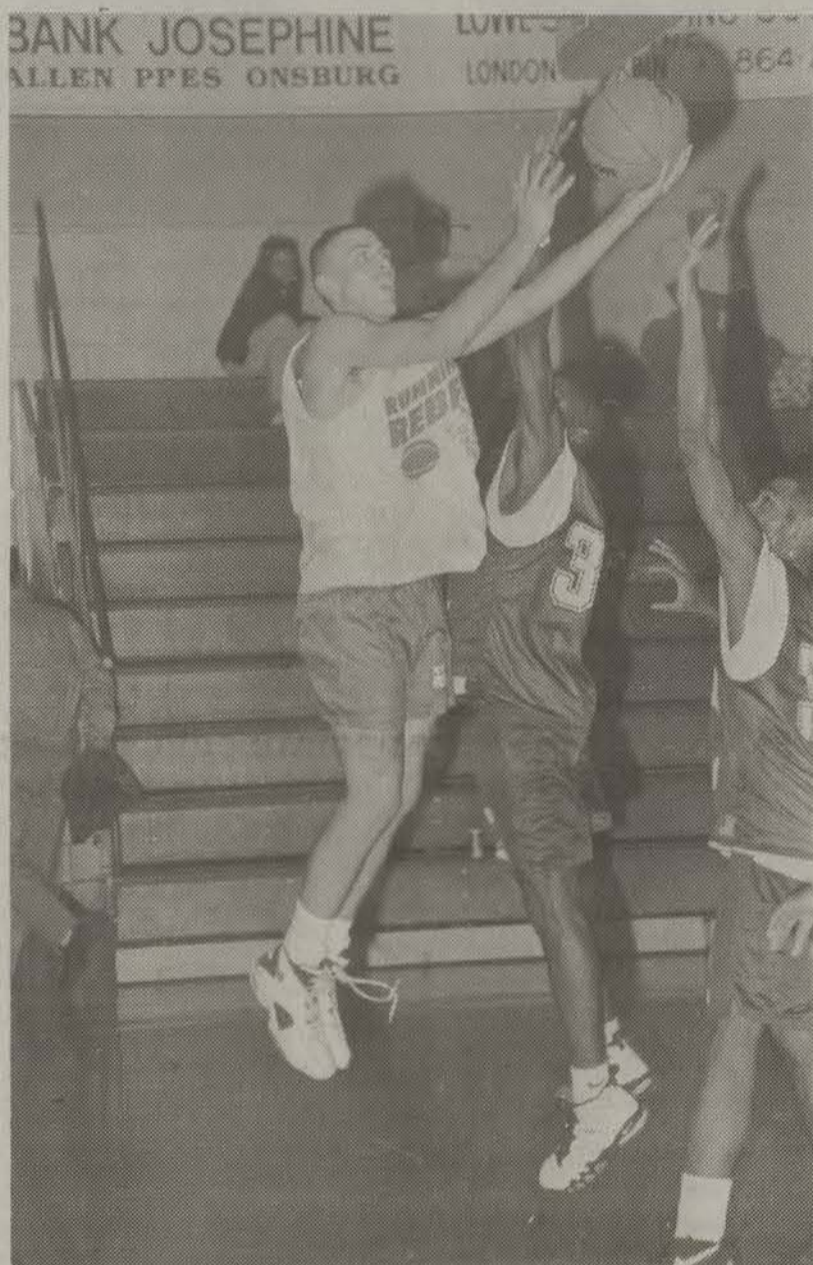
"We got Lexington Catholic Saturday night (Sheldon Clark panorama) and they're going to be a better team because they are bigger. This team didn't have a Von Dale Morton."

"They will press us, but I think we will handle the press. We have some pretty good ball handlers."

Coach Miller said that he hoped this wouldn't be his team's last trip to Eastern Kentucky.

"We hope to keep coming back down here," he said. "I think it benefits Allen Central's team because we

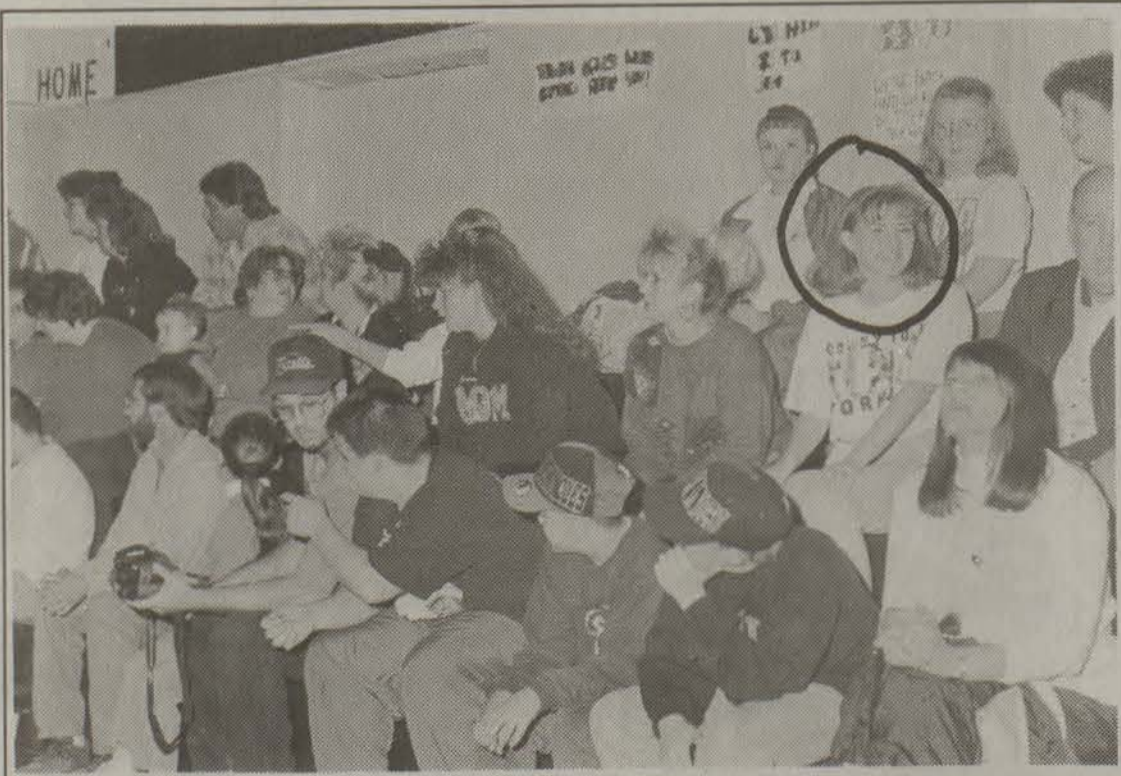
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Strong move!

Allen Central's Thomas Jenkins made a strong move to the basket against Louisville Moore Saturday night in a scrimmage game. Jenkins scored 24 points to lead all scorers, but the Rebels fell 72-68. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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Elliot's among group seeking resignation of Eaglin

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The direction that Morehead University President Ronald G. Eaglin is seeking for the university's football program and the school overall has become a grave concern to Robert and Patty Elliott of Prestonsburg.

The couple has joined other Friends of Morehead in asking for the resignation of Morehead's current president.

"It all started with the football program and now has become a concern for all the university," said Patty Elliott.

The local couple has joined Lowell Spencer of Paintsville; Jack Pelphrey of Paintsville; Gordon Moore of Pre-

stonsburg; Vic Barsh of Ashland and Carroll Browning of Huntington, W. Va. in calling for Eaglin's resignation.

The seven dissatisfied Friends of Morehead sent a letter to Dr. Eaglin asking for his resignation citing differences in opinions on the future of the football program and the university itself.

The seven cited "fundamental differences" in asking for the resignation. Dr. Eaglin made an announcement earlier in the year of his intention to lead the university to a non-scholarship football program by 1998.

Copies of the letters were sent to Governor Brereton Jones, Morehead State Board of Regents, All Ohio Valley Conference University Presidents and Athletic Directors, State Legislators, and the news media.

The group met with Athletic Director Steve Hamilton and Vice President for Student Life Mike Mincey on November 5 in an attempt to arrange a meeting with Dr. Eaglin.

The group expressed their opinions in the letter as:

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"Dr. Eaglin wants to turn Morehead into a school like Berea, Union, Sue Bennett or some other small school," said Elliott. "Right now we are the laughing stock of the OVC."

Elliott's son Ryan, who starred on Prestonsburg's state team last year, is a member of the Morehead football team.

"Ryan is so used to winning and he goes to Morehead and plays for a losing program," said Elliott. Morehead finished the season with a dismal 0-10 mark. The Eagles were outscored 502-91 this season.

Elliott's concern is not so much over the 0-10 mark but the lack of vision the university has in building the program into a competitive one.

"We want to be able to compete against the other OVC schools," she said.

The new school president has set the year 1998 when the football program will no longer offer scholarships for football. The president cited economic and gender equity as reasons for his decision.

"Do you think that talented players from around the area will want to go to a school that doesn't offer them a scholarship?," said Elliott. "It isn't going to stop with just football, but all other athletics at the school."

"I understand that he never played any varsity sport anyway except tennis and he has plans to build an indoor tennis court. Now if money is that tight, why build such a facility?," she said.

The Morehead president has said that this was, "a small group that disagrees with him," according to Patty Elliott.

"If he wants numbers we can get the numbers," said Elliott. "We can get the petitions signed. We'll get the numbers."

Prestonsburg resident John Rosenberg is a member of the University's Board of Regents.

"He hasn't said anything," said Elliott. "I don't know how he feels."

In commenting on the matter, Rosenberg believes the direction that Dr. Eaglin is pursuing is the right one.

"I think the decision is the best one," said Rosenberg, who is the newest member of the Board of Regents. "The Board realizes they can't afford to keep the football program going. I'm not saying there will not be anymore football at Morehead."

Rosenberg said that football would have to be played at a different level and that it took a lot for Dr. Eaglin to make that decision.

"It was beginning to reach a million dollars a year to operate, somewhere around the \$800,000 mark," he said.

Rosenberg said there wasn't that many scholarships offered to Eastern Kentucky athletes anyway and he

thinks the new direction will allow more from Eastern Kentucky to play football at Morehead.

"It was an economic decision," said Rosenberg. "We want to make Morehead the best university we can. But we need to focus on education more."

"Also, funds from the state to fund higher education have gone down. We have a legal obligation to women's sports. We are far behind there."

Rosenberg said that other schools were considering the same move as Morehead.

"The Board of Regents has confidence in Dr. Eaglin and he will not be asked to resign. The football program will continue at Morehead, but not at the level these people want it to," he said.

Mark Ballard, current head football coach, was given a new four year contract. John Gilliam, former Prestonsburg Blackcat, is an assistant coach at Morehead.

"We want to get the football program to where they can compete," Rosenberg said. "Hopefully, more kids from Eastern Kentucky will play at Morehead."

Rosenberg stated that the Friends of Morehead have a right to voice their views. He also believes that the future at Morehead University is a good one.

"The Board will not change their minds about this," said Rosenberg. "We've had a lot of encouragement from other quarters on this and the decision we've made."

A meeting of OVC presidents has been scheduled at the January NCAA Convention meeting. The Morehead situation will be on the agenda for discussion.

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are a little more athletic than some of the people they play.

"We may not shoot as well as some of the people they play, but I think we can help them and we can definitely benefit from having to guard those three-point shooters and kids that are tough."

Bevins finished with eight points for the Rebels. Newsome added five with Matt Crawford hitting a three-pointer for three points. Jason Baker had two points.

Louisville (72)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Carroll	2	1	2-1	6
Bailey	7	1	5-3	20
M. Miller	0	0	5-3	3
Freeman	6	0	2-1	13
W. Miller	2	4	4-3	19
Smith	1	0	0-0	2
Wilson	1	1	2-0	5

Allen Central (68)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Hall	5	1	2-2	15
Jenkins	9	0	9-6	24
Stumbo	4	0	13-5	13
Bevins	3	0	2-2	8
Baker	1	0	0-0	2
Newsome	2	0	3-1	5
Crawford	0	1	0-0	3

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Eyes to the right

The Allen Central High School ROTC, Floyd County Schools' first-ever ROTC unit, showed up in force at the Veterans' Day ceremony at Jenny Wiley State Park to pay its respects to those who gave their lives for their country. (photo by Geoff Belcher)



One little, two little...

Drift Head Start students dressed in full Thanksgiving regalia last week for the annual Drift Head Start Grandparents Appreciation Day banquet at the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church luncheon room at Minnie. (photo by Geoff Belcher)



Trick-

Sherry Ratliff, Eule Belcher, represent Schools at the Trick-or-Treat, treated to healthy snacks.



Just say "NO!"

McDowell Elementary School students said "NO!" to drugs during Floyd County Schools annual Red Ribbon Week campaign. (photo by Geoff Belcher)



Seeing red...

McDowell Elementary students wore red to show their dedication to the Floyd County Schools Red Ribbon Week anti-drug message. (photo by Geoff Belcher)



Giving Floyd County a Head Start

Governor Brereton Jones traveled to Minnie to announce the awarding of a Community Development Block Grant to build a new Floyd County Head Start facility. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Duff students fly the friendly skies with Air Bear

by Geoff Belcher
Floyd County Schools

Duff Elementary primary students learned to fly last week on a guided tour of the world of aviation presented by the Air Bear, the Ninety-Nines, the National Association of State Aviation Officials, the Federal Aviation Administration and the Civil Air Patrol.

Air Bear, the National Aviation mascot, and instructors Scott Turner, Steve King and Bob Clement guided groups of students through a complete flight simulation as the children assumed roles ranging from boarding attendant to pilot to flight mechanic to air traffic control.

The program was sponsored by Colonel Denzil Allen of the Civil Air Patrol.

The "Air Bear Goes to School" program was designed to acquaint students in kindergarten through the second grade with several aspects of flying, Allen said.

Through classroom visits, Air Bear and flight instructors introduce students to the wide variety of careers in aviation; stimulate students' interests in math and science; and increase children's comfort with airplanes.

Each student who participated in the "trip" received Air Bear Pilot Wings.



Up, up and away!

Duff Elementary School primary students learned the downs of the aviation industry when Colonel Denzil Allen of the Civil Air Patrol sponsored the National Aviation program "Goes to School." (photo by Geoff Belcher)



True colors...

The Allen Central High School Jr. ROTC Color Guard proudly waved the U.S. and Rebel Flags at the Veterans' Day ceremony at Jenny Wiley State Park. (photo by Geoff Belcher)



Music, music, music

The Kentucky Opry Jr. Pros treated Betsy Layne High School students to a private concert last week and were rewarded with well-deserved applause and standing ovations. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

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Drawing their attention

Martin Elementary School students made drawings and designs with anti-drug themes for Floyd County Schools' annual Red Ribbon Week campaign. (photo by Geoff Belcher)



The King lives!

Duff elementary student Josh Martin, shook, rattled and rolled to a standing ovation at the school's annual "Puttin' on the Hits" talent show, winning first prize and a few appreciative young ladies' phone numbers. (photo by Geoff Belcher)



A brilliant career...

Floyd County Schools Superintendent Dr. Stephen Towler, Head Director Vivian McCassey and Prestonsburg Elementary Principal Gwen Harmon spoke with potential new educators at Prestonsburg Community College's annual Career Day. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Students see red over drugs

by Geoff Belcher
 Floyd County Schools

Floyd County Schools students celebrated October's "Drug Awareness Month" with a month-long series of local programs and campaigns designed by school faculties, resource centers and councils to help keep kids off drugs. "Drug Awareness Month" culminated with Red Ribbon Week, during which students system-wide wore red and participated in art, story and room decoration contests with anti-drug themes.

Among Red Ribbon Week activities were a series of anti-drug speeches and performances by Kentucky State Police Trooper Ghomer Prater and a magic show and ventriloquist act at Duff Elementary; and a personal visit and anti-drug speech from Kentucky Governor Brereton Jones at Martin Elementary.



A learning experience

Lt. Governor Paul Patton met with participants in Floyd County Schools' Talented and Gifted program following a Floyd County Chamber of Commerce banquet at the Prestonsburg Holiday Inn. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Elvis sighted at Duff Elementary talent contest

by Kitty Frazier
 Duff Elementary School

On Friday night, October 21, there was a standing room only crowd in the Patton Arena at Duff Elementary. Word is definitely out about Duff's faculty, staff and student's annual "Puttin' on the Hits" being the most fun around.

Duff's students performed several outlandish skits, including renditions of the "Village People;" line dancing; the Monster Mash; a Coal Mine Dance Routine; and, the stand-out performance of the evening, Elvis Presley. All the students were in competition.

Entertainment was provided by Duff faculty and staff, who performed everything from a medley of '70s, '80s and '90s music to routines depicting the Queens of Country Music.

