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Speaking of and for Floyd County

by Patti M. Clark Staff Writer

After nearly three days of negoti-

ations, workers at Highlands Re-

gional Medical Center avoided a

strike by ratifying a three-year con-

tract with administrators Wednesday

pared to walk off the job if the con-

tract had not been approved by

the Carriage House in Paintsville.

midnight Wednesday

About 360 employees were pre-

Negotiations began Monday at

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Hospital union

three-year pact

gives okay to

October cutoff is the last for Allen

by Chris McDavid Staff Writer

The Department of Local Government set an October 1 deadline Wednesday for the City of Allen to obtain 376 signed user's agreements for the Allen Sewer Commission.

Last month, the city commission agreed to waive the \$500 tap fee for residents who sign the user's agreement and for those who sign it within 90 days in hopes of getting an increase in the number of signers.

After more than three weeks of waiving the tap fee, only 222 people have signed the agreement, but Davis said 32 more users have verbally agreed to sign it.

According to Davis, an additional 33 people are legally obligated to sign the agreement because they live in the city limits. Davis said he would still try to get the 33 people to sign the agreement, but he believed the project would still go even if they wouldn't sign.

Considering the number of persons obligated to sign, and those who made the verbal agreement to sign, Davis said the city has 76 percent of the 376 signatures needed.

"I think every time they gave us a deadline, they meant it," Davis said. "But this time they're seri-

Davis said he believed funding For the project would have already been pulled if it wasn't for the support of County Judge-Executive Ben Hale, Representative Greg Stumbo, and Senator Benny Ray

by Patti M. Clark

Floyd County Board members

will learn in two weeks if the mea-

sures they have taken over the last

six months have brought the school

residents of Floyd County, will get

a chance to look at a picture of the

system's financial situation at a spe-

cial meeting scheduled for July 22.

Dr. John Balentine, superintendent,

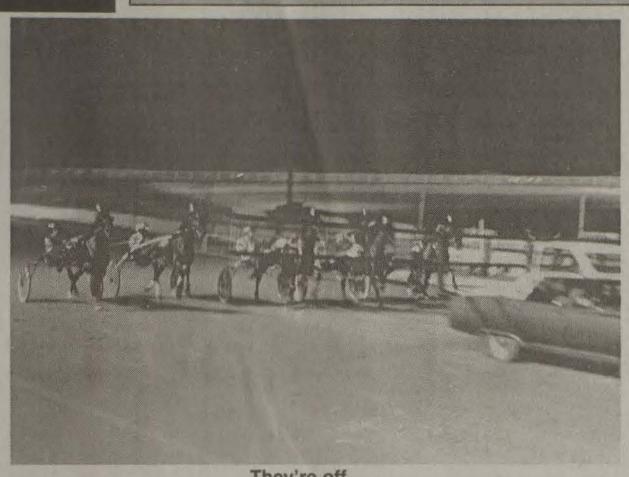
said. "I want to give you an end-of-

"This will be a work session,"

Board members, as well as the

Staff Writer

system into the black.



They're off . . Opening night for the Thunder Ridge harness racing was held Wednesday night with six races to kick off the year. Races will be conducted on Thursday and Friday nights at 8 p.m. and on Sundays at 6 p.m. Twenty-eight race days are scheduled for the year. (photo by Chris McDavid)

Group spreading its wings, philosophy to other counties

by Patti M. Clark Staff Writer

The Floyd County-based United We're Strong group is expanding its

The group, which has been pushing the commissioner-form of government in Floyd and surrounding counties, is branching out into 11 other counties in Eastern Ken-

'We've gotten the issue on the cause there would only be three

Deficit reduction plan to get

public update by board soon

ballot in five counties in Eastern Kentucky already," Elmer Lee Johnson, spokesman for the group, said Monday. "It's time to move

The issue is whether counties will be governed by commissioners or magistrates. Floyd currently has four magistrates.

Johnson and his followers insist that the change to commissioners would save taxpayers money becommissioners on the court.

