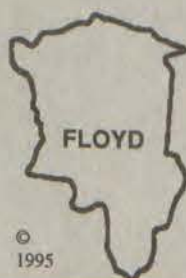


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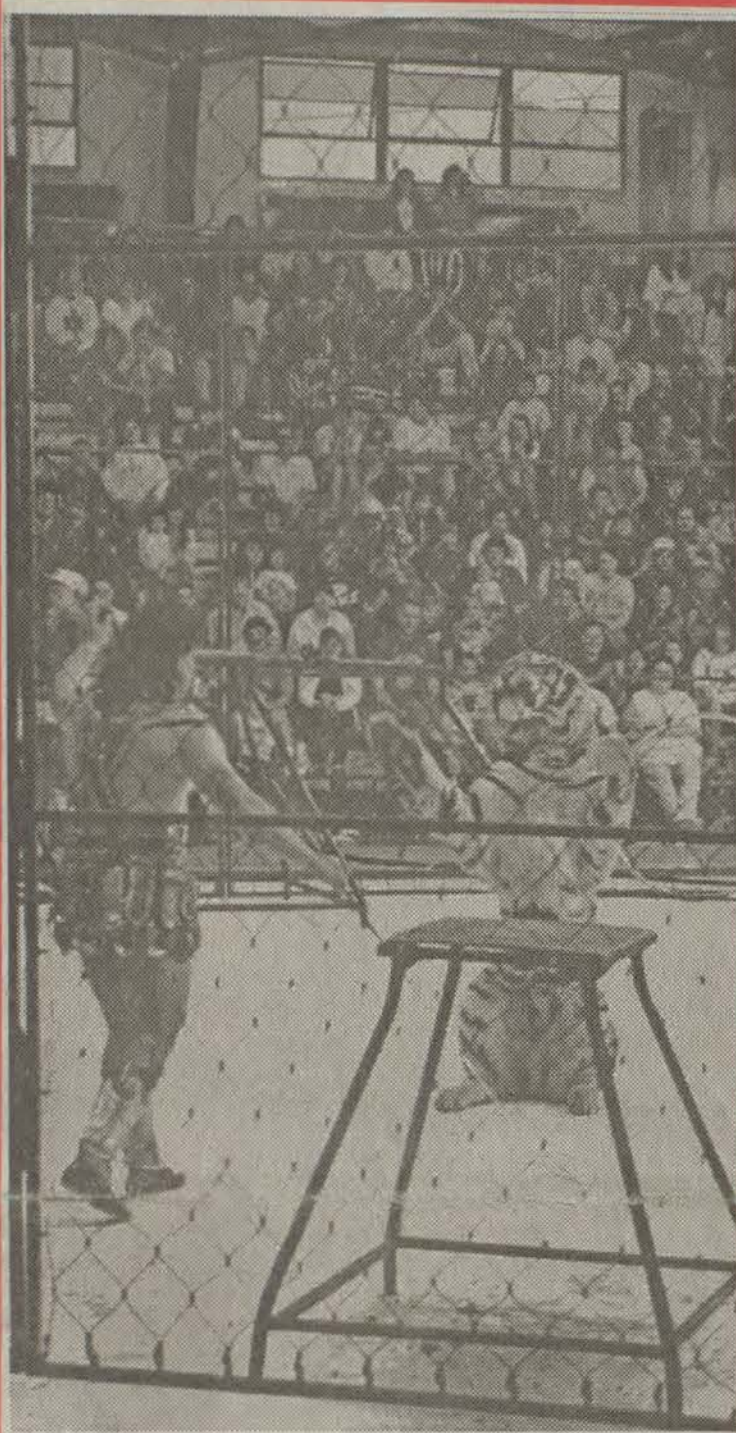
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## Ruben P. Singayao, M.D.

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## LIONS AND TIGERS AND BEARS



### Let's go to the circus

The Prestonsburg High School fieldhouse was nearly filled Saturday when the Oleika Shrine Circus came to town. The three-ring event was complete with lions, tigers, panthers, elephants, high-flying trapeze artists, a high-wire act, miniature ponies, and more. (photo by Patti M. Clark)

# Drug task force financial info subpoenaed by federal agents

by Scott Perry  
Times Editor and  
Patti M. Clark  
Staff Writer

Officials with the Mountain Area Drug Task Force confirmed Tuesday that the multi-county police agency is under investigation by federal authorities.

In a prepared news release issued Tuesday and signed by Prestonsburg police chief Darrell Conley, chairman of the task force, the agency confirmed "the receipt of federal grand jury sub-

poenas" but did not say when those subpoenas were served or what information they sought.

Task force officials were not available for comment Tuesday and could neither confirm nor deny reports that financial records were among the documents subpoenaed by federal authorities.

The task force, a cooperative effort between sheriffs' departments in Floyd, Pike, Knott, Letcher, Perry and Magoffin counties and city police departments in Prestonsburg and Hazard, is funded through a federal grant administered by the state Justice Cabinet.

Task force officials also could not be reached to confirm or deny reports that subpoenaed information was to be presented today, Wednesday, to a federal grand jury sitting in Ashland.

A spokesperson in the U.S. Attorney's office in Lexington would neither confirm nor deny that a federal probe into the task force was underway.

In the news release issued Tuesday, Conley said the task force "will not and cannot discuss the specifics of the subpoenas."

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## Floyd men aid victims of boating accident

by Ralph Davis  
The Paintsville Herald

Two Floyd County men pulled two Johnson County men from the waters of the Paintsville Lake Saturday after a boating accident that left one of the Johnson men dead.

Edgar D. Caudill, 53, Hager Hill, was pronounced dead at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center.

Phillip Wireman, 38, Thelma, was admitted to the hospital and treated for cuts and abrasions. He was discharged on Monday. Wireman is the head coach for the Johnson Central girls basketball team.

Richard Salyer, senior water patrol officer with the state Department of Fish and Wildlife, said that Caudill was heading toward the marina trying to escape a rainstorm when the accident happened.

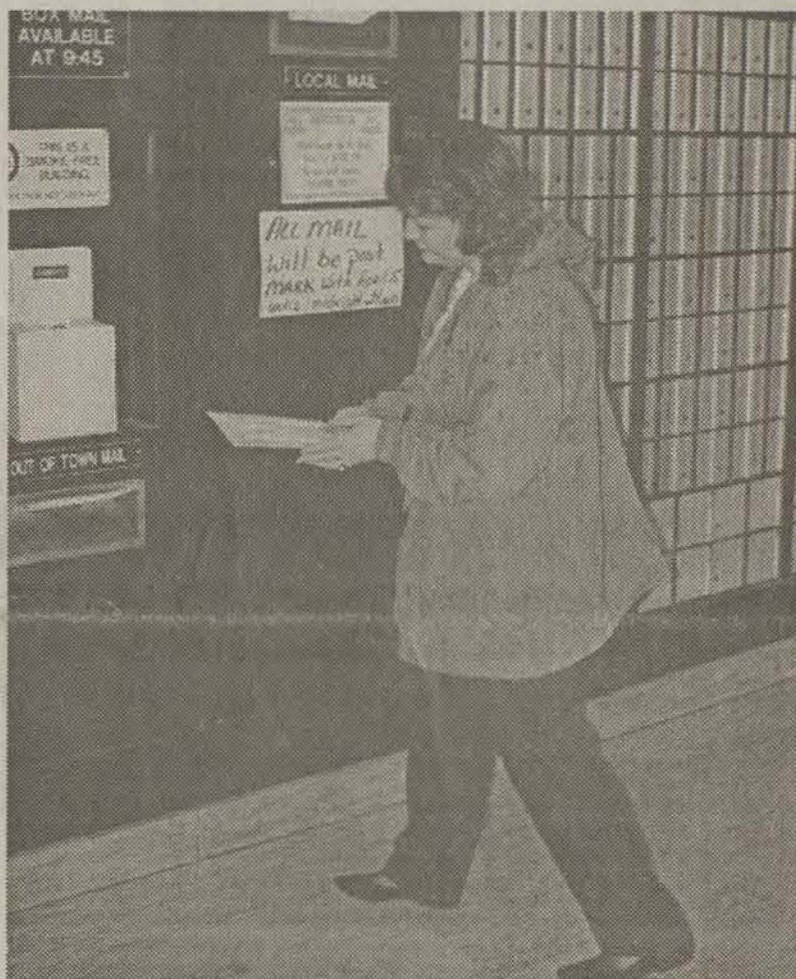
As the bass boat headed east along the lake around 6:10 Saturday evening, it struck a tree that had fallen into the water. Both men were thrown from boat and the boat apparently began circling the men in the water.

Caudill apparently suffered fatal cuts from the boat's propeller.

Another boat, manned by Jason South of Prestonsburg and Bill Smith of Allen, came upon the scene. South and Smith pulled Wireman and Caudill from the water and transported them to shore.

Salyer said that neither Caudill nor Wireman was wearing a life jacket at the time of the accident. He added that alcohol was not a factor in the mishap.

Services for Caudill were held Tuesday at the Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel in Paintsville.



### Tax time

Mary England was one of many residents who were expected to mail their tax returns late Monday night, the deadline for filing 1995 returns. Although the post office closed at 4:15 Monday, a sign in the lobby indicated that mail deposited until midnight would be post-marked April 15. (photo by Patti M. Clark)

## When May talks trash others clean theirs up

by Patti M. Clark  
Staff Writer

Lon May, ecology officer for Floyd County, has a dirty job, but somebody has to do it. He's trying to clean up Floyd County and keep it clean.

"Education is the key if we're ever going to get a handle on trash in Floyd County," he said.

While May has been going to area classrooms to tell students how to keep their county clean, he's also been going to court.

At least one trash case was settled in the courtroom after May repeatedly tried to get that person to clean up trash near her home.

Bonnie Meade was charged with criminal littering. She was fined \$500 and received a 90-day suspended jail sentence.

That suspension, according to May, depends on her cleaning up

(See Trash, page two)

## Wheelwright council to seek grant for pool

Wheelwright's City Council voted unanimously Monday night to request \$397,650 in grant funds to fix the city's swimming pool.

Council members heard a presentation by architects Mark Arnold and Graham Pohl of Lexington and project developer Anne Chaney of Big Sandy ADD.

Arnold and Pohl gave the council several options to fix the pool, including installation of either an aluminum or stainless steel and concrete junior Olympic pool. Either option will result in a smaller, new pool being inserted into the existing pool, Arnold said.

He told the council the existing pool has suffered severe damage

due to unstable soil underneath one end. Inserting a smaller pool into the stable part of the existing pool will be the least, Arnold said.

Arnold added that a junior Olympic pool, at 3,350 square feet, is still large enough to be used for school swimming competitions.

The two primary options presented by Arnold and Pohl were:

- Aluminum pool insert, \$205,000. Arnold told council members that the sides of this pool could be painted and that aluminum pools are very durable. He also said the city's long-term oper-

(See Pool, page five)

## Local miner settles lawsuit out of court

by Patti M. Clark  
Staff Writer

Frank Scott hopes that other miners will benefit from the lessons he's learned.

Scott, 37, of Weeksbury, has just accepted a settlement from Leeco Inc. because he said he was forced to quit his job because of unsafe work assignments.

"I think what it will do is help miners stop, think, look, and know that they don't have to work in unsafe mines," Scott said.

Scott quit his job at Leeco's No. 68 mine in Perry County June 13, three days after he worked about an hour with the fan off and the day after he was asked to "perform other unsafe and unlawful work," according to a release from Oppegard.

Scott said he has worked in the mines for 14 years and decided to take a stand when several activities concerned him. "If you continue to play with fire, you're going to get burned," Scott said.

He said he has worked for several mining companies and was surprised to be asked to do unsafe jobs and work in unsafe conditions in a mine the size of Leeco's.

"Indeed, Leeco is one of the biggest and highest paying operations in Eastern Kentucky, so one can imagine what working conditions are actually like at small, dog-hole mines," Tony Oppegard, Scott's attorney said.

Scott alleged in his suit against Leeco that he, literally, had to play with fire. He said he was asked to

(See Lawsuit, page three)

## Fires wreak havoc before rains arrive; threat could be renewed

by Chris McDavid  
Staff Writer

A forest fire at Corn Fork on Saturday consumed more than 2,400 acres before the fire was contained by the State Forestry Department and the Prestonsburg Fire Department.

The fire at Corn Fork was one of 22 forest fires reported this fire season that have burned about 4,000 acres in Floyd County, according to

district forester Steve Graves.

The Prestonsburg Fire Department responded to three different brush fires last week, according to Fire Chief Tom Blackburn.

On Friday, the fire department received a report of a fire on Sally Stevens Branch Road. Blackburn said two propane tanks near a home were in danger of exploding from the heat of the flames. The winds and dry weather caused the flames to reach about 65 feet high and en-

danger three trailers and two homes, according to Blackburn. Fifteen firefighters were at the scene, as were two trucks, and special operation vehicles (four-wheelers) to assist in controlling the blaze, he said.

The fire department also responded to a forest fire at Abbott Mountain on Saturday. The police and fire department radio repeater

(See Havoc, page three)



### Before the rains came

Prestonsburg firefighters responded to a call on Friday where a forest fire was getting too close to two propane tanks at the residence of Danny and Sabrina Shepherd on Sally Stephens Branch. The wind and dry conditions enabled the flames to reach as high as 65 feet, endangering three homes and two trailers, before firefighters controlled the fire. (photo by Chris McDavid)

## McAninch plays along, exposes scam

by Patti M. Clark  
Staff Writer

When Bob McAninch received a letter from the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation telling him they would send him \$6 million, he sat up and took notice.

But what McAninch finally discovered was that he was in the middle of scam that the U.S. Secret Service says is very common.

"We're getting three to five calls a month about this type of scam in Eastern Kentucky," Jim Burch, resident agent for the Secret Service stationed in the Lexington office, said. "And those are the ones we know about."

The deceptive ploy used against McAninch is known as an advance-fee scam and involves someone like McAninch providing financial information, such as bank

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# Trash

around her home and using Rumpke to collect her trash.

"She's the only one we've actually had to take to court," May said. "All the others have agreed to clean up their messes."

May's biggest problems are with illegal dumps around the county. "Since I became the environmental officer in November, 1994, I've been trying to get a handle on the situation," May said. "It's bad. We're not yet under control, but we're getting there."

When May discovers an illegal dump, he wades in and tries to discover a name on a piece of paper on some of the trash in the dump.

"You'd be surprised what you can find in a person's trash," May said. "You can tell a lot about their life by their trash."

If he can locate a name, he contacts that person and tells them they must clean up the area where they have dumped the trash. They can't just go in and clean up what they've thrown in.

"I make them clean up the entire dump," he said. "Most of them will clean it up rather than go to court when they realize I am serious. And I am serious."

May explained that a dump begins with two or three bags of trash put out beside the road. "Once that happens, it doesn't take long before it takes on a life of its own," he said.

When May locates the owner of

the trash and they agree to clean it up, he goes out with them to make sure they do the job to his specifications. "I had one guy who wanted to just pick up his stuff," he said. "I told him it doesn't work that way."

Those who clean up dumps also

have to bring back receipts to show where they have gotten rid of the trash. "That way I know they haven't taken it somewhere else and thrown it over the hill," he said.

He also said he's cracking down on the burning of trash, which is

illegal by state law, as is burying it. The county has mandated collection by Rumpke, with a cost of \$10 a month.

"Nine out of ten people don't realize they can't burn their trash," he said.

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County dump?

One of the many illegal dumping areas for trash in Floyd County apparently is on the West Prestonsburg Road behind Archer Park. Lon May, ecology officer is putting an emphasis on getting dumps like this one cleaned up and the illegal dumping stopped. (photo by Patti M. Clark)

# Exposes

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account numbers, to the individual or group running the scam. That information is used to pull funds from accounts and to create new bank accounts and credit card accounts, Burch said.

He said anyone who receives a letter promising something for nothing should beware.

"It strikes the heart of greed in all of us," he said. "But they are really only trying to get money out of the person they are trying to scam."

Burch said there are various investigations being conducted by the financial crimes division of the Secret Service, but there are no targets in the Eastern Kentucky area.

McAninch's first letter asked him for the name of his company, the name of his bank, and his account number. It promised him 25 percent of a \$25,320,000 payment made from funds "floating in the Central Bank of Nigeria redundant accounts from 1985 till date."

McAninch said he used his corporation to set up a phony account with a balance of \$100.

He was then asked to issue an invoice for work completed by his company. Another letter from the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation asked for payment of the \$25,320,000 to McAninch's company, Fair Share Inc.

The money was going to be sent to McAninch, who was to deposit it into the account. He was to keep his 25 percent and the remaining amount was to be taken out of the account by the Nigerians.

McAninch said he was then asked to fly to the Ivory Coast to sign the papers to get his funds.

Although he said he suspected he was dealing with a scam from the start, he said he realized the deal was a scam when he asked the Nigerians how they wanted their funds invested.

"They hadn't seen their way through it," he said. "I knew then that they were either stealing from the Nigerian government or from the people they were trying to scam. They were either totally incompetent or it was a scam."

McAninch said he "feared for his life," when he was asked to

fly to the Ivory Coast. "They could have killed me over there and no one would have been the wiser," he said.

He never went to the Ivory Coast, but turned the letters over to the Secret Service instead.

"I wanted people to know what is going on, so they won't get caught up in a scam like this," he said.

From 1983 to 1993 the death rate from heart attack declined 29.7 percent, but heart attack remains the single largest killer in America. The American Heart Association estimates that 1.5 million Americans will suffer heart attacks in 1996 and about 490,000 of them will die.

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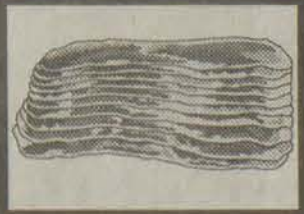
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For further information, call James M. Osborne, Chief of Operations, Floyd County Board of Education, 886-2354.

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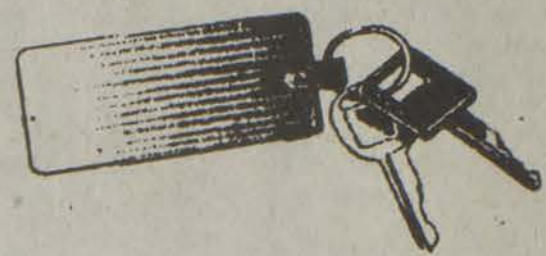
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hang high voltage cables while they were energized, and work on a head drive while it was in operation. He also said he worked for four hours on June 10, 1995 while the mine's ventilation fan was off.

"We hope that from this, miners will learn about their rights," Oppgaard said. "They may realize they have rights they didn't know about before."

He said the settlement took a long time in coming, but it could have been even longer if the company had not settled.

"It took us ten months before we settled," Oppgaard said. "It could have gone on much longer if it had not been settled."

## Havoc

system was lost when the fire consumed a building that housed the system. The repeater system enables firefighters, police officers and dispatchers to communicate with each other.

Highland Communications set up a temporary system to replace the radio repeater system.

In addition to the 2,400 acres burned, the Corn Fork fire also burnt a cabin owned by Robin Whitaker, Blackburn said. He said the fire also endangered Whitaker's trailer, but the fire department secured the area around his trailer.

Other fire departments in Floyd County also responded to forest fires last week.

The Martin Fire Department made three runs to the same fire at Cracker Bottom to protect a barn and two houses. The Garrett Volunteer Fire Department responded to a forest fire at Hueysville. The Left Beaver Volunteer Fire Department checked the status of a fire at Spewing Camp. And the Maytown Fire Department responded to a forest fire at Turkey Creek.

"From this time on, over the next couple of weeks, with the rain and high temperatures, we anticipate that the woods will be green enough to prevent any further major forest fires," Graves said Monday.

This time of the year is particularly bad for fires because many people are burning debris to clean the area around their homes and prepare garden beds, Graves said. Debris-burning accounts for about 50 percent of the forest fires, he said. "The other 50 percent is from arson."

If convicted of arson — deliberately setting a fire — the penalties could be as high as five years in prison and up to a \$15,000 fine, Graves said.

He emphasized that the settlement is not a court decision and that it might not affect the conditions in mines. "It is not a precedent," he said.

But what makes the case a first is the fact that Scott's foreman, Rob Collett, testified in a deposition on his behalf.

"It's very rare to have a foreman testify for a miner," Oppgaard said.

Collett admitted that the mine fan had been off and that Scott had informed the crew of the stoppage. He testified that he did not withdraw the miners even though he was aware of the federal requirement to do so.

Federal law requires that miners be allowed to leave a mine if the ventilation fan is off for more than 15

minutes. Mine officials at first told the Mine Safety and Health Administration that they did not know of the outage until several days later. But telephone records show calls to Kentucky Power on June 10, 1995, the day of the outage, testimony in the case showed.

Collett also testified that he and another Leeco supervisor had not performed required examinations for hazardous conditions that day, but later falsified federal reports to show that they had done so.

The foreman also confirmed Scott's testimony about other unsafe mine conditions. He said he was aware that Scott had hung high voltage cables while they were energized and that Scott had built guards around belt heads while the conveyor belt was operating.

"Those high voltage cables have 12,470 volts of electricity running through them," Oppgaard said. "All it would have taken was a pin hole, which could have been caused by a number of things, and someone rubbing up against those would have been dead. It's foolish to handle high voltage cables while they are energized."

The terms of the settlement among Scott, Leeco and the U.S. Department of Labor are confidential, Oppgaard said.

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For residents who anticipate burning debris to clean around their homes and property, Graves suggests they observe the following burning laws during the fire season, March 1 through May 15.

- Debris burning is only permitted between 4:30 p.m. and midnight.
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## Pick a card, any card...

by Scott Perry

We didn't get the chance to attend last week's public input session on Kentucky 2001, a forum set to discuss the state and county's future, but we'll echo one sentiment that arose from the session.

It's time to quit yakking and get cracking.

Public forums designed to identify this area's needs have become something of an entity in themselves over the past 25 or so years and we have all the dust-covered analyses we need to prove it.

What we don't have is a focused effort to turn all these words into actions.

We can't help but wonder how many more "idea" sessions we'll have to sit through before someone gets the idea that maybe, just maybe, we have enough ideas.

Pardon our pessimism, but we were introduced to these needs-assessment ordeals back when Bill Clinton was dodging the draft and darned if we aren't still listing the same problems on those same, oversized note pads.

But, enough of the criticism. After all, we haven't done all

that much outside of complaining to solve our problems, either.

Perhaps Kentucky 2001 is the means to the end we need.

If we narrow our priorities to one or two important projects; unite all the agencies and organizations into the effort to address that short list; then focus all of our energies on solving those priorities before moving on to something else, we might just make some headway.

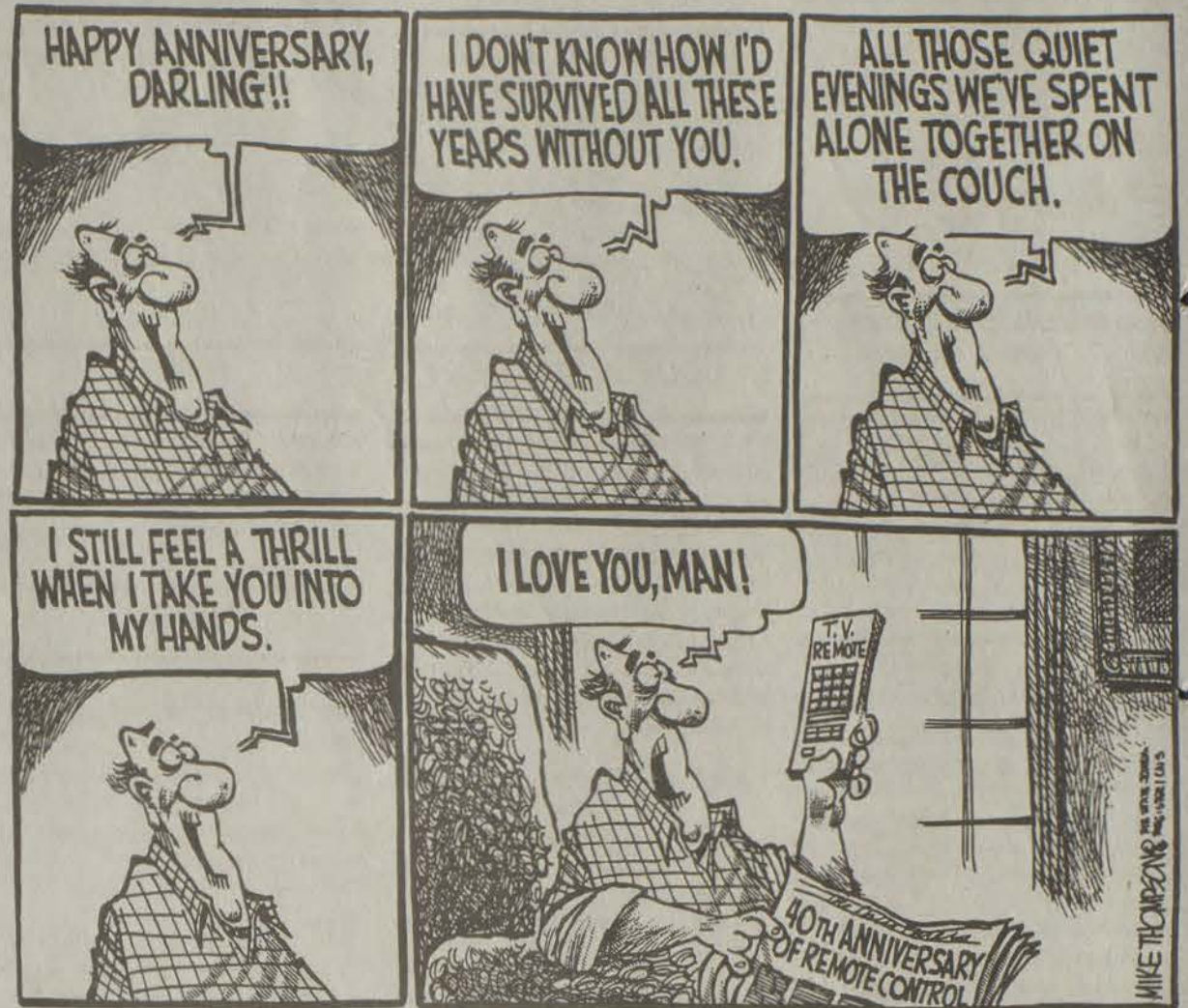
Sure, that's a tall order that will require some uncharacteristic cooperation among the public and private sectors. But the alternative is just another list in just another study on just another dusty shelf.

Instead of trying to arrive at a consensus, though, on where to start, let's take everything we've already identified as a problem, list each concern on the back of a card, and drop all the cards into a hat.

Pick a card, any card, and that's where we begin.

Take one step at a time and see how far we can get.

It'll be a darn sight further, we'd be willing to bet, than we'll get by moving nothing but our mouths.



## Letters to the editor

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### Hospice of Big Sandy thanks dedicated volunteers

Editor:  
 April 21-27, is National Volunteer Week, and I would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank the people I believe are the most dedicated volunteers in our community, the volunteers of Hospice of Big Sandy Inc.

No task is too big or too small for our volunteers, but often the most important thing they can do is "be there" for patients—to reassure them that they are not alone, to hold a hand, to offer a smile, or to just listen.

It is not easy work, but the personal rewards are enormous. The strength and courage of patients provide a constant source of inspiration, and volunteers usually feel they gain more than they have been able to give.

Our hospice is growing as more and more persons seek our help. For this reason, we have a constant

need for new volunteers. If you would like to learn more about hospice volunteering, I invite you to call 606-789-3841, or visit us at 236 College Street, Paintsville.

In the meantime, we should all be grateful to the volunteers of Hospice of Big Sandy, for the wealth of time and compassion they give for the betterment of our community.

Claire Arsenault, RN  
 Executive Director  
 Hospice of Big Sandy Inc.

### Assist effort to stop child abuse problems

Editor:  
 April is designated as National Child Abuse Prevention Month.

It is that one month out of each year when we focus our attention on the social and legal problem of child abuse, neglect and exploitation. During 1995, there were over

61,000 cases of child abuse reported in Kentucky.

This is more than an 80 percent increase from those reported ten years ago in 1985.

There are many professionals in our communities who are working to help prevent the devastation of abused, neglected and exploited children.

I ask that your readers support this effort in their own community by volunteering their time to work with local organizations whose cause is to help prevent child abuse.

Everyone can help as well by reporting any suspected cases of child abuse to the local police agencies and/or Department for Social Services or call the Kentucky State Police Hotline at 1-800-222-5555 or the Kentucky Multi-County Task Forces on Child Abuse at 1-800-468-8920.

Peter O. Samples  
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## Coffee Break

The generation gap between we Baby Boomers and the next-in-line Generation X has been bridged by those folks who are responsible for inventing catchy nicknames.

Despite our separation by years, it seems we all share one common characteristic...the undeniable need to have stuff.

So, our constant quest for gadgets establishes a common denominator among the old, the middle-aged and the young.

We are now members of the new "Gizmo Generation."

Batteries not included.

Despite all the wizardry these new fangled thingamajigs offer to make our lives easier, there is still no high-tech stand-in for the commodity you need to be able to put that stuff to use.

There is, unfortunately, no owner's

manual for common sense.

See, to afford all this stuff that is supposed to give us more time to take it easy, we're all working harder and longer at more stressful occupations.

Gotta work like a dog to live like a dog? Nah, those mutts are better off.

Looks like Friday the 13th came on Monday this month.

Not only was it ante-up to the IRS day, but it was supposed to be the day we started work on our new newspaper offices.

The first bucketful of dirt, though, uncovered a sewer line main right where our foundation was supposed to have been built.

Talk about mucking up the works.

According to Murphy's Law, if anything can go wrong, it will.

It did.

And we've got a whole new under-

standing of what "Luck of the Irish" really means.

But, like the song says, if it weren't for bad luck we'd have no luck at all.

Bought a Powerball ticket with designs on travelling down Easy Street and, by golly, hit five of the winning numbers.

Only problem, though, is that our numbers matched the previous week's drawing.

Too little, too late.

Oh well, at least we don't live in Louisville where, according to statistics compiled by *The Wall Street Journal*, you are more likely to face criminal charges filed by the IRS than you are to pick the winner in the Kentucky Derby.

Okay, okay. That's stretching things a bit, but Louisville does rank third out of 90 U.S. cities with regional IRS offices in the number of criminal referrals on tax issues.

Don't know if that means the city has more tax dodgers than usual or if they're just not as good at covering their tracks as those from elsewhere.

The up side of these disheartening stats is that no matter where you live, you're still five times more likely to be murdered than you are to be charged by the IRS.

Doesn't that make you feel better?

Speaking of murder, the folks at Robert Morris College in Chicago must know what it felt like to be on the wrong side at an Inquisition trial after their baseball club was clobbered 71-1 by St. Francis of Illinois...in five innings.

While there may be no doubt about who's to blame for inflicting this grievous injury, team officials are still compiling evidence related to the crime.

They're searching for clues about how they scored that one run.



# Pool

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ation and maintenance costs would be lower with an aluminum pool.

Stainless steel walls with a concrete bottom, \$130,000. The same size as the aluminum insert, this option would have higher long-term operation and maintenance costs. The walls could not be painted, Arnold said.