Even though competition was fierce, three winners were finally chosen:

Third prize was awarded to the "Village People— Macho Man" routine performed by Jamie Gunnell, Mary Mullins, Sarah Nichols, Ryan Owens, Heath Scott, Nikki Patton, Gary Hunter, April Sexton, Ryan Manns and Nick Samons.

Second place went to the "Alan Jackson— Mercury Blues" routine performed by Heather Watkins, Kyle O'Quinn, Johnna Ison, Tyler Green and Robert Fitzpatrick.

First place went to "Elvis" himself, alias Josh Martin.

Cash prizes were awarded to all winners.

This annual event proves to be one of the highlights of the year and is a very successful Kick-Off for Coach Ronnie Patton's basketball season.



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For a good paws...

Adams Middle School Y-Club members sponsored a dance to raise over \$200 for the Floyd County Animal Shelter, and donated \$90 to the UNICEF campaign. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Parents and faculty give facelift to Betsy Layne gym

by Geoff Belcher
 Floyd County Schools

The Betsy Layne Elementary School Gymnasium is one of only 16 geodesic dome gymnasiums remaining in the country, and staff and parents at the school are devoting much of their free time to maintaining its proud heritage.

At the last such session, Betsy Layne Elementary Principal Karen Allen and Dean of Students Franklin Pack treated participants to a complete country breakfast.

Allen said last week that staff and parent volunteers have embarked on a series of painting sessions designed to give the time-worn gym a facelift.

"Our goal is to brighten every inch of that gym..." Allen said. "We're giving it a complete facelift. In building pride in our school, we're working on raising the morale of all our teachers and students and the entire community."

And the plan seems to be working.

Since Allen transferred to Betsy Layne from Auxier Elementary, she said, there has been a tremendous outpouring of community support, with as many as 300-350 people attending every PTO meeting.

"Any time you improve the school," Allen said, "you're going to improve the morale of the community."



Putting on a new face

Faculty, staff and parent volunteers at Betsy Layne Elementary School are donating much of their free time to sprucing up the school gymnasium, which is one of the oldest remaining geodesic dome facilities in the country.

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A Look at Sports—

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the plaques on the wall until you have helped in securing the needed monies to purchase the equipment.

It was good of the people in the club to rename the field the Don Daniels Athletic Complex. I can remember going by there and seeing Don atop a dozer working hard at getting the football field in place.

Later, he spent many hours building the concession stand and press box. The field couldn't have been more appropriately named.

The club unveiled a drawing of its new mascot. It is a combination of this and that. It's nice, though.

In 1989 when I first came to the Times, one of the first people to call me was Mary Wallen. Mary was upset that our county had no facility for the kids to practice and participate on. She asked me if I would try to do something to see that a facility could be built.

Mary has worked many hours in the past six years getting this done. While there are not those thunderous accolades for her role, she can be proud of what part she has done in seeing this project become a reality.

RIGHT BEAVER CLASSIC...

It was a great Right Beaver Classic that finished up this past Friday. Also, the Adams Invitational concluded Friday night after having to postpone the finals for several days.

The Adams tournament, their first, was a good one. What a fine basketball team coach Jack Goodman has this year.

Rick Hancock and Maytown principal Lorena Hall did a great job of hosting the Right Beaver Classic.

Two radio stations were on hand to broadcast the championship games. Jeff Meek from WXXZ sent the girls championship game into the homes of those who could not be there.

WDHR, out of Pikeville, through the efforts of Walter Clyde Dingus, broadcast the boys' finals.

These two stations did a great job.

The crowds at both tournaments were very good. Folks in the county like grade school basketball.

Can you imagine 1,000 people attending a grade school game? That's what happened when Osborne played Melvin at the Wheelwright gym, according to Osborne coach Roger Johnson.

Some high schools would love to have that kind of attendance.

Until the next time, good sports everyone and be good sports!

Fishing with Scott Patton

Spinnerbaits are one of the number one choice lures of the top pros. They are a bait that can cover a lot of water quickly and effectively. They can be fished on the surface, on the bottom, and any depth in between. They are virtually snag free (with the exception of when my wife is using them) and they flat out will catch fish just about any time of the year. Spinnerbaits come in a variety of sizes and colors. First we will talk about size. A one-eighth ounce spinnerbait gets overlooked a lot. The light weight of this bait causes it to move slowly in the water which means that you can keep it in front of the fish longer. This is good when fish do not chase faster moving bait, and it definitely shouldn't be overlooked. You can obtain the spinnerbait in a number of different sizes starting from a one-eighth ounce that we just mentioned to a one-quarter, three-eighths, one-half, or a one ounce size.

You must check to see what weight the fish may be on. Experimenting with this bait leads to learning.

There is a never ending list for blade combinations but try to keep it from becoming too complicated. I use a number four willow leaf on the back with a number two Colorado blade when fishing the clearer water. When fishing the stained water. I will usually throw a number four Colorado in the back with a number two Colorado in the front. As far as the color of blades go. I use nickel blades in the lakes where there are a lot of thread fin shad and gold blades where there may be shinner, especially in the Florida and Georgia lakes. To me this is something you should experiment with.

Skirt color and size can really make a difference and there are a lot of different colors to choose from but once again I try to keep it as simple as possible. Preference is also a key. I

will usually throw a Nichols Pulsator with a clear or white skirt 80% of the time. I've found this to be a good color around the country. I'll use it with nickel blades in the lakes and rivers that have thread fin, and gold blades in the ones that have golden shiners. In really stained water I'll use a chartreuse color.

I always trim the skirt to the size of the bait that I'll see in the area that I'm fishing. I like to keep things as natural as possible. Be sure to always remember to experiment and learn.

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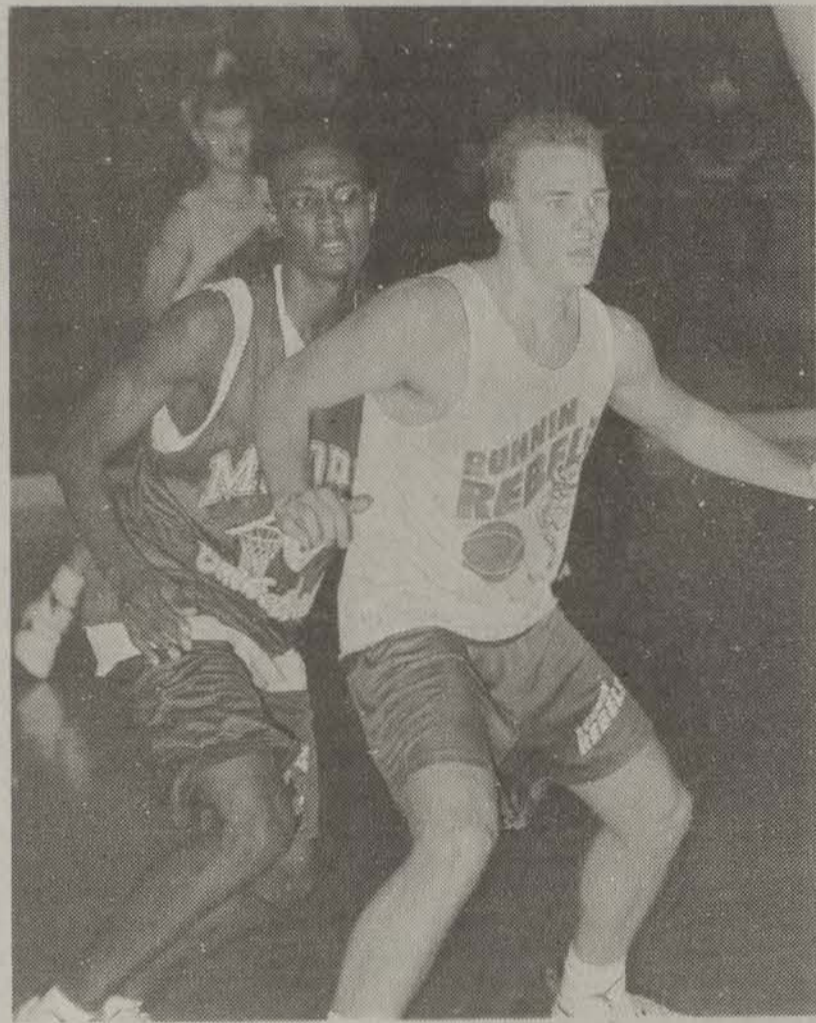
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Getting position!

Jason Bevins of Allen Central battled for position against Louisville's Kenya Freeman during basketball action at Allen Central Saturday night. Bevins played a strong game on the boards and scored eight points. The Rebs fell 72-68. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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Duff

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over the final four minutes to win by 24.

Owens led Maytown with 13 points. Murphy finished with 12. Brandon Prater tossed in seven with Brandon Hoover scoring five. Jeremy Hayes had two points.

Timmy Davis and Ousley had two points each.

Wesley Page, off the bench, scored six points inside. Nick Samons finished with five. Barry Conley and Leslie Stone had four points each. Hall scored two.

Duff (3-1) will host the Adams Blackcats tonight at Duff gym.

Sports Weekend



Saturday, November 26

Sheldon Clark Tipoff Classic

- Noon - Prestonsburg versus Lawrence County
- 1:30 - Belfry versus Bath County
- 3:00 - Greenup County versus South Laurel
- 4:30 - Boyd County versus Anderson County
- 6:00 - Allen Central versus Lexington Catholic
- 7:30 - Pleasure Ridge Park versus Mason County
- 9:00 - Sheldon Clark versus Lexington Dunbar

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- Head Start/Pre-School Teacher (Non-certified), Drift Head Start Center; requires high school diploma or GED and/or Associate in Early Childhood Development; must pass criminal records check. Child Development Associate (CDA) credential required. Commercial Driver's License preferred. Pays \$8.41 per hour.
- Custodian, Martin Elementary; requires high school diploma or GED; must pass criminal records check; physical examination and TB skin test required.
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THANKSGIVING, A PAUSE TO COUNT BLESSINGS...THEN RING IN HOOPS SEASON

Thanksgiving. A pause to count blessings, enjoy family and be grateful UK's football season is finished. Hope yours is a Cranberry Kentucky Traditional.

On another level Thanksgiving is the eve of basketball season. Your Street&Smith or Dick Vitale's Yearbook should be dog-eared by now and the (TV & radio) schedule of your favorite team(s) safely taped on the fridge door.

Whatever your allegiances among the Big Three, fans in the Bluegrass are in for a bountiful winter. Kentucky is ranked as high as third by Basketball Times and Western Kentucky 23rd. Louisville? Fancy yourself a college hoops purist tired (already) of hearing Dick Vitale and others rail on about Dookies, Tar Heels, You-Mass and Ark'nsaw? If you enjoy a good Cinderella team to watch grow up, then consider Coach Denny Crum's team. He will open in the Great Alaska Shootout starting a junior, three sophomores and a freshman. And four are native Kentuckians including Tick Rogers from Munfordville in Hart County and Alvin Sims from Paris in Bourbon County.

UofL's freshman center Sarnaki Walker has the skills to become a premier player and the panache to be one of the game's personalities.

THANKSGIVING HOOPS 'APPETIZERS'

This week, to tip off a new season, a few past and present favorite things. I invite you to share yours.

Best place to watch a college game: 1. Memorial Coliseum, 2. E.A. Diddle Arena, 3. Freedom Hall.

Coaches I enjoy watching work: 1. Bob Knight, 2. Mike Krzyzewski, 3. Charlie Spoonhour.

Coaches who make the best faces while working: 1. Rick Pitino ('I can't believe this!'), 2. Jim Boeheim ('Who me?'), 3. Eddie Fogler (yeah, I'm a brat, whatta 'bout it?')

Most genuinely funny coaches I've met: 1. Hugh Durham, 2. Ed Murphy (at Ole Miss), 3. Wimp Sanderson (at Alabama).

Wackiest coaches I've met: 1. Dale Brown, 2. Dale Brown and...

Most intriguing coaches I've interviewed: 1. Adolph Rupp, 2. John Oldham (WKU), 3. Ray Mears (Tenn.), 4. Al McGuire (Marquette).

Best thing to happen to game in last decade: 1. 63-game NCAA tourney on teevee; 2. 3-point line and shot clock (at 45 seconds).

Worst thing to happen to game in last decade: 1. Trash talking; 2. Too much teevee control; 3. Too much Vitale yelling.

Best thing to happen to game in Ky. in last decade: 1. Rick Pitino; 2. Boys State Tournament moved (semipermanently) to Rupp Arena.

Worst thing to happen to game in Ky. last decade: 1. More small high schools disappeared; 2. High school teams traveling out of state to tournaments; 3. Cawood Ledford retired.

College basketball would be better if: 1. Television backed off a little. 2. Rules makers left the game alone for minimum two seasons. 3. Players behaved better. 4. Freshmen were not eligible.

Most unforgettable shots: 1. Vern Hatton, UK-Temple, 1957. 2. Paul Andrews (Laurel Co.) vs. N. Hardin, 1982 Sweet 16 finals.

Jump shooters who defined 'string music': Louie Dampier and Larry Pursiful (UK) and Darrell Griffith (UofL).

Would have to be included in any serious history of Ky. basketball: 1. What consolidation and busing did to magic of the high school game. 2. Personalities—Cawood Ledford, 'King' Kelly Coleman and Bobby Keith. 3. Profiles on Russell Williamson (Inez), and William Kean (Louisville Central).

Best radio voices in college hoops: 1. Cawood Ledford, 2. Wes Strader (WKU), 3. Marty Brennaman.

And, a question for you to consider and write to me with your answers.—The most interesting and/or smallest gymnasium(s) you've been in? I would like to visit.

Three of mine: Steams in McCreary Co. (over a drug store); St. Romuald's (a cafeteria) in Breckinridge Co.; and (tiny) Lynnvale in Hardin Co.

Footnote: None is a high school today.

HIGH SCHOOL 'NEW NAMES'

Here is Sports In Ky.'s preseason 'I'll take these guys and play who-ever you've got' high school team.

Best players you've not heard of, but you will: 1. J.R. VanHoose, 6-8 freshman at Paintsville; 2. Doug

Webb, 6-2 junior at Muhlenburg North; 3. J.P. Blevins, 6-2 freshman, Metcalfe Co. (Pitino's guest at Mid-

night Madness); 4. Dan Langhi, 6-7 junior at Marshall Co.; 5. Bart Miller, 6-2 junior guard at Meade Co.; 6. Todd Tackett, 6-2 freshman at Paintsville; and 7. Nathan Popp, 6-11 8th grader, Shelby Co.

Footnote: If these youngsters progress at their current rates, all are projected by talent scout Rick Bolus to become Div. I recruits.

READERS (RIGHT) WRITE

Charlie Dorroh of Hopkinsville was kind enough to answer a Sports In Ky. question: "Whatever happened to Walter Gee?" (played for Hopkinsville Attucks and named to the All-State Tournament team in 1960)

"Walter (Marvin) Gee works for UPS in Madisonville, but lives here in Hoptown," Dorroh writes. "He was a fine young kid in high school with a great smile. He worked for me at the New Era (newspaper) when he was on the Attucks team."

COMMENT: Thanks for writing. Whatever happened to Lonnie Howerton, all-stater at Olive Hill High in 1944?

Ray Foust of Calvert City writes: "I enjoyed your comments on the movie Blue Chips. Being an old UK basketball fan, I can now say something good about our present coach. He did beat Texas Western. I have hurt for 28 years, (but) now I can rest in peace."

COMMENT: Actually, in the movie Rick Pitino's team defeated Westem University (California), coached by Nick Nolte.

C.M. NEWTON WILL 'STAND BY HIS MAN'

C.M. Newton will stand by his man, a Louisville TV sportscaster chirped last week. He could not have expressed more curve-ball surprise if he had said: Newt Gingrich will stand by his commander-in-chief.

One man keeping his word to another seems to be breaking news these days.

Corn pone, I suppose, that UK's director of athletics has a signed contract with his football coach and says he will stick to it. A pact of such length as to match Bill Curry's determination to make his system work even if forced to do it with apparently too many sows' ears and not enough silk purses.

Academic achievements and graduation rates in UK's football house have become boring...again.

A Peach Bowl bid last year is ancient history, eclipsed by one media herdsman's persistent reminders that Tennessee has had its way with the Wildcats for years. There's a breaking news item.

Curious, Methinks, how subtly so many in the media herd start to parrot each other, outcute a competitor, when there is blood in the water.

By their own measure, sports columnists fancy themselves paragons of righteousness, conveyors of fair play and watchdogs of principle. Anointed.

Two weeks ago a Louisville columnist decided he will give Curry one more year.

But the quandry in this UK football business seems to be where and how to deploy power of the pen.