They also say the commissioner form gives better representation because after a commissioner is chosen from one of three districts for the primary, the entire county gets a chance to vote for candidates in the general election in Novem-

In magistrates' races, only residents of the district from which the magistrate is nominated may vote on that candidate, leading to what Johnson refers to as "turfs."

"This is going to help Eastern Kentucky break away from bondage," Johnson said. "We are planning to supply petitions to these counties and help them get those petitions signed and back in before the deadlines.

All petitions have to be signed and certified by the county clerk by September 5 for the issue to be on November 5 election ballots.

In addition to Floyd, Pike, Martin, Rowan and Knott counties have certified petitions and the issue is slated for consideration this fall.

Floyd's petition of about 450 signatures was presented to County Judge/Executive Ben Hale on February 1.

When the group went to Knott County a couple of weeks ago to

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The union represents maintenance and service workers, technicians and licensed practical nurses. We would have done that if

they'd taken the subcontractors clause out," Sheila Hicks, a member of District 1199 Health Care and Social Services Union, said Thursday morning. Hicks was media spokesman for the negotiating committee.

The vote was 274-14 to approve the contract, which included increased retirement benefits, increased jury leave pay and a salary increase over the three-year period.

It also included a clause that prohibits the hospital from hiring subcontractors to do work in the hospital.

"We are very pleased with the way the negotiations went," Kathy Rubido, public relations director for the hospital, said Thursday morning. "I understand that more than 95 percent of the employees voted in favor of the contract. We feel very good about it."

Hicks said workers are also happy with the contract. "We are very pleased with this contract, but we would have walked out if they hadn't put that clause back in."

She said the hospital tried to subcontract work about three months ago. Employees of the union filed a grievance and won the right to keep subcontractors out of the hospital.

The hospital could subcontract the work that employees do cheaper than they can hire someone to do it, Hicks said, because the hospital wouldn't be required to pay benefits to subcontractors.

The union has been in the hospital for about 20 years. The subcontracting clause was added six years ago, according to Larry Daniels, vice president of District

During negotiations, the hospital indicated it wanted a two-year contract, but approved a three-year agreement with employees.

Hicks said employees are also pleased with the health insurance benefits they received.

'We can still pick from two plans," she said. "They were wanting to cut us back to just one.'



Connie Gearheart

Floyd teacher helps mold national plan

by Janice Shepherd Managing Editor

A local educator became a decision maker for education in the na-

Connie Gearheart of Price, a resource teacher at Melvin Elementary School, was among the approximately 150 Kentucky delegates at the Representative Assembly of the National Education Association (NEA) in Washington, D.C. July 2-5.

"I saw in action the most democratic body I have ever seen," Gearheart said Tuesday. "Every teacher had input."

More than 10,000 delegates attended the assembly, the world's largest democratic deliberative body. Delegates to it were selected by the NEA's 2.2 million members throughout the nation.

Gearheart was the first Floyd County delegate in four years. She was first selected in the county before winning the statewide election to become a Kentucky delegate.

She spent eight days at the convention, attending a state caucus

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the-year financial picture of this **Board wants** city to waive permit fees

by Patti M. Clark Staff Writer

After agreeing to a nearly \$5 million construction contract for the Prestonsburg High School renovation project, members of the Floyd County Board of Education are quibbling over a nearly \$3,500 building permit fee.

"I think we should ask the city to waive this fee," member Ray Brackett said during the regular school board meeting Tuesday night. "I'll make a motion to that affect.

But Brackett's motion died that time - for a lack of second. The board members then tabled the payment of the bill and Brackett made his motion again. It passed on a 5-0 vote.

But no one had contacted the city of Prestonsburg by Thursday morning asking that the fee be

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system's finances." The work session will be held at

6:30 p.m. at Adams Middle School. "I want to give you an idea of what we've done since January 10," Balentine said. "I want to give you a detailed look at how we got to it to not operate in its current locawhere we are now.'