Other related options presented to the council were rehabilitating the existing bathhouse and bringing it up to current building standards and state requirements, \$154,000; building a gazebo/arbor, \$15,000; building a wood sunning deck over existing concrete abutments, \$30,000; landscaping, \$12,000; a play structure for children, \$30,000; site furnishings, \$12,000; a screen and fence for the pool area, \$10,000; and a digital site survey, \$5,000.

The total cost of all improvements, together with the aluminum pool insert, is \$515,000 — about \$115,000 more than the grant application ceiling. Arnold asked the council to give the architects "some sense of direction" on which improvements should be kept and which eliminated from the project.

Council member David Boyd asked if any improvements were planned for the children's pool. Arnold said the current plan called for filling that area in. Boyd said he felt there was nothing significantly wrong with the smaller pool, and asked if it could be fixed.

Chaney told the council that some options, such as the gazebo, wood deck or play structure, could be taken out and work on the children's pool included. Arnold said he had not estimated the cost to repair the children's pool.

Chaney also explained that the \$400,000 available could not all be used for construction. Other required project costs will include architect's fees, a minimum five percent contingency fund, interest on construction loans, advertising and legal costs, and project administration.

After several minutes of discussion, the council agreed that it would ask Otter Creek Correctional Facility to provide inmate labor to renovate the bathhouse, eliminating bathhouse renovation from the grant project. Members also agreed to seek local assistance in getting the children's pool operating again.

After reviewing construction and

related project costs, council members voted to apply for funds for the aluminum pool insert, related concrete work, the gazebo, landscaping, play structure, site furnishings, fencing and digital site survey.

In other business, the council held first reading of an ordinance to eliminate blighted and deteriorating property within the city limits. According to the ordinance, such property could include physically deteriorated structures which pose safety hazards, including wells, shafts, basements, excavations, fences and buildings; properties infested with rodents or which lack facilities and equipment required for human habitation; properties where trash and debris have accumulated; those for which taxes are delinquent for at least three years; and those which have not been repaired or rehabilitated after the owner has been contacted by city officials.

The ordinance will create a three-member property review commission which will visually inspect all property in the city at least once annually. The ordinance requires owners to be notified if property has been designated as blighted or deteriorating. If owners do not correct the problem, the city can exercise its power of eminent domain.

In other business, the council:

- Heard a complaint by resident Glen Thornsby, who said that

debris dumped at the back of the municipal building is blocking the entrance to a building he owns. The city had been letting residents leave large appliances and similar items behind city hall until arrangements for pickup could be made. Council members voted to stop allowing dumping until further notice, and to place "no dumping" signs in the area.

- Approved the withdrawal of the only bid submitted for purchase of the old clubhouse. The council tabled re-bidding the building.

- Approved posting "no trespassing" signs on the old clubhouse.

- Agreed to allow the Lions Club to hold shooting matches at the ballpark when the park is not in use for ball games.

- Agreed to participate in the World Servant Program, in which more than a hundred teenagers and chaperones will come to Wheelwright and do repairs on elderly and needy families' homes. Teens will arrive in July.

Attending the meeting were council members David Boyd, David Hall and Alan Taylor, and acting mayor Jimmy Little.

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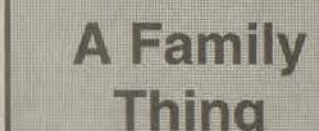


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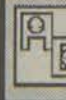


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# Tourism leaders approve travel transfers

by Janice Shepherd  
Managing Editor

As the Prestonsburg Tourism Commission last week began preparations to draw up its budget for a new fiscal year, it had to transfer money to cover a shortfall in a category of its old budget.

At a meeting April 10, commissioners approved a request from tourism director Fred James to transfer funds into the administrative/travel category to cover expenses incurred from the agency's participation in more travel shows than he had originally scheduled.

James explained that he had not planned to participate in a travel show that highlighted Central and Western Kentucky events to travel show directors, but he had received a promise from the organizers that Eastern Kentucky will be showcased at a later show.

Commissioners agreed to transfer \$3,000 from its contingency funds to the travel budget.

James also suggested the commission consider increasing its budget to add Prestonsburg to the various tourism memberships, such as recreational vehicle organizations, around the country.

In other business at the meeting, commissioners agreed to release the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce from its agreement to pay 40 percent of the salary for services of a secretary that both organizations used.

Commissioner Blake Burchett made a motion that James hire a part-time secretary for the agency. The motion passed unanimously.

The next meeting of the tourism commission will be April 25 at 9 a.m. when commissioners will accept grant applications. Commissioners ask that organizations who need funding for tourism projects attend the meeting.

# Heating assistance available for low-income residents

Floyd county residents who shivered through the winter months because they couldn't pay their heating bills can stop worrying about having their utilities shut off.

The Clinton Administration has released \$2.4 million for low-income heating assistance in Kentucky. U.S. Senator Wendell Ford (D-KY) announced April 12.

The funds are being released from the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) which primarily benefits families with incomes below \$8,000 a year. The assistance is used to help pay utility bills and weatherization costs to insulate homes.

Kentucky's \$2.4 million share of LIHEAP funds was part of \$180 million released nationwide by the Clinton Administration.

# Correction

Maurice Allen, director of pupil personnel for the Floyd County School System, was misidentified in a story in the Friday edition of the Times.

Allen said students at Betsy Layne Elementary will attend classes on April 19. Those students were regularly scheduled to take the day off.

Allen also said he did not intend to insinuate that some parents take their children to other school systems because they are concerned about the quality of education they are receiving here, as was attributed to him in a story in Friday's paper. "I do not know why the parents send their children elsewhere and I would not want to evaluate that," Allen said Monday.



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# Clean-up program kicks off Saturday

by Patti M. Clark  
Staff Writer

It's time to clean up Floyd County.

The eighth annual Adopt-A-Highway campaign begins next week and volunteers are gearing up to clean up about 115 of the more than 450 miles of state roads in Floyd County.

Dan Hall, district coordinator of the program, said his office will again provide bags and vests for the effort.

"The program started with (former Governor Wallace) Wilkinson and Patton is going to continue it. He told us to keep the program alive," Hall said.

He said 90 percent of the litter thrown out along the state's roads could have been prevented.

"People need to take pride in the area," he said.

"Education is the key," Lon May, ecology officer for Floyd County, said. "We need to start with the kids. The younger kids can help the adults."

Ben Hale, county judge-executive, signed a proclamation Monday named April 20 through April 27 Adopt-A-Highway week. He said he doesn't think there is enough law enforcement when it comes to littering.

"About three to four percent of the population is causing the problem," he said.

Most people don't throw their trash beside the road. About 75 percent of county residents are using the county-mandated trash collection. That means about 1,200 to 1,500 residents are not using the service, which costs \$10 a month, according to Mike Vance, solid waste director for the county.

"I still have a lot of folks saying they don't have garbage," Vance said. "I don't understand how you can't have garbage generated from a household. I'm sure the \$10 a month is the lowest rate in Eastern Kentucky."

All of those gathered at the signing of the proclamation agreed that cleaning up the county can mean a growth in tourism and economic development. Several of the volunteers from the groups planning to participate in the clean up attended the signing.

"The clean up can help with tourism and economic growth," Hall said.

"We want people in this county to look out their door and take pride in what they see," Hale said. "We're



## Signs proclamation

County Judge-Executive Ben Hale proclaimed April 20 through April 27 Adopt-A-Highway Week in Floyd County Monday as representatives from several of the groups planning to participate in the beautification project looked on. (photo by Patti M. Clark)

not going to entice people to come here until we clean it up. We've got to have something to offer them."

He said he hopes that if residents take a little pride, it will have a snowball effect. "It starts with one neighbor," he said. "People need to understand there are remedies to this."

He said some of the clean-up efforts the county completed in 1994 and 1995 cost county taxpayers \$263,000.

"If we didn't have to clean up the trash dumps, we could use that money for something else," Hale said.

The Adopt-A-Highway program is sponsored and paid for from state funds.

While Vance said he'd like to see the county have a recycling program sometime in the future, "we're not there yet."

"Recycling is needed, but we don't have the basics right yet," he said. "People are throwing away things they can get paid for. But I don't think we would have enough recycling right now to have a market for it."

Hale, Hall, May and Vance said anyone can participate in the clean-up even if they aren't registered with the program. All they have to do is call the county or state and let them know where to pick up the trash.

"You can't turn your back on the environment and expect things to be okay in the future," Hale said.

## Sam An Tonio's hosts 7th annual Secretaries Day lunch to benefit UK Children's

Sam An Tonio's will host its seventh annual Secretaries Day event on April 22 and 23. Guests will have a choice of a prime rib or rib dinner complete with dessert while they enjoy a fashion show. All attendees will receive a free UK Children's Hospital t-shirt and have the opportunity to win door prizes.

The event is open to secretaries, their bosses, co-workers and friends. It begins at 11:45 a.m. each day and will be held at Sam An Tonio's in Prestonsburg and the Roadhouse Cafe in Pikeville.

Reservations can be made by calling either Sam An Tonio's Restaurant at 606-432-3600 (Pikeville) or 606-886-3600 (Prestonsburg). The cost of the event is \$25 per person and all proceeds benefit the new UK Children's Hospital, which will open in August.

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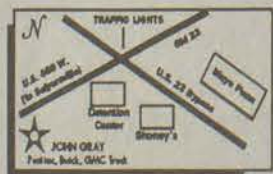
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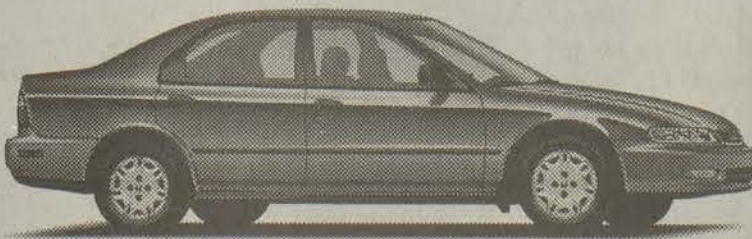


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# Obituaries

## James F. Tussey

James F. "Jimmy" Tussey, 44, of Jerome, Michigan, formerly of Ypsilanti, Michigan, died Wednesday, April 10, 1996.

Born March 27, 1952, in Ypsilanti, Michigan, he was the son of Fred and the late Roberta (Hall) Tussey.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Ann Tussey; four children, Laura Cox, James Tussey Jr., Tonya Bitnar, and D'Artagnan Tussey; five step-children, Dawn Mueller, Karl Mueller, Terry Carlisle, Hope Carlisle and Joy Carlisle; three sisters, Darlene Osborne, Faye McKinstry and Karen Kwiatkowski; one brother, James Brian Tussey; three grandchildren and one step-grandchild.

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 13, at 1:00 p.m. at the Janowiak Funeral Home, Greer-Logan Chapel, with Harlan Karniol Jr. of the Addison Kingdom Hall officiating.

Burial was made in United Memorial Park, Plymouth, Michigan.

## Danny Lee Smith

Danny Lee Smith, 47, of Martin, died Friday, April 12, 1996, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital in Martin following a brief illness.

Born January 3, 1949, in Millard, he was the son of the late Bill Smith and Josephine Sturgill Smith Ramey. He was a disabled welder and night watchman. He was also a veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Shepherd Smith; one son, Christopher Smith of Martin; two daughters, Andrea Smith of Martin and Susan Moore of Hi Hat; two brothers, Martin Smith and Johnny Ramey, both of Prestonsburg; one sister, Sharon Page of McDowell; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 15, at 1 p.m. at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home with Gordon Fitch officiating.

Burial was made in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel.

Arrangements were under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

## Pallbearers listed for Noah Martin

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Noah Martin were Fred Newsome, Brennan Newsome, Andy Martin Jr., Jerry Martin, Beecher Hale, Roy Archer, Johnny Ray Holbrook and Gerald Newsome.

## Judy Carol Johnson

Judy Carol Johnson, 53, of Richmond, formerly of Estill, died Sunday, April 14, 1996, at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Born April 1, 1943, in Floyd County, she was the daughter of Fred and Hope Combs Johnson of Lancaster.

Survivors include one son, Timothy L. Johnson of Lancaster; one brother, Lee Roy Johnson of Florence; one sister, Anna L. Scott of Richmond; and one grandson.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, April 17, at 1:00 p.m. at Ramsey Funeral Home, Richmond, with Revs. Bob Kiper and Harold Cochran officiating. Burial will be in the Bluegrass Memorial Gardens.

## William Arch Bailey

William Arch Bailey, 69, of Melvin, died Saturday, April 13, 1996, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following an extended illness.

Born October 12, 1926, in Rush, he was the son of the late Pierce Bailey and Mary A. Tuffs Bailey. He was a retired coal miner and a veteran of World War II.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ethel Collins Bailey.

Survivors include four sons, William T. Bailey of Batavia, Ohio, Brian Keith Bailey of Columbus, Ohio, S. Michael Curtis Bailey of Granite Falls, North Carolina, and Steven Bailey of Melvin; two daughters, Mary Jane Bailey of Virgie and Shelia McCroskey of Hudson, North Carolina; three brothers, Chester Bailey of Portsmouth, Ohio, Paul Bailey and Vernon Bailey, both of Bypro; two sisters, Audrey Little of Wheelwright and Juanita Hall of Prestonsburg; ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, April 17, at 11 a.m. at Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church at Bypro with Louis Ferrari officiating.

Burial will be in the Buckingham Cemetery at Bevensville. Arrangements are under the direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home of Martin.

## Pallbearers listed for Phyllis Slone

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Phyllis Slone were Ishmael Hopkins, Wendell Martin, Scott Slone, Timmy Martin, Keith Slone and Tommy Franklin.

## Lillian Stanley

Lillian Stanley, 82, of Weeksbury, died Monday, April 15, 1996, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following a short illness.

Born December 18, 1913, in Williamsburg, she was the daughter of the late George Holt and Shrena Lay Holt.

She was a retired merchant, and formerly owned and operated Stanley Market in Emma, and was a member of the Lancer Freewill Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charley Stanley.

Survivors include three brothers, Monnie Holt of Beaverton, Michigan, Raymond Holt of Boons Camp, and William P. Holt of Harlan; and three sisters, Ruby Milen and Anna Lay, both of Weeksbury, and Bernice Schwenk of El Cerrito, California.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, April 18, at 1:00 p.m. at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel in Martin with the clergyman Louis Ferrari officiating.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

## Pallbearers listed for George Kidd

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of George Kidd were David Hale, Ben Kidd, Bryan Kidd, Jamie Howell, Josh Howell, John Kidd, Mike Kidd, Adam Lee Kidd, Chris Kidd, Joe Kidd and Randy Kidd.

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of

### Ella B. Vaughn

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A golden heart stopped beating, hard-working hands at rest, God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.

It is lonesome here without you, we miss you each and every day, Life does not seem the same since you went away.

When days are sad and lonely and everything goes wrong, We seem to hear you whisper to us, cheer up and carry on.

Each time we look at your picture, you seem to smile and say, Do not cry, I am in God's hands, we will meet again, someday.

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## Evelyn Gibson

Evelyn Gibson, 58, of Pippa Passes, died Thursday, April 11, 1996 at Sycamore Hospital in Miamisburg, Ohio, following a brief illness.

Born November 12, 1937, in Kendallville, Indiana, she was the daughter of the late Warren and Viola Hamel Smith.

Survivors include her husband, Dennis Gibson; three sons, Warren Gibson of Hollybush, Dennis Gibson Jr. of Kendallville, Indiana, and Terry Gibson of Garrett, Indiana; three brothers, Kenny Smith of Mississippi, Max Smith of Albion, Indiana, and James Smith of Kendallville, Indiana; two sisters, Phyllis Lash and Janice Thacker, both of Kendallville, Indiana; and twelve grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, April 15, at 10 a.m. at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home in Martin with Sterlin Bolen, Bethel Bolen and Willie Collins officiating.

Burial was made in the Sycamore Cemetery at Rock Fork, Garrett.

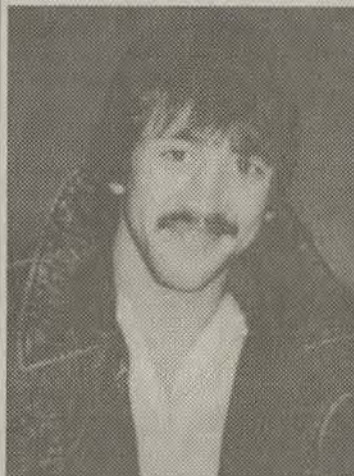
Arrangements were under the direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

## In Loving Memory

of

### Marvin Lee George

8-17-64—4-15-93



Have you got a son who is very dear to you; one you love so much, and miss him like we do?

Sometimes late at night or in the middle of the day, I sit and think of him, and wish I could have him here with me now.

The beautiful smile and the laughter in his eyes, or sometimes the serious looks he would have for awhile, and the way he would do everything with pride.

Even though his heart no longer beats, he is still with us day and night.

He loved us all so much with a feeling so strong, and made us feel we could do no wrong.

We love and miss him so much, but he will always be near, for the memories we have of him will always live in our hearts.

So, if you have a son, cherish him while you can, because one day, he just might not be here.

Baby, we all miss you.

Mom, Sisters, Brothers,  
Nieces, Nephews, Friends,  
Dee Dee, and  
Your Baby, Shay, Shay

## Card of Thanks

The family of Otto Blackburn would like to express their appreciation to all those friends, relatives and loved ones who sent flowers, food, prayers, or spoke comforting words.

A special thanks to Rev. Jim Smith for the many hours he spent with the family, prayers and comforting words he spoke during our time of grief.

Thanks to Rev. Abe Vanderpool; the employees at Riverview Manor Nursing Home and Highlands Regional Medical Center; also the sheriff's department for their assistance in traffic control; and Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for their kind and friendly service.

THE FAMILY OF OTTO BLACKBURN

## Card Of Thanks

The family of Homer Reynolds wishes to thank all of those who were so kind and considerate during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent food, flowers and gifts of love. We especially want to thank the Clergyman Curt Johnson for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF  
HOMER REYNOLDS

## Card Of Thanks

The family of Rev. Green Boyd 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 Clergymen Buddy Jones, Birkey Lewis, Louis Ferrari, George Hansford, Johnny Collins, James Couch, Wayne Stephens, and James "Red" Morris, 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  
REV. GREEN BOYD

## Card Of Thanks

The family of Curtis David Rogers wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness 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 Russell Jacobs, Ellis Case, Roger Hicks, Jimmy Hall and others for their comforting words, The Mother's Home Regular Baptist Church, Harold, Ky., the men who prepared the grave, the pallbearers, Brud McKinney, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

CURT ROGERS FAMILY

## Card Of Thanks

The family of Millard Gibson 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 Brother Tommy Spears for his comforting words, the Betsy Layne Church of Christ, the Harold Church of Christ, Betsy Layne Senior Citizens, Betsy Layne Fire Department, Staff of the Pikeville Methodist Hospital, Highlands Regional Medical Center, Dr. Blake Burchett and staff, Floyd County Health Department Home Health, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF  
MILLARD GIBSON

## Card Of Thanks

The family of Tine Meade 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 Evangelist Bennie Blankenship for the 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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# Operation: Patch It! under way

by Chris McDavid  
Staff Writer

Know where there's a pothole? Want it fixed? Then it's time to give the state Transportation Cabinet a call. The cabinet, on Monday, April 15, kicked off Operation: Patch It! as part of a two-week effort to repair potholes and clean up litter on roads, interstates, and parkways.

Operation: Patch It! will be in effect until Friday. Adopt-A-Highway will run from April 20 through the 27th.

According to a cabinet news release, potholes form after snow or rain seeps into the ground below the

road surface. The moisture freezes when temperatures drop, causing the ground to expand, rise and push the pavement up.

As temperatures rise, the ground returns to its normal level before the pavement does, creating a cavity or pocket between the ground and the pavement. When vehicles drive over the cavity, the surface cracks and falls into the hollow space, producing a pothole.

The cabinet has established a toll-free phone number to receive reports of potholes throughout the state and highway crews are mobilized and ready to make repairs, according to the release.

Transportation Cabinet Secretary Fred N. Mudge said he hopes residents take advantage of the opportunity to report road damage during Operation: Patch It! "The state roads belong to each and every Kentuckian. The Transportation Cabinet wants to make sure they remain safe and convenient. Input from the public is critical in achieving this goal," Mudge said.

State roads in Floyd County will be prepared according to a schedule, District No. 12 Operation Maintenance Engineer Hugh Sammons said on Tuesday.

Expected to get repairs in the order of priority are: US 23; Route

1428 between Allen and Prestonsburg; Route 122, which is expected to be fully resurfaced in the Left Beaver and Wheelwright area; and Route 1498 on Jack's Creek.

"We want to repair as many of the roads as possible to prevent road hazards and the citizens from having to call us," Sammons said.

Anyone can report a pothole by calling 1-800-PATCH IT (800-728-2448) from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. each day through April 19.

Include the state route number and name, and the location of the pothole. The success of Operation: Patch It! depends on the motorists and citizens, the release says.

## Country Music Highway featured in promotion

Eastern Kentucky's role as the homeplace of such legendary country music stars as Floyd County's Dwight Yoakam, is spotlighted in a national sweepstakes promotion that kicks off in the May issue of Country America Magazine.

The promotion is a cooperative venture between the magazine, which reaches more than four million readers each month, and the Kentucky Cabinet for Tourism Development.

It features U.S. 23, recently designated as "Country Music Highway," in a full-page color ad with a pull-out sweepstakes entry card.

"The magazine only hit the newsstands April 1, said Tourism Secretary Ann Latta, "and the response has already been phenomenal."

"We received 3,000 contest entries in less than two weeks," Latta said. "This is outstanding national publicity for Eastern Kentucky, and a great way to feature the region's country music heritage."

The ad copy notes that U.S. 23 runs through "beautiful Eastern Kentucky," and past the hometowns of such country music greats as Loretta Lynn, the Judds, Bill Monroe and Billy Ray Cyrus.

Featured in the ad's photograph, though not identified, is David Morris, one of the stars of Kentucky Opry, a well-known regional performance group, which will be the principal attraction at

Prestonsburg's new Mountain Arts Center when it opens this fall.

The sweepstakes grand prize is a trip for two to the 1997 Kentucky State Fair to attend a country music concert. Other prizes include a week for two at a Kentucky state park, CD sampler featuring Kentucky's music stars, and Kentucky travel t-shirts. The contest runs until November 1, and the promotion will continue in the magazine through its October issue.

"The fact that we were able to focus this promotion on U.S. 23 shows the benefits to be gained for the region from its official designation as "Country Music Highway," Latta said.

The designation was proposed in legislation sponsored by State Rep. Hubert Collins of Johnson County, and passed by the 1994 General Assembly.

Latta said highway signs have now been completed by the State Transportation Cabinet, identifying each county along the route with the name of the star who grew up there. Dedication ceremonies to place the signs are being planned along the route, in cooperation with local tourism officials.



### Spring has sprung

Jarrod Slone enjoyed the playground equipment at Archer Park last week when temperatures climbed into the 70s and the sun shined bright for a couple of days. Temperatures dropped over the weekend, but are expected to be back into the 70s by the end of this week. (photo by Patti M. Clark)

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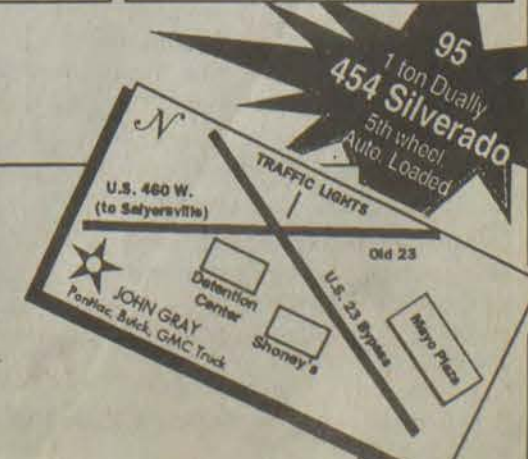
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# Prestonsburg Employment Services staff places 1,864 in jobs

The Prestonsburg office of the Department for Employment placed 1,864 people in jobs last year. Statewide, 74,162 Kentuckians found jobs through their local Employment Services offices.

Employment Services Commissioner Rhonda K. Richardson, commended the employees in the Prestonsburg office for their work.

"Obviously, the Prestonsburg staff is committed to both employees and employers and making the best possible job match," she said. "Making a job placement requires a lot of groundwork with local employers and the combination of many skills."

Many times, job seekers are guided through training, counseling and/or testing before they even begin to search for employment.

Deborah Allen, local field office manager, states, "the mining industry continues to be the industry with the highest number of claims filed. In January, the Department of Labor awarded up to 5.2 million dollars to

retrain the miners and 93 percent of the funds were awarded to the miners in this area. We have expended all of the funds and as a result the miners are retraining to gain a marketable skill. This grant has been a tremendous asset to the people in Eastern Kentucky."

Employers and job seekers may get information about screening, test-

ing and placement services through the Prestonsburg office of the Department for Employment Services by visiting the office located at 588 North Lake Drive or calling (606) 886-2396. There are three satellite offices as follows: 1st floor of the Magoffin County courthouse hours 8:00 to 4:30 Monday through Friday, phone (606) 349-3120; 2nd

floor of the Johnson County courthouse, hours 8:00 to 4:00, phone (606) 789-6692; and 1st floor of the Martin County courthouse every Thursday 9:00 to 2:00. Phone (606) 298-5981.

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### Jelly bean counter

Ed Mosley of McDowell guessed the Floyd County Times jelly bean jar contained 1,170 jelly beans. He was close. The jar contained 1,166 jelly beans. Sue Newman of McDowell accepted Mosley's prize of \$100 on his behalf. Pictured with her is Food World manager Tim Sturgill. The promotion was sponsored by the Floyd County Times and Food World of Prestonsburg. (photo by Shawn Hamilton)

## Students eligible for contest

Floyd County high school students are eligible to compete in slogan and essay contests for prizes up to \$1,000.

The contests are mandated by a law passed by the 1988 General Assembly as an effort to encourage young people to be informed about the democratic process.

Secretary of State John Y. Brown III, whose office is required by the law to sponsor the annual competition, announced that information for participants has been sent to the principal of all the appropriate schools in Kentucky.

The theme of each contest is "Voting and Registering to Vote."

The top prize for the slogan contest is \$1,000. The second place prize is \$500 and the third place winner receives \$250, Brown said.

Winners of the essay contest in each grade will win a \$100 savings bond, Brown added.

Students interested in participating in either of the two contests should contact their principal for detailed information.

All entries must be postmarked by April 24, to be eligible.

"Increasing voter education and motivation are two of the major challenges facing election officials today," Brown said. He noted that Kentucky has continued to set records for increased voter registration. "Now our challenge is to get those registered to go to the polls," he added.

## Advanced cardiac life support (ACLS) offered at OLWH

Our Lady of the Way Hospital will be offering a two-day Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) workshop on Saturday and Sunday, April 27 and 28, at the Seton Complex in Martin.

Registration will begin at 8 a.m. and programs begin promptly at 8:30 a.m.

The program is sponsored by the Kentucky Board of Nursing for 21 contact hours. Pre-registration is required by April 19.

For more information or to register, contact the Education/Development Department at 606-285-5181, ext. 333.

# Kentucky Opry Junior Pros to perform at MSU

The Kentucky Opry Junior Pros will perform at Morehead State University's Button Auditorium on Thursday, April 18, at 7 p.m.

The concert, sponsored by MSU's Student Government Association, will feature entertainment that is suitable for the entire family. It is free and open to the public.

The troupe is composed of elementary, high school and college students with the youngest member being 10 years old. They sing and dance and play a number of musical instruments including keyboards and fiddle.

While the group's members are making an impact on the music scene because of their talent, the coordination of the performances is the work of Billie Jean Osborne of Prestonsburg. A former band instructor in the Floyd County School system, she is the founder and executive director of Kentucky Opry Junior Pros and the original Kentucky Opry.

When the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg is completed this fall, the two Kentucky Opry groups will be making regular appearances on the stage.

Additional information is available by calling 783-2071.



### Eastern Kentucky group to perform at MSU

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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.

### Hey, kids! Let's go to camp!

The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources is looking for kids who want to have fun! It's time to sign up for summer camp. If you like to make new friends, swim, go boating, learn to use a bow and shoot a gun, as well as attend classes on fishing, casting, nature and first aid, this camp is for you. A bonus is that you earn patches while having all this fun. Camps are one week long, Monday through Friday. If you're between the ages of 10 and 13 and want more information about our camps, contact Don Ison, P.O. Box 699, West Van Lear, 41268, or call 606/789-8137.

### Pikeville Methodist Hospital classes

April 17th—Living with grief after sudden loss. This third-annual conference is designed for those people who are dealing with grief and bereavement after sudden loss, both professionally and personally. It will be live via satellite and is sponsored by the Hospice Foundation of America and cospon-

sored by Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), the Association for Death Education and Counseling (ADEC) and Pikeville Methodist Hospital. The conference is from 1:30 p.m. until 4 p.m. at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital Education Center on the corner of Fourth Street and Hambley Boulevard. Call 437-3525 to register. Free.

### BLHS reunion

The Betsy Layne Class of 1986 is looking for graduates to gather for a reunion on July 6th. Send your name, address, and phone number to P.O. Box 285, Betsy Layne, KY 41605.

### Child care training

McDowell Family Resource Center will be hosting a child care training Thursday, April 18, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. The training is free and will be held by the East Kentucky Child Care Coalition. Call to register, 377-2678. The training is worth four hours credit.

### Rebekah Lodge bake sale

Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31 is sponsoring a bake sale to be held April 20, beginning at 9:30, at Wal-Mart in Prestonsburg Village. All members are asked to participate.

### Recruiting for head start

Auxier Elementary School is recruiting for a head start unit. Any parent who is interested in sending their child to this school should call 886-3383. This is for the 1996-97 school year.

### Meeting date changed

The Auxier Elementary School site-based meeting has been changed from April 11 to April 18, at 5 p.m.

### Open house

Mountain Christian Academy will be hosting an open house on Monday, April 22, from 6-8 p.m. on the school's campus. Registration for students not currently enrolled also begins on April 22. Call 285-5141 for more information.

### Friends of May House to meet

Friends of the Samuel May House will meet Thursday night, April 18, at 7 p.m., at the Prestonsburg Community College Pike Building, Room 114.

### Service office to assist veterans

Eugene Akers, a state service officer for the Kentucky Department of Disabled American Veterans, will be upstairs at the Floyd County Courthouse Saturday, April 20, from 10-2, to assist veterans and their dependents with claims due as a result of military service.

### Mud Creek Community Family Resource Center activities

The Mud Creek Community Family Resource Center advisory council meeting will be held April 29, at 4:30 p.m. in the John M. Stumbo Elementary library.

### Basic CPR class April 20.

Childcare orientation training at Allen Elementary School April 20, at 8 a.m. The Mud Creek center will be hosting the event.

Fitness class Wednesday nights from 6:30-8 p.m.

Clothing bank open to students and public upon request.

### Conservation district to meet

The Floyd County Conservation District will meet Thursday, April 18, at 1:30 p.m. in the district office in Prestonsburg. All interested persons are invited to attend.