Bill Curry is a good man. Honest and moral and, but...

But what? But this: media herdsmen change agendas when:

- An opportunity to increase reader attention presents itself.
- One senses unrest among the ticket holders.

Then grad rates and fair play give way to comic scrutiny of the coach's

sideline antics. And there better be some. Then come the preachments, shallow analyses of strategies and heavy volleys of one-line humor.

What makes going after the UK football program a problem is finding a nice way to brand good-man Bill Curry as incompetent, while avoiding being forced to step over his boss, good-man C.M. Newton.

Newton's loyalty to Curry is a problem, you see, because C.M. was embraced years ago by reporters who portrayed him as Jimmy Stewart in a suit that fits. A man of professorial bearing, and popularity, he has been as available to reporters as Tom Foley was to Jim Lehrer.

Difficult then, to get a rope around Curry's neck when the man who hired him insists on standing on the gal-lows steps.

And so, kingmakers (and breakers) in the media herd must tread softly, cutely. So far, most have been reduced to amusing one another (and the Fellowship of the Miserables) with pot shots that inflame frustrated season ticket holders. Sadly, it is an approach that works, feeding the cynicism in all of us.

My hope is Newton sticks to his guns. And that UK fans, as fair and tolerant as they've been for so long, consider all things, including this:

Chances are the warm 'n fuzzys that winning football games bring can be accomplished with more satisfaction through support and loyalty than by all the cynicism and condemnation ever put in print or on a television screen.

PARTING SHOT:

BILL CURRY...PRAYERS

A member of a Lexington-based prayer group stood up last week and asked the 200 or-so members to "please include Bill Curry in your prayers." Not so much because of the season UK's football team suffered through, he said. "But to lift up Bill and his family in a trying time."

What a wonderful idea, lifting up instead of putting down a man who is doing the best he can.

The gentleman who telephoned with the Curry prayer item has been an ardent Curry critic. "But when this man stood up and made the prayer request, it made me look at the (UK) situation a lot differently."

And so it goes.

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Dedication

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accepted a plaque from the club in honor of their contribution to the new facility.

"I look at a facility such as this like a classroom," said Dr. Towler. "Many are confused about track being a luxury. But it is just as important as a classroom. We have plans to continue to improve the facility and expand it to other schools."

Other board members present included Phyllis Honshell and newly elected member Ursal Ray Wilcox.

Hattie Owens, former member of the board, along with magistrate Jackie Edford Owens were recognized for the many hours they put in on the facility.

Floyd County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo took the mike and related how the fiscal court and Allen Central went back a long way.

"We had done a lot of work here in building the football field," he told the crowd that turned out for the dedication. "Later on at a meeting at Allen Central we started talking about track and field."

"Someone said that the county couldn't help and couldn't go on the field. I told them I don't know why not, we own it. I told them that we would help with it."

Judge Stumbo told those gathered that the Owens' needed their applause for the hard work they had put into the project.

"It just goes to show what people working together can accomplish," said Judge Stumbo. We are pleased that we had a small part in it."

Honshell congratulated the Ridge Runner Club about the new facility, which will be for all Floyd County athletes.

"These people have worked so hard to get their field of dreams," she said. "I had a daughter and son that graduated from Allen Central. The people here have worked so hard to accomplish all this. I wish them luck with the new track and other athletics."

Jackie Owens said that things got going on the new facility after they had met with the board.

"The superintendent thought the facility should go on and it did," said Owens in relating to the problems first encountered with the project. "The money was budgeted for the project. It was a long project. A hard project."

"It was a threat to the football schedule but we had football on schedule. Coal Mac (who did most of the work) was good for us and good to us."

"Hopefully, it will be a bigger and better facility. The best is yet to come," said Owens.

"I'm proud to have been just a small part of this facility," said Mr.

Brackett. "Glad to have had a small part in the development of it. I am pleased to have been able to support it."

"I had read about it in the paper and said that if I was elected as board member that it is going to move or it's not going to be moved."

Robinson told the crowd of the help Coal Mac had given in the development of the project.

"They were willing to do anything they could to help us out," she said. "They loaned us the dozer and other equipment."

Coal Mac was then presented a plaque in honor of the work they donated to the project.

Plans are to hydro-seed the facility, including the football field, so that it will be "nice and green" next year, according to Wallen.

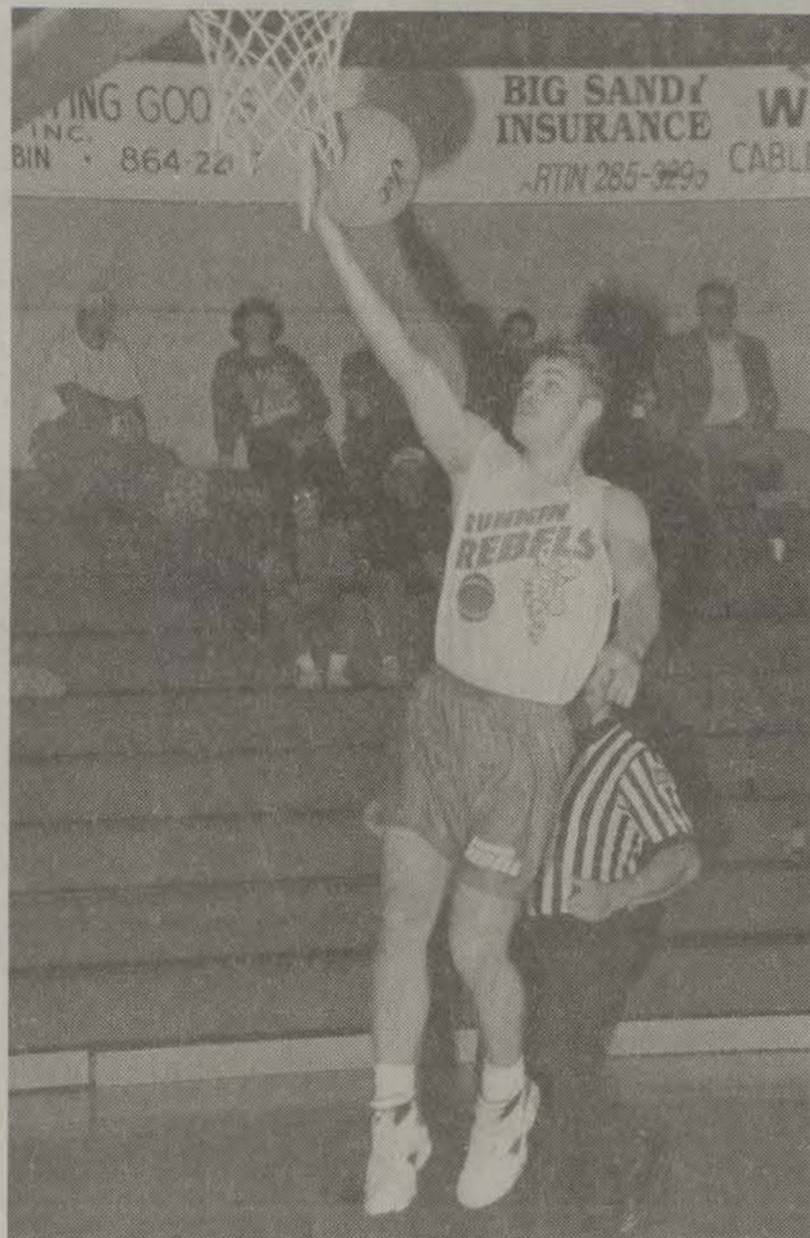
"We hope to add another set of bleachers here," said Dr. Towler. "We want to build a concession stand to the right and add a press box above that. When we do add another section of bleachers, we want to place a new press box in the middle."

Plans are to hold invitational track and field meets at the new facility this spring. The track will receive its final coating in the spring and will be striped off.

The facility has already been used by many walkers in the afternoon and evenings.

Other Floyd County schools will be using the facility as well.

It certainly is a field of dreams. A dream that started in 1989 and was pursued by a group of people that refused to take no for an answer.



Goes solo!

Jeremy Hall scored 15 points for Allen Central against Louisville Moore in an exhibition game at Allen Central Saturday night. Moore posted a 72-68 win over the Rebels who will play Lexington Catholic this Saturday in the Sheldon Clark panorama. (photo by Ed Taylor)



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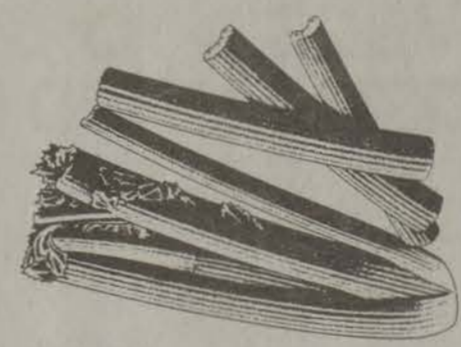
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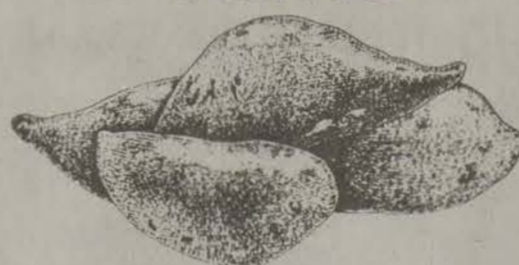
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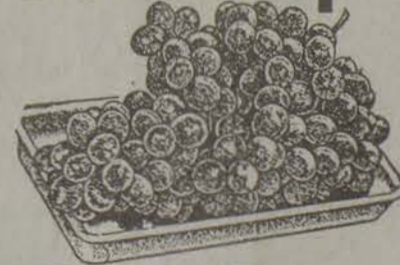
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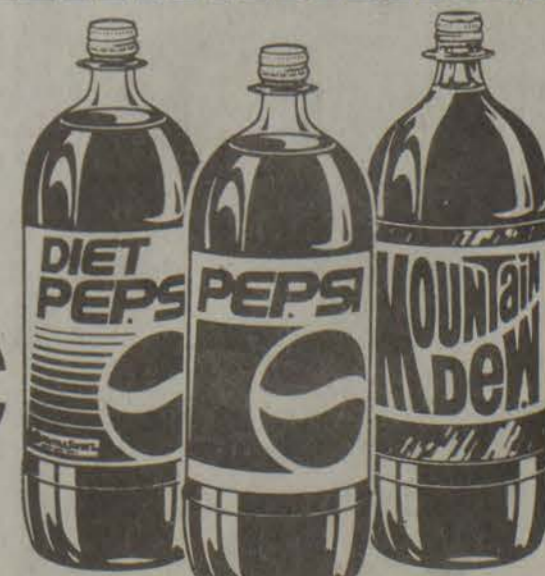


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I'm working on it, I really am. But as of yet, I am not a patient shopper. I like to get in, and find my car. Usually, especially of late, the latter seems to take me more time than the previous.

That's why I got kind of aggravated when I had to read dozens and dozens of greeting cards while attempting to find one that said exactly what I wanted it to say in the way of Thanksgiving greetings for some special people.

Like Republican friends, I looked and looked and couldn't find that exact verse. Something like this: *I used to have a little dog who chased cars just for fun. And oft I wondered what he'd do, if ever he caught one. Now you remind me of that pup, who barked through sleet and snow. What are you really going to do, now that you've gained control?* HAPPY THANKSGIVING.

Search as I might, neither could I find one that said what I want to say to my friends at KERA. I was hoping to find one reading thusly: *You're in the news 'bout every day, 'bout all the strides you're makin'.*

'Bout how our kids will be more social, because of classes not taken. But, there are skeptics, me for one, within whom this question's burnin'. While children play in little groups, what are they really learnin'? HAPPY THANKSGIVING.

I was also hoping I might find one I could send to my friends in local governments across the state who are trying to put together an ethics code. Something like...*The time has come to draw the line, on whom you hire, or don't. On whether cousin, brother, sis, will work four years, or won't. Remember, try to do what's right, and write it into law. Just make sure to leave some dough, for poor ole ma and pa.* HAPPY THANKSGIVING.

Seriously though, we need to be careful that we don't really get carried away with having a little fun to

the extent that we end up forgetting what Thanksgiving is all about.

It's too bad, and it's really quite sad, that for most of us, we really do need a special day before we're reminded to be appreciative of what we've got. Yet, I suppose it's better to think about it only one day a year than not at all.

Perhaps I'm extraordinarily fortunate, but I don't think I could ever list all the reasons I have to really appreciate this holiday to its fullest.

For instance, I have a wonderful family who cares for me, probably even more than I deserve.

I have great friends whom I can count on, and whom I truly hope realize can count on me, too.

I have a wonderful church family which have, time and again, proven their love and dedication to me and mine.

I live in a country that is, even with all its problems, unparalleled in greatness to any civilization at any time in the history of man.

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Poison Oak



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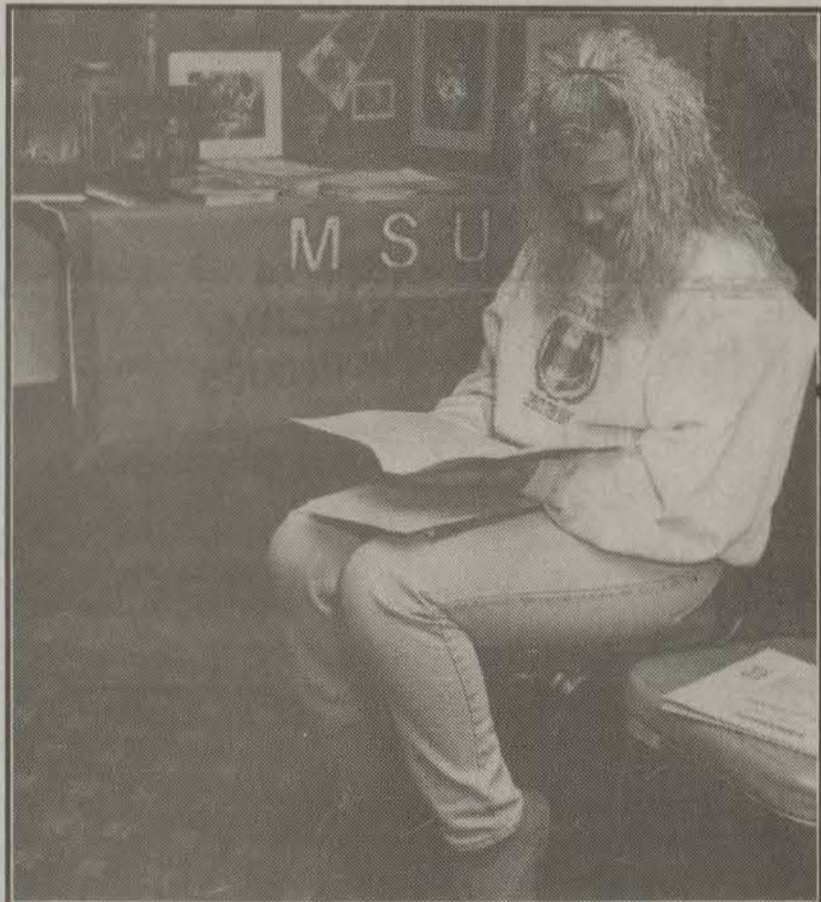
Lifestyles

Career moves at college

Morehead State University recently conducted a "Meet Morehead State" program at the Holiday Inn in Prestonsburg. For this special evening, prospective students from the area and their parents were invited to visit with representatives from the university to learn more about MSU and its programs.

Held at various locations around MSU's service region, "Meet Morehead State" programs are designed to provide information about academic offerings, student services, financial aid opportunities and campus life in an informal setting.

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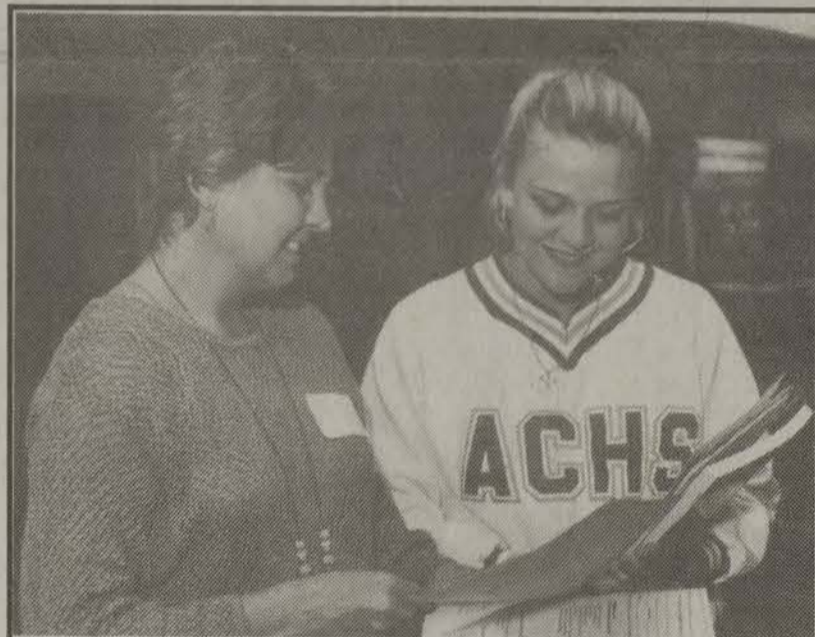
Looking it over

Misty Jenkins of Martin found a quiet spot where she could review some of the informational materials about MSU that she had gathered.