The school board was looking at a \$1 million deficit earlier this year and has cut about 100 positions to bring the school system's finances

Balentine's announcement came after board member Ray Brackett asked that the system's alternative school program be closed. "That

was part of the deficit reduction plan and we haven't done anything with it," he said.

Board member Phyllis Honshell reminded him that the plan did not call for the facility to close, only for tion at Garth.

"I want to know what's happening," Brackett said. "We're entitled

The work session will be followed by a "clean-up meeting" at 7:30 p.m. Board members are expected to receive financial information six days prior to the meeting, on Tuesday, July 16.

Helping hands . . .
World Servents International workers arrived in Wheelwright July 7 to begin home repairs throughout the community. Pictured above are four workers with WSI preparing to shingle a residence in Hall Hollow. The workers painted the house and plan to install gutters before they leave Wheelwright on Saturday. WSI workers repaired several homes and churches throughout the community. (photo by Chris McDavid)

Floyd man accused of distributing porno

A Floyd County man was arrested in Johnson County last week for allegedly distributing obscene materials to an 11-year-old boy.

Patrick Todd Mayo, 26, is reportedly also under investigation five-year-old boy in Floyd County.

Mayo, a barber, Harold's Barber cated he had several was arrested at Shop in Paintsville audio tapes of con-July 2. The Auxier versations between ual acts." The man was released Mayo and his son... from jail later that

A spokesman with the state Department for Social Services said she was not aware of any investigation by that department.

Trooper Mike Goble, public affairs officers with Post 9 of the Kentucky State Police, could neither confirm nor deny whether that agency has an ongoing investigation into the alleged molestation in-

Prestonsburg City Police Chief Darrel Conley said that agency also has not opened an investigation into the matter.

In the Paintsville incident, Asfor allegations that he molested a sistant Police Chief Steve Fitch's citation states that

> the tape Mayo gave the boy con-The father also inditained "nudity," profane guage," and "sexboy's father and Paintsville police

officers saw the

transaction take place on June 18. The father also indicated he had several audio tapes of conversations between Mayo and his son and some of those conversations

were sexual in nature. He also said he discovered \$80 and a miniature television in his son's room. He said his son told

him Mayo gave the items to him.

Appalred facing 50 percent funding cut

A proposed 50 percent cut at the federal level in funding to Legal Services has employees of the Appalachian Regional Defense Fund wondering what's going to happen

"This is a drastic reduction," John Rosenberg, director of Appalred, said Thursday afternoon. "But it could be potentially worse."

Rosenberg said Legal Services has never been reauthorized by Congress and its appropriation could be completely cut off.

Appalred was started 25 years ago by Rosenberg to provide legal services to the poor of Eastern Kentucky.

Proposed funding for the service is expected to decrease from \$278 million this year to \$141 next. This year's amount was a decrease from the \$400 million budget approved for last year's operations.

Rosenberg said Congressman Hal Rogers, who heads the Appropriation Committee, has indicated that this amount is as high as he can go before another representative will invoke the parliamentarian procedure to cut off all funding to the agency.

"There are efforts to get it back up to a level more like the current funding," Rosenberg said. He said the Senate is expected to present a funding level that more accurately reflects the current level.

"Then it will go to conference

negotiations to determine the level of cases involve domestic violence, the Senate's higher level or the House of Representatives' lower level, or something in between."

funding represents a 35 percent cut in Appalred's \$2.5 million budget. That can only mean a loss of personnel and a loss of services if the cut is actually approved.

'It's hard to conceive that we wouldn't lose that percentage in personnel," Rosenberg said. "We're probably looking at offices being closed or having them operate as an outpost only."

The agency has already cut back. Only 24 attorneys are now employed by Appalred, down from 48 since

"Most of our offices are operating with only one or two attorneys,' Rosenberg said. "This translates into a massive reduction in service to our

Appalred serves 5,000 to 6,000 clients a year in 37 counties. "If this cut is implemented, we'll do well to serve 2,000 to 3,000. We're maxed out at the moment," Rosenberg added.