### Nutritionist, guest speaker at Jenny Wiley

AARP meeting  
Meri Wallace, nutritionist at Highlands Regional Medical Center, will be the speaker at the dinner meeting of Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) Friday, April 19, in the food court of the new Highlands Doctors' office building.

The dinner will begin at 5:30 p.m. and all members and guests are encouraged to attend. Sylvia Allen of Harold is the president of the chapter.

### Mountain Jamboree

TNC's award-winning Mountain Jamboree will be at the Maytown Elementary gym Friday, April 19, at 8 p.m. Mountain Jamboree was voted 1996 County Music Show of the Year by Nashville's Airplay International. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$3 for students, and 12 and under get in free.

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# Residents want more than wish list to improve county's future

by Janice Shepherd  
Managing Editor

At a public hearing to shape Floyd County's future, only a handful of area leaders and two concerned citizens attended to voice their input into bringing about a change in state and county management. But those few voices were adamant about what they wanted — action and not just ideas on paper.

At the hearing Thursday night, individuals attending told organizers of the Big Sandy Area Development District's Kentucky 2001 Strategic Planning Committee, they want more than a "wish list" to improve the county.

"If nothing happens, why would we come back next year?" John Rosenberg, director of Appalachian Research and Defense Fund asked the meeting's moderator, Tammy Collingsworth. "Where's the follow-up?" he asked.

The question came after an information-gathering session on improving the state and the county in seven areas: human resources; natural resources and environment; economy; transportation; justice; infrastructure and services; and governance.

Collingsworth, director of the AmeriCorps Appalachian Self-sufficiency Program, explained to Rosenberg that all the information gathered at simultaneous 2001 meetings around the region will be reviewed by members of the Big Sandy ADD staff and they will select three to five objectives to achieve.

The information also reaches the state level for potential funding, Anne Chaney, a grant writer for Big Sandy ADD, added.

Area leaders and citizens attending the session asked that a



**Strategic planning**

Tammy Collingsworth, right, served as moderator for a public hearing held at the Allen Park Convention Center. The hearing was held to seek input on improving the county's future. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

follow-up meeting be held and Collingsworth added that suggestion to the information compilation.

Rosenberg also suggested that agencies with similar services combine resources. As an example, he discussed the five housing authorities that exist in Floyd County. He recommended that a data base be established for the five to share their information and make housing accessibility easier for residents and easier on the authorities' staffs.

"In other words, the right hand needs to let the left hand know what its doing," Collingsworth

said and added the item to her list. She recommended that Big Sandy ADD write a grant to hire "a full-time employee to bring together services."

Other recommendations included more nurses and services at the health departments. In Floyd County, only two nurses are available in the health department's preventative health care program which provides immunizations.

"We have a clientele of over 300 and we only have two nurses," Carol Holbrook, director of the health department, said.

She also expressed concern about an ongoing battle with

Certificate of Need issues with the state health board. The health board says there are no additional home health needs in Floyd County, Holbrook said. "Yet we have to compete with Humana or for-profit agencies. There are so many services needed in homes. People are being discharged from hospitals much quicker. Something needs to be done at that level."

Floyd County residents can add their needs and comments to the Kentucky 2001 compilation by writing to the Office of the Judge-Executive, Floyd County Courthouse Annex, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

## KY 2001:

A partial wish list of needs that should be addressed in Floyd County according to participants in a public meeting April 11:

### HUMAN RESOURCES

- Individualized attention in such areas as JOBS program. JOBS caseload is too big and more help is needed with that program
- Hearing aids, and dental services for elderly and low-income.
- Stronger emphasis on science, technology, and math
- More emphasis on education
- More preventative health care

### NATURAL RESOURCES/ ENVIRONMENT

- Public water source
- County-wide recycling program
- Develop conservative logging practices
- Support the restoration of historic places
- Reforestation
- Move the incinerator at Highlands Regional to an unpopulated area, such as a strip mine site

### ECONOMY

- Incentive to keep and bring more jobs in the area
- Promote service learning
- Collaboration between counties
- Involve citizens in planning stages
- Strengthen families, especially need more support for single par-

### ent families • Childcare TRANSPORTATION

- Fix potholes
- Enforce traffic laws
- Affordable transportation system
- Transportation voucher system
- Community bus to transport residents from here to work in the "golden triangle," or students traveling from PCC to Morehead

### JUSTICE

- Emphasis on community service instead of incarceration
- More victim's advocacy programs
- Enforcement
- Joint mandatory counseling for parents and children regarding drug use
- Support legal services
- Supportive services for women
- Infrastructure and services
- Accessible and quality housing for low and middle income families
- County-wide sewer and water districts
- Zoning laws that prevent hills from sliding down on homes.
- Enforcement of housing codes
- Area Organizations/Governance
- Accessible town meetings and that government meetings, such as the fiscal court, be held in evenings.
- Ensure that magistrates' time is allocated to priority of needs.
- Educate public officials
- More representation, not less

## Teleconference to be hosted by Pikeville hospital

On Wednesday, April 17, Pikeville Methodist Hospital will join 2,000 other organizations across the United States and Canada as a local host for the third annual National Bereavement Teleconference sponsored by the Hospice Foundation of America.

"Living with Grief: After Sudden Loss," a live-via-satellite video teleconference, will focus on grief and bereavement issues involved with sudden and traumatic death.

It will be moderated by Cokie Roberts of ABC News and will feature a distinguished panel of experts.

The teleconference is being co-sponsored by Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) and the Association for Death Education and Counseling (ADEC), in cooperation with the American Medical Association and the American Nurses Association.

The teleconference will be held in the Pikeville Methodist Hospital Education Center located on the corner of Fourth Street and Hambley Boulevard in Pikeville. To register for this free teleconference, call 437-3525.

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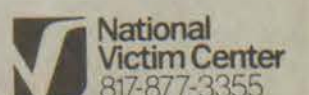
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# Exercise leader workshop, certification scheduled at PCC

The Prestonsburg Community College Wellness Center is hosting the American College of Sports Medicine's Exercise Leader Workshop and Certification for Exercise Leaders, May 15-18.

Part of a nationwide program sponsored by the American College of Sports Medicine, a national organization which has certified health and fitness professionals for over 15 years, the ACSM Exercise Leader Certification provides a national certification process for individuals who possess the skills to safely and effectively implement exercise programs for people who are apparently healthy or who have a controlled disease.

Potential candidates for this workshop and certification work in community-based fitness and wellness centers, corporate fitness programs, rehabilitative exercise programs and personal training programs, including aerobics programs. To be certified, these individuals must demonstrate competency in group and individual leadership, exercise modification for special populations, heart rate monitoring and communication skills. They also must demonstrate competency in identifying major risk factors and recognizing the impact these risk factors have on an individual's exercise program.

"This is a demanding certification, but well worth it," said Christopher Fleming, instructor of Kinesiology and Health Promotion at PCC and Project Health coordinator. Fleming holds the Health Fitness Instructor certification from the ACSM.

The PCC Wellness Center offers the use of fitness machines and free weights, as well as courses in aerobics and karate. Students are allowed to use the facilities free of charge. Anyone else who wants to

use the facilities can enroll by paying a nominal fee on either a per-semester or a per-visit basis. Re-enrollment is required each semester.

For more information, or to register for the workshop and certification, call 1-800-486-5643 or Christopher Fleming at (606) 886-

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110	Windows95 - New Users	3 1/2 hours	9:00 a.m.-May 2 1:30 p.m.-May 8,17,20,24,29 5:00 p.m.-6
111	Windows 3.1	3 1/2 hours	9:00 a.m.-May 22 1:30 p.m.-May 10, 13, 15, 31 5:00 p.m.-May 2, 20, 24
112	Windows95 - Transition for 3.1 Users	3 1/2 hours	9:00 a.m.-May 8, 15, 31 1:30 p.m.-May 2, 22 5:00 p.m.-May 10, 13, 29
200	WordPerfect 5.1 - Level 1	3 1/2 hours	1:30 p.m.-May 28 5:00 p.m.-May 14
210	WordPerfect 6.1 - Level 1	3 1/2 hours	9:00 a.m.-May 7, 14 1:30 p.m.-May 7, 14 5:00 p.m.-May 21
211	Word 6.0 - Level 1	3 1/2 hours	1:30 p.m.-May 9
212	Word 7.0 - Level 1	3 1/2 hours	9:00 a.m.-May 9,16 1:30 p.m.-May 30
300	Excel 7.0 - Level 1	3 1/2 hours	1:30 p.m.-May 21 5:00 p.m.-May 7
310	Lotus 1-2-3, 5.0 - Level 1	3 1/2 hours	9:00 a.m.-May 21 1:30 p.m.-May 16
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**A Look At Sports**

**Best wishes goes to Coach Wireman of Johnson Central**

Johnson Central girls' head basketball coach Phillip Wireman was involved in a tragic boating accident last Sunday. We understand that Wireman suffered some cuts from the accident, but his father-in-law, Edgar Caudill, lost his life.

Coach Wireman is the cream of the crop in the high school coaching ranks. He is one of the finest individuals that I have had the privilege of working with. He has always been courteous and accommodating in all interviews and contacts.

I consider Coach Wireman a very good friend and I wish him the best in his recovery and my sympathy goes to the Caudill family over the loss of their loved one.

**SOMEBODY GOOFED...**

The delay continues at the Allen Central track and field complex where more asphalt is being laid because someone didn't do the job right to start with.

The track was not laid in accordance with specs, according to coach Dewey Jamerson, and striping of the track has been held up until corrections can be made.

This is ridiculous. Why did something like this happen? Because when laying a track facility out you need someone who knows how to do the job and do it right.

With the delay in striping, according to Coach Jamerson, Allen Central may have to find another place to host the Class 2A regionals this year. It was to be a boost to the program and a chance to raise money by hosting the regional meet that always brings fans in from all over. But now that could be in jeopardy.

It was hopeful that the track season would find schools competing at the new facility, but it has been an adventure the past three years to get the facility opened.

There has been much opposition to the project and without justification. We need such a facility in Floyd County and some parents and students have fought hard over the past seven years to get it.

Now when it looked like the dream would become a reality this season, more problems have cropped up.

If we are going to do anything for our kids, then we have to pull together, all over the county. We can't be fighting one another just because of petty jealousy. The new facility should have the support of all Floyd County people. This is a needed facility.

Folks around the county should get behind it and see it through to completeness and then go after the next project, with all pulling together.

I know that Allen Central needs a baseball facility. But so does Betsy Layne, South Floyd and Prestonsburg. I feel that all high schools should have their own baseball diamond on their school campus. No high school should have to depend on using public parks to play their games.

But unless we work together toward the goals of each school having its own facility, then we will never progress but rather go backwards. Being jealous over the fortunes of another institution only breeds bitterness.

Floyd County has always had the reputation of not getting along and working together as other counties have. For once, I would like for this county to prove others wrong. Let's get this track and field facility completed and go on to other things. Each softball team should have

**Bailey, Stumbo place second in Clay Co. Inv.**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Allen Central boys track and field team placed fifth overall out of 10 teams in the Clay County Invitational at Clay County this past Saturday as the rain drops fell.

"We didn't do too bad," said Allen Central coach Dewey Jamerson. "In fact, I think it is the best finish we have ever had at the Clay County meet.

"It was good competition for us early in the year. I was proud of Chris (Bailey) and Estill (Stumbo) and the way they performed."

Bailey finished second in the men's discus with a toss of 131 feet. Stumbo took second in the men's 110-meter hurdles.

"They both had just returned from senior trip and were very tired. I mean they stepped off one bus onto another. You could really tell it on Estill in the 300 hurdles, especially the last three hurdles."

Stumbo posted a time of 16:14 in the 110 hurdles for second place. He was timed at 43.87 in the 300, good for fourth place.

"It was rainy weather and that affected the way he ran," said Coach Jamerson. "I thought if either he or Chris just scored that would be something."

Levi Wells was measured at 40' 4" for third place in the men's shot put. He was fourth in discus at 112' nine inches. Roger Collins did not place with his throw of 36' 6" in the shot put.

Jackie Owens and David Poff took part in the men's triple jump. Owens was measured at 36' 2" and Poff had a jump of 32 feet. In long jump, Owens finished with a leap of 15' 11" while Poff had a jump of 16' 1 inch.

Collins took third place overall in the men's high jump clearing the bar at 5' and four inches. Owens also competed but did not place.

In the track events, the foursome of Chad Martin, David Poff, Brian Jones and Jay Harvey was clocked at 10:59.26 in the men's 3200-meter relays. The men's 400-meter relay team of Nathan Goble, John Goble, Scott Slone and

Todd Samons had a time of 53.5.

Jay Harvey ran a 5.49.20 in the 1600-meter dash with Brian Jones finishing at 6.53.56. Scott Slone ran the 100-meter dash in 13.95 while Nathan Goble finished in 14.59.

Todd Samons finished at 59.32 in the 400-meter dash. John Goble finished at 1:01.24. Owens ran the 300-meter hurdles and was clocked at 57.94.

In the men's 800-meter run, Jay Harvey ran in at 2:42.81 and Nick Jamerson finished 3:21.71. Harvey had a time of 13:06.04 in the grueling 3200 meter run. Chad Martin ran a 14:18.83.

In girls track and field, Jenny Wells placed fourth overall in women's shot put. She had a throw of 27 feet for the fourth spot. Liz Howard had a throw of 18' and ten inches.

Wells failed to place in the women's discus with a throw of 64' 3". Disappointment was obvious; Wells is one of the top women discus throwers in the region.

"Jenny was very disappointed with her throw

both in shot and discus," said Coach Jamerson. Liz Howard had a toss of 54' 4" in the discus.

The 3200-meter relay team of Allen Central placed sixth overall with a combined time of 13:24.84. The foursome included Jessica Martin, Crystal Martin, Dreamia Isaacs and Annie Harvey.

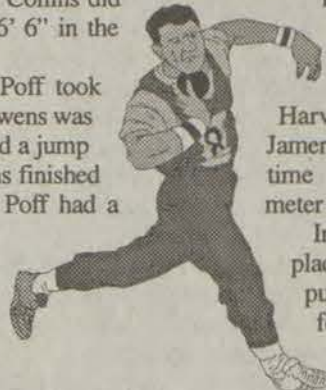
Pam Goble finished at 21.29 in the women's 100-meter hurdles. She ran a 1:05.89 in the women's 300-meter hurdles.

In the women's 100-meter dash, Greta Halbert ran at 16.01 and Sabrina Martin was timed at 17.47.

Dreamia Isaacs and Annie Harvey did not place in the women's 1600-meter dash. Harvey finished at 7:11.48, while Isaacs was clocked at 7:40.30.

Crystal Martin ran a 1:20.22 in the women's 400-meter dash while Jessica Martin ran a 1:24.16.

Dreamia Isaacs had a time of 3:35.50 in the women's 800-meter run. Sabrina Martin was timed at 39.25 in the 200-meter dash. Tina Hall was impressive in the 3200-meter run and finished with a time of 18:00.67.



**Combs scores 16:**

**Allen Central rolls past Betsy Layne**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Betsy Layne 12-year-old AAU girls found the pressure of Allen Central too much as they dropped a 60-20 decision in the opening round of the girls' AAU regional tournament at Martin Elementary Monday night. The tournament was originally scheduled for Allen Central's gym.

Beth Combs pumped in 16 points to lead Allen Central. Shannon Sizemore added 13 and Jaelyn Martin finished with nine points.

Devon Reynolds was the only Betsy Layne player to score in double figures and led Betsy Layne with her 11 points. Tabitha Whitt, Ashley Hall, Amber Roberts and Kim Tackett each had two points. Heather Evans had one point.

Allen Central used its full-court pressure and vaulted out to a 21-4 lead to settle the issue early. Sizemore completed a three-point play and scored nine first-quarter points to lead Central. Combs had eight points in the first period. Roberts and Tackett had a field goal each in the first quarter for Betsy Layne.

Central continued to roll in the second quarter with a 13-6 spurt that netted them a 34-10 halftime lead. Allen Central led 48-14 after three quarters.

Jaelyn Brown, Megan Hyden, Allison Hancock scored four points each for Allen Central. Becky Smith, Jeni Jo Spurlock, Leigh Brown, Shawna Case and Dee Mullins had two points in the game.

**MCA first annual golf scramble, April 27**

Mountain Christian Academy will host its first annual Golf Scramble on Saturday, April 27 at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park with tee off time set for 9 a.m.

A four-man best ball format (bring your own team) will be the order of the day. A \$35 entry fee per golfer will be required.

Prizes for the closest to the hole on 3, 6 and 8 will be awarded. Also for the longest drive.

An \$800 first prize, \$300 second prize and \$100 third prize will be awarded as well.

All proceeds benefit the academic programs at Mountain Christian Academy. For more information, contact Tina at (606) 285-5141.



**Home run swing**

Allen Central's Karen Wallen made contact and drove the ball over the left center-field fence for a three-run home run against Betsy Layne last Thursday evening. Wallen's blast highlighted a five-run fourth inning in Allen Central's 11-8 win over the Lady Cats. (photo by Ed Taylor)

**Wallen's three-run home run powers Allen Central past Betsy Layne, 11-8**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The weather has been anything but good softball weather, but last Thursday was an exception as the sun was out and the conditions were perfect for girls' high school softball.

But things weren't so perfect for the Betsy Layne Lady Cats as they saw a 5-2 lead disappear to the Allen Central Lady Rebels and came up on the short end of the score at 11-8.

Karen Wallen blasted a fourth-inning three-run home run as Allen Central scored five times to take a 7-5 lead over Betsy Layne. Tish Yates and April Hardy had opened the fourth with back-to-back walks before Betsy Layne pitcher Ashley Tackett got Valinda Turner on strikes for the first out. Wallen then deposited the ball over the left centerfield fence for three runs.

The Allen Central rally continued when Shanna Moore singled and scored on Misty Scott's triple. Scott came home with the fifth Allen Central run when Melissa Mullins grounded out.

Allen Central scored twice in the first inning to lead 2-0. But Betsy Layne scored single runs in the first and second inning to tie the game at 2-all. Mendy Robinette scored in the first and Jessica Johnson scored in the second. Both runs were unearned against Allen Central starter Tish Yates.

Allen Central saw two runs cross home plate in the third inning, but the umpire later ruled that three outs did occur before the three runs scored in a very comic situation. The runs were nullified and inning over.

Betsy Layne plated three runs in their half of the third and led 5-2. Three consecutive walks by Yates put Robinette, Mandy Hall and Tackett on base. All three runs scored on passed balls.

Allen Central, leading 7-5 after the five-run fourth, went out in order in the fifth inning against Tackett. Betsy Layne made it a 7-6 game as

Tackett walked and scored Johnson's double. Yates got Krystal Newsome and Rachel Thompson to pop up to end the inning.

Allen Central collected two doubles and a single in the top of the sixth as they pushed home four runs to lead 11-7. Turner opened the inning with a double and Wallen fanned. Moore ripped a solid line drive to left center, scoring Turner. Moore moved to second on the throw to the plate and came around to score on Scott's double. Scott dented home plate when Mullins' roller to shortstop was misplayed. Mullins scored the fourth run of the inning.

Betsy Layne made things interesting in the bottom of the sixth. Consecutive walks to Sabrina

Martine and Bridgett Brooks started the two-run rally. Yates got Robinette to pop to shortstop and Hall to pop up to first base. But Tackett sent the ball to right center and to the fence for a two-run triple. Johnson walked, but Jessica Clark grounded to second to end the game.

Yates picked up the win for Allen Central. She worked six innings and struck out six batters. She issued 11 walks in the game. Yates allowed eight runs on only two hits.

Tackett suffered the setback going the distance for Betsy Layne. She gave up 11 runs on eight hits, striking out four and walking four.

Moore and Scott each collected two hits for Allen Central. Tackett and Johnson had the only hits for Betsy Layne.

**Kids Day in the Park**

Hurry, hurry, hurry! The big show is about to begin and you don't want to miss it.

Kids Day in the Park, a joint effort by radio station WMDJ and Food City, kicks off at 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 27th at Prestonsburg's Archer Park.

The day is guaranteed to be a very special day in the lives of several hundred kids who will march on the city park to enjoy a full day of fun, games, treats and other events of the day.

Last year the special day drew over 800 kids, who enjoyed the ice cream booth and all other refreshments on a hot day in May.

This year the special kids' day has been moved to April and the gathering should be even bigger this year.

Kids Day in the Park is for kids three and under to nine years of age. Each age group will be competing in his/her age groups. Everyone will go home a winner. Trophies will be the order of the day upon its completion.

"This year we will award trophies for first, second and third

place finishes in every age group and for every game," said Mona McKinney, the games' director. "As in years past, every child will leave the park with something. We will have a major prize for each of the seven age groups this year."

Parents may register their children all day long at Archer Park even though the events start at 11 a.m.

Nine events will be held this year with the hurdles and yard darts added from last season. Kids three and under will not take part in the hurdles or the three-legged race.

Events to be held this season include: the popular Big Wheel Race, with flagman Dale McKinney in control. The race will be held at the small ring upon entering Archer Park.

The Hurdles should be fun for all age groups. The hurdles will be held at the T-ball field. A mat will be on hand to cushion any spills.

The 50-yard dash takes place at the men's softball field (first half). Some future track stars will com-

**Missed free throws costly for Pikeville in loss to BL**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Pikeville girls' AAU team found out that having the ability to hit free throws is very important, especially down the stretch. Pikeville missed five straight from the charity stripe in the fourth quarter and dropped a 19-15 decision to the Betsy Layne 2 team in the first round of the girls' AAU regionals at Martin Monday night.

Amber Bilter scored seven points while Jennifer Lawson and Whitney Lawson scored five points each for Betsy Layne. Becky Likens added two points.

Donna Moore led Pikeville with five points. Sarah Boyd added four. Boyd and Lashona Owens both missed two free throws in the final 20 seconds that could have tied the game. Betsy Layne also struggled from the charity stripe, hitting only two of seven tries. Jennifer Lawson missed the front end of a bonus shot with just 15 seconds to play, but Pikeville could not find the basket.

In fact, Pikeville had trouble offensively all night, failing to score a field goal in either the second or third periods. Pikeville took a 7-3 first-quarter lead over Betsy Layne on baskets by Boyd, Owens and Moore. But they could not stir the nets in the second period, hitting only one of four free throw attempts. Betsy Layne owned a 10-8 halftime lead.

Pikeville's woes continued in the third quarter when they failed to find the basket from the floor. They made three of six free throws in the third period and were down 15-11 after three quarters. Betsy Layne got baskets from both Lawsons and free throw from Bilter to lead.

Turnovers plagued both clubs in the fourth quarter as they tried to help each other by throwing the ball away.

Both clubs attempted the same number of free throws (17) with Pikeville hitting five and Betsy Layne six.

**Prestonsburg Youth Baseball will hold opening day Saturday**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

While the official opening day for the Prestonsburg Youth Baseball League isn't until Monday, April 29, the league will hold their annual "Opening Day" ceremonies this coming Saturday at Archer Park where each team will play an exhibition game.

Games will involve tee-ball, minor league, Little League, senior league, and girls softball.

Girls softball will begin play at 10 a.m. Little League games will start at 1 p.m. while Tee-ball will play at noon. At 2 p.m., the senior league will begin their games.

It will be a full day of baseball in preparation for the April 29 date.



# Outdoors-Woman program welcomes Latta

Kentucky Tourism Secretary Ann R. Latta (former Prestonsburg mayor) has decided she wants to become an outdoors woman, and will be attending a workshop this weekend co-sponsored by the cabinet's departments of Fish and

Wildlife Resources (KDFWR) and Parks at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park.

Secretary Latta will be one of more than 50 women who will participate in the second of three "Becoming an Outdoors-Woman"

(BOW) workshops to be held in Kentucky this year. The BOW program is designed to introduce women to a wide variety of outdoor experiences, including the basics of fishing, shooting, hunting, camping, wildlife photography, survival and more.

Kentucky's program has been highly popular and successful since it began last year. In fact, the April workshop will be observed by representatives from Hawaii, Virginia, West Virginia, and North Carolina who are in the process of training instructors for starting programs in those states.

"I think this is a wonderful opportunity for women in Kentucky to become more familiar with the outdoors, wildlife and nature," said Latta. "I've always enjoyed and been active in outdoor activities, and would encourage women to take advantage of this program if they're interested in learning some basic outdoor skills in a relaxed atmosphere."

"This is a great example of the kinds of beneficial public programs that can be developed when several agencies and organizations work cooperatively. It's good for both sponsors and participants."

The Becoming an Outdoors-Woman Program is co-sponsored by the KDFWR and the Department of Parks in the Tourism Cabinet, the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service and the League of Kentucky Sportsman.

For more information on the BOW Program, contact the KDFWR at #1 Game Farm Road, Frandfort, KY 40601; phone (502)564-4336.

### WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

Friday, April 19, 10 a.m.-Noon, Check In & Registration; 12:30 p.m., Welcome; 1 p.m.-4:30 p.m. Session I.

Session One will include: A. Intro to firearms; B. Fly tying/fishing; C. Basics of turkey hunting; D. Motorboat/Water Safety; E. Dutch



Ann Latta

oven cooking; F. Survival techniques; G. Nature Hike; H. Taking children outdoors; I. Nature photography; J. Basic camping skills.

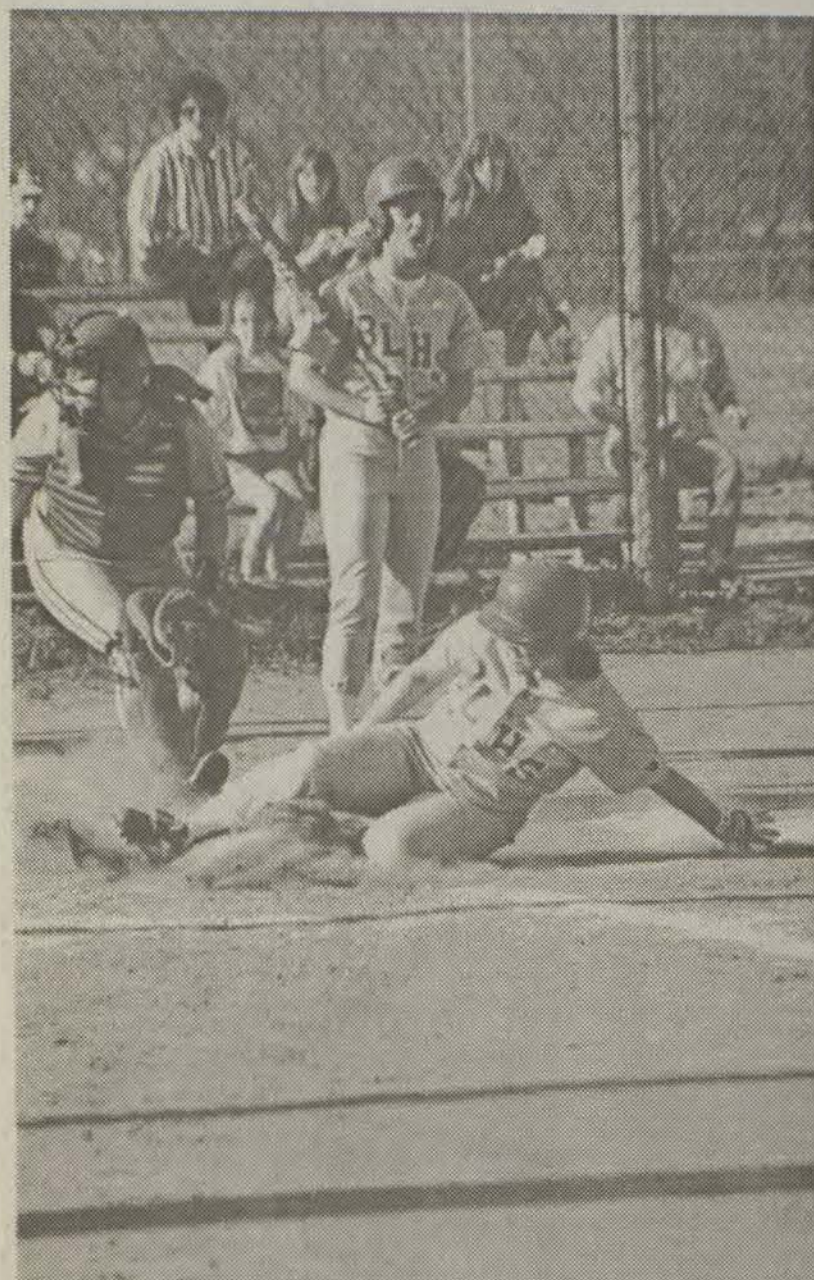
At 6 p.m., Wild Game Reception will be held. At 7 p.m., Alethea Wells will speak on the topic the History of Jenny Wiley

Session II, Saturday, April 20, 8 a.m.-11 a.m. will feature: A. Intro to firearms; B. Beginning shotgun; C. Beginning riflery; D. Dutch oven cooking; E. Beginning archery; F. Survival techniques; G. Motorboat/Water safety; H. Nature Journaling; I. Taking children outdoors.

Session III, Saturday, April 20, 1 p.m.-4:30 p.m. will include: A. Intro to firearms; B. Beginning archery; C. Beginning shotgun; D. Beginning Riflery/Pistol; E. Dutch oven cooking; F. Motorboat/Water safety; G. Basic fishing skills; H. Basics of orienteering; I. Basics of turkey hunting; J. Nature photography.

Session IV, Sunday April 21, 8-11:30 a.m. will include: A. Advanced shotgun; B. Motorboat/Water safety; C. Advanced Riflery; Pistol; D. Fly Tying/Fishing; E. Nature Journaling; F. Survival Techniques; G. Dutch oven cooking; H. Basics of turkey hunting; I. Basic Camping skills; J. Basics of orienteering.

Workshop fee includes registration, reception, instructions in all sessions, program materials, use of demonstration equipment, lodging, transportation to and from sessions, receptions and dinner on Saturday.



### A cloud of dust....

Ashley Tackett (with bat) instructed Mendy Robinette to slide on a play at the plate last Thursday evening at the Allen Park. Allen Central scored five runs in the fourth inning and pulled out an 11-8 win over Betsy Layne. (photo by Ed Taylor)

## Park

pete in this event. It's always fun to watch.

One of the favorite old-fashioned picnic games, the Sack Race, will be held on the other part of the men's softball field.

Kickball has become one of the favorite sports at the day's events. Kickball will be conducted at the women's softball field. Get your partner together and get some practice in because you are going to need it at everyone's favorite, the three-legged race. Oh, what fun! This event will take place on the Little League field.

Yard Darts will take place around the War Memorial/Water Fountain area. Some of our future quarterbacks will want to get in line for the football toss that will be held near the police concession stand. In the same area will be the Bull's Eye event.

The events will be numbered one through nine. Children three and under will start the day's activ-

ities with event number one, going right on through event number nine. After all seven age groups have gone through the nine events, trophies will be awarded.

A magic show will be held at 2:30 p.m. as the concluding event of the day.

The Harman Medical booth will be the official first aid station for the games. The Allen Central ROTC and Prestonsburg Auxillary Police will also have concession booths.

A special treat will be the appearance of the Food City Big Cart.

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McKinney is urging all workers to have plenty of patience, compassion and understanding. "This will be one of the biggest days in these kids lives," he said.

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## A Look at Sports

their own field to play on, instead of Little League facilities.