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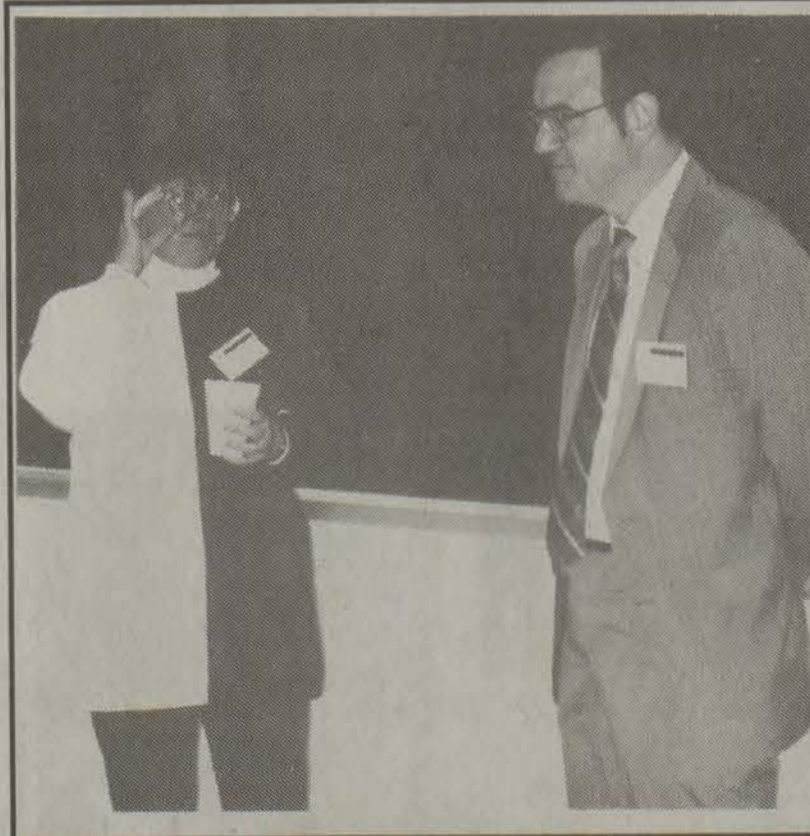
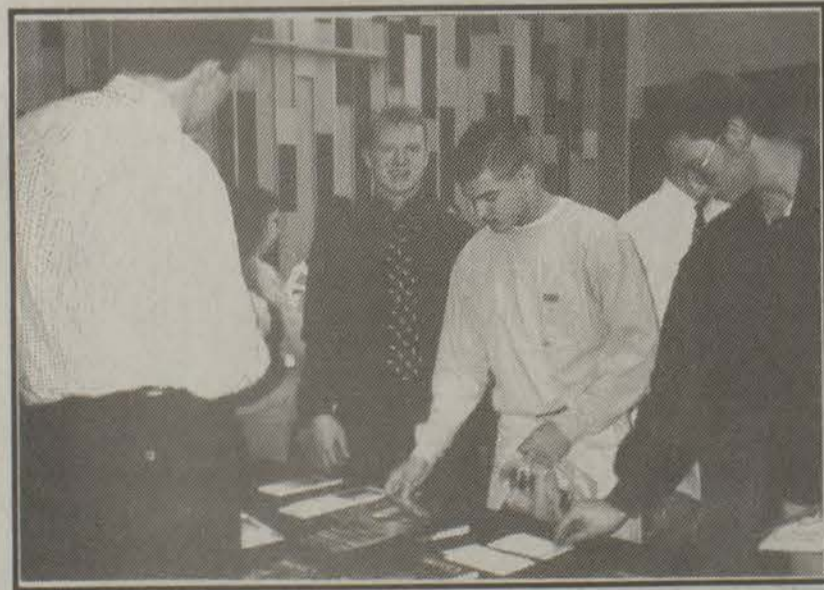
Matt York, a freshman at MSU, talks with Kim Ratliff of Allen, who attends Prestonsburg Community College, about campus offerings.



Explaining the process

Glennis Little, left, regional coordinator for the B.S.N. degree program at MSU-Big Sandy Extended Campus Center, shares information with Allen Central High School student Kristel Floyd.

PCC's College/Career Day program



Students seek advice

Top left, Prestonsburg High School students Paul Collins and Blake Leslie reviewed materials from Centre College at the annual College/Career Day Program at Prestonsburg Community College on November 2. Bottom left, Allen Central High School students Jeri Watts and Kacey Prater talked to Hazard Community College Admissions Counselor Virgil Lykins. Top right, Kentucky Supreme Court Justice Janet L. Stumbo and Floyd County Commonwealth Attorney John Earl Hunt offered advice on the legal profession. Students from six area high schools attended the half-day event which offered them the opportunity to speak to representatives from 29 Kentucky colleges and universities and to seek career advice from business professionals in 22 fields. The College/Career Day Program was organized by PCC Registrar Gia Hall, Associate Professor of Business Mazola Salmons, and Associate Professor of Economics/Business Kathy C. Smallwood.



Joe Adams

Close to HOME

by Joe Adams

BEST PLANS GO AWRY WITH YOUNGSTERS

We arrived 45 minutes early to get choice seats for the big Christmas tree lighting last year along the waterfront.

Just like we planned it. On the way, we had stopped at a drive-through fast food restaurant to treat our two children to burgers and fries so they wouldn't be hungry before the big event. Then we found a great parking spot and zoomed the youths by stroller to premium viewing along the railing.

Just like we planned it. The crisp weather played a perfect host to the glowing moon above us. Our 4-year-old son and 1-year-old daughter reveled in the lighted boats that circled in the water.

"Pretty, pretty!" our daughter said. "What do you think of the lights, buddy?" I asked my son. "They look good, dad," he said. "But I want to go home."

This wasn't like we planned it. This was supposed to be our big night out to see the Christmas tree come alive, to stoke the fires of the family's Christmas spirit.

"You mean you want to miss the lighting of the big Christmas tree?" I asked the boy in amazement.

"I'm ready to go, dad," he said. "I want to go play with my toy."

The toy he couldn't live without for another minute was the shark car that came with his burger and fries.

We had made a fatal mistake by leaving it in our car.

Why a kid would rather play with a plastic shark rather than watch a giant Christmas tree dazzle the night sky is beyond me.

But I'm learning that kids have priorities of their own, and those aren't always the same ones we had in mind for them.

FIGURING THEM OUT

We all want what's best for our kids. We want to feed them the best food we can. We want to provide them with the best education we can. We want them to have the best times we can give them.

Given the cost of buying food for our troops or sending them to Harvard, the good times part should be one of the easiest things to do.

But it doesn't always work out that way. On July 4th I hauled my son for what promised to be a spectacular night of fireworks.

We settled for a spot along the river and waited for the big show to start. Before it did, we watched boats pass by and even saw a fish or two jump out of the water near us.

"I really like the way those fish jump out of the water, dad," my son told me.

"If you liked that, then you're really going to like the fireworks show," I told him.

Minutes later the sky exploded with color as the boom of the fireworks echoed between skyscraper canyons.

"Look at that one, Joshua," I said to him as I pointed to the sky.

But he wasn't even watching.

"Dad, do you think there will be more fish jumping out of the water as the boats go by?" he asked me.

So much for the big fireworks show.

We would have been better off to go home and play with the flashlight and the rubber fish in the bathtub.

The same goes for some of the items we bought that we just knew he would love—like the "Beauty and the Beast" story book and tape.

We thought it would be great for him. He could look at the book all by himself and follow along with the tape, which narrates the story and tells him when to flip pages.

All that would probably work well—if he would show enough interest to try it out.

Even his sister throws curves at us.

Buy her a truckload of new toys and she'll still opt for pulling out all the pots and pans she can in the kitchen and playing with them for hours.

But we didn't totally strike out with her.

We bought the family dog a rubber bone awhile back. Of course, given our luck and track record, the dog wouldn't have anything to do with it. Maybe it was because she didn't have much of chance to get acquainted with it.

Our daughter decided she would rather chew on it instead.

Joe Adams is an Eastern Kentucky native who writes a family-oriented column. Write him at 4593 Arrow Wind Lane, Jacksonville, FL 32258.

Society News

KFWC Drift Woman's Club

The KFWC Drift Woman's Club met October 17, at the Left Beaver Fire Department #2. Ruby Akers, president, presided.

The devotional was given by Celia Little followed by a group recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The minutes of the September meeting were read by the Secretary Celia Little. The treasurer's report was passed out by Doris Lawson.

The KFWC Drift Woman's Club donated \$200 to the Left Beaver Rescue Squad and \$200 to FBC to purchase Christmas gifts for patients at the Golden Years Rest Home. A certificate and \$25 will be presented to the first place art winners at South Floyd High School. Pamphlets were passed out on the need for a mammogram.

Ruby Akers and Roberta Luxmore attended the seventh district Kentucky Federation of Women's Club Conference at the Landmark Inn in Pikeville. The conference was hosted by the KFWC Pikeville Woman's Club and KFWC Pikeville Junior Woman's Club.

Janet Ratliff, governor presented the speaker, Clara Austin, state KFWC president, who spoke on her motto for 1994-96—"Volunteers Care—Share and Serve," how club membership offers leadership training and enables one to give to community service. The special project for this year is "Women's Personal Safety, Look—Listen—Learn, be safe, not sorry."

Ruby Akers was selected to be one of hostesses for the Seventh District at the GFWC Southeastern region meeting at the Radison Plaza Hotel in Lexington on November 4-6.

The Student and Clubwomen Art Contest was presided over by Charlotte Gillum, vice governor. Student art from South Floyd High was entered by the KFWC Drift Woman's Club: First place—winner—blue ribbon, Matt Miller in pencil drawing; first place, blue ribbon, Lee Ann Duddleston in Acrylics. These students will be competing in the state KFWC art exhibits in the spring at Louisville; second place—red ribbon, Mitzie Collins, oil painting; second place—red ribbon, Brandon Elswick, colored pencil; third place—white ribbon, Jennifer Thornberry, oil painting; third place—white ribbon, Dewey Hall, pencil drawing.

Drift Woman's Club women—crafts and needlework: First place—Irene Reitz, blue ribbon. Second place—Doris Lawson, red ribbon.

Kathryn Youmans, hostess, served refreshments to Doris Lawson, Roberta Luxmore, Ruby Akers, Celia Little, Karen Slone, Geraldine Ward, Susan Stumbo and Sharon Casebolt.

Cecilia Buelis will be the November hostess.

Rebekah lodge meets

The regular meeting of Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31 was held November 15th with the Noble Grand Wanda Elste presiding. Thanksgiving dinner of turkey and dressing and the trimmings was served in the dining room prior to the meeting. Members enjoyed an hour of fellowship and visiting with each other.

Sick members were recorded and cards signed for them. Bills and communications were received and complied with.

Two visitors from Inez Lodge were introduced and welcomed. They were Anita LeMaster, assembly page and Marie Ross, members of Allison Rebekah Lodge No. 134.

The degree work of Miriam Lodge was conferred upon Joy Olivias. The drill work of the lodge was then performed by the lodge officers.

Members were reminded of the District Meeting to be held December 3 at Pleasant Valley Rebekah Lodge 116 in Paintsville. This is the Christmas meeting with exchange of gifts and dinner to be served at 6:00 p.m.

Birthday greetings were extended to Mabel Jean LeMaster and a gift presented to her by the Noble Grand.

Members present for this meeting were: Wanda Elste, Hope Whitten, Sue Moore, Beverly Hackworth, Lorena Wallen, Violetta Wright, Billie Murdock, Maman Leslie, Deborah Johns, Susie Clifton, Mary Zemo, Nell Hebner, Claudine Johns, Dora E. Johns and Mabel John LeMaster.

The next regular meeting will be held December 6 at 7:00 p.m. in the I.O.O.F. Hall.

Quilters to meet

The Nimble Thimble Quilters will meet on Wednesday, December 7th at the Floyd County Extension Office at 10:00 a.m. Quilted Christmas ornaments will be made. Supplies needed include small Christmas prints (scraps) and complimentary solids. Freda Hicks will be leading the program.

Pecan sales

The Floyd County Homemakers have received the second pecan shipment. Pecans can be purchased from any homemaker or can be picked up at the Floyd County Extension Service office located at 670 South Lake Drive in Prestonsburg. The proceeds from the pecan sales go to the University of Kentucky Ovarian Cancer Research Program.

Quilted clothing

The Floyd County Extension Homemakers were host to a Quilted Clothing Program. Nowana Flannery, a well-known quilter and quilt instructor presented the information. She gave information on selection of patterns and fabrics to use in making quilted clothing and explained the

procedures she had used in the clothing she had on display.

Those in attendance were Susie Hueseman, Linda Shepherd, Thelma Salyer, Margie Bailey, Anna R. Arnett, Sandy Carpenter, Mary Trimble, Imogene Conley, Jennifer Howard, Ruby Frazier, Helen Frazier, Alice Conley, Betty LeMaster, Lexie Bailey, Augustine Castle, Judy Daniel, Kathlene Wilcois, Jeannette Blanton, Mary Sanders, Fay Francisco, Olive Jones, Sylvia Allen, Eva Roberts, Lillian Sturgill, Elizabeth Little, Elizabeth Ramey, Armita Snavelly, Dorothy Harris, Jean Watson, Geraldene Bartrum, Shirley Callihan, Mary Sue Moore, Nancy Webb, Dorothy Stover, Betty Popp, Barbara Stivers, Lee Boswell, Nancy Miller, Gypsy Jones, Joyce Allen, Melissa Forsythe, Judy Allen, Kim Scott, Pearl Watts, Bonita Porter, Freda Hicks, Jan Joseph, Beverly Hackworth, Betty Gayheart and Frances Pitts.

The displays were also viewed by Chuck Stamper and Oscar Rice. Also helping with the program was Norwana Flannery's husband, Jacie Flannery.

Pulled candy workshop

A "Pulled Candy" program was hosted by the Floyd County Extension Service on November 10. The instructors were Hester Leslie and David Woods. Seven batches of candy were made and "pulled," all turning out successfully.

Several people tried their hand at pulling the candy. Those attending were Alice Rowe, Nancy Roberts, Cleveland Tackett, Phyllis Tackett, Mary Spradlin, Emma Grace Hartley, Gypsy Jones, Nola Stumbo, Mary Sue Moore, Helen Boyd, Ada Martin, Lynda Spurlock, Barbara Bevins, Patsy Gearheart, Leo Watts, Pearl Watts, Donna Reitz and Armita Snavelly.

Also attending were Lucy Waddle, Beverly Hackworth, Ishmael

Hackworth, Tommy Nelson, Donald Hicks, Freda Hicks, Juanita Rice, Cindy Hackworth, Mary Zemo, Peggy Ousley, Marietta Castle, Betsy Baldrige, Denise Stewart, Alice Williams, Maudie Hill, Sally Conn, Nancy Miller, J.C. Miller, Mary Marsillett, Reka Burchett, Charlotte Snodgrass, Karen Caudill, Dorothy Harris, Iris Calhoun, Earlene Nelson, Betty Gayheart, Chuck Stamper and Frances Pitts.

Another candy pulling class will be tentatively scheduled for February.

Homemakers' Christmas party

The Floyd County Homemakers will be having a county-wide Christmas party on Tuesday, December 6, at the Floyd County Extension Office.

Billie Marie Smith will be showing some Christmas decorations. Refreshments will be served and door prizes will be given.

All homemaker clubs are invited to attend. Each club is to bring either a tray of cookies or sandwiches.

Club dues

Floyd County homemakers and members-at-large dues are now due. They can be paid at club meetings or mailed to the Floyd County Extension Office at 670 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653.

Poison Oak

(Continued from C 1)

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Quick breads program

The Floyd County Extension Service will be having a quick breads program on Thursday, December 1, at 10:30 a.m., at the county extension office.

A variety of quick breads will be demonstrated. A quick bread buffet will follow. There will also be a display of gifts from the kitchen.

There is no charge for this program and it is open to the public. Call 886-2668 to register.

Quilted totebag pattern

The quilted totebag pattern made at the last workshop at the Floyd County Extension Office is available. Call or stop by for a copy.