That means that families already strapped for cash will no longer have legal services at their fingertips.

In the past five years, bankruptcies have jumped 42 percent, from 318 cases a year to 451, and landlord tenant evictions have doubled, climbing from 97 in 1990 to 194 in 1995.

Almost 40 percent of Appalred's "By the time they noticed it, the fire many homes," Music said.

funding," Rosenberg said. "It could be divorces and other family matters. An additional 25 percent involve families trying to secure public benefits.

One type of case that will probably Rosenberg said the cut in federal be eliminated involve black lung claims. "Those are time consuming cases and it is just a class of case we can't afford to do if these cuts go through," Rosenberg said.

> He explained that by the time an attorney gets a black lung case through the system, he or she could have handled ten others.

"We can't keep up now,"

He said it is too early to say how the Prestonsburg office will be affected. Four attorneys covering Floyd, Magoffin, Martin and Lawrence counties operate out of the headquarters office of Appaired.

"I didn't think it would be this drastic," Rosenberg said. But he said he knew it was coming.

"The right wing House leadership has been trying to eliminate this program altogether," he said. "The original proposal was to eliminate it over three years. It looks like they're still at it."

Fords Gap home destroyed by blaze Saturday afternoon

by Patti M. Clark Staff Writer

A home on Fords Gap was completely destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon.

According to Charles Music, captain of the Auxier Volunteer Fire Department, the fire apparently started in the kitchen of the home owned by Margaret Collins.

"It was electrical," Music said. "There were no injuries. The owner was out of town.

Music said Collins' son, who lives behind his mother, saw the smoke coming from the house. The call came in about 4 p.m.

"It was a total loss," Music said.

had gutted the kitchen and dining area and had moved into the attic.

He said the rest of the house was severely damaged by smoke and water and is considered a total loss.

Music said the department's fire calls have increased this year over last year's totals.

"Right now, we might be up a little bit," he said. "But when the four-lane opened up, we took in a lot more territory,'

While the district size decreased when homes on Abbott Creek were added to the city of Prestonsburg's territory, it increased again when Auxier added East Point, Little Paint and Bear Hollow to its territory.

"It's more acreage, but not as

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Waive

"They haven't approached us yet," Mayor Jerry Fannin said. "I don't know what we'll do until I've talked with other council mem-

Larry Adams, building inspector, said the board had waited a little late to ask that the fees be waived.

They should have done that before they sent out the bid packages," Adams said. "It is in the contract that the board will assume full responsibility for the building fees."

He said he had approached each contractor as that construction crew moved onto the Prestonsburg High School site and learned of the clause in the contract.

"I went to them to get their building permits in place and they told me to read the contract," he said. "They said the school board was supposed to pay for the fees.'

He said the contractors said they had asked ahead of time about the fees and that board members should have known they were responsible for those payments.

Work has been ongoing on the site for about two months and while Adams said he won't close it down now, he said the fee should be paid in the next few weeks.

'We usually ask for payment of those before work starts," Adams said. "Because they were in such a rush to get started, we didn't push

He said he usually works with contractors who can't pay up front for their building permits. "We don't make a habit of shutting them down," he said.

The building permit fees are based on a percentage of the cost of the project and that rate hasn't changed in 20 years.

"It's the same rate we had in 1976," Adams said. "I don't think we've ever waived these. We have given tax breaks to major employers, but we've never waived the building permit fees."

In other action, the board took the first steps to get the second phase of the renovation project moving. Members approved the

advertisement of bids for site improvement and the second phase of the project.

"This is the remainder of the project," Jim Osborne, chief of operations for the school system, said. "We received state approval to complete the project today.'

He said the project will be bid this week to allow the project to get started before July 15.

"That will get us in under the prevailing wage deadline," Osborne

The second phase will complete the renovation work Prestonsburg High School and includes work on the cafeteria, gymnasium, and the addition of a new music suite.