### COACH REEVES....

I had a chance to take a drive up to the track and field facility last Thursday under some beautiful skies. The weather was warm and just a perfect day to visit with coach Glenn Reeves, football coach at Allen Central.

Coach Reeves is like most football coaches, wishing that spring practice is still part of the programs in Kentucky. He is dreaming of the beginning of a new season, and is very much excited about it and the team he will have returning.

The Allen Central coach showed me his 1965 F150 pick up truck and the bullet hole that had penetrated one of the fenders. Seems the truck belonged to his father and he cherished it very much.

He raised the hood to display the motor that looked so simple that anyone could work on it compared to today's models.

The one side was eaten almost away, but that didn't matter to Coach Reeves, it was almost football time.

The coach said the reason other states are so far ahead of us in high school football is they still have spring practices.

"In spring practice, you could tell what you had coming in for the fall and what players really wanted to play football," the veteran coach said as he dusted a little dirt off the hood of the truck. "That's why states like Tennessee and others are ahead of us and have good teams."

The Allen Central coach reached in and adjusted

some of the many valuables in the back of the truck like old tires, wires and etc. He didn't want the truck to look bad.

As he talked of his returning players, he mounted the side of the truck for a resting place. Boy, he loved his old truck. Coach Reeves was overseeing the watering of the grass on the football field and said he was proud of the facility where his team plays football. He credited a lot of people for the hard work that was put into the facility and spoke of maybe seeing another set of bleachers and a press box installed some day.

As he wiped the back fender of the F150, he recalled the "beating" his team took at Whitesburg last season and said, "they have to come here this year." Coach Reeves, with is hand on the front hood rubbing the spot where there were many holes, said that he thought Wayne Chapman was a much underrated quarterback last year for Breathitt County and "just as good as (Tim) Couch."

Thoughts of cookies and milk came to the Rebel coach's mind and he wondered if he should hurry home in order to get a glass and a cookie. You see, his son Josh had left ahead of him to go home.

Coach Reeves shut the water off and climbed into his trusty truck, that belonged to his dad, and the engine purred like a new one as he headed into the sun and for home.

It was good to visit with the Rebel football coach, even though it wasn't planned that way. I enjoyed it. I enjoy talking to all coaches. I appreciate them all.

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports.



Coach Glenn Reeves

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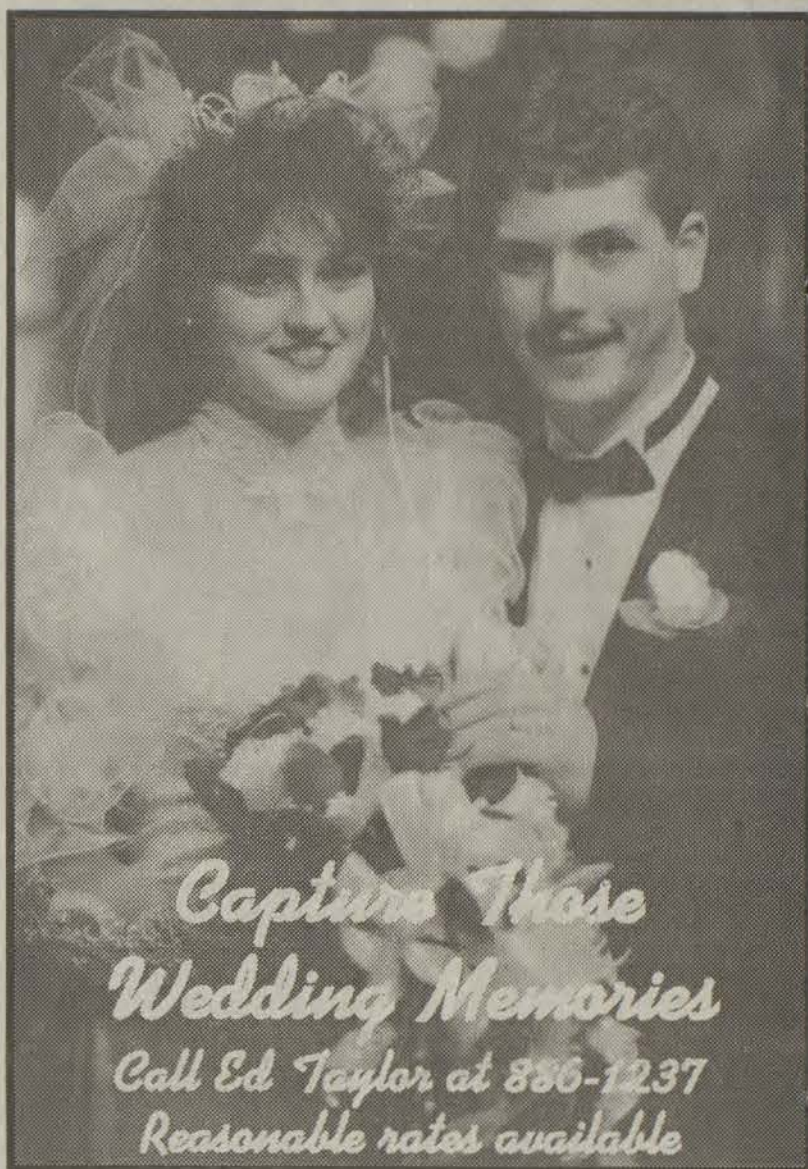
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# Sports in Kentucky

By Bob Watkins

## Adolph Rupp is resurrected again ... to boost Sports Illustrated sales

There was irony in the air last week as television commercials blared the arrival of Sports Illustrated's Judas edition.

Hanging out like a carrot for UK basketball fans, SI's pitch was: Buy a year's subscription and get a copy of our UK NCAA title celebration issue.

Delirious Kentucky fans are credited for having the memories of road kill, so here is a free jolt or two: William Nack's flawed and ill-conceived jump job on Rick Pitino last month. And Alexander Woolf's meandering 'even good writers have off-days' piece on Kentucky's victory over Syracuse.

This uh, special is another of SI's issues of dead man walking. Breathing life into the late coach's legendary side, after a menu of Ruppism/racism the week before, SI's is a shameless feeding on Adolph Rupp, resurrecting the Baron to broaden the market.

Curious how Adolph F. Rupp, a man whose name belongs in the front rank of pioneers responsible for college basketball's billion dollar prosperity, has been made the villain symbol in a game to which he contributed so much?

Media, those who have no inkling of history and find it easy to embrace the eloquence of their fellows, have made Rupp a metaphor for Jim Crowism. And a synonym for a hate-imagined, 30-year-old game labeled Brown versus the Board of Education.

It is a sad commentary, not only for Rupp's memory and his family's pride in the Baron's contribution, but loathsome that so many in the media herd scorn in ignorance and without compassion, the man who was architect to 876 victories and four NCAA championships in 42 years. More important, UK's basketball tradition grew into a hallmark of people pride in Kentucky, and an entity that has spiraled out like a stone in a pond to make UK hoops a market itself.

And this: Without Rupp, Rick Pitino might be a fast-talking precinct captain in Queens, and Joe Hall could still be selling catsup.

For all the good he caused, Rupp's alleged remarks following Kentucky's loss to Texas Western in the NCAA finals in 1966, are still made to dance on his grave each springtime by a legion of writers who mindlessly dredge up his name

to pen a sonnet on racial insensitivity.

Interesting, while a dead man's family is made to suffer a re-invention of his reputation each year, a forgiving/ignoring compassion is extended to gloss over Jim Valvano's cheating, the ignominy of Dean Smith shouting at opposing players (some say cursing them), Woody Hayes slapping an opposing football player's helmet, Billy Packer's poor choice of words in praising Allen Iverson, a CBS golf commentator on lesbianism, and, on a larger stage, Jessie Jackson disparaging New York Jews.

Why is Rupp still accountable? In part, because he isn't here and Don Haskins is — bad heart and all. But partly because Rupp could be right and arrogant about it, pugnacious and blustery, and sometimes ruthless with his players. But mainly because he was successful and his name is still atop the all-time coaching wins list.

"So many people writing things today aren't old enough to know what they're talking about," Rupp's son Herky said last week. "So many of them have read and written what others have written. I lived around the man 37 years and I knew him. A lot of things that are written about dad mystify our family. Things that are just not the truth. Sports Illustrated? We learned a long time ago to not read it at all."

"The media does a disservice by writing these things," Rupp added. "A disservice to our family and to the state of Kentucky."

And now, an abiding critic of Rupp, indeed basketball in Kentucky, wants you to take the carrot, subscribe, invest in its success.

Footnote: If Texas El Paso coach Don Haskins is ever elected to College Basketball's Hall of Fame, I hope his friend Bob Knight reminds him to do the right thing, mention Adolph Rupp in his acceptance speech. Without Kentucky's old coach and his Runts, would anyone remember who coached the team that won the NCAA championship 30 years ago?

### UK RECRUITING NEWS

There isn't any. Pitino is still courting 6-10 Jamal Magliore of Toronto, Ontario.

What's the problem? Even with

an NCAA crown, apparently it is a hard sell even for Da Coach, the promise of playing time in ten-minutes to high school hot shots who are convinced they're a year, perhaps two from the NBA. Also, the rigors of Pitino's conditioning program "simply are not for every kid," one high school coach said.

### NO TOUR FOR UK SENIORS

Marquee headliners Mark Pope, Walter McCarty and Tony Delk will not play in the so-called Legends Tour '96, UK director of athletics C.M. Newton said last week. The three will be in Lexington concentrating on their studies.

The absence of the tri-captains on UK's NCAA championship team will be a severe blow to the 31-game exhibition tour.

Former UK players who will take part in stops at high schools in eastern and central Kentucky are Richie Farmer, Jeff Brassow, Kenny Walker, Dale Brown, Sean Woods and Ed Davender.

### WORTH REPEATING DEPT.

√ Billy Ray Cassidy, a member of the last 15th Region team to win a state championship, Inez 1954 (and Cassidy was sixth man on UK's 1958 NCAA championship club), had the perfect spin on Paintsville High winning this year's boys Sweet 16: "This goes to show that kids from the 15th Region can do it," Cassidy told Vernon Robinson of the Martin Co. Sun. "It just takes a lot of hard work and dedication. I know from experience this will be one of the greatest memories those kids will have as long as they live."

√ Have to like his style. Gerald Tabor, coach of state girls champion Union County, says he expects his team to be preseason ranked No. 1 in the state next season. "I don't see how they can do anything but rank us No. 1," Tabor told the Sturgis Kiwanis Club. The Bravettes capped a 29-5 season with the state championship last month in Bowling Green.

### DIS 'N DATA

√ Stop the presses! Two megastars in one 24-hour period confessed they "blew it" Sunday. Greg Norman blamed himself for blowing a 6-shot lead and losing the Masters Golf Tournament to Nick Faldo; and Earvin Johnson said he

was wrong to bump NBA referee Scott Foster which earned Magic an ejection.

√ Western Ky. U. men's basketball took a hit last week when promising 6-5 forward Carl Thomas said he won't return for the Hilltoppers next season. Thomas says he wants to try "something different." Insiders say Thomas lost his chance to start because he was unable to grasp WKU's system.

### FINAL FOUR BITS...

√ The idea of re-seeding the Final Four is preposterous. Instead of tinkering with something that does not need fixing, NCAA Tournament officials (and CBS Sports) ought to deal with a real problem, too many time-outs at the end of games. ... Did any Kentucky fans and University of Kentucky officials (including Rupp Arena public address man for Wildcat games Doug Bruce) notice how clear, even and smooth player introductions were before games at the Meadowlands? It made player and coach introductions at Rupp Arena echo more tacky than ever.

√ Media knows. Twenty-nine media-types were polled by the Courier-Journal before the Final Four, to pick the winner. How many were right? One. Mike DeCourcy from Memphis, picked Kentucky over Syracuse to win the championship.

√ Maybe I missed this, but what ever happened to Moe Williams, UK football's newest contribution to the NFL? In a pre-draft look at top running-back prospects by The Sporting News last week, Williams was nowhere to be found among the first five or 'Others.'

Suppose we will find out next week when the NFL draft is sorted out.

### PARTING SHOT

Los Angeles Laker guard Nick VanExel doesn't get it. Refusing to apologize for pushing NBA referee Ron Garretson, VanExel said, "I can't see myself hitting him that hard to where he lands up and jumps on the table. It was probably a good Hollywood job by him."

And so it goes. *Have a point of view you would like to share? Write to Bob Watkins, Sports In Ky, P.O. Box 124, Glendale, Ky. 42740. Or, E-Mail SptsInKy@aol.com.*

## Mullins edges McDowell in AAU regionals, 32-30

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The McDowell AAU girls found themselves down by five points after three quarters, but their fourth quarter rally fell short two points as they dropped a 32-30 loss to Mullins in the opening round of the regional tournament at Martin Elementary.

Ashley Melvin scored a game-high 15 points for Mullins with Susan Stamper tossing in nine points.

Alexis Maldorads led McDowell with 11 points. Jessica Paige had six points.

Both teams opened the first quarter very sluggish — both on offense and defense. Turnovers highlighted the first four minutes of the game, but it was Mullins who owned the 7-5 first-quarter lead. Melvin buried a three-pointer in the initial quarter and scored five of her team's seven points. McDowell struggled early from the free throw line as the group missed six of nine first-period attempts. Misty Halbert had the only field goal for McDowell in the first quarter, scoring three points. Maldorads had the other two points.

Mullins hit six of ten free throws in the second period to take a 21-12

lead to the locker area at the half. Alisha Weddington hit two of six attempts and Stamper was perfect with four-of-four from the charity stripe.

McDowell outscored Mullins 12-8 in the third period to narrow the lead to five points, 29-24. Maldorads and Paige each scored four points in the period. Melvin had all eight points for Melvin.

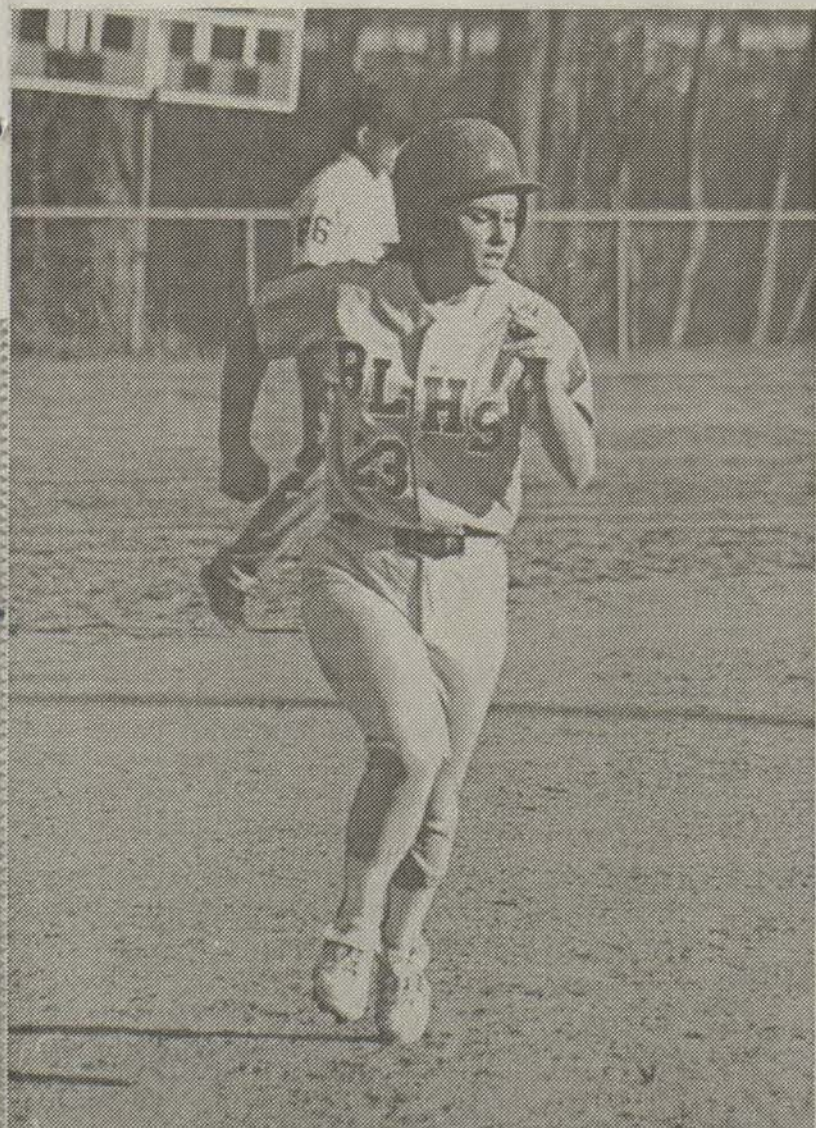
Samantha Thacker scored the only field goal for Mullins in the fourth quarter, but it proved to be a big one as Mullins could only manage three points in the final period. Mullins missed three bonus free throws down the stretch, but pulled out the win.

Halbert finished with five points for McDowell. Stephanie Skeans added four. Jessica Adams and

Amanda Tackett scored two each. Weddington netted six points for Mullins, with Thacker finishing with two points.

McDowell lost the game from the free throw stripe hitting only eight of 22 attempts.

Stamper received a technical foul when she slammed the ball against the floor in disgust over a called foul in the first quarter. Melvin was also assessed with a technical.



Three-bagger

Betsy Layne's Ashley Tackett headed for third base after tripling against Allen Central last Thursday in girls' softball play at the Allen Park. Tackett drove in two runs with the hit, but her team dropped an 11-8 decision to Allen Central. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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One of the most unusual design features of the Sheridan is the placement of two bedrooms at the back, on the far side of twin decks that flank the family room. Each of the bedrooms has a built-in desk, private access to a shared bathroom, and French doors that open onto one of the decks.

A circular hallway just inside the window-bright entryway is also unusual. Circle to the left, and French doors open into the dining room, which, in turn, opens to the kitchen. But you can also get to the kitchen by just continuing a few steps further around the circle. And another few steps puts you in the sunny skylit family room.

Circling right, you pass the French doors of the formal living room, a hallway to the master suite and a door to the guest room or study. Finally, you arrive again at the family room. A small powder room and a fireplace form the hub.

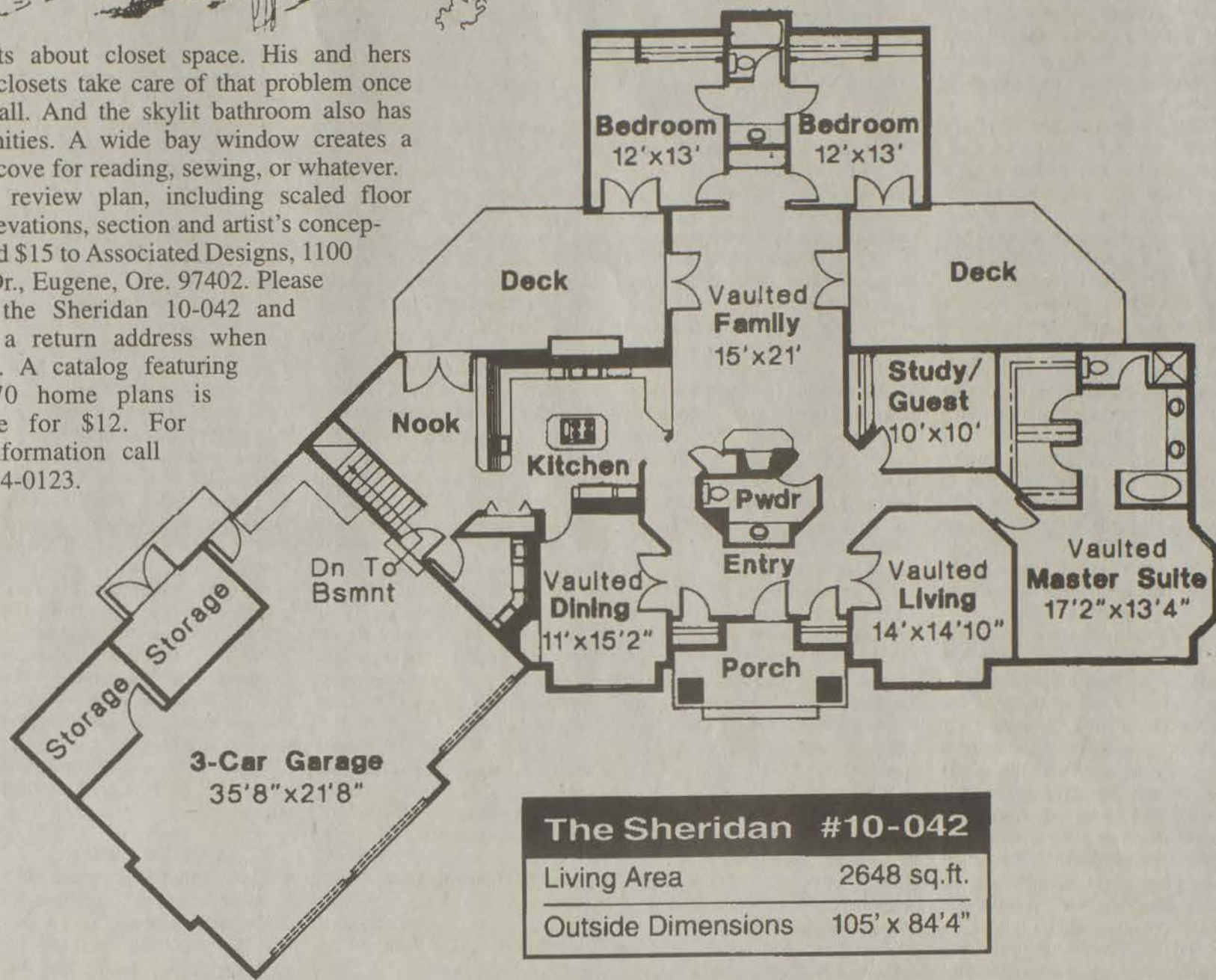
The kitchen is huge. Amenities include a garden window, trash compactor, pantry, cooktop work island, eating bar, extra vegetable sink, and a skylit nook with French doors that open onto a deck. A utility room, complete with sink and cupboards, is tucked into an odd-shaped alcove between the kitchen and garage.

And this is no ordinary garage. It shelters three vehicles, and has plenty of space left over for a workshop and storage.

In the Sheridan's master suite, there will be no

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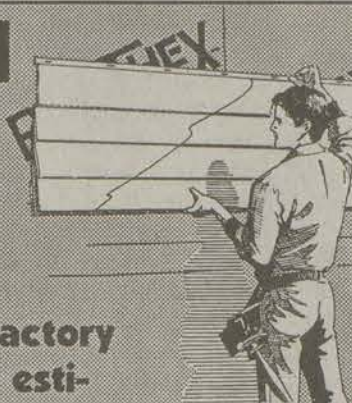
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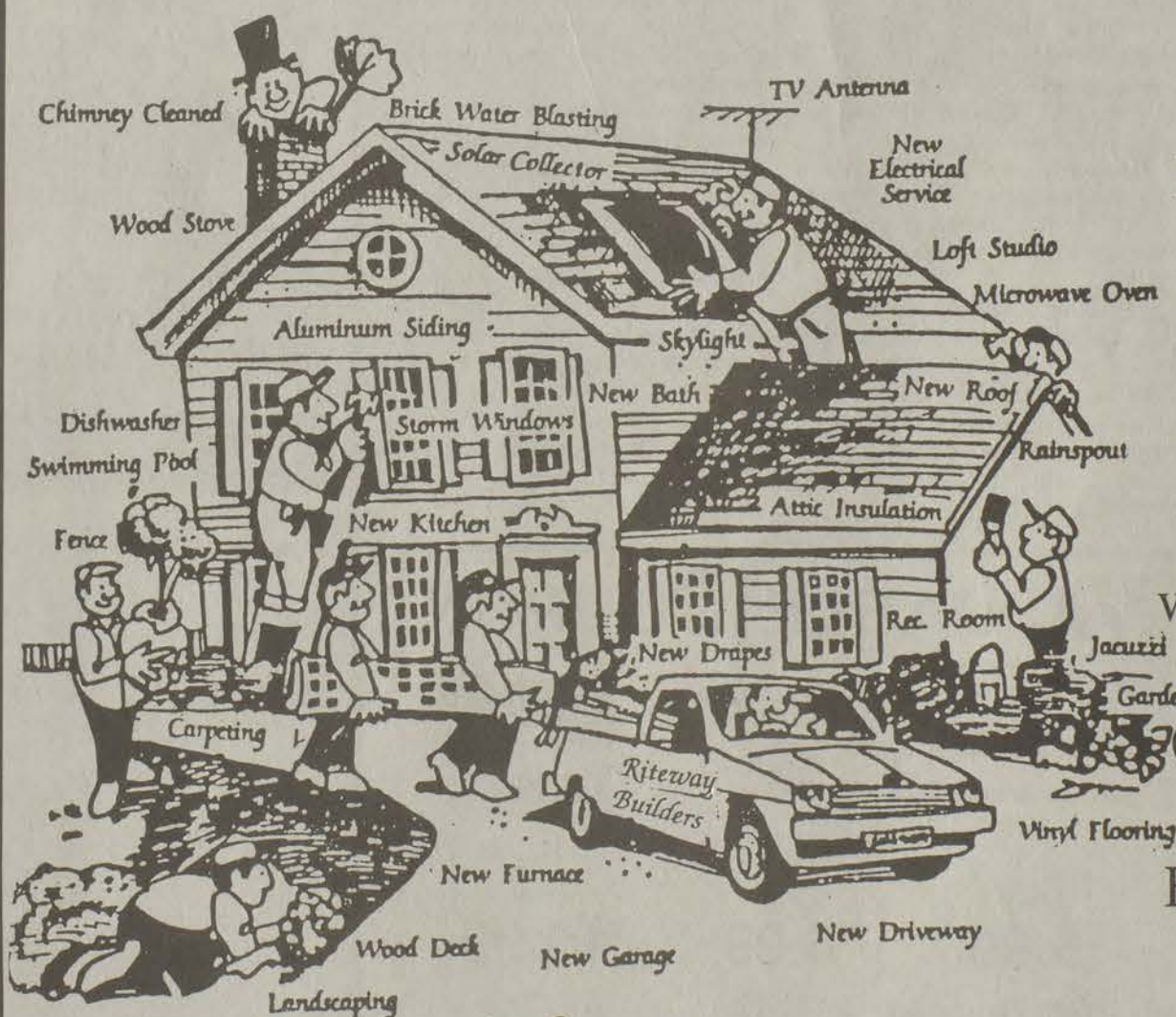


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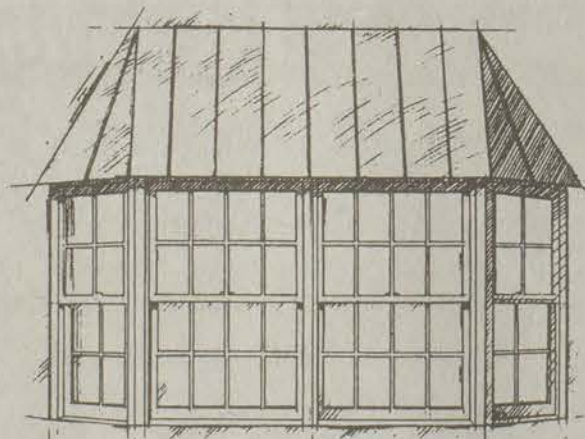
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# The Racing Reporter

by Gerald Hodges

## LaBonte gets first win of season at North Wilkesboro in Union 400

Terry Labonte was the pole-sitter and winner of the First Union 400 at North Wilkesboro, but it was his pit crew that made the victory possible.

Exiting the pits with 14 laps remaining, Labonte beat Gordon out by a bumper length. This put him in the lead, and he held on for his first win of the 1996 season.

"My crew allowed me to beat the other guys (Gordon and Earnhardt) off pit road," said Labonte. "If he (Gordon) had beat me off pit road, he would have won the race."

### TOP 15 FINISHERS...

2) Jeff Gordon, 3) Dale Earnhardt, 4) Robert Pressley, 5) Sterling Marlin, 6) Ernie Irvan, 7) Ricky Craven, 8) Bobby Hamilton, 9) Ken Schrader, 10) Bobby Labonte, 11) Dale Jarrett, 12) Ted Musgrave, 13) Derrike Cope, 14) Ricky Rudd, 15) Hut Strickland.

### POINTS LEADERS...

1) Dale Jarrett, 1063; 2) Dale Earnhardt, 1061; 3) Terry Labonte, 1004; 4) Ricky Craven, 987; 5) Ricky Rudd, 973; 6) Jeff Gordon, 970.

Rusty Wallace was leading, when on lap 367, John Andretti hit the outside wall, and slid down, causing Wallace to run head on into Andretti's number 37. Wallace's team did replace a radiator and other front-end parts, which allowed him to finish the race.

### INVITATIONS EXTENDED...

NASCAR officials announced that 30 drivers, including 20 from the Winston Cup Series have been extended invitations to participate in the NASCAR Suzuka Thunder Special 100 race, November 24 in Japan.

Winston Cup drivers: Jonny

Benson, Ricky Craven, Wally Dallenbach, Dale Earnhardt, Bill Elliott, Jeff Gordon, Steve Grissom, Bobby Hamilton, Ernie Irvan, Dale Jarrett, Terry Labonte, Sterling Marlin, Mark Martin, Kyle Petty, Ricky Rudd, Ken Schrader, Rusty Wallace, Darrell Waltrip and Michael Waltrip.

Busch Series: David Green and Jason Keller.

Winston West/Craftsman Truck Series: Rick Carelli, Scott Gaylord, Butch Gilliland, Lance Hooper, Ron Hornady Jr., Hershel McGriff, Dan Obrist, Steve Portenga.

The NASCAR Suzuka Thunder Special 100 lap race is scheduled to be a 100 lap event, broken into two segments. After the completion of the first 50 laps, the field will be inverted for the final 50. Rules for the event will be based primarily on the NASCAR Winston Cup Series.

Turner Broadcasting (TBS) has been awarded the television rights to broadcast the four scheduled events.

### Driver of the Week: Dale Earnhardt

Dale Earnhardt is a driven competitor.

Intimidating to other drivers on the track; referred to as 'the man in black', and criticized by some sports writers because he tells it like it is, this seven-time Winston Cup Driving champion has another side.

During practice for the Food City 500 in Bristol, Tennessee, March 29, Earnhardt's crew had problems. The car wasn't handling, and there were overheating problems. Soon, it was determined that a head gasket had blown on the Richard Childress Monte Carlo. It had to be brought behind the pit wall in order to install another motor.

While most drivers would have returned to the privacy of their haulers, Earnhardt remained with his team. Pushing the pit cart, joking and talking with bystanders, it was plain to see that Earnhardt was not uptight about the mechanical problems.

"Oh well, we'll get it fixed," he said. "There's plenty of time. That's racing. You've got to handle the problems as they come, then you're ready to race."

Earnhardt's team did replace the engine, but the number three Monte Carlo never handled the way he would have liked it to. Due to rain, the race was shortened, and Earnhardt would up second. Through it all, Earnhardt and his crew were the most relaxed team on pit road.

Due to public pressures for autographs, media and personal appearances, and his machine, a very human side appears — a likable and jovial one.