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Ann Brodie and David King

Brodie and King to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steven Brodie of Thomaston, Georgia, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ann Christin Brodie, to 1st Lieutenant David Ray King, son of Louie King and Linda King of Van Lear.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Clifford Brodie of Lynchburg, Virginia.

She is a 1986 graduate of R.E. Lee Institute in Thomaston and a 1991 graduate of Auburn University School of Pharmacy, with a bachelor of science degree. She is a member of Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity, Rho Chi Honorary Society and Phi Lambda Sigma Leadership Society. She is currently employed by Walgreen's Pharmacy in Nashville, Tennessee.

The bridegroom-elect is the grand-

son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Adams and the late Mr. and Mrs. Lawson King of Van Lear.

He is a 1987 graduate of Johnson Central High School and a 1991 graduate of Eastern Kentucky University, with a bachelor of science in journalism and an associate degree in military science. He is a member of Theta Chi Fraternity and is Airborne, Air Assault, and Ranger qualified. He is presently serving as an Infantry Staff Officer with the 2nd Brigade, 101st Airborne Division at Fort Campbell.

The wedding will be Saturday, December 3, in the Memorial Chapel at Fort Campbell. The couple will reside in Clarksville, Tennessee, following a cruise of the Western Caribbean.



Births

HIGHLANDS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

November 1: A daughter, Lauralee Courtlyn, to Leigh Ann and Charles Johnson of McDowell; a son, Adam Brady, to Diane Carol and Roger Smith of Lovely.

November 2: A daughter, Dakota Paige, to Anna Michele and John J. Owen Kern, of Salyersville; a son, Devon Thomas Jay, to Latonia Renal and Darvin Jay Morrison Jr. of Debord.

November 3: A daughter, Katerina Alexes Jade, to Anthony and Deborah Halbert of Martin; a daughter, Bobbie Marie, to Tina and Robert Vanderpool of Hueysville.

November 4: A daughter, Mic Kayla LeAnn, to Nora and Michael Sisco of Inez.

November 6: A son, Aaron Tyler, to Ruth and Stacy Tackett of Salyersville.

November 7: A daughter, Haley LeAnn, to Misty and Kent Handshoe of Hueysville; a daughter, Courtney Deanna, to Rose Anna and Kenny Stacy of Inez; a daughter, April Michelle, to Rose Anna and Kenny Stacy of Inez.

November 9: A daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Toni Renee and Bucky Ray Collins of Prestonsburg; a son, Jonathan Loyd Yaunk Jr., to Kimberly Lynn Endicott of Inez; a daughter, Madison Blake, to Sandra Kay and Kelvin Blake Howell of Floyd County.

November 10: A son, Logan An-

drew, to Susan Elaine Allen of Inez. November 11: A daughter, Whitney LaShae Lewis, to Patsy Ann Conley of Banner; a son, Corbin Robert, to Jayne C. Joseph of Van Lear; a son, Shawn Michael, to Charolett and Michael Preece of Tomahawk.

November 12: A son, Steven Shane Reffitt, to Rhonda Lora Lafferty of Langley.

November 13: A son, Tyler Alexander, to Lesia Mae and Kelly Ray Barnett of Salyersville.

November 14: A daughter, Angela Dawn, to Nora Johnson of Prestonsburg; a son, Timothy Kelap Warren, to Beronica and Timothy K. Warren Lambert of Tomahawk; a son, Keith Davis, to Linda and James Frasure of Weeksbury; a daughter, Samantha Rose, to Pauline and Tivis Howell of Hi Hat.

PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL
October 30: A son, Wain Conner, to Dyanne Michelle Farris and Shalious Raymond Hall.
November 1: A son, Adam Lee Ray, to Glenda Michelle Skeens and David Lee Hopkins; a son, Ronnie Dalton, to LaDonna Jean and Ronnie

Shepherd; a son, Bryan Ray, to Stacy Ann and Charles Ervin Johnson; a son, Corey Ryan, to Amber Dawn Wright; a daughter, Jasmine Desiree, to Sharlene and Louie Galloway Johnson; a son, Thomas Bradley, to Valerie and Thomas Epling Williamson Jr.; a son, Brandon Aaron, to Laura Lynn and Alvin Newsome; a daughter, Felisha Rene Chapman, to Connie Rene Thompson and James Edward Chapman.

November 4: A son, Dakota Blake, to Angelita Bartley and Christopher Clayton Coleman; a son, Ian Ross, to Betty Carol and Rick Allen Adkins; a daughter, MacKenzie Kristen, to Valerie and Tommy Daies; a daughter, Telisha Rashae, to Trena Lynn and Eddie Morton.

November 5: A daughter, Ashley Paige, to Mildred Michele Hall and James Gregory Howard; a daughter, Rebecca Elizabeth, to Cassandra and Guy Dale Clark.

November 6: A son, Brett Michael, to Crystal and Michael Ray; a daughter, Mariah Nicolle Hartsfield, to Amy Nicolle and W.C. McGriff; a son, Jacob Todd, to Conzetta and Marcus Dean Stevenson.

November 8: A son, Nichols Allen.

to Melissa Lenore and Robert Allen Bunch; a daughter, Chelsey Beth, to Tami Joyce and James Nathaniel Engle.

November 9: A daughter, Allyson Lynn, to Carrie Lynn and Bryan Keith Mullins; a daughter, Elisha Lasha, to Patty and Dwayne May.

November 10: A daughter, Ashley Michelle, to Lisa Lynn and Arvil Rickey Justice; a son, Kevin Lee, to Linda Sue and Wade Fields; a son, Dennis Hill Jr., to Kimberly Shea and Dennis Patrick Hill.

November 11: A son, Joshua Austin, to Margaret Ann and Theodore Day; a son, Joey Bradley, to Opal Kenyon; a daughter, Emily Morgan, to Norma Lynn and John Thomas Frasure.

November 12: A daughter, Jamila Loreale, to Mattie Sue and James Edward Donta.

November 14: A son, Tyler Dean, to Tracy Lynn Colley; a daughter, Kristen Francis, to Wanda Joyce and Carol Everett Rowe; a daughter, Whitney Kristin Grace, to Cathy Sue and Cecil Swiney.



Three new grandchildren

Megan Marie Bryant, daughter of Sherry and Bobby J. Bryant Jr. of Allen Park, Michigan, was born September 2. She weighed 6 lbs. 4 oz. and was 19 inches long. Michael Anthony Bryant, son of Anthony and Rebecca Bryant of Lincoln Park, Michigan, was born September 4. He weighed 6 lbs. 4 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. They are the grandchildren of Bobby Bryant of Auxier Road, Lola Faye Bryant of East Point and Isaac and Karen Powers of Little Paint. Kaitlyn Nicole Hammonds, daughter of Darrin and Tammy Hammonds of Lincoln Park, Michigan, was born October 6. She weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. She is the granddaughter of Lola Faye Bryant of East Point, Charles E. Hammonds of Cliff, and Bill and Donna Rorer of Prestonsburg.

Hager honored at annual convention

Dr. Paul C. Hager of Berea was honored by the Kentucky Psychological Association at its annual convention. The first annual Paul C. Hager Graduate Research Award was awarded October 21 at the KPA awards luncheon at the Brown Hotel in Louisville. This honor is given in recognition of Dr. Hager's many contributions to the association including serving as editor of The Kentucky Psychologist and as founder of the "Psych Bowl" competition.



Dr. Paul C. Hager

Dr. Hager is Associate Dean for Instruction at Berea College and also teaches courses in psychological measurement. In 1989 he was named the Berea College Phi Kappa Phi Professor of the Year and in 1981 was awarded the Service Award to Berea College Students by the Berea College Student Association. He is a graduate of Eastern Kentucky University where he also received a master's degree. His Ph.D. is from the University of Kentucky. He is a member of the American Association for Higher Education, the Kentucky Academy of Science, Phi Kappa Phi, Psi Chi Honor Society in Psychology, and the American Philatelic Society.

He is the son of Priscilla Hager of East Point and the late Harry H. Hager. Dr. Hager was the band director at Prestonsburg High School from 1954-56 and 1958-59.

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JOBS participant receives E.M.T. certificate

JOBS opportunity and basic skills program participant Linda L. Coleman has completed the requirements for an EMT certificate. She completed the training at Prestonsburg Community College. Pictured above, from left, are Frank Salyers, JOBS Coordinator, Linda L. Coleman, EMT certificate holder and JOBS case manager, Don Sparkman.

PCC hosts seminar on spouse abuse

The umbrella of spouse abuse involves three main types of abuse: verbal/emotional, physical and sexual.

But all three types are so intertwined, said Jo Ann Buchanan, that they really cannot be strictly categorized.

Buchanan, an instructor of psychology and social work at Prestonsburg Community College and a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, was participating in a panel on spouse abuse for Craig Mulling's Modern Social Problems class at PCC on November 9.

Other panel members included moderator Bertie Salyer, a sociology instructor at PCC and former supervisor of the Department of Social Services in Johnson County; Mickey McGuire, domestic relations commissioner of Floyd County; Brenda, a spouse abuse survivor; and Linda Hutchinson of the Big Sandy Family Abuse Center.

Buchanan outlined some of the effects of spouse abuse as the development of survival skills, which might include becoming manipulative, withdrawn, hostile or seeking escape through alcohol or drugs. Other effects include a decrease in self-esteem, feeling of helplessness and hopelessness, depression, anxiety, or constantly trying to please people.

Hutchinson outlined the severity of the problem in our area, explaining that there are 16 family abuse centers in Kentucky, and the Big Sandy shelter ranks third in highest usage in the state. Only centers in Lexington and Louisville are used more.

McGuire discussed the legal system and its role in spouse abuse cases, particularly relating to the EPO or

emergency protective order. Salyer emphasized that the biggest deterrent in physical abuse cases is having the abuser incarcerated.

Hutchinson, who identified herself as a former spouse abuse victim, explained to the students that statistics show that a woman will leave her husband an average of five to nine times before making it final. "The time that she leaves the perpetrator is the most volatile," Hutchinson explained, outlining some advice women are given by the center prior to leaving their husbands. Salyer contributed that the police will provide transportation to a safe place for the abuse victim.

Buchanan noted that part of the problem is lack of treatment programs for the perpetrator. "To ignore treatment of the perpetrator is to ignore half of the problem," she said. The abuser will always be able to find another victim, she asserted.

The final guest panelist, a woman who identified herself only as Brenda, gave the topic a sense of reality and identity. "The violence occurred in my home approximately once a year," she explained. "It was physical and mental abuse, involving a lot of force, a lot of threats. My first husband eventually committed suicide. I remarried and went through mental abuse. I divorced him and the abuse became stalking and then physical abuse."

Brenda explained that there are a lot of reasons a woman stays in a violent situation: love, the children, fear, the belief that you can help this person.

But you can't help, she warned the students. The abuser has to admit his problem and seek professional help.

Family, friends, football and God

by Rev. David B. Powers, Sch.P.

Tomorrow is a day family and friends gather together to share all that is good with one another. For a few moments some people who have never prayed all year will utter a few brief words to the Divinity. Others will attend church services or will truly give thanks to God for all His many blessings. And after the turkey has been devoured and the warm pumpkin and mince meat pies are no more, millions of Americans will make a pilgrimage to their favorite Thanksgiving football game site and spend the next several hours mesmerized by the sight of grown men bashing each other for possession of a pigskin. This is Thanksgiving, and, mostly, this is good.

But there are a few people for whom Thanksgiving is a sad time of the year, when things have not gone as smoothly as they could, and when some people's prayers didn't seem to have been answered during the year. Sometimes, God's ways are not man's ways. We make plans, even noble plans, with high spiritual ideals. But for some reason, known to God, they are not what He wants. David's plan to build a temple worthy of God in Jerusalem, would seem to us to have been a noble thought, one worthy of David's gratitude to and respect and reverence for the God who had given him Jerusalem and had established his rule there over the Chosen People. Even the prophet Nathan, speaking for himself, agreed heartily with David's noble intention, but, as Nathan learned that night, this good plan of David's was not in accordance with God's will.

However, it is important to note that even though David's specific prayers were not answered in the way he wanted them, his good intention did not go unrewarded. God promised to give him a house, a dynasty, that would last forever. And even though David sinned grievously later, God forgave him and did not withdraw his promise. Christ, David's descendant, now rules over the Church, the messianic temple on earth, and he is ruling and will rule forever over the Church triumphant in heaven.

How often in our lives have we felt that God seemed to reject our overtures and our plans? Our lives are dotted with question-marks. Again and again we hear of prayers for essential favors unanswered by God, and sometimes we hear of people giving up their relationship with God because of it, and sometimes failing to give God thanks for the prayers He has answered. God views this world from eternity; each of us sees a little bit of it from our own tiny corner. God is planning for all time, whereas, our view is restricted to a few short years. However, this does not mean that our efforts and intentions go unnoticed and unrewarded. God has greater plans for us than He had for David.

God is weaving a beautiful, colored tapestry of the life story of the human race, and each of us has a tiny

spot in that picture. Each spot, no matter how tiny, brings out the beauty of the whole canvas. We may want to be different, but the divine artist knows better. For the darker and smaller spots are as necessary for the total picture as are the bright and extended colors.

Let us, therefore, gladly accept whatever plans God has chosen for

us. He knows what suits us best and what suits others. We can be certain that none of our good intentions, none of our sincere desires to do great things for Him will go unrewarded, even if those things are not realized here on this earth. Keeping all this in mind, we can see that everyone has something for which to give thanks to God on Thanksgiving Day.

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by Beverly Carroll

Happy Thanksgiving!

Today, senior citizens, I am going to approach Thanksgiving from a different perspective than most people do at this time of year.

Of course, I think we should take time to reflect on the blessings we enjoy, not only when we bow our heads on Thanksgiving day, but every day of the year. So often, if you are anything like me, we take our blessings—our health, our talents, our abilities, our families, our mates, and the good things life offers to us for granted.

We experience a crisis that causes a setback, or shatters our faith. All of a sudden we can see only the bad that is happening to us at the moment. We are so overwhelmed by the immediate crisis that we cannot see the good that is intermingled among the bad, or we fail to recall any good, whatsoever, that life has showered on us to date. This is not an abnormal or inhumane response to our personal problems so long as it is a temporary response. It is when we let those problems or situations defeat us to the point that we modify rational thinking and become incapable of arriving at appropriate, workable solutions that we find ourselves in trouble. Most of us, by the time we are mature enough to be considered senior citizens, have had to deal with a personal crisis or two. Life, for most of us, has not been a bed of roses without a few thorns along the way.

Right now we have senior citizens in crisis right here in Eastern Kentucky. We have people who don't know where their next meal is coming from. We have people who have no bed to sleep in and no roof to sleep under. We have people without electricity. Without heat. Without adequate clothing. Without medicine. And without money to purchase life's necessities. To be in a crisis, to be poor, to be ill, to be down-and-out, is nothing for anyone to be ashamed of unless one consciously chose to be this way. I have little sympathy for this caliber of person and probably you do, too. And, yes, I do realize that many among us, could have better prepared him or herself for these latter years. I remind myself of this everyday. But hindsight, for all of us, regardless of our age, is so much better than foresight.

I am not talking about people in crisis because they refused to work when they were young and able-bodied, or refused to make some effort to plan for their retiring years. I am talking about people who have worked hard and tried, who refused to abuse the system, and in spite of their life-long efforts find themselves in crisis. These folks, in my opinion, are deserving people. These folks are to be respected, given every form of assistance available to them, public and private, that will benefit them in their crisis, and to be helped, on a personal level, as only one human being can help another.

So often we want to purge our conscience by saying to ourselves and sometimes to others, without knowing the facts, "I don't feel sorry for him. He got himself in that mess. Now let him get himself out. He made his bed. Let him lie in it." Before we cast the first stone, maybe we should look at those around us with needs and do what we can to help a deserving soul. None of us has money, time, or energy to waste on proven deadbeats, but there is an indescribable inner satisfaction that comes from helping a deserving human being through a crisis situation.

Someday, we may be that deserving human being in need. This Thanksgiving let us be thankful that we have the resources to help ourselves and to share with others. Next Thanksgiving we might not be so fortunate. Life is fragile. Please share some of your blessings this Thanksgiving, and throughout the coming year, with a shut-in or someone less fortunate than you.

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One 14- to 16-pound turkey

1/4 cup olive oil

6 to 8 cloves garlic, coarsely chopped

4 to 5 whole sprigs rosemary

Freshly ground black pepper

6 strips salt pork or bacon

Rub the turkey with olive oil and place it on a large sheet of aluminum foil. Place the garlic, rosemary, pepper, and salt pork in the cavity of the turkey and wrap it securely in the foil. Lay the turkey upside-down on a second sheet of aluminum foil and secure the foil around the turkey. Thread the turkey on the rotisserie spit, following the manufacturer's directions, and cook for 3 hours.