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present a petition, Lloyd Goble, media person for the group, said the situation became tense when the doors be locked. "We're expecting it Montgomery, Mason, Kenton, to get more hairy before it's over with," Goble said.

Johnson said he is now pushing to get the issue on the ballot in Lawrence, Breathitt, Perry, Morgan, Magoffin, Powell, Harlan, Clay, Lee, Jackson, and Letcher counties and is hoping to have all the counties in Kentucky move to the commissioner type of fiscal

Fifteen Kentucky counties

already use the commissioner form of government - Johnson, Scott, Bath, Jefferson, Daviess, Greenup, Campbell, Boone and Boyd. Scott has recently voted to go back to magistrates and that change will take place in 1998.

counties in Kentucky eventually go to the commissioner form.

"We're going to be pushing education in the next month," Johnson said. "We've got to promote this system. We've got to reform our government."

He said the proposed change would hold those in county government "accountable," but he admitcounty judge there asked that all the Marshall, Graves, McCracken, ted that commissioners could be "entrenched" just as he and others in the organization say magistrates across the state already are.

n't work anymore."

county government in Johnson County, Johnson said the commis-

"We think people will be checking more with this form," Johnson

Goble said the group is trying to "wake people up to fight. It's the first time in memory we're getting people involved on their own behalf," he said. "We are trying to

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Man must evolve for all human conflict a method which rejects revenge, aggression and retaliation. The foundation of such a method is love.

-Martin Luther King, Jr.

National

(Continued from front page) before attending the national caucus. The national delegates made

and helped chart an agenda for education reform. "I feel like we're ahead with

decisions on some 300 resolutions

KERA," Gearheart said. This year's theme at the NEA assembly was, "Public Education: Achieving America's Potential." Gearheart said the emphasis was on community and parental involve-

"We're already into that mode," she said, explaining that Floyd County schools have implemented programs that reach into the community and into the student's

The hottest debate at the assembly involved civil rights issues, Gearheart said.

"They got some things with moral issues mixed up with civil issues," she said.

Some of the members wanted the school system to address more issues about gays and lesbians, Gearheart explained, including celebrating Gay-Lesbian Month because schools observe Black History Month and Women's History Month.

"We treat all children alike, regardless," she said. "I think it is a moral issue, not a civil rights issue."

"They are too deeply recovery."

ingrained," Goble said. "The cur-Johnson said he hopes all the rent form is a form of anarchism. It might have worked during the horse and buggy days, but it does-

And despite problems with the

sioner form "is still the way to go."

said. "And Johnson County is on the rebound. They are on the road to

leave a legacy for our kids."

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by Janice Shepherd Managing Editor

Three more lawsuits have been filed by people who claim they contracted histoplasmosis when Prestonsburg employees began renovating an old fire station building

Rebial Jean Reynolds, a family resource director at Prestonsburg Elementary; Charles E. Diskey Jr., a laborer who worked on the project; and a 17-year-old juvenile who worked as a summer assistant at Prestonsburg Elementary during the construction work, added their complaints to the growing list of legal action against the city regarding histoplasmosis.

Histoplasmosis is a fungus that affects the lungs. It is contracted through spores of dried bird or bat droppings. Individuals can get histoplasmosis from chicken houses, bat caves, or large construction projects that raise clouds of dust containing the fungus. The old fire station building on Highland Avenue had been abandoned for years and, evidently, became a home to bats. Construction workers reported that more than 200 bats flew out of the building when the roof was torn off.

Fifteen people were treated for histoplasmosis last summer. Tom Blackburn, Prestonsburg fire chief; Frank Blackburn, contractor for the construction job; and John Goble, John Goble II, Mike Crase and Doug Crase, and Forrest Bentley, all of whom worked inside the building during the construction, developed acute forms of histoplasmosis and were hospitalized.