HOMETOWN: Kannapolis, North Carolina

BIRTHDATE: April 29, 1952

MARTIAL STATUS: Wife; Cindy

Since joining Richard Childress in 1984, he has won 60 races and almost \$20 million. Career total winnings are nearly \$26 million.

His two 35th place finishes at Michigan International Speedway in 1995 cost him a record-setting eighth Winston Cup Championship. His finishes in those two races, combined with Gordon's second and third places, meant a difference of 234 points. Gordon won the championship by 34 points.

### NASCAR BUSCH SERIES DRIVER POINTS...

1) David Green, 1229, 2) Randy LaJoine, 1063, 3) Curtis Markham, 1006, 4) Phil Parsons, 978, 5) Todd Bodine, 949, 6) Glenn Allen, 930, 7) Mark Martin, 909, 8) Jeff Purvis, 885, 9) Bobby Labonte, 878, 10) Larry Pearson, 855, 11) Steve Grissom, 847, 12) Terry Labonte, 823, 13) Rodney Combs, 822, 14) Chad Little, 818, 15) Jason Keller, 813, 16) Jeff Green, 799, 17) Hermie Sadler, 774, 18) Joe Bessey, 707, 19) Mike McLaughlin, 702, 20) Mike Wallace, 680.

### WEEKEND RACING...

NASCAR Winston Cup, Goody's 500

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Racing facts: Rusty Wallace is the defending champion. Ted Musgrave holds the qualifying record (94.129 mph set in September 1994)

NASCAR Truck Series, Chevrolet Desert Star Classic 300k Phoenix International Raceway, one-mile super speedway Sunday, April 21, 1 p.m. 186 laps, 186 miles TV: TNN (Live) with air time 4 p.m.

### RACING TRIVIA QUESTION...

Who drives the cartoon character car on the Winston Cup circuit? Answer to last week's question: Sterling Marlin won the 1995 Daytona 500.

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## Music, Mitchell lead Prestonsburg AAU past Betsy Layne, 52-24

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Ramanda Music and Rachel Mitchell combined for 35 points to lead the Prestonsburg AAU 12-year old girls past Betsy Layne, ending the regular season. Prestonsburg finished the season with a perfect 7-0 record, but while they were winners, they also felt a loss.

Point guard Brittany Hites broke her arm last Friday night and will be lost to the team in the regional tournament.

"We are going to miss her with the tournament coming up this week," said Prestonsburg AAU coach Ashland Gearheart. "We have some young girls that are going to have to step their game with Brittany out."

Music scored 22 points in the

52-24 victory. Mitchell added 13 points.

Amber Bilter led Betsy Layne with 12 points. Leslie Steel added six points. Jennifer Lawson, Becky Lykens and Tabatha Mitchell had two points apiece.

Angela Howell netted six points for Prestonsburg. Brooke Coleman tossed in five and Amelia Conley scored four. A. Fleming had two points.

Prestonsburg got seven first quarter points from Music as they rolled to a 20-7 first quarter lead. Mitchell busted a three-pointer and had five points in the first quarter. Bilter scored five of Betsy Layne's seven points, including a three-point basket.

Music had six second-period points as Prestonsburg raced out to a 30-12 half time lead. Bilter scored all five points for Betsy Layne in the second.

Coleman drilled a three-point basket for Prestonsburg to lead a 1-4 Prestonsburg run that netted them a 41-16 lead after three quarters. Mitchell and Music had four points apiece in the third.

Steel had four of her six game points in the fourth quarter but Betsy Layne could not get anything going offensively and Prestonsburg won easily.

Allen hit six of 10 free throw attempts. Betsy Layne did not attempt a shot from the charity stripe.

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The Prestonsburg High School girls and boys basketball teams will co-sponsor an independent men's basketball tournament to be played at the Prestonsburg field-house from April 25-28 and is looking for teams to fill the brackets.

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**Safe at third**

Betsy Layne's J.J. Johnson (43) reached back for third base on a steal attempt as Allen Central third baseman April Hardy was pulled off the bag. Johnson had a double in the game, but her team dropped 11-8 to Allen Central. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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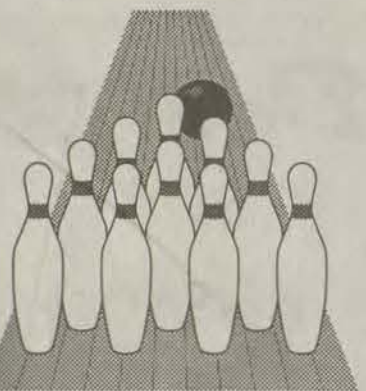
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**Out at the plate**

Betsy Layne's Rachael Thompson was tagged out at the plate when she tried to score in the second inning against Allen Central. Allen Central came from behind and posted an 11-8 win over the Lady Cats. (photo by Ed Taylor)



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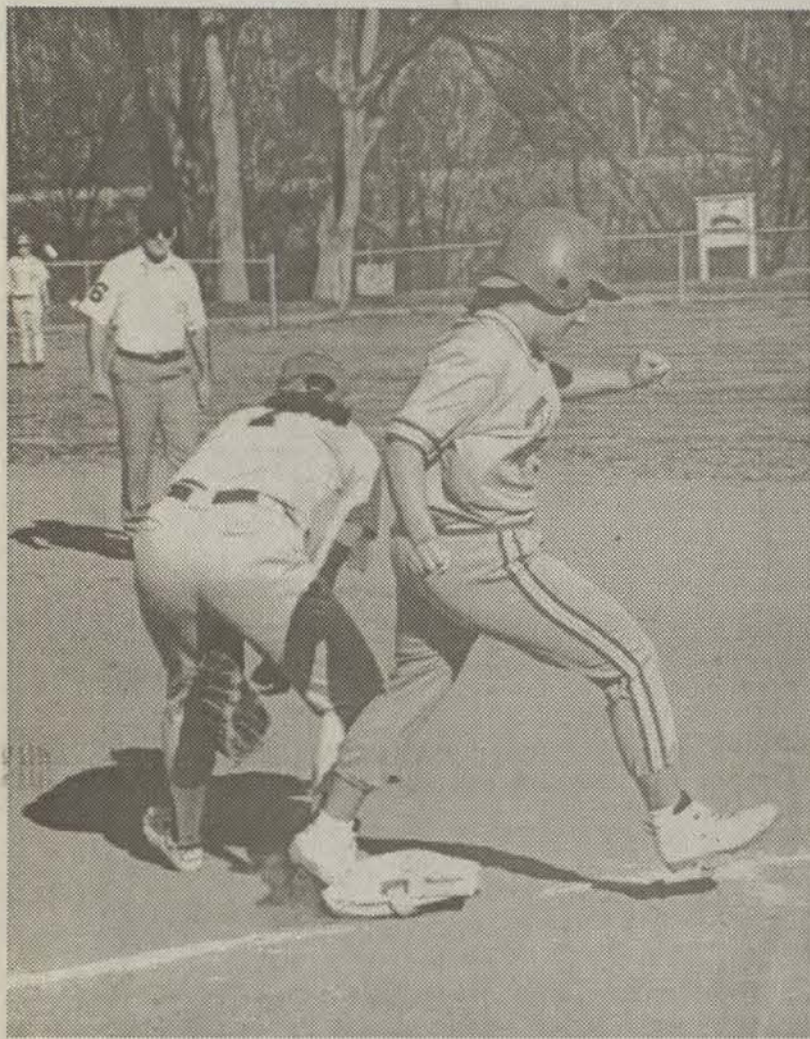
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**Beats throw**

Allen Central's eighth grade second baseman Shanna Howell was safe at first after beating the throw in the first inning against Betsy Layne. The Lady Rebels scored five runs in the fourth inning and four in the sixth to edge Betsy Layne 11-8. (photo by Ed Taylor)

**Sizemore scores 24 as Central rolls past Betsy Layne in AAU**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Shannon Sizemore scored a game high 24 points to lead the Allen Central girls AAU team to a 61-27 win over Betsy Layne last Saturday afternoon at Allen Central.

Devon Reynolds led Betsy Layne with 17 points.

Allen Central completed the regular season with an impressive 9-1 record going into regional tournament action. Central finished second in league play

Eleven players got into the scoring column for Allen Central with Jaclyn Brown and Becky Smith scoring six points each. Beth Combs added seven and Megan Hyden had five points.

Kim Tackett netted six points for Betsy Layne with Heather Evans and Jesse Slone scoring two apiece.

Allen Central blew out to a 22-point lead after the first quarter, leading 28-6. Sizemore had 14 of her 24 points in the first quarter. Brown and Smith had four each in the initial period.

Beth Combs hit a three-pointer and scored five points in the second stanza as Allen Central led 35-16 at the half. Reynolds had eight of Betsy Layne's 10 second quarter points.

Allen Central built a 30-point advantage in the third period as they outscored Betsy Layne 15-4 in the third. Shawna Case picked up four points in the third quarter as did Sizemore.

Sizemore had six points in the fourth quarter for Allen Central as they outscored Betsy Layne 11-7 in picking up their seventh win of the year.

Case finished with four points in a strong game off the bench. Jaclyn

Martin, Allison Hancock, Jeni Jo Spurlock and Trista McKinney had two points each for Allen Central. Leigh Ann Brown scored one point.

Allen Central hit only two of 16 free throw attempts. Betsy Layne was three of five.

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# NASCAR Connection

by Ben Trout

## '95 season to be season of adjustment for Pressley

Robert Pressley, now in his sophomore season of NASCAR Winston Cup competition, put together his career-best performance in last Sunday's First Union 400 at the legendary North Wilkesboro Speedway.

More often than not, Pressley resembled a pack mule turned loose in a field of thoroughbreds in his 1995 rookie campaign.

However, on Sunday, his fine fourth-place run resembled that of a triple-crown contender.

Pressley's rookie season was by design, a learning experience.

The heavier cars, the longer races, the tougher competition — all were new to Pressley, a graduate of the NASCAR Busch Grand National Series.

He and Skoal Racing team owner Leo Jackson looked at the season as one of adjustment rather than acceleration.

Pressley made winning some-

thing of a habit in the Busch Series, posting ten victories in NASCAR's number two series before moving up to Winston Cup replacing driver Harry Gant in the Leo Jackson Motorsports operation.

In addition to Pressley's invaluable year of experience gained in '95, his team added a big boost in crew chief, Andy Petree.

Returning to the scene of some of his past successes, Petree left the Richard Childress Racing team and driver Dale Earnhardt to rejoin Leo Jackson's organization.

Before joining Childress and Earnhardt for a pair of Winston Cup championships in 1993 and 1994, Petree worked magic for Jackson and former driver Harry Gant, leading Gant to nine victories from 1989 to 1992.

Included in that run were four straight wins in Gant's remarkable "Mr. September" campaign in 1991.

Considered one of the most promising young drivers in NASCAR Winston Cup racing, Pressley learned the trade on the rough-and-tumble short tracks of the Carolinas.

Following the steps of his father, Bob, who still runs the bull-rings in and around the North Carolina mountains, Pressley won track championships at New Ashville (NC) Speedway and Greenville-Pickens (SC) Speedway.

Pressley won a NASCAR Busch race as a rookie in 1989, then moved to the Alliance Racing team and added a win and a pole in 1990.

In 1992, Pressley outran Gant, the man he would replace in Jackson's Skoal Racing machines, in an entertaining last lap duel at Darlington Raceway to score his

first Busch super speedway victory. Clearly, he was on his way to the big time.

Jackson and Skoal Racing put together a deal that would reunite Jackson with the Pressley family. Many years before, Bob, Robert's father, had driven Jackson's cars on the old NASCAR Late Model Sportsman circuit.

During Gant's final season (1994) as Jackson's driver, Pressley drove Jackson team cars in three Winston Cup events as sort of an introduction to the next level.

Now with a full season to his

credit and with a new direction at Leo Jackson Motorsports, Robert Pressley is pushing his way to the top.

Last Sunday, in the First Union 400 at North Wilkesboro, Pressley provided his team and the fans with a glimpse of what they knew all along — he is very capable of competing under the gun with the best of the best.

All day long, he battled with the likes of Jeff Gordon and Dale Earnhardt for position. He drove a very smart race and at times made some very crucial moves.

You haven't seen the last of Robert Pressley.

He is one driver who could very well earn his first career Winston Cup victory before 1996 comes to a close.

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# Bassin' with the Pros

## SEMINAR SCHEDULES KEEP ANGLERS BUSY IN OFF-SEASON

What do bass fishermen do when they're not actually on the water fishing? If it's wintertime, the chances are they're talking about fishing.

At least that's the case for professional bass tournament competitor Guy Eaker of the Evinrude Outboards Pro Staff. During the next few weeks, Eaker will give nearly 40 teaching seminars across the United States.

"It's something I really enjoy doing," Eaker explains. "At times the travel becomes very tiring and tedious, but if I can teach fishermen something new, or at least answer some of their questions, then it's all worth it to me."

This year, the Cherryville, North Carolina angler has an added incentive for doing so many seminars. His new book, "Catching Bass Like A Pro," has become a top seller, and he's promoting it as much as possible. His mailbox has been full of orders since the book's publication late last fall.

"It's a book I've wanted to do for a long time," Eaker says, "because it's like my seminars. It's full of tips and information about bass fishing, but it also tells what it's like to fish professional tournaments. A lot of my personal experiences are included, and I've been really gratified at the response I've gotten."

The Evinrude pro says his preferred seminar is a two-hour program in which he covers a variety of topics, including the use of electronics as well as different methods of catching bass with a variety of lures.

"Two of the questions I am asked most often are about specific techniques the tournament pros use, and about the latest new equipment that's available," Eaker says, "so I often spend a lot of time talking about them."

"Many of the people who come to my seminars are excellent fishermen who just do not have the time to fish professionally, but they can use the tips and information I provide in their club and weekend tournaments. Knowing I can help improve their fishing is a major part of my seminar program."

Although Eaker's primary seminar schedule extends from January to March, he actually begins as early as December and continues into April. During this time he'll travel to such cities as Atlanta, Milwaukee, Raleigh, Kansas City, and Charlotte.

"The problem is that the majority of my seminars have been booked for weekends, and I just don't have any more weekends left," he laughs. "I'd do more seminars if there were more weekends available."

## BOTH DEEP AND SHALLOW BASS PATTERNS MAY WORK THIS MONTH

This month the weather becomes the major factor in determining where bass may be located; if it's cold the fish will probably remain deep, but several days of warm sunshine will bring them shallow.

"Bass fishermen have to pay as much attention to the weather as they do their depth finders this month," says professional tournament angler Mickey Bruce of the Evinrude Outboards Pro Staff, "because the fish will change depths according to the temperature."

"Normally, this is a cold weather month and the bass will still be in their deep winter habitats, but three or four days of 'false spring' sunshine and warm temperatures will bring them up on rocky points or shallow flats."

Bruce, who grew up fishing the deep, often clear waters of Lake Lanier in Georgia, has seen this type of behavior in bass often. In 1994 he won a winter tournament on Lanier by catching bass more than 60 feet deep; several days later, after bright sunshine and warming temperatures, the fish were around boat docks and points less than 15 feet deep.

"When the bass are still deep this time of year, I suggest anglers look for cover along steep channel drops in larger tributary creeks," advises Bruce. "The main thing to look for will be bait fish, because bass will follow the bait."

"This time of year, the bait will be concentrated too, so it's easy to see on a depth finder. Just criss-cross back and forth over a channel looking for bait and cover, because bass will be nearby."

The Evinrude pro prefers using 3/4 ounce jiggging spoon or a jig and pork trailer when fishing deep structure and cover. Normally, he works both lures very slowly, especially the jiggging spoon.

"With a spoon, you don't need much rod tip action to make it jump," Bruce says. "I just barely raise my rod because deep bass normally aren't very active."

Following three or four days of abnormally warm, bright weather,

Bruce says it isn't uncommon for bass to move shallow on rocky points, riprap walls, or around boat docks where they are much more accessible to fishermen.

"It takes several days of this type of weather," he explains, "but the fish will move shallow. I like to use crankbaits or Carolina rigs and work points that have a steep drop into deeper water."

"Boat docks can also become productive in conditions like this."

Normally, the best docks will be those nearest deeper water, such as those at the entrance to a cove or creek. This is a good place to pitch a jig and swim it slowly around the pilings."

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Anyone interested, should contact President Eddie C. Caudill, at 377-6835, or come to the next scheduled meeting on the 27th of April. Meeting is held at the old Wheelwright High School gym. Time: 10:00 a.m.

Fraternally yours,  
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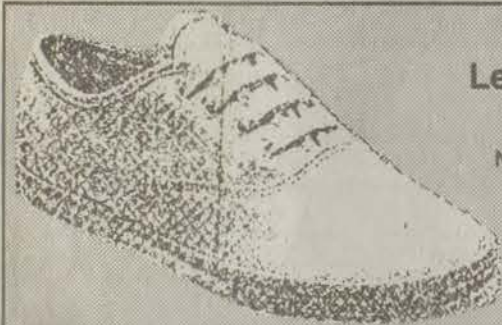
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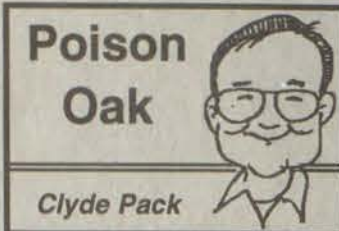
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## We may be absent minded, but our memory's still good

Memory is sure a strange thing. Like the other day when I was introduced to a gentleman who came into the office.

As soon as I heard his name, I immediately recognized

strong as we get older. Provided, that is, we stay healthy.



If I understand all I know about it, I guess it means that if an old person's brain function becomes impaired, it's a result of disease not just because he's become an old person.

him as a student I'd had in my early years of years of teaching. I hadn't seen him in something like 30 years, but I had an instant image of the 10-year-old he had been.

So, if this study is accurate, there is absolutely nothing wrong with our memory just because we get old.

"I know you," I said. "I was your art teacher when you were in about the fourth grade."

The stereotypical image of the old man searching frantically for hours for his glasses that he's pushed up onto his forehead, or the joke about the old lady who found herself standing in the middle of the stairs and couldn't decide whether or not she was going up or down, are mere myths.

He had no clue as to who I was, at least at first. But, when I started telling him things about himself at that age, I think he was convinced.

Of course, that's not to say we shouldn't have such jokes. As a matter of fact, I laugh just as heartily as the next guy.

Anyway, we had a nice visit — pardon the cliché — down memory lane.

It's just that it's important that we realize that jokes are all they are.

What amazes me is how I could remember so vividly — right out of the blue — incidents that far back when I can hardly remember what I had for breakfast this morning.

On the other side of the coin, when I lose my car in the Wal-Mart parking lot, or make a special trip to the grocery store for a can of coffee and end up buying a loaf of bread instead, it could mean that instead of having something wrong with my mind, I just might not be healthy somewhere else.

I've always heard that as one grows older, long-term memory gets stronger while the opposite is true for short-term. I think absent mindedness is the nice term for it. It was something I sort of took for granted.

That may not be all bad, either. I mean, it does provide me with an automatic alibi.

But wait!

"Yes, Dear. I know I forgot our anniversary again, but remember, I have a cold."

Among the ads for hearing aid batteries, men's miracle walking shoes, and retirement communities in Arizona, I found an interesting article in this month's AARP Bulletin.

It seems that scientists have conducted new studies that confirm that brain power does indeed remain

# Lifestyles

## Hidden dangers for children exiting/boarding bus revealed

by Patti M. Clark  
Staff Writer

David Layne has a message for parents. The transportation director for the Floyd County School System says parents need to watch what their children wear to school.

"There are kids in other districts across the country who are getting killed because they are getting caught by the drawstrings on their jackets and sweatshirts," Layne said.

No injuries have been reported in Floyd County, but Layne said he hopes to prevent them before they occur.

Layne said the clothing is being caught in the bus handrail, door, or other equipment, and students are being dragged by the bus.

"Jacket or sweatshirt drawstrings, backpack straps, scarves, or other loose clothing are especially dangerous," Layne added.

Bus drivers follow several safety rules including:

- Watching for children with long drawstrings, loose clothing, or other items that might get caught in the handrails.

- Making sure the handrail is not attached to the bus at an angle that can easily catch a drawstring. Layne said if drivers feel that is the case, they can have the rail corrected.

- Monitoring the children at each stop as they exit the bus. "If the driver is unable to account for a child outside the bus, he is supposed to secure the bus and check both around and underneath the vehicle," Layne said.

- Not moving the bus until the driver is positive that all children are out of the danger zones.

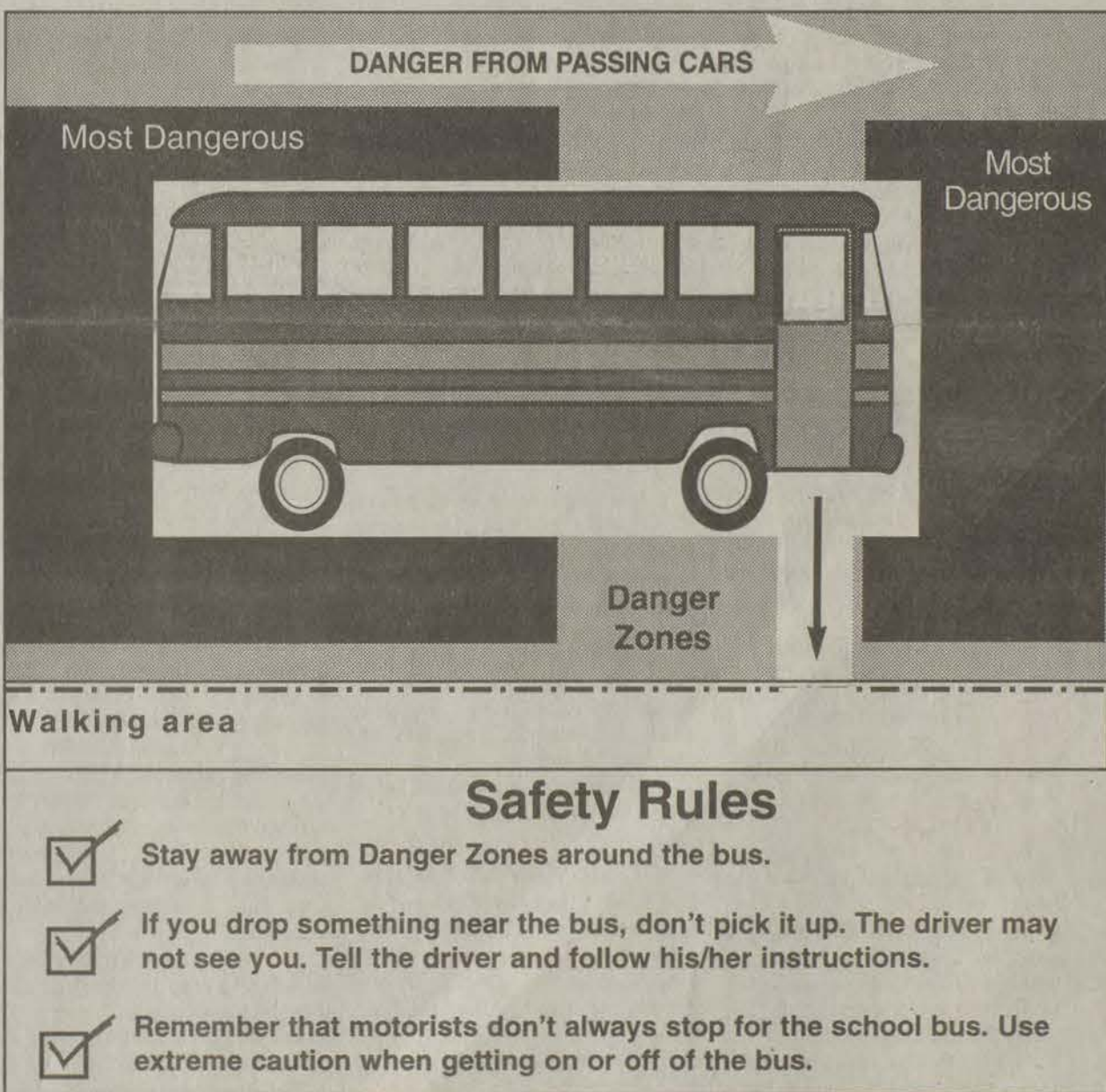
- Scanning the area carefully after each stop before moving. "We teach drivers to be alert for any warnings, from bystanders, teachers, or motorists outside the bus or students inside the bus, before they pull away from the bus stop," Layne said.

But while drivers are following set rules to ensure the safety of the students, Layne said the school system needs the help of its parents.

Layne advises parents to remind students about the safety areas and dangerous areas around the bus and to remind them to stay out of those areas, especially right in front of and right behind the bus near the wheels.

"Tell them if they drop something near the bus, not to pick it up," Layne said. "The driver may not see them. Tell the student to tell the driver and then to follow his or her instructions."

And most importantly, Layne said, is using caution when getting on or off the bus. "Remember that motorists don't always stop for the school bus," he said.



### Ten Years Ago

(April 23, 1986)

County Court Clerk Carla R. Bolton informed the Floyd Fiscal Court that she will turn over only a fraction of the amount she had turned over in the past two years...The order for construction of new schools at Prestonsburg and Garret caused arguments for those who attended a hearing Thursday...An early morning high speed chase landed two Martin County men in the hospital...On Monday, city officials learned that the application for a \$60,000 grant from the state Land and Water Commission Fund had been turned down for the swimming pool at Archer Park...Consolidated Communications regional manager Marty Crawford said that television cable subscribers should get better reception and more channels in the local area...About 200 area coal producers heard an attack last week at the annual meeting of the Big-Sandy Elkhorn Coal Mining Institute on the federal agency responsible for regulating the strip-mining industry and on the environmentalists who have been the industry's most persistent critics...There died: Julia Sizemore DeRossett, 103, died Tuesday at the Riverview Manor Nursing Home. She was one of Floyd county's oldest residents; Fannie Mary Sublett Allen, 81, of Allen, died Friday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, following a long illness; Lavone Click Conn, 52, of Martin, died at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital following a long illness; Ella T. Hunter, 81, of Cow Creek, died Monday at the Riverview Manor Nursing Home; Stanley Bamer, 71, of Garrett, died last Wednesday at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington following a brief illness; John Langley Crace, 67, of Prestonsburg, died Monday at the Seven Rivers Community Hospital, Florida; and Norman Conn, 67, of Betsy Layne, died Friday at his home following a long illness.

### Twenty Years Ago

(April 21, 1976)

Magistrate Kenneth Roberts, of District No. 2, said Monday that peace officers making arrests in his district have been violating the law by taking their prisoners before a magistrate in another district...Plans to reclaim the now-abandoned city garbage dump on the old Middle Creek road and restore it to a condition suitable as a site for the proposed Floyd County Animal Shelter were announced at last

Contest April 7 at the KET studios in Lexington...The Drift Woman's Club celebrated its 25th anniversary, April 9...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Garry Vickers, a son, Shadrick Daniels, April 13 at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington...There died: Mrs. Maxie Allen Hutsiniller, 79, of Prestonsburg, last Thursday at Crest Haven Rest Home, Paintsville; Mrs. Dallie Slone Hall, 80, of Bypro, April 14 at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Bradshaw I. Gibson, 80, of Milton, W. Va., formerly of Knott County, Friday at Morris Memorial Nursing Home, Milton; Tom Sparks, 72, former Prestonsburg resident, April 16 in Albion Community Hospital, Albion, Mich.; Mrs. Ossie Bays Prater, 87, of Cliff, March 31 at the Jordan Geriatric Center, Louisa; Mrs. Elsie Collins, 62, of Weeksbury, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Mrs. Elsie Derosssett, 72, of Jeffersonville, Ind., formerly of this county, Friday at Clark County Memorial Hospital, Jeffersonville; Spenser Sloan, 88, Sunday at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

## Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 and 60 years ago.)

Thursday's meeting of the city council...Floyd County last year during a boom, the likes of which has never been witnessed before in the industry, produced 4.48 million tons of coal, according to statistics released last week by the state Department of Mines and Minerals...Almost three weeks of rainless weather have resulted in extremely hazardous conditions in the area in terms of forest fire risk, and although numerous woodland blazes were reported over the past week for surrounding counties, Floyd County during the same period escaped fire damage...Four persons were arrested in three separate liquor raids by law enforcement officials in the county, Friday and Saturday...T. B. Conners was visited by friends and relatives at his home at Estill on his 94th birthday, Sunday, April 4...Miss Paula Hinchman, of Allen, competed in the Kentucky Federation of Woman's Clubs' State Piano

### Thirty Years Ago

(April 21, 1966)

The first annual Mountain Dew Festival began here today (Thursday) and will continue through Saturday...All but one of the 422 one-room schools remaining last year in Kentucky were in the state's eastern counties...Pfc. Andrew Jackson Campbell, of Langley, is the second Floyd County soldier to fall victim to the fighting in Viet Nam...Commissioner of Highways Henry Ward last week authorized the reconstruction of South Lake Drive, here, a project which will cost an estimated \$330,000...Married: Miss Harriet Estes, of



# Society

## Johnson-Willis wedding

Renee Johnson and Robert Willis were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, April 13, at the Betsy Layne Freewill Baptist Church. Renee is the daughter of Jo Johnson of Betsy Layne. Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cervantes of Versailles. The couple will reside in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

## Visits family here

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Rodebaugh and son, Jonathan of Perrysburg, Ohio were here last week visiting with family and friends.

They called on Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McGuire and family on the Mountain Parkway; Mr. and Mrs. David Robinson and family on Spurlock Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Rodebaugh and sons in Prestonsburg.

Easter Sunday, they attended the Easter Sunrise services and Sunday morning services at the Maytown First United Methodist Church. Sunday night, they attended the Easter play at the Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church in Prestonsburg with his mother, Wanda Rodebaugh.

## 90th birthday

Hazel Adams of Martin was honored on her 90th birthday with a party at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park on Saturday, April 6.

An overflowing group of relatives and friends called throughout the afternoon bringing congratulations and best wishes to Mrs. Adams. A special treat occurred when her four sisters came to help her celebrate.

They are Nell Hosler, Millie Gray and Rhoda Nofster of Wellington, Ohio and Mary Robinette of Dayton, Ohio. Her sister-in-law, Jewell Osborn of Wellington, Ohio also joined the group. The hosts for this occasion were Mrs. Adam's children, Patricia McGarey and Dr. James D. Adams.

## Visits sister here

Cliff and Ann Latta of Prestonsburg had as their houseguests last week her sister, Betty Ingram and family, Dallas, David and Ashley of Punta Gorda, Florida.

They were luncheon guests at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park on Friday.

## Visits families here

Maria and Michael Warrix and son, Jonathan of Atlanta, Georgia were here last week visiting their mothers, Martha Sue Hicks on Cardinal Drive and Maudie Warrix on the Auxier Road.

## Visit in Louisville

Winifred Blackburn and son, Tom, of Prestonsburg, visited with their cousins, Kathleen and Ed Boston at their home in Louisville last weekend.