Remove the turkey from the spit and place it in a pan; discard the foil and collect the juices. Continue cooking the turkey on the rotisserie 30 to 45 minutes longer, basting frequently with the juices, until the skin is crispy and a meat thermometer inserted in the thigh reads 175°F.

SUGAR COOKIE JEWELS

1 cup butter or margarine (not spread)

1 cup granulated sugar

1 large egg

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

2 cups all-purpose flour

1 teaspoon baking soda

1 12 oz. package (1-3/4 cups) M&M's® Semi-Sweet Chocolate Baking Bits

OR

1 12 oz. package (1-3/4 cups) M&M's® Milk Chocolate Baking Bits

granulated sugar as needed

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.

Cream together butter and sugar until light and fluffy; add egg and vanilla. Combine flour and baking soda; add to creamed mixture just until blended. Stir in M&M's® Chocolate Baking Bits.

Shape dough into 1-inch balls. Place on greased cookie sheets about two inches apart. With bottom of glass dipped in sugar, flatten dough very slightly so as not to crush baking bits. Bake 10 to 12 minutes or until edges are light golden; let cool one minute before transferring to wire rack to cool completely. Store in tightly covered container. Makes about four dozen cookies.

SACHERTORTE

(Sacher Gateau)

5 oz. butter

5 oz. Baker's chocolate

3 1/2 oz. castor sugar

8 egg yolks

8 egg whites

2 oz. sugar

5 oz. flour

pinch salt

Beat the butter, chocolate and sugar until fluffy, stirring in the egg yolks one by one. Whisk the egg white, add the sugar and fold carefully into the butter mixture, adding the flour as you go along. Butter a cake tin, sprinkle with flour, put in the cake mixture, and bake slowly for 1 1/2 hours. Turn out onto a cake rack and allow to cool. Glaze the top of the cake with hot apricot jam and cover with chocolate icing.

Icing: Bring 7 oz. sugar and 7 fluid oz. water to boil and boil until the mixture candies, then add the chocolate and boil until the mixture is thick, but fluid. Spread this with wet knife over the cake.

TRADITIONAL PUMPKIN PIE

Prep: 10 minutes

Bake: 50-55 minutes

1 (9-inch) unbaked pastry shell

2 cups COMSTOCK, THANK YOU OR WILDERNESS Pure Pumpkin (1-16 oz. can)

1 (14-oz.) can sweetened condensed milk (NOT evaporated milk)

2 eggs

1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon ground ginger

1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg

1/2 teaspoon salt

Preheat oven to 425°. In large mixing bowl combine all ingredients except pastry shell; mix well. Pour into pastry shell. Bake 15 minutes. Reduce oven temperature to 350°; bake 35 to 40 minutes longer or until knife inserted 1 inch from edge comes out clean. Cool. Garnish as desired. Refrigerate leftovers.

CHERRY S'MORES

Prep time: 3 min.

Microwave time: 4 min.

1 bar (7 oz.) chocolate candy, broken into 8 sections

8 graham cracker squares

8 large marshmallows

1 cup COMSTOCK, THANK YOU

OR WILDERNESS More Fruit Cherry or Light Cherry Pie Filling

Place 1 piece candy on each cracker. Microwave, 4 crackers at a time, on HIGH (100%) 45 seconds to 1 minute, until chocolate starts to melt. Place 1 marshmallow on each cracker. Microwave 15 to 30 seconds until soft. Top each with spoonful of cherry filling. Repeat.

Makes 8 servings.

HONEY-PECAN DIAMONDS

Shortbread Crust

10 tablespoons (1 1/4 sticks) unsalted butter

1/3 cup solid shortening

1/2 cup sugar

1 egg

1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract

2 1/4 cups flour

1 teaspoon baking powder

Honey-Pecan Filling

2 sticks (1/2 pound) unsalted butter

1 1/3 cups brown sugar

1/4 cup white sugar

1/2 cup honey

4 cups (1 pound) good-looking pecans

1/3 cup heavy cream

For crust

Butter a 9- by 13-inch baking pan.

Set oven rack in the center of the oven and preheat oven to 350° degrees F. Cream butter, shortening and sugar (with the paddle attachment of an electric mixer, if you have one) until smooth and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Sift flour and baking powder together, then add, all at once, to butter and mix slowly with mixer first on low speed, then medium, until a meal forms that will hold together if pressed. Don't overmix. Press into bottom of pan, forming a slight rim. Prick many times with a fork. Bake 15 minutes, until baked but still colorless. (Crust will bake a second time with filling.) Cool completely. (If crust has not cooled completely before the hot pecan mixture is added, the heat from the caramel will turn it soggy.)

For honey-pecan filling

In a large heavy saucepan, stir butter, brown sugar, white sugar and honey together over medium-high heat. Bring to a boil and boil exactly 3 minutes (about 254 degrees F). Mixture will foam, but crystals won't form on the sides of the pan. Take off

the heat, use a clean wooden spoon to stir in the pecans. Return to heat to soften a bit, then stir in cream until smooth. Pour into prebaked crust, pouring into corners first. Set baking pan on a cookie sheet to keep bottom from overbaking. Bake at 350 degrees F for 25 minutes, rotate pan, and bake 15 to 20 minutes more—a total of 40 to 45 minutes. The middle may jiggle slightly, but will set up when cool. Cool overnight; do not refrigerate. Cut into 1-inch diamonds. Will keep two weeks at room temperature, covered.

Makes about 2 1/2 dozen diamonds.

DOUBLE CHOCOLATE FANTASY BARS

1/3 cup butter or margarine (not spread), melted

2 cups chocolate cookie crumbs

1 14 oz. can sweetened condensed milk

1 12 oz. package (1-3/4 cups) M&M's® Semi-Sweet Chocolate Baking Bits

1 cup shredded coconut

1 cup chopped walnuts or pecans

Preheat oven to 350° degrees F (325 degrees F for glass pan).

In a bowl, combine butter and cookie crumbs; press mixture into the bottom of a 9"x13" baking pan. Pour sweetened condensed milk evenly over the M&M's® Semi-Sweet Chocolate Baking Bits, coconut and nuts. Sprinkle mixture evenly over condensed milk; press in lightly. Bake 25 to 30 minutes or until set. Cool completely before cutting. Store in tightly covered container. Makes 32 bars.

TURKEY SAUSAGE STUFFING

Stuffing for 13- to 15-pound turkey

3/4 pound turkey sausages, sliced into 1/2-inch slices

1 1/3 cups chopped onion

1 1/2 cups chopped celery

1 medium apple, peeled, cored and chopped

1/2 pound sliced mushrooms

3 cups herb seasoned stuffing mix

3 cups corn bread stuffing mix

Place turkey slices into 1 1/2 quart casserole. Cover and microwave on High for 1 minute. Add onion, celery and mushrooms. Microwave on High

for 3 to 4 1/2 minutes or until sausage is no longer pink and vegetables are tender. Drain liquid, reserving to moisten stuffing, if needed. Add the remaining ingredients, mixing well. If stuffing seems too dry, add enough of the reserved liquid to slightly moisten. Do not over-moisten. Lightly stuff into cavity of turkey.

CRANBERRY-ORANGE SAUCE

4 cups fresh cranberries

2 medium oranges, peeled, seeded and chopped

1 large apple, peeled and diced

1 large pear, peeled and chopped

1 1/4 cup cups sugar

1/2 cup golden seedless raisins

2 tablespoons orange-flavored liqueur or orange juice

1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon

Combine all ingredients in 3-quart casserole; stir well. Cover with wax paper and cook on High for 15 to 17 minutes or until cranberry skins pop, stirring every few minutes. Sauce can be served warm or cold, but flavors mellow after being refrigerated 24 hours. Will keep up to two weeks.

For more information write to Sanyo, 21350 Lassen St., Chatsworth, CA 91311-2329.

PUMPKIN BREAD

Prep: 10 min.

Bake: 60 min.

3 cups flour

2 cups sugar

2 teaspoons baking soda

1 1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon

1 teaspoon ground nutmeg

1/2 teaspoon baking powder

1/2 teaspoon salt, optional

1/4 teaspoon ground cloves

2 eggs

2 cups COMSTOCK, THANK YOU OR WILDERNESS Pure pumpkin (1-16 ounce can)

2/3 cup oil

Stir together flour, sugar, soda, cinnamon, nutmeg, baking powder, salt and cloves in large mixing bowl.

Lightly beat eggs. Beat in pumpkin and oil. Add to flour mixture, stirring just to combine. Spoon into two 8 1/2x4 1/2x2 3/4-inch loaf pans. Batter will be stiff. Bake at 350°F for 55 to 60 minutes, or until wooden pick inserted near center comes out clean. Cool 5 minutes; remove from pans. Cool completely and wrap. Freezes well.

Fruit and Nut Pumpkin Bread: Stir in 1 cup chopped pitted prunes and 1/2 cup chopped nuts.

Yield: Two loaves

COOL AND CREAMY PUMPKIN PIE

Prep. time: 5 min.

Chill time: 10 min.

2 cups COMSTOCK, THANK YOU OR WILDERNESS Pure Pumpkin (1-16 ounce can)

1 carton (12 ounces) nondairy whipped topping, thawed

1 box (4-serving size) instant vanilla pudding mix

1 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice

1 (6-ounce) graham cracker pie crust

In large mixer bowl, combine pumpkin, 1/2 carton whipped topping, pudding mix and spice. Beat at low speed until well blended, 1 to 2 minutes. Spread into crust. Top with remaining whipped topping. Quick chill in freezer for 10 minutes or until ready to serve. Dust top with additional spice if desired. Refrigerate leftovers.



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Certified nurse mid-wife joins women's care OB/Gyn practice

Women's Care of Eastern Kentucky, PSC, the Obstetrics/Gynecology practice of Dr. E.J. Horn and Dr. Steve Roberts, announced the addition of Kathleen Isaac, R.N., Certified Nurse Midwife to the group practice effective October 1.

The addition of Isaac not only continues the proud tradition of midwifery in the mountains, but reflects a national trend in OB/Gyn services emphasizing the birth of a child as a family event. Midwives of the 90s are certified medical professionals credentialed under state and federal legislation, assuring high levels of skill and medical proficiency. Nurse midwives are required to first be a licensed Registered Nurse and then to have completed additional study in an accredited Nurse Midwife program.

Isaac is a graduate of the Prestonsburg Community College of Nursing and of the Frontier School of Midwifery and Family Nursing. She is dually trained as a Family Nurse Practitioner and is Certified in Midwifery by the American College of Nurse Midwives, a division of the American College of Nursing. Isaac has been in practice for over 14 years and joins Women's Care after many years and many deliveries in the Kentucky River area.

As a member of the Women's Care group practice, Isaac will work under interdependent protocols with Drs. Horn and Roberts. She will take delivery call and provide routine well women's healthcare services including annual physical exams, post partum care, and family planning.



Americorp

Pictured from left are FmHA State Director, Thomas G. Fern; Lara May, Americorp participant; Rebecca Estep, Americorp participant; Kevin Antle, FmHA County Supervisor; and Louis Elliott, Americorp coordinator. May and Estep will be working out of the Prestonsburg FmHA county office.

FMHA/RDA Americorp members start service in Appalachian Kentucky

Nine Americorp members recently began their service in Kentucky's Appalachian Region after being sworn in at the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) State Office in Lexington.

Thomas G. Fern, state director, Farmers Home Administration, conducted the ceremony and challenged the members to "become leaders in the community in which they would be working."

The members attended a two-day orientation training meeting in London, and now have reported to their respective communities to begin their service.

Labor-Management seminar to explain worker's compensation

Ignorance of the law can hurt, say representatives of the Big Sandy Area Labor-Management Committee, so they're hosting a seminar to explain changes made recently in Workers Compensation.

House Bill 928, which changed Workers Compensation, will be discussed in depth, Rebecca Derossett, executive director of the committee, said.

Speakers include Dwight T. Lovan, Kentucky Department of Workers Claims; attorney Jerry Rhoads; Dewey Parker, education director, Kentucky State AFL-CIO; Ron Cynus, state representative, 98th district; and Morgan Bayless, Kentucky State AFL-CIO representative.

The seminar will be held December 7-8 at the Landmark Hotel, Mark II Room, in Pikeville, and will be held from 9 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. each day. The \$25 fee for the seminar includes registration, program materials, lunches and refreshments.

Attorneys can receive Continuing Legal Education credit for the seminar. For more information, call (606) 886-0510, or write Rebecca Derossett, P.O. Box 717, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Pre-registration is required by December 1. However, if space is available for more participants, on-site registration will be accepted.

The nine participants in the Kentucky Appalachian Region will facilitate community strategic planning and assist in implementing programs to improve or develop needed community facilities. Team members will also engage in outreach activities to assist economically and socially disadvantaged citizens in rural areas in accessing FmHA grant and loan programs.

Site locations for the Kentucky Appalachian Region will be as follows: Barbourville, Hazard, Prestonsburg, Middlesboro, London and Somerset.

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Trans Financial purchased bank offices

Trans Financial Bank, N.A. has reached a definitive agreement with Fifth Third Bank of Kentucky, Inc. to purchase their two Bowling Green and one Scottsville, offices.

The combined deposits from these offices are approximately \$50 million. The purchase will be for an undisclosed amount.

Trans Financial intends to consolidate Fifth Third's Bowling Green office at 1960 Cave Mill Road into their existing 1240 Cave Mill Road office and Fifth Third's 1148 College Street office into their 500 East Main Street office. In addition, Trans Financial intends to consolidate their existing Scottsville office at 1520

Gallatin Road into the Fifth Third office at 1691 Gallatin Road.

Doug Lester, chairman and chief executive officer, said, "This purchase is a natural fit for our Bowling Green and Scottsville franchises. It will allow us to offer our products and services to additional customers within our existing markets."

Trans Financial is a community-oriented, regional financial services company with 52 locations throughout Kentucky and Tennessee. Trans Financial offers customers business and consumer banking, investments, mortgage, trust and travel services. Their stock is traded on the NASDAQ National Market System under the symbol TRFI.

Case dealer sees latest construction equipment dealer meeting in St. Louis

Jay Rodas of Wilson Equipment Co. in Prestonsburg, was in St. Louis recently for an in-depth look at the latest in Case construction equipment products.

Among other products, Rodas saw the next-generation of Case loader/backhoes. Case pioneered develop-

ment of the loader/backhoe in the late 1950s and continues to manufacture the world's No. 1-selling loader/backhoe, a highly versatile machine used in residential and commercial construction, road work, landscaping and materials handling.

At the dealer meeting, Rodas received an update on Case, including its business and product-development plans. Earlier this year, Case stock was sold in a public offering for the first time in many years. Immediately prior to that, the company appointed a new president, Jean-Pierre Rosso, who has been spearheading important changes to improve product development and distribution, and customer service.

Rodas and other attending Case dealers also had the opportunity to involve their parts and service personnel in seminars on more than 30 subjects, as well as a parts trade fair featuring the latest products and services from allied suppliers of Case product support materials, attachments and service tools.

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Valley national gases makes acquisition

Valley National Gases, Inc., announced the acquisition of Smith L.P. Gases, of Bruceton Mills, West Virginia.

Lawrence E. Bandi, chief executive officer of Valley National Gases stated that this acquisition enhances Valley Welding Supply Company's capabilities in the Fairmont, West Virginia, Morgantown, West Virginia, and Uniontown, Pennsylvania market areas as a leading provider of propane for home heating and cooking.

Bandi also announced the purchase of the Propane Division of INA Oil Co., of Southport, North Carolina.

This acquisition will be consolidated with the Valley Welding Supply company's Leland, North Carolina Branch location, which is managed by Phil Kalany.

Valley Welding currently operates 32 locations over a seven state area. Valley Welding's diversified operations include Divisions specializing in fire safety, propane, rare and specialty gases, as well as medical, cryogenic, and welding gases, equipment, supplies and accessories, and bulk industrial gases.

Valley National Gases, Inc., is headquartered in Wheeling, West Virginia, and is the parent company of Valley Welding Supply Co.

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DRIVER'S TRAINING SERVICES, INC. Driver's education. 6 to 8 hours on road training. Cost: \$99.95. For information and schedule call, 606-886-8954. Help with permit test available.

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About 90 percent of all pecans are shelled before being sold. A lot of these wind up in delicious, decadent Pecan Cheesecake.

ANSWERS: All are true! Interestingly, though first known as a "Mississippi nut," Georgia is the nation's leading pecan producing state. According to the pecan experts at Edwards Baking Company, the pecan is America's favorite nut to serve during the holidays. Pecans are also the influence of Edwards Baking Company's new Gourmet Seasonal Pies for the fall—Mississippi Mud and Pecan Cheesecake. Rich, decadent indulgences, these pies are the essence of fall and are available through December.