John Goble, John Goble II and Frank Blackburn filed lawsuits. In June, Bertha Stephens and Marlene Johnson also filed claims against the city. Stephens was employed as a dispatcher for the Floyd County Rescue Squad and Johnson was a nurse's aide at Mountain Manor Nursing Home. Both women were employed near the construction site, and both claim to have contracted

In her lawsuit filed June 28 in Floyd Circuit Court, Rebial Jean Reynolds, of Pikeville, says she contracted the illness on July 29,

Charles E. Diskey Jr., of Allen, claims he contracted histoplasmosis while he was employed by Blackburn to tear down the interior of the old fire station building.

Diskey's attorney, John B. Coleman, filed suit June 25.

Attorney Larry D. Brown filed suit July 8 on behalf of his 17-yearold client. The young woman, who lives at Abbott, said she became seriously ill during her employment at Prestonsburg Elementary during the construction.

Civil lawsuit complaints present only the plaintiff's cause of action.

Rescue squad up nearly 300 for 1996

by Patti M. Clark Staff Writer

Members of the Floyd County Rescue Squad had a busy Fourth of

The squad responded to three calls that, while not life threatening, were a little unusual.

"Our first call came at 11:14 a.m.," Derrick Calhoun, public relations spokesman for the squad said. "We responded to Auxier Heights where someone said they smelled something dead on the hill."

He said the odor coming off the hillside was so strong that residents of the area were getting sick. Nothing was discovered, but Calhoun said it was probably a deer that had died in the area.

"That was an unusual call for us," Calhoun said.

Less than three hours later, the squad was called to Dewey Lake where three children were stranded on the other side of the lake.

"Their parents had left them and come in to get gas and then they couldn't get their boat started," Calhoun said of the 2 p.m. call. He said the children were 14, 11 and seven.

"They weren't hurt. They were just a little scared," he said.

about 3 p.m. when two girls capsized a Wave Runner. "They weren't hurt either," Calhoun said.

The three calls are typical of the squad's year. "We've had 300 calls from their homes.

this year already," Calhoun said Wednesday, "We usually average about 60 a year. It's been a bad

He attributed the increase to the blizzard in January and to recent flash flooding.

"We only counted the major calls we got during the blizzard," Calhoun said. "If we had included all the calls we got during the blizzard, we would have been up to 700 or so by now."

Drownings have also increased. The squad has responded to two this year, one in the winter and one a few weeks ago when a Prestonsburg High School senior drowned during senior skip day.

"The number of lost persons had gone up, but they all usually turn up later," Calhoun said.

The squad has also been assisting local ambulance services more often, something they didn't use to do. "And the severity of car accidents seems worse," Calhoun added. "The number isn't up, it just seems the injuries are worse."

He attributes that to an increase of speed on Route 23. "With the four-lane, we've got a lot more speed than we used to," he said.

In the last month, squad mem-The final call for the day came bers have also racked up 200 hours in helping people during flash flooding. "That came in just two calls," Calhoun said. "We spent a lot of time helping evacuate people

Evening drive nets 20 violations for Floyd man

by Chris McDavid Staff Writer

What started out as an evening drive for a Floyd County man, ended up as a case consisting of 20 violations handed over to the grand jury Wednesday, after Floyd District Judge James R. Allen heard testimony during a preliminary

Kentucky State Police trooper Steve Slone testified during the preliminary that he and trooper Ronald Peppi responded to a disturbance call at Beaver on June 15. Slone said as he and Peppi were leaving the right fork of Tinker Fork, he saw a red Dodge truck and recognized the driver as Dwayne Bishop. Slone said he knew Bishop's license had been revoked.

Slone then radioed Peppi, who was following Slone, and Peppi said he saw Bishop and that he had

tried to run him off the road. Slone and Peppi pursued the vehicle until they came to a fork in the road. Slone said he asked some bystanders which way Bishop had gone and they told him the wrong

"When we returned and found the truck, he must have run into the hills," Slone said.

Slone testified that he and Peppi took out warrants for Bishop on June 15 for several offenses which failure to wear a seatbelt; failure resulted from the incident.