## Memorial lilies in church

Lilies in the sanctuary of the Irene Cole Memorial First Baptist Church in Prestonsburg on Easter Sunday were:

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry A. Lafferty, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John R. Jervis, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hunt, Mr. Carl K. Jervis by Jean and Tom Lafferty and family; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hunt by Wanda and Adrian Lafferty and family; Bill and Eunice Lafferty by Sue, Jewell, Neil and Billie Gayle; Terry Jewell by Donna, Jeremy and Chris; Stuart Demaree by Seldon, Ramona and Kim Horne; H. C. (Huck) Francis by Betty Francis

and family; Bill Pettrey by Dolly Pettrey;

Cleopatra Bartley by Diann Moon and Dena Patton; Dr. Earnst E. Martin by Diann Moon and Dena Patton; Dr. Earnst E. Martin by Doris and John Anderson; Sam Wallen by John, Connie, Kara and Sera Sammons; Burieta Gearhart family by Burieta Gearhart; Theckley Short by Joyce Short Allen; Goldie Dobson by Carolyn and Jimmy Walker; George Lee Shannon by Vivian Shannon and family;

Curtis and Ruth May by Marquerite Sharp and Mary Lynn Pigman; Alec Spencer Bailey by Shag and Shilee Branham; David Ellis Valentine by Tommy, Jennifer and David Valentine; Jerry Lafferty, Jr. by Stella Lafferty and Pat and Tim Hites; Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Miller and Daisy and Ira Castle by Stella Lafferty and Pat and Tim Hites;

Marie Vance by Bill, Jenny and Billy Bottoms and Randy and Lea Ann Mitchell; R. V. May by JoAnn Leget; Woodrow Burchett by Narcie Burchett and family; and Richard Sturgill Burchett by Narcie Burchett and family.

## Rebekahs meet

The first regular meeting of April of the Miriam Rebekah Lodge #31 was held on April 2 at 7 p.m. Paulena Owens, noble grand, presided.

Members who had been previously reported ill were reviewed and those remaining on the sick list were to be remembered in prayer.

The noble grand reminded the members that the next meeting will be held on Thursday, April 18 in the I.O.O.F. Hall in order to coincide with the assembly president's schedule in District 4 when she makes her official visit with Miriam Lodge.

Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. and all members are invited to attend and bring a dish of food.

Members were reminded that April 20 is the date set for a bake sale to be held at the Wal-Mart beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Birthday greetings were extended to Virginia S. Goble.

Members present for this meeting were Paulena Owens, Lorena Wallen, Hope Whitten, Sue Moore, Violetta Wright, Jean Hickman, Beverly Hackworth, Susie Clifton, Claudine Johns, Virginia S. Goble and Mable Jean LeMaster.

## 85th birthday

### to be celebrated

Goldia Short Williams will be honored on her 85th birthday at her home in Allen, Saturday, April 20, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Her family and friends are urged to attend and join in the celebration.

## Floyd County Retired Teachers Association hold meeting

The Floyd County Retired Teachers Association met Thursday, April 11 at 1 p.m. at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Presiding at the meeting was Roberta Fugate, president of the organization.

Mrs. Fugate called the meeting to order, but dispensed of preliminary activities as these events were a part of the morning program of the Big Sandy District meeting.

Reading the minutes of two previous meetings was Imogene Caldwell, secretary of FCRTA. Mrs. Caldwell gave a detailed account of the June 1995 Memorial Service the organization had for deceased FCRTA members. She also read a summary of the September meeting events. Both sets

of minutes were approved.

Annis Clark, treasurer of FCRTA, read the treasurer's report. She announced a balance of \$1,997.71 in the FCRTA account.

In old business, the "tree and leaves" project at the Josie D. Harkins schoolhouse received attention. Delphia Hicks said she would have all the leaves ready to go on the tree, except for newly deceased teachers, in time for the June meeting. Members present expressed an interest in visiting the school and viewing the display.

In new business, the nominating report was given by Alma Lowe. Selected as officers for the next biennium were Roberta Fugate, president, Doris Martin, 1st vice-president, Alice Martin, 2nd vice-president, Imogene Caldwell, secretary and Violet Moore, treasurer. These officers will be installed at the June meeting of FCRTA.

In further new business, an increase in membership dues was proposed. It was noted that present dues are extremely low and would not accommodate many activities for FCRTA.

A motion was made by June Stephens to raise the dues to \$5 (\$4 for FCRTA and \$1 for BSRTA). The motion was seconded by Virginia Jefferson. The motion passed and the new dues will be in effect July 1, 1996.

The question of future memorial services for deceased FCRTA members was raised. Louise Howard was named to chair a committee that will work on plans for any arrangements on this.

The president announced that the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association will have its annual convention April 17 in Louisville. She noted that because of an increase in membership, FCRTA will be allowed an extra delegate this year.

Named as delegates for the Convention were Annis Clark, Imogene Caldwell, Danese Amburgey, Ruby Akers and Alice Martin. The president will be a delegate by virtue of her position.

A special note of commendation was given to the telephone notification committee of FCRTA. These members give generously of their time to see that retired teachers are notified whenever there is a meeting or any special concern occurs.

Plans were also discussed as to how best to introduce new retirees to the organization. FCRTA needs new members and new members need FCRTA.

In attendance at the meeting were the following: Louise Howard, Annis Clark, Elmer Martin, Eileen Martin, Delphia Hicks, Alma Lowe, Virginia Jamerson, Ruth Rainey, Joyce Johnson, Danese Amburgey, Marsella Bradley, Etta Scott, Mildred Whitaker, Mildred Salisbury, Roberta Fugate, June Stephens, Gladys Shepherd, Imogene Caldwell and Alice Martin.

The next meeting of FCRTA is scheduled for Thursday, June 6.

## Easter Lilies placed

Easter Lilies were placed in memory or in honor of loved ones for the Easter Sunday morning worship service of Christ United Methodist Church, Allen, on April 7.

Lillies were placed in memory of: Gardez Dingus by Sissie Dingus and family and Debbie and Jerry Kinzer and family; Bill Ratliff by Laura Ratliff; Miles and Alma Thomas by Bonnie and Bill McGuire and family, Linda Rice and family and Phil Nelson and

family; Emma Nelson by Phil, John and Kevin Nelson; Melvin Rice by Linda and Jason, Rice, Angie, Greg and Cory Meade; Bill and Julia Francis by Phila Mae Kane; Paul Joseph Kane by Phila Mae Kane; Carl Martin by Jerry Martin and family; Ollie and Gaynell May by Jean Watson; Galloway Lafferty by Bob and Klora Osborne and family; Palmer Crisp, Jim and Betty Lafferty, Bennie Lafferty, Galloway and Flora Gray, Galloway Lafferty; Rufus and Lula Crisp by Tinsey Crisp.

Also, in memory of Joe Clark by Doris Clark and family; Patty May by Delano May and family; Banner and Josephine May by Delano May and family; Randy May by Delano May and family; Woodrow Lafferty by Billie and Marcy Lafferty; Martha Jo Crisp by Ray Crisp; Bennie Lafferty by Missy, Sammy, and Alicia Nelson; Dee Branham by Stanaul, Jeri, and Asher Mullins, Cheri, Garry, Mike and Kevin Mullins; Rebecca Martin by Joe David Martin; C. D. Francis by Ruth Francis and family; Bailey and Zella Taylor by the Jerome Kinzer family; Charles Callison and loved ones by Edna Callison and Delores Bradley.

Lilies were placed in honor of Edna Callison and Hurl Frasure by Delores Bradley; Chandis, Jacob, Samantha, Tommy Neile, Amber by Klora and Bobby Osborne; and Marena Sue, Anna, Carla and David by Jean Watson.

## 50th wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Martin celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a family dinner at Jenny Wiley Lodge given by their children. Attending were Ron and Joanne Roberts and daughter Colleen, of Batavia, Ohio; Johnny and Zeda Martin and son Roy John, of Garrett; Randall (Bob) and Peggi Jordan and children Jennifer and Jason, of Salyersville.

## Yale Law School dean to speak at Jenny Wiley Friday

Yale Law School associate dean and Paintsville native Barbara J. Safriet will speak about the role of advanced nurse practitioners at Jenny Wiley State Park on April 12.

Safriet will speak from 1-3 p.m. Her topic will be "The Regulation and Economics of Advanced Nurse Practitioners."

Nurse practitioners were recently graduated the authority to prescribe drugs by 1996 Kentucky General Assembly. This act made Kentucky the 48th state to give nurse practitioners prescription authority.

Safriet has written and lectured widely on the role and regulation of health care providers and currently teaches a seminar on "The Regulation of Health Care Providers" at Yale Law School.

Born in Harlan, Safriet is a Paintsville native and a 1965 graduate of Paintsville High School. The first woman to become an honorary member of the Floyd County Rescue Squad, she worked at Jenny Wiley State Park as a lifeguard while a teenager.

After high school, Safriet attended Goucher College in Maryland. She went on to earn a Juris Doctor degree from the University of Maryland and a Master in Law from Yale.

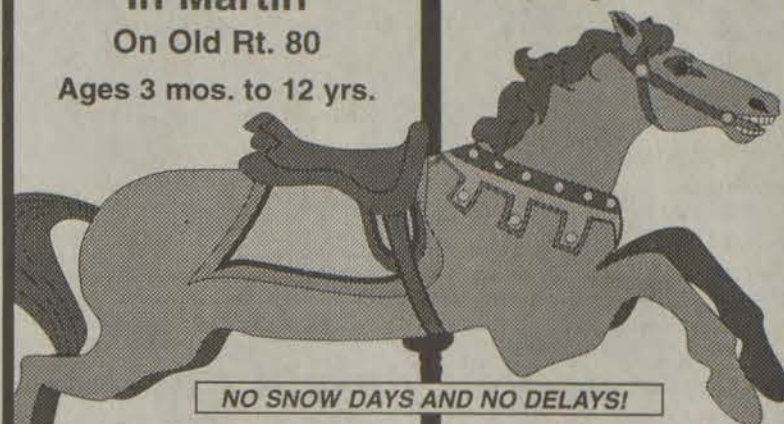
Safriet began working at Yale in 1988. Before coming to Yale, she was a law professor for 12 years at Lewis & Clark Law School in Portland, Ore. where she taught administrative law, constitutional law and health law.

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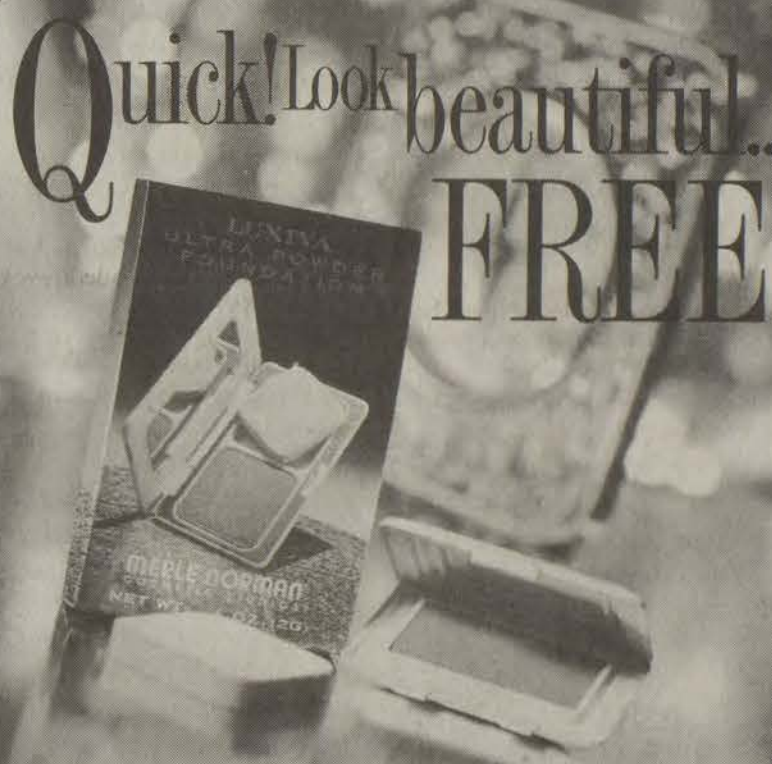
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# For The Record

## Dispatch Logs

*Editor's note: Dispatch Logs are from the records of the Prestonsburg Police and Fire Department.*

### April 1

6:49 a.m.— Caller advised that a male subject was in her car at Goble-Roberts.

7:42 a.m.— Caller reported that a van had been stationary at Prestonsburg High School and that no one had been around the vehicle for about 25 minutes.

11:03 a.m.— Caller advised that smoke was visible in a room where the water heater was located in his residence on University Drive.

2:52 p.m.— Caller reported that a female subject was possibly drunk and stole an alcoholic beverage from Happy Mart.

### April 2

11:36 a.m.— Caller advised that smoke was visible in trailer on Mining Branch. No flames were visible.

12:26 p.m.— Report of an accident without injuries in McDonald's parking lot.

2:10 p.m.— Caller reported that an elderly lady had fallen and could not get up at her residence on North Lake Drive.

9:02 p.m.— Caller advised that several subjects were fighting with ball bats in the alley behind SuperAmerica.

### April 3

2:33 p.m.— Caller reported that a big black dog was scaring people at Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church.

### April 4

7:58 a.m.— Caller advised of a possible fight in progress at Hardee's.

4:58 p.m.— Caller reported that a transformer had blown out in front of City Utilities.

5:02 p.m.— Caller reported a brush fire located less than one mile up Corn Fork.

6:12 p.m.— Caller advised that her car phone had been stolen from her home.

### April 5

5:53 a.m.— Caller advised that a subject, possibly DUI, had just left the Jenny Wiley Lodge in a yellow Corvette. The subject was headed toward Hazard.

8:05 p.m.— Caller reported an accident without injuries in front of Music Carter Hughes.

12:28 p.m.— Caller advised of an accident without injuries at Super Video in Prestonsburg Village parking lot.

6:51 p.m.— Caller reported that two cars had scraped each other in front of Shoe Show.

7:02 p.m.— Domestic call at Hardee's.

11:22 p.m.— Caller reported a possible DUI driving toward Prestonsburg on Route 80 West.

### April 6

9:38 a.m.— Caller advised that her 65-year-old husband had an allergic reaction to medication at their residence at Green Acres.

9:31 a.m.— Caller reported a possible DUI subject driving on Mountain Parkway toward Prestonsburg.

1:55 p.m.— Caller advised that her purse had been stolen at Wal-Mart. The purse was recovered.

3:04 p.m.— Caller reported a possible accident without injuries in front of Heilig-Meyers.

3:32 p.m.— Caller advised of a fight in progress at Wal-Mart.

7:44 p.m.— Caller reported an accident without injuries at Neeley Apartments.

11:00 p.m.— Caller reported that an intoxicated person was outside Center Stage with valium in pocket.

11:20 p.m.— Caller reported that his vehicle was stolen from Neeley Apartments.

### April 7

5:15 p.m.— Caller reported a possible DUI subject going to Prestonsburg from Wal-Mart.

8:06 p.m.— Caller reported that damage had been done to cars at Prestonsburg Motors.

## District Court

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

Dan J. Combs of Betsy Layne; permitting an unlicensed operator

to operate a motor vehicle—\$147.50.

John D. Byers, 26, of Oil Springs; depredation while hunting/fishing—\$147.50.

Glenna L. Endicott, 36, of Allen; criminal trespass in the 3rd degree—merged; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$112.50; disorderly conduct—\$100; resisting arrest—merged.

Holly Ann Bradley, 29, of Dana; AI (3rd offense or more)—\$52.50. Kermit Boyd, 34, of Banner; assault in the 4th degree (spouse abuse)—\$52.50.

Gregory Bishop, 40, of Mouthcard; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$102.50.

John Moore, 23, of McDowell; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$102.50.

Roger Dean Hall, 39, of Allen; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$62.50 and 1 day public service.

Irvin Goble, 65, of Prestonsburg; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$62.50.

Jennifer J. Salyer, 18, of Hippo; theft by unlawful taking (shoplifting)—\$62.50.

Joe Ed Whitaker, 38; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$62.50 and 1 day public service.

Jimmy D. Conn, 35, of Betsy Layne; AI (1st/2nd offense) and drinking alcohol in public (1st/2nd offense)—\$52.50.

Timmy D. Kidd, 21, of Honaker; drinking alcohol in public (1st/2nd offense)—merged; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$102.50; criminal littering—\$100.

Doug Slone, 27, of Langley; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$52.50 and 1 day public service.

J. D. Borders, 59, of Salyersville; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$102.50.

Thomas H. Bartrum, 42, of Martin; public intoxication (controlled substance) excludes alcohol—\$102.50.

Wade A. Slone, 22, of Bypro; theft by unlawful taking (shoplifting)—\$62.50.

Connie C. Miller, 35, of Prestonsburg; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$62.50 and 1 day public service.

Tanya E. Kester, 25, of Ivel; operating on suspended/revoked license—\$147.50.

Vance Hale, 37, of Martin; operating on suspended/revoked license—\$57.50.

Nathan Honeycutt, 29, of Prestonsburg; operating on suspended license due to a prior DUI conviction (1st offense)—\$157.50.

Terry Ray Howell, 26, of McDowell; no operators license—\$72.50.

Ressie R. Bowling, 31, of Ivyton; failure to wear seatbelts—\$57.50.

Teddy Marshall, 37, of Salyersville; improper parking on shoulder of road—\$47.50.

James B. Collum, 20, of Stanville; expired or no registration plates, no registration receipt, no insurance and failure to wear seatbelts—charges consolidated, \$47.50.

Darryl F. Kidd, 23, of Prestonsburg; no seatbelts—\$25; failure to notify DOT of address change—\$25.

Ronald Hatfield II, 17, of Prestonsburg; attempt to elude/failure to comply—merged; disregarding a stop sign—merged; reckless driving—\$182.50; resisting arrest—\$125.00; failure to wear seatbelts—merged; expired or no registration plates—merged.

Theresa Mitchell, 23, of Prestonsburg; no operators license—\$57.50.

Helen Patton, 34, of Garrett; vehicle a nuisance, improper or no windshield, no insurance, no operators license and failure to wear seatbelts—\$47.50.

Dwight Ritchie, 25, of Talcum; escaping contents—\$147.50.

David White, 26, of Morehead; no headlight—\$72.50; improper muffler—merged.

Charles E. Bradley, 19, of Tomahawk; minor enter premises to purchase alcoholic beverage—\$47.50 and 2 days public service.

Stephen A. Anderson, 45, of Martin; DUI (2nd offense, BA .23)—\$607.50 and 7 days in jail; no insurance—\$500; no registration receipt—\$25.

Curtis L. Ratliff, 23, of Tram; failure to wear seatbelts—\$47.50.

Eddie Dean Shepherd, 21, of David; criminal trespass (3rd degree)—\$47.50 and 10 days in jail; menacing—merged; disorderly conduct—merged; terroristic threatening—merged; resisting arrest—merged; AI (1st/2nd offense)—merged.

Jennifer L. Kimbler, 21, of Prestonsburg; DUI (1st offense)—\$267.50 and 2 days public service.

Harry L. Conn, 23, of Martin; DUI (1st offense)—\$267.50 and 2 days public service.

Christopher M. Patton, 21; no insurance—\$500; operating on suspended license due to a prior DUI conviction (1st offense)—\$117.50; expired or no registration plates—\$25.

Mike C. Patton, 21, of Martin; no operator's license—\$82.50; expired or no registration plates—\$25; failure to register transfer—\$25.

Michael Riley, 25, of Harold; drinking alcohol in public (1st/2nd offense)—\$47.50.

Johnny Ray Collins, 45, of Pikeville; AI (3rd offense or more)—\$47.50, and 1 day public service.

Rodney Baker, 29; DUI (3rd offense or more)—\$767.50 and 30 days in jail to be served concurrent; attempt to elude/failure to comply—merged; resisting arrest—merged; assault in the 4th degree—30 days in jail to be served concurrent.

Robert Keith Anderson, 32, of Beattyville; possession of marijuana—\$312.50; use/possession of drug paraphernalia (1st offense)—merged.

Jerry A. Allen, 42, of Royalton; AI (3rd offense or more)—\$152.50; escape in the 3rd degree—\$200.

Rose M. Blair, 25, of Prestonsburg; no operators license—\$57.50.

Steven W. Gipson, 18, of Salyersville; theft by unlawful taking (shoplifting)—\$62.50 and 5 days probation; failure to surrender revoked license—\$100.

Jerry Griffith, 22; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$72.50 and 7 days in jail; disorderly conduct—7 days in jail to be served concurrently.

Johnie Ray Collins, 45, of Pikeville; AI (3rd offense or more)—\$62.50 and two days public service; disorderly conduct—merged.

John Jones, 18, of Leburn; disorderly conduct—\$72.50 and 5 days in jail.

Jimmy Jones, 26, of Leburn; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$72.50 and 7 days in jail; disorderly conduct—7 days in jail to be served concurrently.

Lowell E. Jones, 20, of Leburn; failure to register transfer—\$25; no insurance—\$500.

Shawn Rowland, 22, of Hager Hill; DUI (1st offense, BA .11)—\$257.50 and 2 days public service.

Carl D. Lackey, 39, of Banner; DUI (1st offense, BA refused)—\$267.50 and 14 days in jail; disorderly conduct—14 days in jail to be served concurrent; resisting arrest—14 days in jail to be served concurrent; reckless driving—14 days in jail to be served concurrent; drinking alcohol in public (1st/2nd offense)—merged with DUI; possession of marijuana—14 days in jail to be served concurrent; no registration receipt—14 days in jail to be served concurrent; simple assault (physical contact)—14 days in jail to be served concurrent; menacing—14 days in jail to be served concurrent; terroristic threatening—merged with DUI; attempt to elude/failure to comply—merged with DUI.

Darrin Burchett, 30, of Allen; AI (1st/2nd offense)—\$52.50.

Jeffery Turner, 33, of Banner; AI (3rd offense or more)—\$62.50 and 14 days in jail.

Eddie Jones, 34, of Prestonsburg; parent failed to send child to school (1st/2nd offense)—\$302.50.

Eddie Dean Jones of Prestonsburg; parent failed to send child to school (1st/2nd offense) (3 counts)—\$152.50.

Carl Baldrige, 72, of East Point; parent failed to send child to school (1st/2nd offense)—\$152.50.

Christine Adkins, 36, of Melvin; parent failed to send child to school (1st/2nd offense)—\$152.50; parent failed to send child to school (1st/2nd offense)—merged with other charge.

Betty Waddles, 53, of Allen; parent failed to send child to school (1st/2nd offense)—\$252.50.

Willis Tackett, 63, of Tram; parent failed to send child to school (1st/2nd offense)—\$152.50.

Bud Calhoun, 67, of Prestonsburg; DUI (1st offense)—\$457.50; drinking alcohol in public (1st/2nd offense)—merged.

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## A Tennessean in Paris

James Swancy wanted more than a high school and college education in Indiana in 1816. He wanted to study in Paris. His father, who was a farmer and large landowner near Franklin, Tennessee, thought schooling was a good investment so he gave his 21-year-old son \$600 and an English-French translation dictionary.

Following his arrival in Paris, James visited with Albert Gallatin, an American ambassador, who suggested that he take residence in a hotel near the school. The prudent Swancy, not one for folly, found a rooming house after several days and moved in.

Practically unable to converse in French he was open in confiding his personal affairs with his landlord, Monsieur Baille.

Baille was undergoing a financial hardship and his rooming house was rapidly falling in disrepair. He saw an opportunity to bilk the young American out of his money which amounted to approximately a thousand francs after paying his school expenses.

"James, I have need of a loan and it will be a good chance for you to improve your condition," Baille told him.

"You lend me the money for six months and you can have your room, meals and laundry free for that period. After six months I'll return your thousand francs and in the meanwhile you'll be living here without charge."

Swancy thought it was a wonderful idea. He didn't need his additional funds for several months and it was a means to get his room and living expenses free.

"I'll do it but a legal note must be drawn up so a record of our agreement will be spelled out," James said.

Baille agreed. He signed the loan agreement when it was completed and James turned the money over to him.

It wasn't long before the young student regretted his decision. After a few days he complained about being assigned to a run-down room. Soon he found they were all in a similar condition. The table was nearly bare at mealtime, often with no more than bread and water.

The charitable Swancy tried to improve his condition by making repairs to his room and he purchased food items which he shared with others. One young man was ejected from his room when he fell behind in his rent. Swancy allowed him to share his room for several weeks until he could afford quarters elsewhere. His landlord was incensed upon learning of this and discontinued even the sparse meals. James, without food or funds, had to eat bread with a neighbor.

His landlord verbally berated Swancy and he began to feel uneasy about his money which he loaned to Baille. He would need a good portion of his funds soon to pay for his schooling.

"Things have not improved at all," Swancy thought to himself one night. "I wonder if I'll get my money back. If so, I'll buy my passage back to America."

Swancy had good reason to be concerned. Baille would not return his money.

The following day he offered Baille the opportunity to keep one third of his money if he would return the balance or, at least sign a new note which he would then negotiate.

"If I can just get enough to get me back to America, back to Tennessee," he thought.

Baille, who was drinking rum, laughed at Swancy.

"Take me to court if you will," Baille said. "I'll just tell them I can't pay you. I'll tell them I don't

have money to pay you with. You're getting nothing from me."

Swancy could no longer hold his pent-up emotions. Unlike himself, he shouted an obscenity at Baille as he grabbed the rum bottle and struck him, the shattered glass cutting his landlord's face and taking his eyesight.

James was overcome with the unexpected events and went for help. He then turned himself in to the police.

"I am deeply sorry for my actions," he said at his trial. "I would not hurt Monsieur Baille or any man for any amount of money."

"I even thought about killing myself. I was hoping to get my money back so I could return to my home in America. When he said I'll never get it back I was overcome and struck him. I'd never done anything like that before and I'll never again."

The court listened intently to the testimony including several witnesses who spoke of Swancy's benevolent character. Although he was found innocent of the criminal charges he was ordered to pay the equivalent of \$1,200 in damages to his former landlord.

Several Americans attended the trial and sympathized with Swancy. Together they paid the settlement and also paid for the young man's return to America.

Back in Williamson County, Tennessee, he soon married and in the following years put his Parisian debacle behind him.

Jadon Gibson is a free-lance writer from Harrogate, Tennessee. His writings, *From the Mountains*, are both historical and nostalgic in nature.

## FROM THE MOUNTAINS by Jadon Gibson



## For The Record

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James Scott Newsome to Leonard Osborne, property located on Clear Creek; John David Osborne and Vicky Lynn Osborne to Yvonne Osborne Gibson and Harrison Gibson Jr. to Alice Frances Osborne, property at Allen;

Charles Elkins and Effie Elkins to George P. Edmonds, property at Ivel; Dwayne Jarvis and Laveta Jarvis, Rodney Smythe and Paula Smythe, and Charles E. Jarvis to William Williamson, property at Cow Creek;

Dorcas H. Jones, and Gary Wright and Imelda Wright, property near Prestonsburg; Big Branch Inc. to Joe D. Weddington, property at Brandy Keg;

John C. Tackett and Margaret Tackett to Velma Miller, property location not listed; Steve Haywood and Patricia Haywood, and Mark Haywood to Danny P. Curry and Grace Ann Curry, property at Buckeye.

Potentially hazardous food. Hamburgers stored at 120°F. All hamburgers were discarded and holding unit was adjusted. Burgers are off the grill at 160°F, which is in compliance. Follow-up visit will be made to check for continued compliance.

Other violations: Proper hair restraints not in use. Wiping cloths not being held in sanitary solution. Rubber mats on food preparation floor.

G.C. Grocery, McDowell, 97: Facility should have a designated damaged food storage area. Chlorine test strips should be processed and sanitizing solution checked frequently for proper sanitizing strength. Food contact surfaces should be sanitized at 100 P.P.M. No major violations were observed.

Martin Foodland Pic-Pac. Follow-up visit. Critical items have been corrected. All hot food items are now being held well within compliance at 140°F.

Wheelwright Market, 98 in retail; deli not rated: Follow-up visit. Critical items have been corrected. Test kits still needed for sanitizing solution. Facility appears much improved. Manager has extended a great deal of effort to meet compliance standards.

Prestonsburg Community College, 94: Ceilings in Johnson Building's restrooms are leaking. Tile in bad repair. Light guard shields in bad repair in several classrooms, especially in band room of Johnson Building. Johnson Building ceilings and roof are in very bad repair. Major leaks were noted throughout this building. Repair work is ongoing. Fountain in dental hygiene area not usable.

In Pike building, some ceilings in bad repair. Outer wall leaking in one of the rooms. In Campbell Science Building, ceiling tile is missing in the lab.

Jenny Wiley Olympic Pool, 79: Pool bottom is cracked. Concrete overhangs are crumbling. Metal rods are visible. Backwash water is discharged directly to the lake. Underwater lighting is not working. Kids pool chlorine had to be rerouted. Surge tank is rusted inside and out. Overhang on lower deck cracked and concrete is falling. Toilet rooms are in bad repair. No hot water in restrooms and at showers. Fence on the upper deck around the kid's pool needs to be higher.

L&J Market, 98: Limited retail sales. Floor in the restroom in slight disrepair. Store has one light out. No other violations observed. Facility appears clean and in good repair.

Burger King Food Express, Allen, 92: Critical violation.

Paint has peeled off floor of the pool service building indicating leaks.

The pool needs much repair. Several safety hazards are apparent. Backwash water is considered to be wastewater and cannot be discharged to a body of water. This inspection was conducted before the pool was open to the public. Before the pool will be allowed to open, the safety hazards would have to be eliminated. The rating score would have to be 85 or above and the wastewater to the lake would have to be eliminated under the present conditions. The pool is closed to the public.

Scalf Mobile Home Park, on old U.S. 60: One vacant lot sewer outlet not capped. Some evidence of weeds over bank. Trash and litter over the bank.

Duff Elementary, 97: Floor tile broken. Ceiling is leaking in one of the rooms. Ceiling tile is missing in the library.

Duff Elementary cafeteria, 98: Cardboard box used for waste.

Harold Elementary cafeteria, not rated: This inspection was conducted due to a complaint concerning a possible problem with roaches. Facility was inspected regarding the problem. No live roaches or insects were observed during the inspection; however, several dead roaches were noticed. Manager states that school officials are aware of the problem and that effective measures have been taken.

Family Inn, 90, Garrett: No hair restraints. Counter top in bad repair. Freezer door needs repair. Top of microwave needs to be cleaned. Wiping cloths improperly stored. No covered can. Floor needs repair. Walls and ceilings need repair. No shields on lights.

Right Beaver Food Market, 99: Floor in bad repair.

David School, 85: Restroom ceilings in bad repair. Window in boy's restroom not screened. Lighting does not meet requirements. Floors and ceilings in bad repair. Fire extinguishers are discharged or out of date.

David School, cafeteria, 96: Wiping cloths not properly stored. Floor repair. Ceiling needs repair. No light shields.

The American Heart Association says cardiovascular disease kills an American every 33 seconds.

## Restaurant Inspections

Editor's note: Restaurant, mobile home parks and school inspections are made by Floyd County Health Department Environmentalists John L. Bailey and Russell Wallace.

Jett Pizza, Price, 89: Critical violation. Handwash sink is not accessible. It has no water. Owner has ten days to correct critical violation or notice of imminent closure will be issued.

Other violations: Refrigeration and freezer units have no thermometers. Food contact surfaces in bad repair. Counter tops of both food contact and non food contact surfaces in bad repair. Faucet at three-compartment sink will not shut off. Ceilings in need of repair. Facility as a few leaks. Facility has a small accumulation of debris.