For more information about the pecan, call the Georgia Department of Agriculture at 1-800-282-5832.

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Offer expires December 21, 1994

The Floyd County Times TV Listings

WEDNESDAY

NOV. 23

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
WSAZ	News	News	Fortune	J'pardy	World's Greatest Magic				Law & Order	News	Tonight	
WCHS	News	News	Mar-Price	Thunder	AllGirl	Ro-Ellen	Turning Point	News	Nightline			
WOWK	News	News	F. Feud	Cops	Boys	Dave's	Touched-Angel	48 Hours	News	La-		
KET	Choices	Compu-	MacNeil-Lehrer	Folk Hymns	Great Performances	Ken-	Travels	News	Off Air			
WTVQ	News	News	C. Affair	Enter-	My So-Called Life	Matlock	Primetime Live	News	Nightline			
WVAH	FullHse	Simp-	Ro-	Cheers	Beverly Hills	Models Inc.	Star Trek Gen.	Griffith	Griffith			
WYMT	News	News	Wonder	Doogie	Boys	Dave's	Touched-Angel	48 Hours	News	La-		
CABLE STATIONS												
AMC	Movie: Hollywood	Movie: The Spoilers (1:24)	Lans-	The General Died at Dawn (1:37)	Sorry, Wrong							
ARTS	Police Story	Rockford Files	Biography	American Justice	Twentieth Century	Law & Order						
BET	Rap City	Screen Happen	All Night	Roc	Com-	Video Soul						
CBN	K-9 Cop	Lassie	Shade	Shade	Waltons	700 Club	Father Dowling					
CNN	World Today	Money-	Cross-	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Money-				
DISC	Wings	Bey200-	Nex-	World-Discover	Vanishing Worlds	Rediscovering	World-Discover					
ESPN	(5:30) College Basketball	Sportsc-	College Basketball			College Basketball						
LIFE	Su-	Shop-	Design.	Design.	Unsolved Myst.	Movie: Cherry 2000 **	Unsolved Myst.					
MTV	Most Wanted	Yo!	Grunt	Prime Time		To Be Announced	Beavis	Beavis				
NASH	Club Dance	Ameri-	News	Merle Haggard	Music City Tonight	Club Dance	News					
NICK	Salute	Rugrats	Doug	T'giving	Jeannie	Bewitch	Lucy	M.	Taxi	Taxi	Newhart	Van
QVC	Gold Rush						Gold Rush		Fantasy Dolls			
TBN	(5:00) Praise the Lord			Scenes	Creflo	M.Mu-	Van		Praise the Lord			
TBS	Gro.	Griffith	Boss?	Boss?	Movie: The Sacketts **							
TNT	Bugs Bunny	Kung Fu	Movie: North Dallas Forty ***	Movie: Semi-Tough ***								
USA	Fighters	Turtles	Chip-	Wings	Murder Wrote	Movie: Kindergarten Cop **	Wings	Wings				
VH1	Video Blocks	Big '80s	Prime Time Music			Big '80s	To Be Announced	Prgres-				
WGN	Saved-	Charles	Love	Jeffer-	Black Sheep	NBA Basketball						
WPIX	FullHse	Doogie	FreshPr	Family	Movie		News	Cheers	Coach			
WOR	Simon & Simon	Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Mod Squad	News	Top	Kojak			
PREMIUM STATIONS												
DISN	Faerie Tale	Donald Quacks	The Thanksgiving Promise	Terror	Betty White	The War Room						
HBO	Movie: Taps ** (1:58)		Movie: Toy Soldiers ** (1:52)	Drea-	Sanders	Crypt	Armed					
MAX	Movie: Hero ** (1:56)		Movie: The Hawk ** (1:24)	Dinosaur Island (1:25)	Jailbait (1:43)							
SHOW	Jon. Winters	Ready	De-	Undercover Blues ** (1:29)	V.I. Warshawski ** (1:29)	Needful Things (2)						
TMC	Movie: Breakheart Pass **	Movie: Johnny Suede (1:37)	Benefit of the Doubt (1:30)	Body of Influence ** (1:36)								

THURSDAY

NOV. 24

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
WSAZ	News	News	Fortune	J'pardy	Movie: Home Alone ***				Abbott-Costello	News	Tonight	
WCHS	News	News	Mar-Price	My So-Called Life	Matlock				Primetime Live	News	Nightline	
WOWK	News	News	F. Feud	Cops	Christy				Eye to Eye	News	La-	
KET	Choices	Mo-	MacNeil-Lehrer	Ken-	Trailside	Railway Jrnys.	Ken-	Nature	News	Off Air		
WTVQ	News	News	C. Affair	Enter-	My So-Called Life	Matlock	Primetime Live	News	Nightline			
WVAH	FullHse	Simp-	Ro-	Cheers	Martin	Single	NY Undercover	Star Trek Gen.	Griffith	Griffith		
WYMT	News	News	Wonder	Doogie	Christy				Eye to Eye	News	La-	
CABLE STATIONS												
AMC	Homeward Bound	Stars and Stripes	Forever	Has Anybody Seen My Gal	Take Her, She's Mine ***	Dear-						
ARTS	Police Story	Rockford Files	Biography		Thanksgiving	Law & Order						
BET	Rap City	Screen Happen	Sanford	Roc	Com-	Movie: Race to Freedom	Roc	Jazz				
CBN	K-9 Cop	Lassie	Shade	Shade	Movie: Harvest for the Heart **	700 Club	Father Dowling					
CNN	World Today	Money-	Cross-	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Money-				
DISC	Wings	Bey.	Nex-	Wonder	America	Movie	Know Z.	Beyond 2000	Wonder	America		
ESPN	Gym-	Sportscen-	Kickoff	College Football					Sportscen-			
LIFE	Movie: Incredible	Movie: Mother's Day	Walton's Mt.	Movie: Two of a Kind **	Unsolved Myst.							
MTV	Most Wanted	Yo!	Grunt	Prime Time		Real	Real	Beavis	Beavis			
NASH	Club Dance	Ameri-	News	Mandrell Sisters	Music City Tonight	Club Dance	News					
NICK	Doug	Doug	Doug	Jeannie	Bewitch	Lucy	M.	Taxi	Taxi	Newhart	Van	
QVC	Ring Showcase	Gifts for Home	NFL Team Shop									
TBN	Praise the Lord	J.	Walters	Scenes	LaL-	Dwight Thompson	Praise the Lord					
TBS	Movie: Dirty Harry ***			NBA Basketball		Movie: The Enforcer **						
TNT	Yogi's Xmas	Flintstone Xms	Movie: In Search of Dr. Seuss	Movie: Father Goose ***								
USA	Fighters	Turtles	Movie: The Shootist ***	Movie: Field of Dreams ***	Wings	Wings						
VH1	Video Blocks	Big '80s	Prime Time Music			Big '80s	To Be Announced	Prgres-				
WGN	Movie: White Fang **		Hercules: The Legendary Journeys	News	Night	Simon						
WPIX	FullHse	Doogie	FreshPr	Family	Movie		News	Cheers	Coach			
WOR	Simon & Simon	Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Mod Squad	News	Top	Kojak			
PREMIUM STATIONS												
DISN	Honey, I Blew Up the Kid	Muppet Christmas Carol	Much Ado About Nothing *** (1:50)	The Money Pit								
HBO	Movie: Age-Innoc.	Movie: Rudy *** (1:53)	Movie: Ironheart * (1:30)	Comedy	Inside the NFL							
MAX	Movie: Coneheads (1:28)	The Man Without a Face *** (1:54)	Movie: Flesh and Bone ** (2:04)									
SHOW	Movie: Father Hood ** (1:34)	Movie: The Program ** (1:53)	Cool and the Crazy (1:15)	Jail-								
TMC	(5:10) Movie: Sneakers	Movie: Captain Ron (1:40)	Movie: The Bedroom Window (1:52)	Malice ** (1:47)								

FRIDAY

NOV. 25

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
WSAZ	News	News	Fortune	J'pardy	Rebal				100 Years of the Hollywood Western	News	Tonight	
WCHS	News	News	Mar-Price	Family	Boy-	Step by	Cooper	20/20	News	Moun-		
WOWK	News	News	F. Feud	Cops	Diagnosis Murder	Under Suspicion	Picket Fences	PointA-	La-			
KET	Change-	Prev-	MacNeil-Lehrer	Comment Ky.	Wash.	Wall St.	Dancing	News	Off Air			
WTVQ	News	News	C. Affair	Enter-	Family	Boy-	Step by	Cooper	20/20	News	Nightline	
WVAH	FullHse	Simp-	Ro-	Cheers	M.A.N.T.I.S.	X-Files	Star Trek Gen.	Griffith	Griffith			
WYMT	News	News	Wonder	Doogie	Diagnosis Murder	Under Suspicion	Picket Fences	News	La-			
CABLE STATIONS												
AMC	Movie: Lawless	Movie: The Thief of Bagdad (1:46)	I Wake Up Screaming ***	Lady in a Cage ** (1:33)								
ARTS	Police Story	Rockford Files	Biography	Investigative	Ancient Mysteries	Law & Order						
BET	Rap City	Screen Happen	Hap-	Roc	Com-	Video Soul	Top 20					
CBN	Timmy	Timmy	Kenny & Dolly	Movie: Roots: The Gift ***	700 Club	Father Dowling						
CNN	World Today	Money-	Cross-	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Money-				
DISC	Phenom	Phenom	Phenomathon	Phenomathon	Phenomathon	Phenomathon	Phenomathon	Phenomathon				
ESPN	College Football	Sportsc-	College Basketball			College Basketball						
LIFE	Movie: Clan-Bear	Barbara Walters	Movie: The Color Purple ***						Girls N.			
MTV	Most Wanted	Real	Rock	Top 20 Video Countdown		State	Beavis	Beavis	Sports			
NASH	Club Dance	Ameri-	News	Yesteryear	Music City Tonight	Club Dance	News					
NICK	Ren-	Ren-	Ren-	Ren-	Jeannie	Bewitch	Lucy	M.	Taxi	Taxi	Newhart	Van
QVC	Heart Jewelry	Gifts Under \$50					Joan Rivers Classics Collection		Stocking Stuffers			
TBN	(5:00) Praise the Lord			Scenes	Tripp	Frederick K. Price	Praise the Lord					
TBS	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Grinch	Movie: A Christmas Story ***	Movie: A Christmas Carol							
TNT	Movie: In Search of Dr. Seuss		Movie: The Shadow Riders **	Movie: Geronimo ***								
USA	Movie: Battle for Planet of Apes	Movie: Planet of the Apes ***							Movie: Casualties			
VH1	Flix	Fashion	Top 10 Cntdn	Flix	Cafe	Flx '80s	Big '80s	Num-	To Be Announced	Prgres-		
WGN	Saved-	Charles	Love	Jeffer-	Black Sheep	NBA Basketball						
WPIX	FullHse	Doogie	FreshPr	Family	Movie		News	Cheers	Coach			
WOR	Simon & Simon	Daisies	Eddie's	Radio City			News	Top	Kojak			
PREMIUM STATIONS												
DISN	Movie: Treasure I.	Movie: Kidnapped (1:34)	Movie: Black Arrow ** (1:33)	Fleetwood Mac								
HBO	Movie: Addams	Inside the NFL	Movie: Judgment Night ** (1:49)	Miller	Mission of Justice * (1:35)							
MAX	(5:30) Movie: The Abyss *** (2:20)	The Remains of the Day *** (2:15)	Movie: Stripes ** (1:45)									
SHOW	Movie: Enchanted April ** (1:33)	Movie: RoboCop 3 * (1:44)	Pinups	Body of Evidence								
TMC	Movie: Three-Hrt	Movie: Nothing in Common (1:58)	Movie: Father Hood (1:34)	The Meteor Man ** (1:39)								

NOTICE OF BLASTING SCHEDULE

In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 16:120 Section 3 (2) Kentucky May Coal Company, Hwy. 80 West, P.O. Box 728, Martin, Kentucky 41649, telephone #(606) 285-0350 proposes the following blasting schedule. The blasting site consists of approximately 3.23 surface acres located in Floyd County. The area is located 0.57 miles northwest of Halo, Kentucky, and 2.84 miles southwest of the intersection of Ky. Route 1498's junction with Ky. Route 122. The latitude is 37° 19' 16" and the longitude is 82° 44' 33". Blasting is proposed for 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday. The permit number is 836-5292.

Entry to the area will be via two access roads, appropriate signs and markers will be erected at the entrances. Access to the blasting area will be blocked prior to any detonation.

The warning signals will be three long sounds with a siren five minutes prior to detonation and three short sounds one minute prior to detonation. The All-Clear Signal will be one long sound following inspection of the blasting area.

All blasting will be conducted during the designated time periods except in the case of emergency conditions. Emergency conditions include but are not limited to rain, lightning or other atmospheric conditions or deteriorated explosives which involve personnel, operational or public safety. In such cases all residents within 1/2 mile of the site will be verbally notified.

NOTE: Thirty days prior to any blasting the appropriate DSMRE regional office, Floyd County Fiscal Court, and all residents within 1/2 mile of the operation will be notified, in writing, of the proposed blasting schedule and informed of the warning signals of the company. W-11/23

for an interview as soon as arrangements have been completed. The Floyd County Board of Education does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, religion, marital status, sex, or handicap in employment, educational programs, or activities as set forth in Title IX & VI, & in Section 504. F-11/18, W-11/23

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION STEPHEN W. TOWLER, SUPERINTENDENT 69 ARNOLD AVENUE PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY POSTING NOTICE

November 15, 1994 December 1, 1994
November 15, 1994 at 12:01 a.m. December 1, 1994 at 12:01 a.m.

DATE OPEN DATE CLOSED
Official Title of Position: School Bus Driver
Job Location: (County at Large)

Salary Range: \$36.20 per day
Contact Person: Earl D. Ousley, Director of Transportation

Brief Job Description: Transport students to and from designated areas.

Minimum Requirements: Certification as required by the Kentucky Department of Education. Applicant must have high school diploma or GED. Applicant must have the Commercial Drivers License (CDL).

Additional Job Requirements: none
Applicant must submit an updated, signed application to the Superintendent of the Floyd County Board of Education no later than November 30, 1994 to be considered for an interview. *Applicant will be notified

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-8037

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, 415 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for a permit for a loading facility, refuse disposal, and coal processing facility affecting 22.92 acres located 1.7 miles east of Hi Hat in Floyd County.

The proposed facility is approximately 1.6 miles southeast from State Route 122's junction with Spewing Camp Branch Road and located 0.1 miles east of Spewing Camp Branch. The latitude is 37° 24' 37". The longitude is 82° 42' 59".

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SUPERINTENDENT
69 ARNOLD AVENUE
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY POSTING NOTICE

November 18, 1994 - December 7, 1994
at 12:01 a.m.

DATE OPEN DATE CLOSED
Official Title of Position:
School Bus Driver
Job Location: South Floyd Area

Salary Range: \$36.20 per day

Contact Person: Earl D. Ousley, Director of Transportation

Brief Job Description: Transport students to and from designated areas.

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Additional Job Requirements: none

Applicant must submit an updated, signed application to the Superintendent of the Floyd County Board of Education no later than December 6, 1994 to be considered for an interview.

*Applicant will be notified for an interview as soon as arrangements have been completed.

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W-11/23, F-11/25

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0255

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Addington Mining, Inc., 1500 North Big Run Road, Ashland, KY 41102, has applied for a permit for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation affecting 254.45 surface acres and will underlie 37.5 auger acres, all of which underlie acreage proposed for surface disturbance for a total of 254.45 acres located 0.50 miles south/southwest of Wonder in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.63 miles west from Clark Branch Road's junction with Buffalo Creek Road and located in Clark Branch and Wolf Branch of Buffalo Creek and Cow Creek of the Levisa Fork. The latitude 37 degrees, 37 minutes, 12 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 37 minutes, 30 seconds.

The proposed operation is located on the Harold, Broad Bottom, Lancer and Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The operation will use mountaintop removal, area, contour and auger methods of surface mining. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Norman Goble, Denver Collins, Steve Conn, Tom and Barbie Bow, Hatcher Heirs, S.F. Davidson Heirs, Glenneth & Hilda Blackburn, Astor Hunter Jr., Tony Hunter, Wendy Polly, Kendrick Heirs, Goble Heirs, Kenneth & Eunice Blackburn, Jean Blackburn, Tom E. and Margaret Blackburn and Troy & Vonda Blackburn. The operation will underlie land owned by S.F. Davidson Heirs, Glenneth & Hilda Blackburn, Wendy Polly, Kenneth & Eunice Blackburn, Jean Blackburn, Tom E. & Margaret Blackburn and Troy & Vonda Blackburn.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653-1455. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

W-11/23, 11/30, 12/7, 12/14

"NOTICE"

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF THE PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES:

All residential or single dwelling houses or mobile homes must have their own water meters. Any customer who allows another home or mobile home to hook on their existing water service will be discontinued until this violation is corrected.