Bishop was charged with two counts of first-degree wanton endangerment of a police officer; reckless driving; disorderly conofficer; no insurance; operating on a suspended or revoked plates; no registration receipt; order to stop vehicle.

to give oncoming vehicle half the highway; inadequate silencer; excessive window improper parking on roadway; failure to remove key from a duct; attempting to elude a police parked vehicle; leaving motor running in an unattended vehicle; no tinting label; no tail lamps; license; expired or no registration improper equipment; and resisting



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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul-Voltaire

No alternative?

by Scott Perry

school board member Ray Brackett just misinterpreted the system's deficit reduction plan when he asked this week why the district's alternative school sum. had not been closed.

There is nothing wrong with taxpayers' money, but eliminating the alternative school is not the way to do it, for a couple of tive schools are the last chances

First, alternative schools pro- young lives around. vide an opportunity to keep been either disruptive or other- become burdens on society. wise unable to keep up in the mainstream.

We can't write those kids off like we used to, before alternative education programs, when gotten.

Secondly, there's a financial incentive for keeping alternative education programs in

When students are expelled, We hope Floyd County school districts lose the average daily attendance funding they provide,

In large districts like Floyd County, that could be a sizable

We have moral and financial obligations to educate all of our the school district trying to save children, even those who don't want to be educated.

For many, we suspect alternato see the light and to turn their

Without alternative education troubled kids in school, while programs, those chances don't removing them from regular exist and the likelihood increasclassrooms where they have es that more young people will

> So, we hope the Floyd County School System doesn't scrap its alternative school just to save a few bucks now.

If they do, we'll be paying a they were just expelled and for- lot more later to subsidize the lives of dropouts.

That's not an alternative we think worthy of consideration.

Letters to the editor -

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Club says, "thanks!"

Editor:

The KFWC Drift Woman's Club recently held their 28th annual horse show at Archer Park. Our club would like to take an opportunity to publicly thank all the local businesses in Floyd and surrounding counties who contributed to our fundraising event by purchasing advertisements in our program. Without their continued support each year, we would not be able to support our community through scholarships and pro-

We would also like to say thanks to Kim Reynolds and her little majorettes for their uplifting flag salute.

A special thanks to Carl Bentley of McDowell for entertaining the crowd with his gifted voice. He performed many hit country songs prior to the start of the show. The club was so impressed that we would certainly endorse him as a talented candidate for our Kentucky Opry. Good luck with your career, Carl!

Please support your local Kentucky Federation of Woman's Club group in your area. All over Kentucky, women devote many volunteer hours doing what they can to make communities a better place to live.

Jerri Turner Drift Woman's Club, Treasurer

Tell us it ain't true, Goble asks of Owens

Editor:

Magistrate Jackie Owens' letter (FCT 7-10-96) was duly noted, and more or less appreciated.

I have never met Mr. Owens, but recognize in him somewhat of a kindred spirit to myself and some of the people that belong to our organization, United We're Strong. He is a colorful individual and will fight for that which is precious to him. So will our people. And beyond doubt, the power, the prestige, and the salaries both he and his wife receive from the Floyd County Fiscal Court are precious to him. We respect him for that-and also for the fact that he does not rely solely on the political machine to keep him in office and in power. Mr. Owens comes out swinging, and seems to have emerged as the

spokesperson for the fiscal court. To us, he is the best of the class of ninety-six as far as the court goes.

As a former teacher, I note several levels of improvement in Mr. Owen's writing ability. This pleases me, as we are seeking to improve the lot of all our people. So if we inspire him to greater literary efforts, we have achieved an unexpected, but never-the-less noble end. But alas; the improvement in his writing ability is not reflected in his reading comprehension ability. We know Mr. Owens would never, never, deliberately distort information we have put in the paper.