Variety Mart, Tram, 97: Refrigeration units have no thermometers. Floors in bad repair. Ceilings in bad repair. Very limited retail sale.

L&J Market, 98: Limited retail sales. Floor in the restroom in slight disrepair. Store has one light out. No other violations observed. Facility appears clean and in good repair.

Burger King Food Express, Allen, 92: Critical violation.

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# Births/Birthdays



Felicia Marie Miller

## Third birthday

Felicia Marie Miller, daughter of Larry and Amy Miller, celebrated her 3rd birthday Saturday, April 13, at the home of her parents in Berea. She is the granddaughter of Marie and Gary Miller of Ligon and Maggie Legg of Tennessee. She is the great-granddaughter of Myrtle and Ed Tackett of Melvin and the late Betty and Otis Miller. She is the great-granddaughter of Shirley Neisonger of Chicago, Illinois. Guests included her cousin, Tyler Compton, Mason Adams, Ethan and Dakota Meade. The theme of the party was farm animals. Felicia received many nice gifts.



Corey Terry

## First birthday

On March 8th, Corey Terry turned one. Corey celebrated his birthday at Pizza Hut with family and friends on March 9. Pizza, a Little Slugger cake and ice cream were served. Corey is the son of Ritchie and Jodi Terry of Hueysville; the grandson of Robert and Lucretia Duncan of Hueysville, and Clinton and Mary Terry of Langley. He is the great-grandson of Sam Duncan of Hueysville and Louise Compton of Martin and the great-great-grandson of LeVada Duncan of Hueysville and Narcie Click of Martin.



## Birth announced

Jacob Alexandra Slone was born January 19, 1996 at Pikeville, to Johnny and Ericka Slone of Greenwich, Ohio. His grandparents are Gary Slone of Garrett; Rita Slone of Stone Coal Road; Billy Johnson of Kite and Trish Flynn of Greenwich, Ohio.



Caitlyn Nichole Williamson

## First birthday

Caitlyn Nichole Williamson celebrated her first birthday with a party on February 10 at McDonald's.

She is the daughter of Kevin and Jane Williamson of Lexington. Attending the celebration were her maternal grandparents, David and Patty Mollette of David; her paternal grandparents, Dennie and Lois Williamson of Prestonsburg; and guests David Ray Mollette of Lebanon, Virginia; Sheri Williamson, Timmy, Angie and Tommy Clark, and Rhea Lynn Clark and Christopher, Sherry Branham and Courtney, Kathy Frasure and Trent, Faye Prater, and Evelyn and Storm Flannery all of Prestonsburg; Anthony, Tish, Nick and Miranda Lafferty of Hippo; Bill Clark of Lexington; Ken, Cheryl and Haley Roberts of Ashland; and Deford, Lou Jean and Amy Shepherd of David.

*This article is reprinted due to an error in last Friday's paper.*

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## HIGHLANDS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER BIRTHS

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April 3: A son, Austin Kayle, to Ivanna Jean and Thomas Ray Ousley of Hueysville.

April 4: A son, Gary Ray Mulkey, to Janie Money of Salyersville; a son, Alexander Alan, to Mandy Marie and Virgil Lee Hicks of Eastern; a daughter, Tara Lasha, to Terry and Eunice Gibson of Salyersville; a daughter, Toni Marie Morman, to Vanessa Marie Stapleton of Paintsville.

April 5: A daughter, Evangeline Christine to Shelli Altopp-Miller and Phillip Miller of Auxier.

April 6: A son, Devon Brice, to Sherri Bowen-Williams and Michael Williams of East Point.

April 7: A daughter, Stephanie Nicole, to Teresa Lynn and John Dutton, III of Tomahawk; a son, Brandon Deon, to Kenda Lee and Adrian Deon Howard of Staffordsville; a daughter, Macy Elizabeth, to Lisa Ann Hall-Minix and Martin Russell Minix of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Hillary Mikala, to Wendy Leigh and John Thomas Chafin of

River.

April 8: A son, Benjamin Isaac, to Tammy Annette and William Milton Joseph of Royalton; a son, Brandon Trent, to Barbara Lynn

Hicks of Blue River.

April 9: A son, Austin Lee, to Nellie Ann Collett of Garrett; a son, Austin Bryant, to Christy Lou Gipson of Salyersville.

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## Five generations

Five generations gathered to celebrate the 80th birthday of Ethel Gibson Isaac of Golf Hollow on March 9. The celebration was held at the United Christian Church of God at Buckingham. Pictured with Mrs. Isaac are her daughter, Doris Hall Bates, 56; her granddaughter, Brenda Hall, 36; her great-granddaughter, Kelly Johnson, 18; and her great-great-granddaughter, Natasha Collins, 2.

## Anniversaries

### Golden anniversary

Jeff and Jenny Wells of Auxier, were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary, Saturday, April 6, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Hosting the occasion for their parents and friends were their children and grandchildren: George and Terri Wells Waggoner of Grayson; Jeffrey and Jeanie Wells and Kelly Tenille Wells, all of Auxier; Erin

Lynne Waggoner of Grayson; and Robin Alana Cool of Newark, Ohio.

Friends attending the celebration were Vernie Tackett, Madge Doran, Wanda Rodebaugh, Ronnie and Debbie Prater, Karen N. Marcum, and Helena Nelson, all of Prestonsburg; Maxine Daniels of Van Lear; Pat Coleman of Hager Hill; and Don and Rosie Music of Blaine.

## WIC program at the health department

Parents of children who are at risk of malnutrition can receive help, locally.

The Floyd County Health Department has a federally funded supplemental food program, WIC, which offers nutrition foods to women, infants and children up to five years of age.

Participants must qualify by income and be at nutritional risk.

Cheryl Younce, clinical nutritionist at the Floyd County Health Department said the "program is designed to improve the diets of pregnant, post partum and breast-feeding women as well as to improve diets of infants and children."

"In addition to offering supplemental foods, participants on the program also receive counseling regarding diet and nutrition," Younce said.

She added that participants can qualify for the program if their family income is below 185 percent of the poverty guidelines and if they are at nutritional risk.

Younce emphasized that if a person has been terminated from the program, it does not mean they may never apply for the program again. Persons who are no longer on the program may qualify at a later date if they are income eligible and fall

in the categories of pregnant, post partum or breast-feeding women, infants or children under the age of five. Younce encourages persons who have been on the program previously to reapply.

If anyone is interested in an appointment for WIC, they should call the health department in Prestonsburg at 886-2788, or one of the branch offices at Wheelwright 452-9300 or Betsy Layne 478-5454.

The health department in Prestonsburg is offering extended hours from 7 a.m. until 6 p.m., Monday through Friday.



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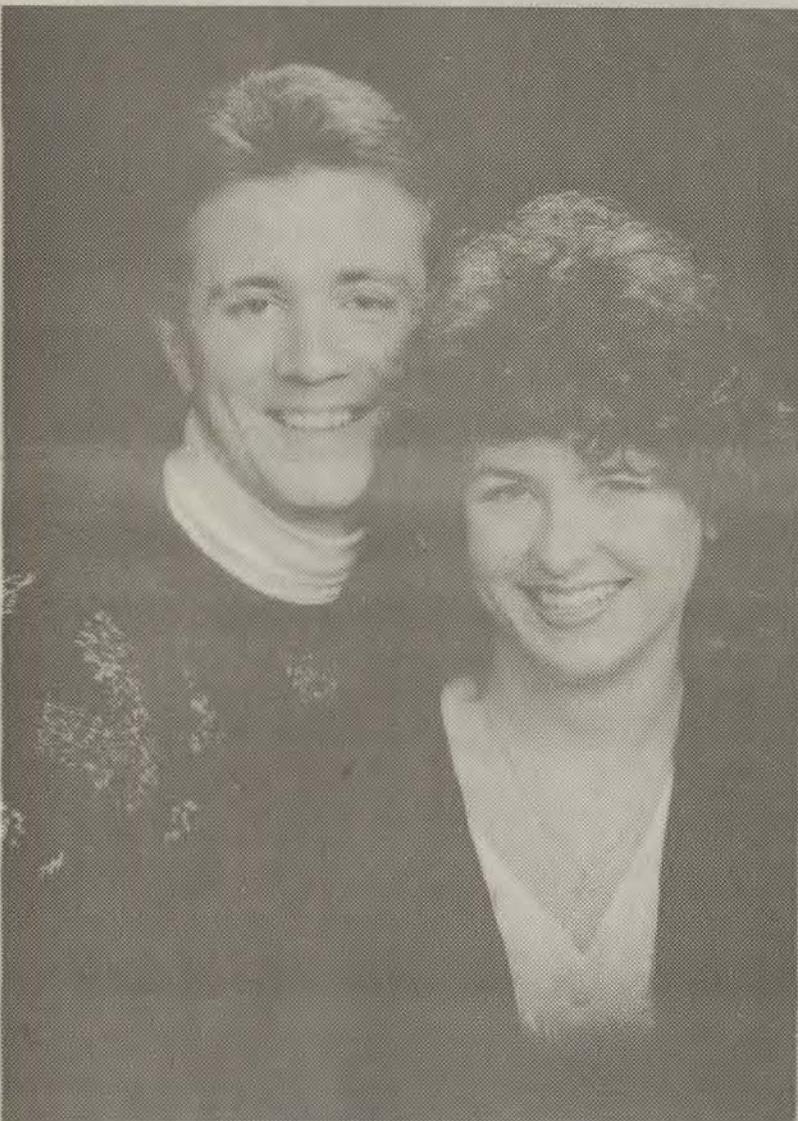
**Goble-Abbott to wed**

Freda Goble of Paintsville and Jimmy Goble of Prestonsburg, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kellie Ann Goble to Timothy David Abbott, son of Lou Ann Abbott of Danville and Graham Abbott of Whitesburg. The wedding will be held May 18 at 5:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Paintsville.



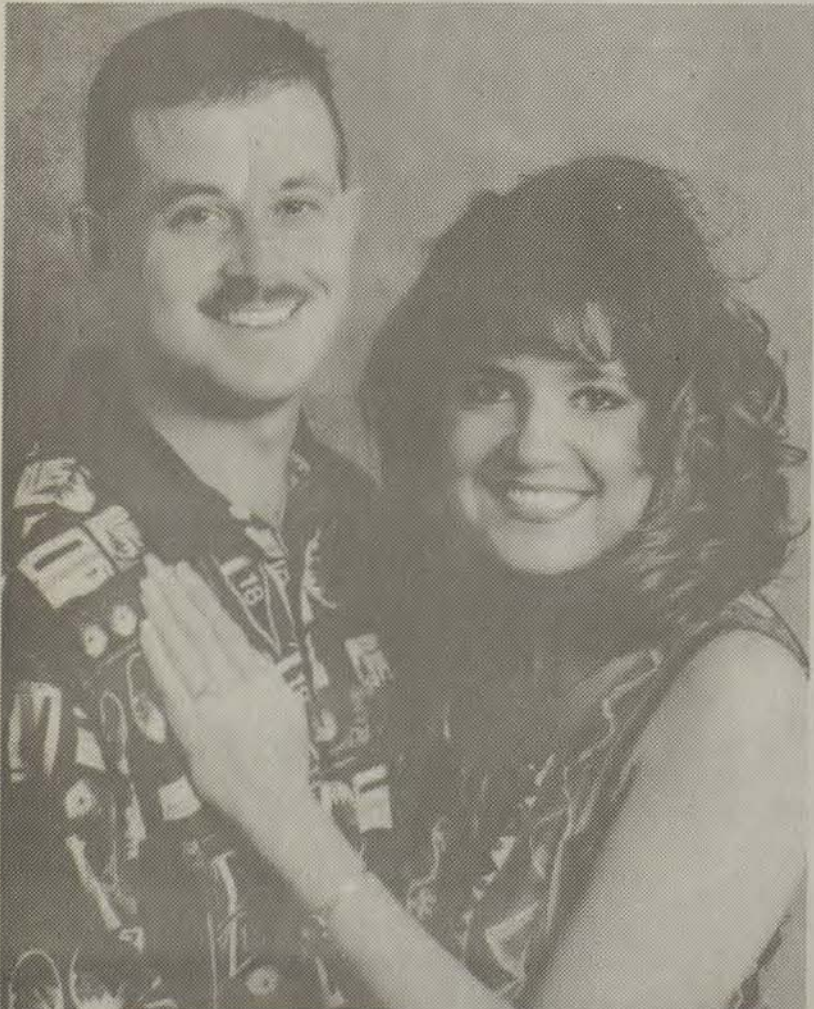
**Burke-Greene to wed**

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Burke of Leander announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Joy Michelle, to Richard Lee Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greene of Prestonsburg. Ms. Burke is a graduate of Johnson Central High School and is presently employed by First National Bank of Paintsville. Mr. Greene is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School and is currently employed by Commonwealth Insurance of Prestonsburg. The wedding is scheduled for April 20 at Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church in Prestonsburg at 1:30 p.m. The gracious custom of open wedding will be observed.



**Potter-Smith to wed**

Jim and Pearl Potter, formerly of Allen, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Rebecca Lynn Potter to Larry Daniel Smith, son of Larry and Freda Smith of Banner. The wedding will be held April 27 at 5:30 p.m. at The First Congressional Christian Church of Greenville, Ohio. The couple will reside in Coreenville, Ohio.



**Stumbo-Towles to wed May 3**

Charlotte Stumbo of Allen announces the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Tracy Wyanette Stumbo and Bradley Shawn Towles, son of Don and Lynda Towles of Owenton. The wedding will be held Friday, May 3, at 6 p.m. at the Best Western-La Playa Resort in Daytona Beach, Florida.

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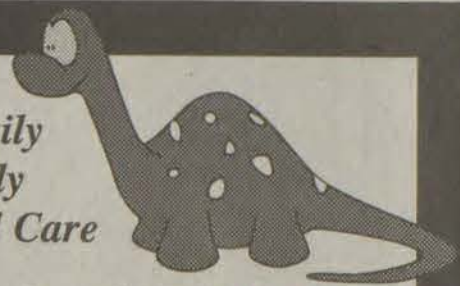
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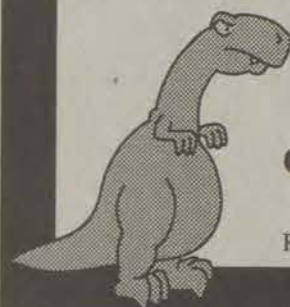
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Friends and relatives are invited to join the descendants of James Nickels Sr. and Robert Elam (the immigrant) families. It is expected that this year's reunion will attract descendants of the Nickels and Elam and other allied families.

Registration will begin at 10 a.m. Participants are asked to bring a picnic lunch and drinks for their family.

The first generation of our Elam family is represented by Robert Elam, Sr. who emigrated from England about 1638 to the new world specifically known as the colony of Virginia, (358) years ago.

For more information about the reunion, motel costs and the activities planned for June 8th at the motel or family history, you may contact, Edwin E. Nickels, 682 Rocky Branch Rd., Blountville, TN 37617 or call (423) 323-2009.

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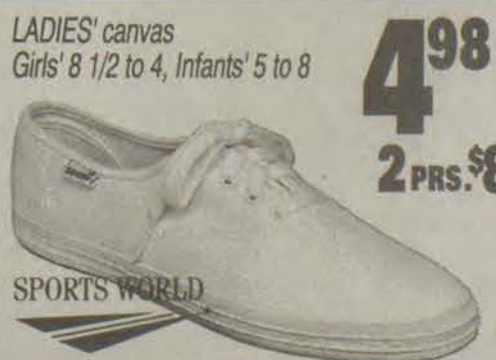
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# Jack May's War

*Editor's note: The following article is an excerpt from Robert Perry's book Jack May's War.*

The Federals retreated from Wytheville by the route they had come by, driving May's men before them with their superior numbers.

When they got to the top of Walker's Mountain, however, they left the main road, went down a mountain spur, and entered Walker Creek Valley near present-day Bland.

Instead of pursuing the Federals along this route, which was nearly impassable, May decided to stay on the road to Burke's Garden and try to intercept the Federals at a point farther north.

At dawn on July 19th, as they were passing along Walker's Creek, the Federals came to Stowers' farm. His wheatfield looked enticing, so they turned their horses into it. Within minutes the crop was destroyed.

From Walker's Creek they crossed Brushy Mountain and came down to Frank Suiter's place. Suiter had some good-looking horses, so they took them.

Then they crossed Round Mountain, entered Wolf Creek Valley, moved up the creek to Crabtree's Gap, and crossed Rich Mountain into the Clear Fork Valley.

When they reached Burke's Garden, May and his men turned east and moved down Wolf Creek, hoping to cut the Federals off at Crabtree's Gap.

The road was a rough one, however, and when they came within sight of the gap, the Federal rearguard was already passing through it. From Crabtree's Gap the Federals crossed over Rich Mountain and descended into Clear Fork Valley.

Then they turned east and moved down the valley, taking fresh horses wherever they found them.

When they reached Henry Dill's place at the mouth of Cove Creek, they headed up the east fork of the creek. At this point May and his men caught up with their rearguard. Pendleton says:

"A small detachment of Confederate soldiers and Tazewell citizens charged upon the rearguard of the Federals as they were going up the

creek, killing several of the enemy and capturing several men and a number of horses."

During their brief pause at Burke's Garden, Jack and his men were joined by Captain Henry Bowen and twenty members of the Eighth Virginia Cavalry.

Bowen and his men had spent all of July 18th riding overland to Abb's Valley from their base at Princeton. Bowen's report of the fight at Cove Creek reads as follows:

"On arriving at Burke's Garden, I found Colonel May, who ordered me to accompany him. After a short delay, he received intelligence that the enemy was moving toward the gap in the mountain above Crabtree's.

"We arrived at this road only in time to see their rearguard pass. After crossing the mountain, our advance guard charged the enemy's rear, and drove them upon the main column. Upon arriving at Dill's, Colonel May called on me to charge the enemy. In the charge, we captured seven of the enemy and one negro."

May and his men didn't reach Henry Dill's place until late afternoon of July 19th. By then they were very tired and very hungry.

In the last forty-two hours they had ridden almost one hundred miles over rough roads, fought a battle, and skirmished with the enemy several times. Nevertheless, they continued their pursuit up Cove Creek, "an almost impassable trace," fighting the enemy until darkness fell.

While Jack May was chasing the Federals through the boondocks, Williams was back at Liberty Hill waiting for Preston's cavalry to come up.

At 4:30 Sunday afternoon, Major Holladay arrived with one hundred and fifty men.

"I took these," reported Williams, "with forty of Colonel Peters' mounted men, and moved to Charles Tiffany's [near present-day Bailey], where I knew the enemy would descend from the mountain." Then he sent a courier to Colonel Hodge, urging him to come up as fast as possible.

When Williams reached Tiffany's, however, a courier arrived with the news that Hodge had been ordered by

General Preston to remain between Saltville and Glade Springs.

When Williams reached Tiffany's, night was coming on, so he sent word back to May that he intended to attack the Federals at daybreak, adding that May should cross the mountain later that night and join him in the attack.

May anticipated this order, and when Williams' courier arrived at Henry Dill's farm, May and his men were already moving up Cove Creek.

With their fresher horses, the Federals were able to move faster over East River Mountain than their pursuers. They crossed the summit at Georgia's Gap and descended through Pin Hook (present day Bluefield, Virginia).

Then they crossed Stony Ridge and camped for the night in Brown's Meadow near Falls Mills. On the following morning they broke camp before sunrise and moved up Abb's Valley to a gap in the Laurel Ridge.

May and Williams didn't discover their whereabouts until most of them had passed through the gap. Williams' report reads:

"At daybreak we came upon them as they were getting out of Brown's meadow, and attacked their rear.

"A running fire was kept up until we came to Abb's Valley, where two Yankee companies were engaged in collecting several hundred beef cattle. We charged into them, forcing them to abandon the cattle and a number of stolen negroes.

"I had three men killed and the Yankees several. They were in the act of burning Fall's Mills as we came upon them.

"We continued the pursuit to Flat Top Mountain, when, finding that I would lose more men than the Yankees, I gave up the chase and returned to Abb's Valley."

Jack's heroic deeds during the Wytheville raid earned him the gratitude of the entire region.

With the help of General Williams, the Wytheville militia, and three hundred raw recruits, he had saved the railroad, the leadworks, the saltworks, and other Confederate interests.

In his report to Richmond following the raid, Williams stressed that Jack and his men had performed an

extraordinary feat of human endurance:

"The vigor of the pursuit made by May and Morris is without parallel. In less than forty-eight hours, they pressed and fought the enemy for one hundred and ten miles without resting.

"The enemy had the advantage of being able to take fresh horses in front, while none were left for our own men behind. The raid was a failure.

"The enemy lost thirty prisoners, seventeen killed, and a large number wounded, and were compelled to abandon the stolen negroes and cattle, and were chased so closely as to be unable to do much damage to private property."

These accomplishments notwithstanding, Williams and May were keenly aware of the fact that once again, their superiors had bungled a golden opportunity.

"It was the Battle of Princeton all over again. 'If General Preston's cavalry had come straight to me from Russell instead of going by Saltville,' wrote Williams, 'I could certainly have captured the enemy's entire force.'"

Reports of the raid in Northern newspapers were wildly inaccurate. On July 25th, the New York Times announced: "Important cavalry expedition. The Virginia and Tennessee Railroad cut at Wytheville." The story didn't mention the engagement at Walker's Mountain, saying only that the town had been captured after a severe fight. "Our loss was about 65 killed and wounded. The enemy lost 75 killed, and a large number wounded."

The official figures were somewhat lower. Colonel Franklin reported his losses as eleven killed, thirty-two wounded, and twenty-six missing.

The Lynchburg Virginian later reported that fourteen local militia had been killed and twenty wounded. General Williams reported his losses as three killed and "a few slightly wounded."

When news of the raid reached the War Department in Richmond, it did little to dispel the gloom caused by Lee's recent defeat at Gettysburg.

On July 20th, John B. Jones wrote in his diary: "A thousand of the enemy's forces were in Wytheville yesterday, and were severely handled by 130 of the home guards. They did but little injury to the railroad, and burned a few buildings."

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## Yesterdays

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Winchester, and Mr. R. Bruce Thompson, of David, April 8 at Clintwood, Virginia; Miss Brenda Clay, of David, and Tom Edward Music, of the Abbott Road, April 16 at the David Baptist Church...There died: Mrs. Tina Clark Ramey, 58, of Town Branch, March 3 at the Paintsville Hospital; M. D. Osborne, 71, of Buckingham, April 8 at a Lexington hospital; F. J. "Jake" Gunnell, 80, of Emma, Saturday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital.

### Forty Years Ago (April 19, 1956)

At least six of the county's nine high schools already have selected girl-representatives to compete here the evening of April 27 for the title of "Miss Floyd County"...Big Sandy river towns and some on smaller streams got their usual spring flood scare over the week-end after more than 24 hours of almost continual rainfall...The Stumbo Memorial Hospital near Lackey closed its doors Saturday...The Floyd County Health Department after almost 30 years of service to the people of the county was legally created only last week...State-owned wholesale and retail liquor stores were offered last week by Representatives David Martin Jr., of Hi Hat, and Russell Reynolds, Beattyville, as a bill for house consideration...The Floyd County Board of Health in a special meeting last Thursday approved a budget of \$35,632.56 to cover expenses of the Floyd County Health Department for the fiscal year beginning July 1...The United Fuel Gas Company plans to spend approximately \$2,305,000 for the drilling this year of gas wells, none of which will be in Floyd County...Billie Sue Click, 20, of Martin, is a candidate for Queen of the Mountain Laurel Festival at Pineville...Martin Douglas May, eighth-grade pupil in the Prestonsburg grade school, this year won for the second year in a row his school's spelling championship, and will represent the school in the Herald-Dispatch Tri-State spelling bee at Huntington, W. Va...Married: Miss Carol Jean Robinson, and Mr. George Austin Wright, both of Jackson, Mich., April 7 at Jackson...There died: George P. Bingham, 77, of Lancer, Tuesday; Andrew Poe, 83, Monday at the home of a son at Katy Friend; Jimmy D. Salisbury, 66, of Hunter, last Wednesday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin.

### Fifty Years Ago (April 18, 1946)

Unskilled workers employed by the Ryan Construction Company in construction of the Johns Creek dam are on strike this week, protesting the 65 cent-per hour

wage scale set for them by the Department of Labor...Except for train service, public transportation north of Prestonsburg was nonexistent after 33 employees of the Kentucky-Virginia Stages had gone on strike Monday...Lucas Gibson, 26, was instantly killed Monday near Lackey when two telephone poles from which he had cut the wires snapped at the ground level, plummeting him to earth and falling on him...Henry Blair, 47, Pikeville miner, was struck and instantly killed by a passenger train, Sunday morning on the tracks near the home of George Clifton, across the river from upper Prestonsburg...The Big Sandy Baseball League will open play, Sunday...James G. Williams, 24, of McRoberts, is in the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin, suffering from a gunshot wound sustained Monday night at Wheelwright Junction...Married: Miss Ethel May Shepherd, of Abbott Road, and Mr. Carl Chaffins, of West Prestonsburg, April 2...There died: Mrs. Ida Lewis, 31, and her newborn babe, Monday night at home on Daniels Creek; Riley Shepherd, 74, formerly of Middle Creek, at home near Packerton, Indiana, Tuesday.

### Sixty Years Ago (April 17, 1936)

Lieutenant-Governor Keen Johnson, acting as the state's executive in the absence of Governor A. B. Chandler, appointed Dewey Roberts to his former office as Magistrate in District No. 4 this county...The NYA project here has employed 38 of the city's youth...Body of Everett Hunt, 30 years old, motorman for the Sandy Valley Coal Company at Water Gap was found Sunday morning beside the tracks of the C.&O. Railway Company near his home at the mouth of Bull Creek, where he is believed to have been struck by a freight train...Before the grand jury of the Floyd Circuit Court adjourned last Saturday, it filed a total of 14 murder indictments...Work sheets are now available in the office of Court Agent S. L. Isbell for farmers who wish to cooperate with the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in the soils conservation program, it was announced this week...Married: Miss Alice Frasure, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Samuel Robinson, of Cincinnati, Ohio, April 9, at Covington...There died Mrs. E. S. Pratt, 49, at home on Stone Coal Creek, Monday; Mrs. Mary Ann Bradley Bentley, 77, at the home of her son at Allen, Thursday; Thomas Leslie, 74, at his home at Emma, Wednesday; Brack Miller, 65, at home at West Prestonsburg, Tuesday.

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# Business/Real Estate

## Century 21 American Way Realty recognizes agents

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Lynette Fitzer led the office in residential sales and Brenda Sturgill excelled in listings, both in residential and commercial properties.

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## Brown completes requirements for CERA

Paul David Brown Jr. has completed the requirements of the prestigious Certified Environmental Risk Auditor (CERA) professional designation

program presented by the National Association of Environmental Risk Auditors.

The CERA designation is earned by those professionals who have successfully completed advanced academic work, laboratory and on-site environmental studies, and passed a four-hour examination held at Indiana University.

In addition, Brown was required to provide a complete demonstration report for peer review.

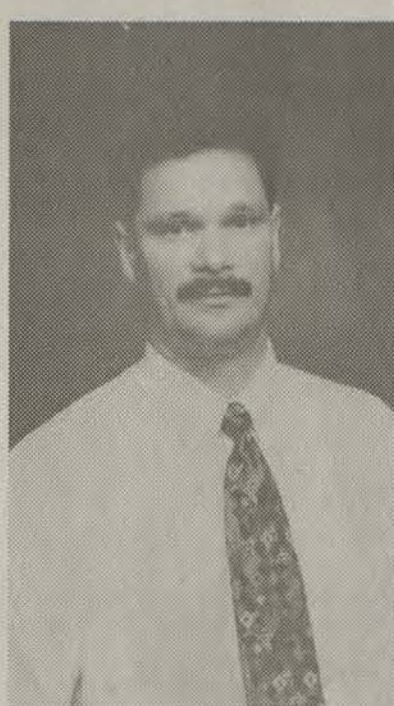
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## Stephens awarded GRI designation



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She is affiliated with Century 21 American Way Realty in Paintsville.

Stephens is a member of the National and Kentucky Association of Realtors, and the Big Sandy Board of Realtors.

She resides at Northgate in Paintsville.

She is married to Randall Stephens and is the mother of Rhonda Brown and Carla Vanhose.

## Father, son awarded honors at Kentucky Farm Bureau meeting

Doug Greene has been recognized by Kentucky Farm Bureau Insurance as Rookie of the Year.

He began with Farm Bureau in 1994.

His father, Floyd Greene, also was honored as Farm Bureau's Agent of the Year for District Six.

Greene enjoys fishing and golf. He and his wife, Sherry, live in Prestonsburg with their three children, Kyle, Kristi and Lakelyn.

ed numerous other awards in his career with Farm Bureau.

He enjoys golf, hunting and fishing. He and his wife, Betty, have two children, Doug and Angie.

Greene's office is located in Prestonsburg.

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1992 FLEETWOOD 14X60 MOBILE HOME. Two bedroom, one bath, front kitchen. Vinyl underpinning, large porch, central air, stove and refrigerator included. Call 606-886-0534.

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FREE... New bed rails, setup and delivery, removal of old bedding, with purchase of new mattress and box spring set. Queen Luxurious, Firm, Pillow Top, 10 year limited warranty, \$399. 90 days same as cash. Johnson's Sofas and More. Located next to Big Lots in Pikeville. Open 7 days a week. Call 432-SOFA.

NEW FLEETWOOD 16' WIDE. Five year warranty, delivered and set up starting at less than \$195 per month. The AFFORDABLE HOUSING MART, 537 New Circle Road, Lexington, KY; 293-1600 or 800-755-5359.

ROSE'S USED FURNITURE: Washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators (30 day warranty); bedroom and living room sets; chests; dressers; coffee and end tables; waterbeds; wringer washers; snack bar; coal and gas heaters; wall heaters; air conditioner; glassware; wall hangings; Sony Play Station; and much more. New load coming in Friday, April 12. Come on by and check it out. Located between Allen and Lancer on Rt. 1428, across bridge to Goble Roberts. Call 886-8085 days or 889-9898 evenings.

NEW INDIES BRANDY-WINE DOUBLEWIDE GLAMOUR HOME. Over 1,700 sq. ft. Fireplace, den, deluxe kitchen. Free set up and delivery for less than \$375 per month. The AFFORDABLE HOUSING MART, 537 New Circle Road, Lexington, KY; 293-1600 or 800-755-5359.

RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION WORK. Roofing specialist. Residential homes only. New homes and remodeling. Call Ricky Yates at 886-3452 or 874-9488.

NEW HOMES FROM ground up; remodeling or additions; all finish work; drywall; painting (interior, exterior and trim work); all types concrete work, driveways, sidewalks, foundations, etc.; any size pole buildings; garages; decks. Over 20 yrs experience. Robie Johnson Jr. Call anytime, 886-8896.

REMODELING, roofing, drywall, concrete. 28 years experience. Call 285-0935.

HERMAN'S LAWN CARE SERVICE: Will do grass cutting, weed cutting, or any of your lawn maintenance needs. Call 606-789-6776.

TREE TRIMMING, cemetery cleaning, etc. Big or small jobs. Call 886-1923, leave message if no answer.