Bill H. Howard, Superintendent
Prestonsburg City's Utilities
W-11/23, F-11/25, W-11/30

PUBLIC NOTICE

Upon and on this date after publication of this notice, I will no longer be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself.

Rick Whitley
P.O. Box 413
Salysersville, Ky. 41465
F-11/18, W-11/23

PUBLIC NOTICE

If you are a property owner with tenants in Floyd County and are concerned about protecting your rights, you may join in the preparation of a Class-Action lawsuit. The action under consideration will be filed in Federal District Court if the Floyd County Fiscal Court passes a proposed ordinance which will obligate landlords to pay tenant's delinquent trash collection debts. If you are interested in participating in this action, call Helen M. Schul at (606) 886-3071 after 5:00 p.m. weekdays.

W-11/23

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to 405 KAR 8:010, Section 16(5), the following is a summary of permitting decisions made by the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Division of Permits with respect to applications to conduct surface coal mining and reclamation operations in Floyd County.

Old Style Mining, 436-5107, issued 94/10/07; Buck Coals, Inc., 436-5121, issued 94/10/28; Tram Coal Co., 836-5199, issued 94/10/03; Adams Diversified, 836-8025, issued 94/10/07; Matt Co., Inc., 836-9017, issued 94/10/24. W-11/23

LEGAL NOTICE OF PROPOSED INCREASE IN NON-RECURRING CHARGES SANDY VALLEY WATER DISTRICT BETSY LAYNE, KENTUCKY

Notice is hereby given that the SANDY VALLEY WATER DISTRICT (the District) has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission (PSC) seeking approval to increase the following non-recurring charges:

NON-RECURRING CHARGE	CURRENT	PROPOSED
Return Check	\$10.00	\$20.00
Meter Test Request	\$8.00	\$20.00
Service Investigation	\$8.00	\$20.00
Service Investigation (after hours)	\$8.00	\$40.00
Inspection Fee	\$15.00	\$25.00
Turn-on	N/A	\$20.00
Turn-On (after hours)	N/A	\$40.00
Reconnection (after hours)	\$20.00	\$40.00
Termination/Field Collection	N/A	\$40.00
Tap Fee	\$325.00	\$475.00

The rates contained in this Notice are the rates proposed by the DISTRICT. However, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from these proposed rates. Such action may result in rates for consumers other than the rates included in this Notice.

NOTICE OF RIGHT OF CUSTOMERS TO INTERVENE
Any corporation, association, body politic or person may request leave to intervene by motion to the PSC within 30 days after the initial publication of this Notice. Any motion by customers desiring to intervene shall be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 730 Schenkel Lane, P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40602; Attn: Mr. Don Mills, Executive Director, and shall set forth the grounds for the request, including the status and interest of the party intervening. Intervenor may obtain copies of the application by contacting the DISTRICT. A copy of the Application shall be available for public inspection at the DISTRICT'S Office.

SANDY VALLEY WATER DISTRICT
P.O. BOX 127
BETSY LAYNE, KENTUCKY, 41605
606/478-5500

W-11/16, 11/23, 11/30

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application Number (836-0162), Major Revision #11

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Branham and Baker Coal Company, Inc., 148 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a Major Revision to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 0.75 miles north of Hippo in Floyd County. The Major Revision will add 0 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 0 acres making a total area of 306.29 acres within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.75 miles south from Rt. 850 junction with Pitts Fork Road and located 0.2 miles south of Reffett Branch. The latitude is 37° 33' 03". The longitude is 82° 51' 30".

The proposed major revision is located on the Martin U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected by the major revision is owned by Branham and Baker Coal Company, Inc., Donn Chickering and Tina Hicks.

The major revision proposes to change postmine land use from forestland to fish and wildlife habitat.

The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

W-11/23, 11/30, 12/7, 12/14

BLASTING SCHEDULE

This is notice that The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, 415 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, (606) 886-2330, Permit #836-5315, will be blasting near Hunter on Left Fork of Beaver Creek, latitude 37° 30' 22", longitude 82° 45' 21". Blasting will be done daily. No blasting will be conducted before sunrise or after sunset. At least 10 minutes before the blast, access to the area will be controlled by Company personnel. Before each blast is detonated the following type(s) of audible warning will be given: One (1) minute series of long blasts of a siren or airhorn five (5) minutes prior to the blast signal. The blast signal will be: A series of short blasts of a siren or airhorn one (1) minute prior to the shot. The all-clear signal(s) after blasting will be: A prolonged blast of a siren or airhorn following the inspections of the blast area. Blasting will not be conducted at times different from those given above except in emergency

situations where rain, lightning, other atmospheric conditions, or operator or public safety requires unscheduled detonation. Prior to these detonations, the following audible warning will be given: Three (3) long blasts of a siren or airhorn. Also prior to detonations in emergency situations the permittee, using audible signals, shall notify all persons within one-half (1/2) mile of the blasting site. W-11/23

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5263 Amendment No. 1

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 415 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for an amendment to an underground coal mining operation located 0.5 miles south of Hunter in Floyd County. The amendment will affect 3.6 surface acres and underlie an additional 97.2 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 450.6 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.5 miles south from State Route 122's junction with Hunter Branch Road and located 0.5 miles south of Hunter Branch. The latitude is 37° 30' 03". The longitude is 82° 45' 18".

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell, Harold, Martin, and Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The amendment will affect surface owned by The Elk-Horn Coal Corporation, and will underlie land owned by Harry Martin, William Hicks, Keith Martin, Joe Roberts, Peggy Jo Martin Stumbo, Stella Hamilton, Elkhorn Coal Corporation, Laura Fitzpatrick, Wm. Richard Salisbury, Floyd C. Taylor, Alta Moore, Luna Halbert, Danny A. Salisbury, Eddie Taylor, Ellis Moore, Alex Stephens, John A. Bruce and Gena Salisbury, Ellen Halbert, David May, Bee Halbert, and Tandy Martin.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Directors, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

W-11/23, 11/30, 12/7, 12/14

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT C. A. NO. 94-CI-00385 DIVISION I

Larney Mercer and Barbara Mercer, his wife, Plaintiffs
VS. NOTICE OF SALE
Carl T. Patton and Betty Louise Patton, his wife, Defendants

By virtue of an Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November 7, 1994 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 1st day of December 1994, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land located at East Point, Floyd County, Kentucky and more particularly described as follows:
Lying and situated in Floyd County, Kentucky, on West side of Big Sandy River, being Tract #1 and Tract #2 in the Floyd Skeans property per Plat #1 and Tract #2 in the Floyd Skeans property per Plat #1-126, of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and being a part of the same land acquired by L & F Development Company, Inc., and FKT Corporation, by deed from Floyd Skeans and Alice Skeans, by deed dated the 3rd day of March, 1977, recorded in Deed Book 228, at Page 203, Floyd County

Clerk's Office.

This property is sold, subject to property taxes due Floyd County, Kentucky.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be Six Thousand Four Hundred Three and Ninety Four One Hundrededeths (\$6,643.94), including the costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 10th day of November, 1994.

James R. Allen
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
W-11/16, 11/23, 11/30

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Date and time of public sale: November 25, 1994 at 11:00.

Type of collateral: 1992 Nissan Sentra S/N JN1EB31P9NU132982.

Contract date: 7-13-92
Location: First Commonwealth Bank Parking Lot, 169 North Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg, KY. 41653.

For further info: Call Mike Haney, 886-2321.
W-11-9, 11/16, 11/23

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered for sale at Public Auction on December 2, 1994 at 10:00 a.m. at The Bank Josephine Harold Branch, Harold, Kentucky, U.S. 23 South.

1991 Chevrolet S-10 #310290

All items are sold "AS IS - WHERE IS". Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with seller. Announcement at sale takes priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

W-11/16, 11/23, F-11/18

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41635, has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5006 which was last issued on September 13, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 3.40 acres located 0.75 miles south of Honaker in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.60 miles northeast from KY 2030's junction with Trace Fork Road and located 0.25 miles southeast of Spruce Pine School. The latitude is 37° 30' 46". The longitude is 82° 40' 44".

The bond now in effect for this permit is certificates of deposits in the amount of eleven thousand eight hundred dollars (\$11,800.00). Approximately twenty-five percent (25%) of the original bond amount of \$20,900 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: establishment of post-mining land use.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by December 30, 1994.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Tuesday, January 3, 1995 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. This hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by December 30, 1994.
W-11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered for sale at Public Auction on December 2, 1994, at 10:00 a.m. at The Bank Josephine Harold Branch, Harold, Kentucky, located on U.S. 23 South.

1984 Plymouth Reliant #195169

All items are sold "AS IS - WHERE IS". Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with seller. Announcement at sale takes priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

W-11/16, 11/23, F-11/18

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41635, has applied for Phase I bond release on Permit Number 836-5258 which was last issued on September 8, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 5.99 acres located 0.60 miles northwest of Teaberry in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.50 miles south from Dry Branch Road's junction with KY Route 979 and located on Dry Branch of Mud Creek. The latitude is 37° 25' 52". The longitude is 82° 39' 08".

The bonds now in effect for this permit are certificates of deposits and the Kentucky Bond Pool in the amount of twenty thousand one hundred dollars (\$20,100.00). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of \$20,100 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by December 30, 1994.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Tuesday, January 3, 1995 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. This hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by December 30, 1994.

W-11/19, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Star-Lite Mining Co., Inc., General Delivery Highway 122, Hi Hat, Kentucky 41636, has applied for Phase I Bond Release on permit number 436-5201 which was last issued on June 14, 1984. The application covers approximately 186.6 acres located 1.20 miles south of the junction of highways 122 and 1498.

The permit area is approximately 1.20 miles from the junction of highways 122 and 1498 on Orchard Branch of Jacks Creek of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 20 minutes, 54 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 44 minutes, 15 seconds.

The bond now in effect for permit number 436-5201 is a certificate of deposit for \$10,000.00. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount total of \$10,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the fall of 1993. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate vegetative growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by December 23,

1994.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for December 23, 1994 at 3:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by December 23, 1994.

This is the final advertisement of the application; all comments, objections and/or requests for a permit public hearing must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

11.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Maple Leaf Mining, Inc., Rte. 1498, Bevinville, Kentucky 41606, has applied for Phase I Bond Release on permit number 836-5087, which was last issued on July 8, 1988. The application covers an area of approximately 94.63 acres located in Floyd County 1.90 miles northeast of Topmost, Kentucky of Knott County.

The permit area is approximately 1.90 miles northeast of Topmost, Kentucky on Wolfpen Branch of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 21 minutes, 52 seconds. The longitude is 83 degrees, 45 minutes, 21 seconds.

The bond now in effect for permit number 836-5087 is a surety of \$33,600.00. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount of \$33,600.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the fall of 1993. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate vegetative growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by December 23, 1994.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for December 23, 1994 at 2:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by December 23, 1994.

This is the final advertisement of the application; all comments, objections and/or requests for a permit public hearing must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

11.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application No. 860-0349

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., P.O. Box 130, Mousie, Kentucky 41839 has applied for a permit for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation affecting 688.67 acres located 0.25 mile East of Betty in Knott and Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.15 miles East from State Route 550's junction with Big Spring Branch Road and located 0.05 mile North of Big Spring Branch. The latitude is 37° 25' 47" and the longitude is 82° 50' 08".

The proposed operation is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 quadrangle map. The operation will use the surface contour, steep slopes and mountaintop removal of surface mining. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., Ernest and Roxie Keen, Odie Cox Heirs, Denver and Helen Robertson, Gordon Howard, Salley Wallace et al, Knott Floyd Land Company, Inc., Ranson Marcum Jr., Shirley R. Martin, Charles Watkins Heirs. David Martin. and Rav

Lute et al. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Jackson Regional Office, Howell Office Bldg., Suite 1, 170 Howell Heights, Jackson, Kentucky 41339-9689. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

Lute et al.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Jackson Regional Office, Howell Office Bldg., Suite 1, 170 Howell Heights, Jackson, Kentucky 41339-9689. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

11.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5327

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., P.O. Box 130, Mousie, Kentucky 41839, has filed an application for an underground coal mining and reclamation operation. This application proposes 11.4 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 3686.0 acres, for a total proposed permit acreage of 3697.4 acres, located 4.6 miles northwest of Bosco in Floyd and Magoffin Counties.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.8 miles northwest from Ky. Hwy. 7's junction with Ky. Hwy. 2029 and located near the head of Raccoon Branch. The latitude is 37° 30' 50". The longitude is 82° 53' 40".

The proposed operation is located on the David and Handshoe U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The operation will use the underground method of mining. The surface area is owned by Sylvia Warrix. The area will underlie land owned by Ellis Shephard, Lindburg Hale, Artie Shephard, Russell Shephard, Elizabeth Howard Heirs, Reggie Shephard, Opal Hale, Hayes Vanderpool, Silas Howard Heirs, Andy Osborne, Harold Wireman, Virgil Handshoe, Graydon Della, Jr., Nora Howard, Della Shephard, Haley Whitaker, Virgie Shephard, Ethel Vanderpool, Delphia and Norman Hale, Randal Risner, Jay Handshoe, Monroe Vanderpool, Robie Shephard, Fred Shephard, Eli Howard, Delphia Hale, Harold Howard, Julia Howard Estate, Berlin Howard, Johnny E. Howard, Curtis Handshoe, Jr., Jack Warrix Estate, Clyde Howard Estate, Buck Patrick Estate, Lois Conley, Tressie Kalibachuk, James Howard, Jr., Ellis Bailey, John Oberst, Ellis Howard Heirs, Ella Allen Heirs, Dottie Hayes, Donald B. Clester, Julie Howard Heirs, Annie Handshoe, Clinton Handshoe, Glen Shephard, Glen Handshoe, Ellis Shephard Heirs, Harry Ousley Heirs, Effie Crager, Kenneth Wallace, Clayton Ramey, Ronald Currey, First Commonwealth Bank, Johnny Hoover Heirs, Ollie Jack Howard, Marty Ratliff, Martin L. Vanderpool, Hiram Vanderpool, Jr., James Vanderpool, Ronnie Slone, Deana G. Martin, Bruce Ratliff, Marlin Bolen, Wayne Gearheart, Lawrence Hicks, Gladys Bailey, Leslie Bradley, Cletis Howard, Tilden Shephard

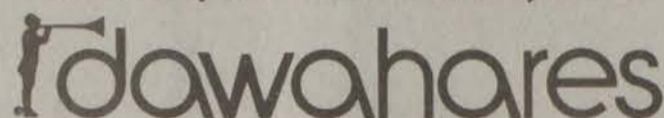
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HANDKNIT SWEATERS. Heavyweight sweaters. Reg. to 48.00, **SALE 29.99.**

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ALL SWEATERS. Crew, roll, v-neck styles. Reg. 32.00-38.00, **SALE 19.99.**

FLANNEL SHIRTS. Hooded, spread and button down collars. Reg. 28.00-30.00, **SALE 17.99.**

JERSEY KNITS. Henleys, mocks and turtlenecks. Reg. 16.00-18.00, **SALE 9.99-12.99.**

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DENIM JEANS. All Levi's, Union Bay and others. Reg. 38.00-49.50, **10.00 OFF.**

DUCKHEAD SPORTSWEAR. Pants, shirts, more. Reg. 36.00-44.00, **SALE 24.99.**

DUCKHEAD SWEATS. Screened and embroidered. Reg. 25.00-30.00, **25% OFF.**

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MEN'S SPORTSWEAR

FLANNEL SHIRTS. 100% cotton. Button down collars. Reg. to 25.00, **SALE 14.99.**

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SWEATERS. 100% cotton sweaters in many styles. Reg. 40.00-55.00, **50% OFF.**

CORDUROY PANTS. Wide weave cords with pleated front. Reg. 35.00, **SALE 24.99.**

NYLON JOG SUITS. Trilobal colorblock. Reg. 65.00, **SALE 39.99.**

UK JOG SUITS. Embroidered and color block styles. Reg. 75.00, **SALE 59.99.**

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

BLENDED PINPOINT DRESS SHIRTS. By Norman Wells. Reg. 35.00, **SALE 19.99.**

GANT FRIDAY DRESS SHIRTS. 100% cotton. Reg. 39.50, **SALE 24.99.**

DESIGNER SILK TIES. 100% silk. Reg. 35.00-42.50, **SALE 27.99.**

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