EAST KY GUTTER, SIDING AND ROOFING 5" and 6" seamless gutters; siding; shingle roofs; replacement windows. We now accept MC and VISA. Free estimates. Call James Hall at 285-9512 or 1-800-277-7351.

COMPLETE BUILDING AND REMODELING Vinyl siding, roofing, painting, carpentry, concrete, block, room additions. 25 years experience. Call Johnnie Ray Boyd, 606-886-8293.

LIVING room suits; daybeds; gun cabinets; bedroom suits; recliners; odd chests; dinette sets; bunk beds; odd beds;

loungers; used washers, dryers, refrigerators; and lots more! Call 874-9790.

FREE... New bed rails, setup and delivery, removal of old bedding, with purchase of new mattress and box spring set. Queen Luxurious, Firm, Pillow Top, 10 year limited warranty, \$399. 90 days same as cash. Johnson's Sofas and More. Located next to Big Lots in Pikeville. Open 7 days a week. Call 432-SOFA.

THE BARGAIN BARN New and Used Furniture and Appliances is NOW OPEN! Located across from the BP Station on Rt. 122 at Minnie. We have a large selection of washers, dryers, stoves and refrigerators as well as kitchen tables, mattresses, living room sets, and bedroom sets. Call 377-0143.

ROSE'S USED FURNITURE: Washers, dryers, stoves, refrigerators (30 day warranty); bedroom and living room sets; chests; dressers; coffee and end tables; waterbeds; wringer washers; snack bar; coal and gas heaters; wall heaters; air conditioner; glassware; wall hangings; Sony Play Station; and much more. New load coming in Friday, April 12. Come on by and check it out. Located between Allen and Lancer on Rt. 1428, across bridge to Goble Roberts. Call 886-8085 days or 889-9898 evenings.

PORTER PLUMBING COMPANY Allen, KY Commercial, residential and service work. Licensed and insured. Rotor roter service, drain cleaning, etc. CALL US FIRST! 874-2794.

THE FOLLOWING item will be offered for public sale on April 18, 1996, at 11:00 a.m. in the First Commonwealth Bank parking lot, 169 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky., to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 11/3/94. 1994 Ford Aspire S/N 8547.

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.

For further information contact Mike Haney at 886-2321.

IN accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises, Inc., 1500 North Big Run Road, Ashland, Kentucky 41102, has applied for a Phase I bond release on Increment No. 1 & 16 of permit number 836-0243, which was last issued on 4/20/87. The application covers an area of approximately 713.58 acres located 1.5 miles east of Ivel in Pike and Floyd Counties. The permit area is approximately 2 miles east from U.S. 23's junction with Ivy Creek Road and located 0.25 miles south of Ivy Creek. The latitude is 37° 35' 12" and longitude 82° 37' 30". The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a surety in the amount of \$62,500. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$62,500 is included in the application for release. The bond now in effect for Increment No. 16 is a surety in the

amount of \$320,600. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$320,600 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed on Increment No. 1 includes: Backfilling, grading and revegetative efforts, completed in Early Spring 1994. Reclamation work performed on Increment No. 16 includes: Backfilling, grading and revegetative efforts completed in Spring 1992.

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 May 17, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for May 21, 1996 at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, and/or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5033, Major Revision #3

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Amber Coal Company, Inc., 29501 Mayo Trail, Catlettsburg, Kentucky 41129, has filed an application for a Major Revision #3, to an existing coal mining and reclamation operation. This Major Revision #3 proposes to have a land use change for Increments #1 and #2, from a forest land landuse to a residential lots for trailers landuse, and for Increments #3, #4, and #5, from a forest land landuse, to a wildlife habitat land use. This Major Revision #3 proposes to change the permit acreage by redesignating 0.88 acres, for a total surface acreage of 22.73 acres, but not changing the underground acreage of 1,188.63 acres, for a grand total of 1211.36 acres, located 1.0 mile north of Risner in Floyd County.

The proposed Major Revision #3 is approximately 0.3 mile east from KY 1210's junction with Johnson Fork County Road, and also lies adjacent to the west side of KY 1210, at the intersection of the subject roads. The Major Revision #3 lies on Johnson Fork Creek. The latitude is 37-36-04. The longitude is 82-50-24. The proposed Major

Revision #3 is located on the Martin 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected is owned by John E. Johnson, Roger Kirk and Ronald Frasure. Mining operations will occur within 100' of public roads; Johnson Fork County Road, and KY 1210, and will not involve relocation of the roads. The Major Revision #3 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 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, and/or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

TO ALL CUSTOMERS OF PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES The Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission current water, gas and sewer rates for current existing customers, effective April 1, 1996, are as follows:

WATER RATES		
INSIDE CORPORATION		
0 - 2,000 Gallons	\$4.60 Minimum	\$4.70 Minimum 1st Booster
Next 98,000 Gallons	\$1.95 per 1,000	\$2.05 per 1,000
Over 100,000 Gallons	\$1.64 per 1,000	\$1.74 per 1,000
2nd Booster		
0 - 2,000 Gallons	\$4.80 Minimum	
Next 98,000 Gallons	\$2.15 per 1,000	
Over 100,000 Gallons	\$1.84 per 1,000	
OUTSIDE CORPORATION		
0 - 2,000 Gallons	\$6.97 Minimum	\$7.07 Minimum 1st Booster
Next 98,000 Gallons	\$3.02 per 1,000	\$3.12 per 1,000
Over 100,000 Gallons	\$2.02 per 1,000	\$2.12 per 1,000
2nd Booster		
0 - 2,000 Gallons	\$7.17 Minimum	
Next 98,000 Gallons	\$3.22 per 1,000	
Over 100,000 Gallons	\$2.22 per 1,000	
GAS RATES		
INSIDE CORPORATION	OUTSIDE CORPORATION	
0 - 1,000 CF	\$5.50 Min.	0 - 1,000 CF \$7.25 Min.
Over 1,000 CF	\$5.10 Each	Over 1,000 CF \$5.60 Each
SEWER RATES		
INSIDE CORPORATION	OUTSIDE CORPORATION	
70% of Water Bill	100% of Water Bill	
PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION Seldon D. Home, Superintendent		
W-4/10, 4/17		



## SECTION 00100

## INVITATION FOR BID

Sealed proposals will be received at the OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION PRESTONSBURG, KY 41653

until 2:00 p.m. local time on April 24, 1996, and opened as soon as practicable thereafter, for performing and executing the contracts for

## RENOVATION AND ADDITION TO PRESTONSBURG HIGH SCHOOL

in accordance with the Contract Documents prepared by the Architect,

JOHNSON-ROMANOWITZ ARCHITECTS

300 EAST MAIN STREET, SUITE 301

LEXINGTON, KY 40507

Bidding Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, can be obtained upon the deposit of a \$200 check per set, made payable to the Floyd County Board of Education and forwarded to Ms. Pam Denny, Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co., Inc., 328 Old Vine Street, Lexington, KY 40507 (606) 255-1021. Upon

receipt of the plan deposit fee, documents may be picked up at Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co., Inc. If documents are to be mailed, a non-refundable mailing charge of \$10 per set is required, made payable directly to Lynn Blue Print & Supply Company, Inc.

The plan deposit will be returned to all bidders who submit a bonafide bid and return to Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co. the plans and specifications (postage prepaid) in good condition postmarked within 20 calendar days after the closing date for the receipt of bids, otherwise no refund will be made. The apparent Low Bidder for each Bid Division shall retain the Bidding documents and shall receive a complete refund of the plan deposit fee.

The FORM OF PROPOSAL can be obtained from Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co., Inc. Bidders shall advise Lynn Blue Print of the respective Bid Division (s) the bidders desires to bids. The Proposal Envelope will have the Project and respective Bid Division number affixed. Submit the Form of Proposal in Duplicate. Do not use the forms in the project manual. All bids shall be submitted only on the Form and in the Envelope provided by Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co.

It is most important that the requesting firm identify the position of the firm as to prime bidder, material supplier or other. Please give name, address and telephone number of person responsible for receiving addenda material and general communication concerning this bid.

Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of JOHNSON-ROMANOWITZ ARCHITECTS, 300 East Main Street, Suite 301, Lexington, KY; MARTIN ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION, INC., CONSTRUCTION MANAGER, Rt. 122, Martin, KY; FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, OWNER, Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY; F.W. DODGE CORPORATION, 303 N. Hurstborne Lane, Suite 265, Louisville, KY; F.W. DODGE CORPORATION, 2525 Harrodsburg Road, Lexington, KY; AGC, Lexington and BUILDERS EXCHANGE OF LOUISVILLE, 3595 Dutchman's Lane, Louisville, KY; DODGE PLAN ROOM, 405 Capitol Street, Suite 509, Charleston, WV.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, cash or bidders bond, executed by the Bidder and Surety Company, IN THE SUM OF NOT LESS THAN FIVE PERCENT (5%) OF THE AMOUNT OF THE BASE PROPOSAL. The

bid security is required as a guarantee that if the proposal is accepted a Contract will be immediately entered into and the performance of it properly secured.

Proposal Forms must be properly filled out and submitted in Duplicate Form. No omissions, modifications or qualifying statements or conditions will be permitted in the Form of Proposal. The presence of any of these conditions will be grounds for rejection of the Proposal. Any alteration or erasures must be initialed by the signer of the bid.

No bidder may withdraw a bid submitted for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening of Bids. In the event the Bidder to whom the Contract is awarded fails to execute a satisfactory Contract and Performance Bond, he shall be eliminated and shall forfeit his certified check, cash or his Bid Bond and shall be liable for the loss occasioned by the Owner by such failure.

Any bid which is not received on a timely basis or in the proper form shall be returned unopened. The Owner reserves the right to accept any or reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities therein.

A PRE-BID CONFERENCE is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. EST April 15, 1996, at the Prestonsburg High School, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The following bids are requested:

Bid 001: Contract for Site Work

Bid 002: Contract for Paving

Bid 003: Contract for Concrete

Bid 004: Contract for Masonry, Doors, Frames, Hardware and Windows

Bid 005: Contract for Structural and Miscellaneous Steel

Bid 006: Contract for Roofing Systems

Bid 007: Contract for Finishes, Painting and Caulking

Bid 008: Contract for Specialties

Bid 009: Contract for Library Equipment

Bid 010: Contract for Plastic Laminate Faced Casework

Bid 011: Contract for Laboratory Casework & Equipment

Bid 012: Contract for Elevator

Bid 013: Contract for Plumbing

Bid 014: Contract for H.V.A.C.

Bid 015: Contract for Electrical

Bid 016: Contract for Sprinkler

There are major material items within the individual bid divisions which will be bid through the respective Prime Contractor but purchased directly by the Owner. Interested material suppliers should contact Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co., Inc., 606-255-1021, for the names of Contractors who have expressed an interest in the bid divisions involved.

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

## INVITATION FOR BIDS PART I

The Prestonsburg Housing Authority will receive sealed bids for Public Housing Modernization Project K Y 3 6 P 0 3 5 9 0 7 Z, Prestonsburg Housing Authority, until 2:00 p.m. (local time) on the 30th day of April 1996, at the Indian Hills Community Building, Green Acres Housing Site, U.S. Highway 23, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, at which time and place all bids shall be publicly opened and read aloud.

Extent of Work: Work consists of furnishing all equipment, labor and materials, and performance of all work as described in the Specifications accompanying Drawings.

The project consists of site improvements including placement of concrete

walks and curbs, replacement of playground equipment, and fencing. Building improvements include conversion of two dwelling units for the physically handicapped, installation of emergency call system, encapsulation of lead base paint on one building and associated improvements. Work is to be conducted on three separate sites.

Prebid Conference: On April 16, 1996, 11:00 a.m. (local time) there will be a Pre-Bid Conference conducted by the Architect at the Green Acres Community Building, US Highway 23, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

For the public use of material men and subcontractors, Plans and Specifications will be on file at the following offices:

F.W. Dodge Corporation  
2525 Harrodsburg Road  
One Paragon Center  
Suite 230

Lexington, KY 40504-3355

F.W. Dodge Corporation  
Hurstborne Forum Two  
Suite 265  
303 North Hurstborne  
Louisville, KY 40222

Assoc. General Contractors  
2324 Fortune Drive  
Suite 112  
Lexington, KY 40509

F.W. Dodge Corporation  
105 E. 4th St., Suite 1200  
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Builder's Exchange  
2300 Meadows Drive  
Louisville, KY 40218

F.W. Dodge Corporation  
901 E. Vine, Suite 300  
Fort Hill Blvd.  
Knoxville, TN 37915

Copies of plans and specifications may be obtained from Metro Blue Print Company, 1328 Versailles Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40504 (606-252-1459). A complete set of plans and specifications requires a deposit of \$100.00 (\$75.00 is refundable, \$25.00 is non-refundable).

The refundable and non-refundable amounts will be issued on two separate checks payable to Ross Feldman Architecture, Inc. The refundable check will be returned only if the documents are returned to Metro Blue Print Company in good condition within 10 days after the bid opening. If plans and specifications are to be mailed, arrangements must be made with Metro Blue Print Company. A separate non-refundable check for \$12.00 per set shall be made payable to Metro Blue Print. No drawings will be mailed until receipt of all checks. Successful bidders may retain their plans and specifications and the refundable deposit will be returned to them.

A certified check, irrevocable letter of credit, or bank draft, payable to Prestonsburg Housing Authority, U.S. Government Bonds, or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the bidder and acceptable Sureties in an amount equal to five percent of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory Performance and Payment Bond or Bonds or other acceptable surety. Work to be performed under this contract is on a project assisted under a program providing direct Federal Financial Assistance from D/HUD and is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended; E.O. Nos. 11246 and 11375; Title VI of the Civil Rights Act 1964; the Copeland Anti-Kickback Act; and, the Contract Work Hours Standard Act.

Furthermore, the Prestonsburg Housing Authority requires all bidders to make every effort to involve minority-owned businesses in their bid

proposals. Payment of not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Specifications must be paid on this project. It is required that all bidders conform to the conditions and procedures as set forth in the bid documents in all respects.

The Prestonsburg Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the opening of bids without consent of the Prestonsburg Housing Authority.

Julia M. May  
Executive Director  
Prestonsburg Housing Authority

## NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that MATT/Co., Inc., 432 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for Phase I Bond Release on permit number 836-5271 which was last issued on January 26, 1996. The application covers an area of approximately 1.70 acres located 0.7 miles north of Dana in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.25 miles south from KY 1426's junction with Cecil Branch Road and located 0.5 miles west of Johnson Fork. The latitude is 37° 33' 48". The longitude is 82° 41' 27".

The bond now in effect is a surety for ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in May 1995.

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 May 24, 1996.

A public hearing on this application has been scheduled for May 28, 1996 at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office located at 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing shall be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by May 24, 1996.

## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

## DIVISION NO. II

## CIVIL ACTION NO.

94-CI-00378

## CONSOL OF KENTUCKY, INC., Plaintiffs

## vs.

## BIG SANDY WHOLESALE COMPANY, ET AL., Defendants

## NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the March 15, 1996 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 8th day of May, 1996, at the hour of 9:30 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, containing 55 acres more or less, situated on Right Beaver Creek of Floyd County, Kentucky, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning on a gate post running an easterly direction to the top of the hill to a corner to Glo Coal

Company land; thence up the middle of the ridge to Bill Triplett's line, corner to Bill Triplett and Earl Martin land; thence down the hill to Mack Keaton's line, a corner to Bill Triplett and Mack Keaton's line; thence to the beginning. Surface only.

Being the same property conveyed to Elizabeth Jane Salyers and James Salyers by deed dated January 6, 1903, recorded in Deed Book 006, Page 035, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, 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.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 2nd day of April, 1996.

EARL MARTIN  
MCGUIRE

Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
P.O. Box 1257  
Prestonsburg, KY  
41653

Phone: 606-886-8140  
Fax: 606-886-9755

## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

## DIVISION II

## CIVIL ACTION NO.

92-CI-229

## VIRGINIA FOODS OF BLUEFIELD, Plaintiffs

## vs.

## TAYLOR PRICE, ET AL., Defendants

## NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of an Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the October 16, 1992 Term, and by Amended Order of Sale rendered at the October 2, 1995 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 8th day of May, 1996, at the hour of 11:45 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 being the 1/4 undivided interest of Taylor Price and Alta Price:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Rice Branch, and being the same land conveyed to Taylor Price, by Dorothy Patrick and Marvin Patrick, her husband; Paul Williams and Bernice Williams, his wife; Patsy Trimble and Danny Trimble, her husband; and Nora Holbrook and Martin Holbrook, her husband; by deeds bearing dates May 24 and 27, 1986, which are duly recorded in Deed Books No. 320, pages 59 and 64, Floyd County Clerk's Office, containing 40 acres more or less.

First Tract: Beginning on a black walnut tree on top of high knob at head of Wolf Branch; thence down the ridge with Sonnie Collins' line to the gap; thence up the ridge with same Collins' line to top of high knob; thence down the ridge with same Collins' line to top of high knob; thence down the ridge to Hanner Lane line; down the hill to the branch; thence across the branch and up the other side of the hill to the beginning so as to include all land in said boundary.

Oil and gas rights excepted and not conveyed in this deed and the right to apply with said leases and parties of the second part is to have free gas for his benefit should a gas well be drilled on the above tract.

Second Tract: Beginning at a sycamore and running up the point with Oscar Prater's line to

the top of the hill; thence up the ridge to Cleveland Adams' line; thence down the hill with said Adams' line to the branch; across the branch to a sugar tree; thence up the hill with said Adams' line to the top of the hill; thence down the point with Oscar Prater's line to a black oak; thence with Oscar Prater's line to the branch; thence across the branch to a stone; thence up the branch to the mouth of a drain; thence up the drain to the beginning.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale is more specifically set out in the Courts Order of October 16, 1992, and Amended Order of October 2, 1995, and includes 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 judgement with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 1st day of April, 1996.

EARL MARTIN  
MCGUIRE

Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
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41653

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## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

## DIVISION II

## CIVIL ACTION NO. 95-CI-00612

## FIRST COMMONWEALTH BANK, Plaintiff

## vs.

## STERLING TACKETT and LEIGH ANN TACKETT, his wife; T &amp; T EQUIPMENT COMPANY, INC.; STAN EQUIPMENT COMPANY; STANLEY TACKETT and STEPHANIE TACKETT, his wife; CAMPBELL OIL and MINE SUPPLY, INC.; FRANK SCHULTZ; THE BANK JOSEPHINE; COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, REVENUE CABINET; THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF EAST TENNESSEE; AUSTIN POWDER COMPANY; JIMMIE ROGERS TIRE and AUTO PARTS, INC.; and FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, Defendants

## NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the December 28, 1995 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 8th day of May, 1996, at the hour of 10:15 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:

TRACT I  
Being the same property conveyed to the parties of the first part, by deed dated the 17th day of May, 1983, from Drazie Reynolds, wife of Clifford Reynolds;

Marcum Reynolds and Gilva Reynolds, his wife; Effert Reynolds and Venus Reynolds, his wife; Evelean Akers, single; Timothy Paul Reynolds and Shirley May Reynolds, his wife; Katherin Tackett and Paul Tackett, her husband; Joe Reynolds, Jr. and Charlotte Sue Reynolds, his wife; by their lawful attorney-in-fact Clifford Reynolds, Clifford Reynolds, husband of Drazie Reynolds, individually and Elsie Bell Conn and James A. Conn, her husband, which is duly recorded in Deed Book 279 at page 581, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk and is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning in the center of the creek at the concrete bridge; thence running with the center of the creek to Jay Lee Hamilton's line; thence across the bottom with Jay Lee Hamilton's line to the corner of the fence to Riley Reynold's line; thence with Riley Reynold's line up the hill to the top of the point; thence continuing to E.M. Tackett line; thence following the center of the creek down the creek to the center of Big Mud Creek; thence following the center of Big Mud Creek to the beginning.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, 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 2nd day of April, 1996.

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MCGUIRE

Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
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41653

Phone: 606-886-8140  
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## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

## DIVISION NO. II

## CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00105

## THE BANK JOSEPHINE OF PRESTONSBURG, KY, Plaintiff

## vs.

## RICKY D. ADAMS and VICKIE L. ADAMS, his wife, ET AL., Defendants

## NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgement and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the March 22, 1995 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 8th day of May, 1996, at the hour of 11:00 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 lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the waters of the Big Sandy River, which is more particularly described as follows:  
Being Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in Section D of the Goble-Roberts Subdivision as shown on a map or plat on file in the office of the clerk of the Floyd County Court one hundred (100) feet frontage back to railroad property. Deed includes the land, building, all inventory of stock, fixtures, appliances and anything not specifically mentioned that is now in use instrumental to conducting a retail grocery business.

Being the same property conveyed to Rick Adams and Vickie Adams, his wife, from Joan Whitaker and Donald B. Whitaker, her husband, by deed dated December 7, 1984, recorded in Deed Book 289, Page 556, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, 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 judgement 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 2nd day of April, 1996.

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# County Kettle

## STUFFED MUSHROOMS

1 pkg. fresh mushrooms, whole  
1/2 small onion, chopped  
2-3 cloves garlic, chopped  
1/2 c. bread crumbs  
1/4 c. Parmesan cheese  
2 Tbsp. milk  
salt and pepper to taste  
Remove stems from mushrooms. Arrange caps on baking sheet. Chop stems. Saute' stems, onion and garlic in butter until tender. Add remaining ingredients and mix. Stuff each mushroom cap with mixture. Bake for 15 minutes at 350°.

## QUICK ITALIAN BEEF & VEGETABLE SOUP

Total preparation and cooking time: 30 minutes  
1 pound lean ground beef  
1 large clove garlic, crushed  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
2 cans (13-3/4 to 14-1/2 ounces each) ready-to-serve beef broth  
1 can (14-1/2 ounces) Italian-style stewed tomatoes, undrained, broken up  
1 cup sliced (1/4-inch thick) carrots  
1 can (15 to 19 ounces) cannellini (white kidney) or Great Northern beans, rinsed, drained  
1 medium zucchini, cut lengthwise in half and crosswise into 1/4-inch thick slices  
2 cups torn spinach leaves, lightly packed  
Heat Dutch oven or large saucepan over medium heat until hot. Add ground beef and garlic; brown 4 to 5 minutes, breaking beef up into 3/4-inch crumbles. Pour off drippings. Season beef with pepper and salt.  
Stir broth, tomatoes and carrots into beef. Bring to a boil; reduce heat to low. Simmer, uncovered, 10 minutes. Stir in beans and zucchini; continue to cook 4 to 5 minutes or until zucchini is crisp-tender. Remove from heat; stir in spinach. Garnish as desired. Makes 4 servings (serving size: 2 cups).

## CHOPS AND GRAVY

4 pork chops  
3 whole chopped green onions  
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup  
1/3 cup milk  
2/3 cup rice  
Start cooking the rice. Then fry the pork chops over low heat, browning both sides, about twenty-five minutes. (Add the chopped green onions for the last two or three minutes of this time). Thin the soup with the milk, pour it over the chops and onion, and let it all simmer till supper is ready. This makes good gravy for the rice.

## FAST BUDGET BEEF

1/4 pound chipped beef  
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup  
1 cup bouillon  
1 tablespoon sherry or white wine  
You might parboil the chipped beef five minutes, so it won't be too salty. Then add it to the soup which has been thinned with the bouillon and wine. (Better not use cooking sherry, because it contains salt). Serve it on toast or anything handy.

## BACK-COUNTRY HAM SLICE

1-pound ham slice, 3/4 inch thick  
3 tablespoons fat  
2 tablespoons prepared mustard  
1/4 cup brown sugar  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon paprika  
1/2 cup water  
Fry the ham in the hot fat. Then remove it from the skillet and keep it hot—in a 200° oven. Pour all the other ingredients into the fat, cook five minutes, and put the ham back into it for another five minutes.

## PLUM-SAUCE PORK

1 pound boneless loin pork chops, about 1/2-inch thick  
1/4 cup onion, chopped  
1/2 cup plum jelly or preserves (low-sugar if available)  
1/4 cup red wine vinegar  
2 tsp. soy sauce (preferably reduced-sodium)  
1 tsp. ground ginger  
Place the chopped onion in a cup or small dish and add enough cold water to cover. Set it aside.  
Remove any fat from around the pork chops. Heat a large skillet (non-stick if possible) over medium-high heat for about 30-60

seconds. Reduce the heat to medium and add the pork chops, cooking them about 1 minute per side. Drain the water from the onions and add the onions to the pan, along with the remaining ingredients. Stir to blend well. Spoon some of the sauce from the pan on top of each pork chop. Cover and simmer over a low heat for 8-10 minutes. Serve as soon as thoroughly cooked (or when juices run clear when pierced deeply with a fork).

Each of the 4 servings contains 7 grams of fat and 280 calories.

## CHOCOLATE WALNUT BROWNIE DROPS

Makes about 2 1/2 dozen cookies  
4 ounces unsweetened chocolate  
1 stick (8 tablespoons) unsalted butter  
1 1/2 cups sugar  
2 large eggs  
1 cup all-purpose flour  
1/2 cup unsweetened cocoa powder  
1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
1/4 cup milk  
1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract  
1 1/2 cups coarsely chopped walnuts (about 6 ounces)  
Preheat the oven to 375°. In a large saucepan, melt the chocolate and butter over low heat, stirring occasionally, until smooth. Remove from the heat. Whisk in the sugar and then the eggs. Using a wooden spoon, stir in the flour, cocoa and baking soda. Add the milk and vanilla and stir until smooth. Stir in the walnuts.  
Drop rounded tablespoons of the dough about 2 inches apart on a large cookie sheet. Bake for about 12 minutes, until the cookies are set. Let cool on the baking sheet for 2 minutes, then transfer to a rack to cool completely. (The cookies can be stored for up to one week in an airtight container.)

## STIR-FRY RICE AND VEGGIES

3 tablespoons salad oil  
1 bunch green onions, bulbs and tops chopped separately  
1 medium sweet potato, pared, halved lengthwise and thinly sliced  
1 small green pepper, cut in thin strips  
2 carrots, thinly sliced  
1 zucchini, thinly sliced  
2 cups cooked brown rice  
1 cup bean sprouts  
1 cup fresh mushrooms, sliced  
1/4 cup mild flavored honey  
1/4 cup soy sauce, regular or mild  
Heat oil in wok or large heavy skillet. Stir-fry onion bulbs, sweet potato, green pepper, carrots and zucchini until barely tender. Add rice, sprouts, mushrooms and green onion tops. Cook quickly until heated through. If necessary, add more oil. Combine honey and soy sauce. Pour over mixture and stir. Serve immediately. Makes 4 main dish or 6 to 8 side dish servings.  
Hint: Add 1-1/2 cups cooked chicken, crab or tofu along with rice.

## GARDEN RICE SALAD

4 cups cooked white OR brown rice  
1/2 cup diced green pepper  
2 tablespoons finely chopped green onions  
3 tablespoons finely chopped radishes  
1/2 cup finely chopped celery  
1 clove garlic, finely minced  
3/4 teaspoon nutmeg  
1 tablespoon curry powder (or to taste)  
1/8 teaspoon cloves  
2 tablespoons mild flavored honey  
1/4 cup mayonnaise  
Salt to taste  
1 package (10 ounces) small frozen peas, uncooked  
Combine all ingredients in medium salad bowl. Chill for 3 to 4 hours. Serve well chilled. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

## CHICKEN HONOLULU

21/2 lbs. chicken, quartered  
1/2 cup sodium-reduced chicken broth  
1/4 cup lemon juice  
3 tsp. sodium reduced soy sauce  
1/4 tsp. ground black pepper  
1 tsp. onion powder  
1 tsp. garlic powder  
1/2 tsp. ground ginger  
Combine chicken broth with lemon juice, soy sauce, onion powder, garlic powder, ginger, and black pepper. Mix well. Pour over chicken, turning well to coat

all sides. Cover and refrigerate 3 to 4 hours, turning once. Arrange chicken pieces on a rack in a broiler pan. Place under a preheated moderate broiler (375 degrees F.) until chicken is fork tender, about 45 minutes, turning and brushing frequently with marinade.

## SWEET AND SPICY CALIFORNIA WALNUT SPRINKLES

4 oz. (1 cup) chopped California walnuts  
1/2 cup fresh white bread crumbs  
2 tablespoons sugar  
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg  
Pinch of salt if desired  
Preheat the oven to 325F. In a food processor, blend the walnuts until they are finely ground but still light and dry. Combine with the breadcrumbs and spread on a baking pan. Bake for about 15 minutes, stirring frequently until golden brown and crisp. Stir in the sugar, cinnamon and nutmeg, and salt if desired, then cool to room temperature, stirring occasionally. This keeps about 10 days, stored in an airtight container. Makes 1-1/4 cups.  
To make Savory California Walnut Sprinkles, substitute 1

tablespoon paprika; 1/4 teaspoon, or less, cayenne pepper; and 1/4 teaspoon salt if desired for the sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg and pinch of salt.

## WARM BROCCOLI MUSHROOM SALAD

4 cups (about 12 ounces) fresh or frozen broccoli florets  
3 slices bacon, cut in small pieces  
3/4 cup finely chopped onion  
2 tablespoons raspberry or balsamic vinegar  
8 ounces fresh white mushrooms, sliced (about 2-1/2 cups)  
1/2 teaspoon salt

In a medium sauce pan bring 1 inch of water to a boil. Add broccoli; return water to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer covered, until crisp-tender, 2 to 3 minutes; drain; set aside.

In a large nonstick skillet over medium-high heat cook bacon until nearly crisp, about 4 minutes. Add onion; cook, stirring frequently, until onion is crisp-tender and bacon is crisp, 3 to 4 minutes.

Stir in vinegar; cook, stirring constantly, until vinegar is reduced by half, about 30 seconds. Add mushrooms, salt and reserved broccoli; toss to coat. Serve immediately while slightly warm.

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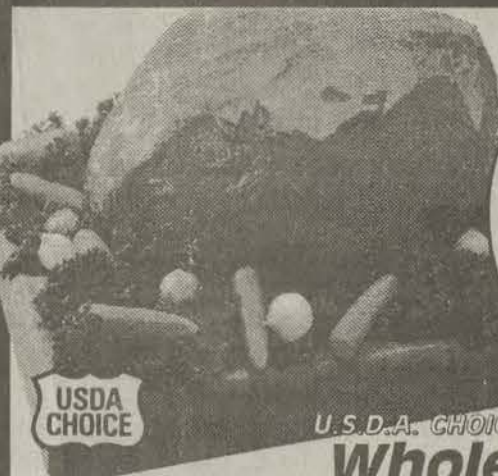
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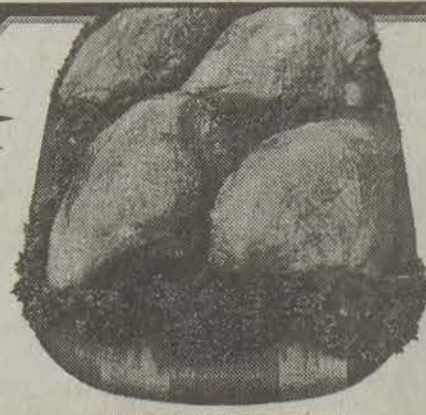
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