At no point or place in my letter of June 26 did I state or infer that Mr. Owens had voted for or against the Thunder Ridge Race Track, the new jail, or any other of the dead albatross projects the fiscal court has hung around our neck. I stated that they could not claim that these dead birds were inherited from some previous fiscal court. I pointed out that Magistrates Owens, Tackett, and Derossett were members of the fiscal court and constituted a majority of votes (3-2) when these issues were passed. It seems impossible to misunderstand this simple point. But Mr. Owens says that we are behind the looking glass in "Alice in Wonderland" so I will simply say "Quit smoking, Mr. Caterpillar, and you might see through the glass less darkly."

No, I did not confuse the new jail with the Justice Center. The new jail was widely touted as a freebie because it was supposed to house (detain, incarcerate?) enough state prisoners to pay its own way—even be a profit center. Would Magistrate Owens care to say in print that these claims were never made concerning the new jail. Please do so; but sign your name to the letters or ads and we will take care of it from there.

No, I did not say that Magistrate Owens voted for or against the R & S project. I called attention to the fact that the three magistrates with long tenure (in excess of ten years) on the court were present and constituted a majority when it passed. Thus no claim could be made that the project was a carry-over from a previous court. My emphasis concerning R & S was Mr. Owens' statement that there were other projects similar to Thunder Ridge and R & S in terms of financing. This suggests that R & S has a big debt service balloon payment in the near future, along with other unnamed projects. I asked Mr. Owens to identify these projects and the amount owed. The silence is near deafening from Mr. Owens on this account.

Perhaps inadvertently, Magistrate Owens imparts to us a great deal of information about the fiscal court, and it's ability to manage the affairs of the county. We have been discussing the Thunder Ridge Race Track-which is in bankruptcy. However, the apparent owners have been making interest payments on a regular basis of about \$67,000 although the issue is sometimes in doubt. Now-we also know that the Floyd County Fiscal Court faces a balloon interest payment of \$2.7 million in July, 1999. But without any apparent sense of incongruity. Mr. Owens states that he did not vote for that \$4.0 million project. Good Lord! I hope not. Peoplethat is \$3.0 million interest on a \$4.0 million loan in about three years. And I thought Al Capone and his loan sharks were all dead. Please explain this to us Mr. Owens. Please tell us who loaned the county \$4.0 million with an interest debt service averaging about \$1.0 million per year. Tell us it ain't true, Mr. Owens.

Lloyd (Blue) Goble Prestonsburg

Centers for seniors: they're good for you

There's a wonderful place that we can all go if your age is 60 or older. If you are feeling alone and things don't matter anymore or need someone to talk to, come to the senior citizens centers; the centers need more support from people like you. You may ask, "What's in it for me?" - the companionship, the exercise, the food, the enjoyment of sitting down and talking, or quilting, or walking, or painting with someone who is of the same age and feels the way you do.

I'm sure some people are wondering about our horse show fundraiser. The money just wasn't there and we had to cancel, but to those who gave money to the centers, a special thanks. A very special thanks to M.M.D. Community Club, McDowell: Poor Boy's Video, McDowell; and Cross Fire Video of Wayland. They donated money to the center's home delivered meal. This program reaches far and wide and does help people get a hot meal every day.

The centers are open every day. Visit with us; try it you might like it. Come in and see what goes on at the centers. There's something for everyone. Please support these centers and keep these programs in our area going. There's a saying: "The more active you are, the fewer doctors you'll have to see." Come join us and see what we do on a day-to-

The McDowell Minnie Senior Citizens center

Other Voices

Tax and destroy, or reform and employ?

by Jack Faris National Federation of Independent Businesses

Americans are paying more in federal, state and local taxes than they are for food, clothing and shelter combined.

In 1995, according to the Joint Economic Committee Congress, government tax receipts represented a record share of America's total income, 30.4 percent of our Gross Domestic

We are even taxing our taxes. That's right, working Americans pay income tax on their Social Security payroll tax—a big hit when you consider that a majority of small-business owners pay more in payroll taxes than in any other form of tax.

Now Congress has a chance to stop the double talk and do away with the double tax.

The Working America Wage Restoration Act, sponsored by U.S. Sen. John Ashcroft, R-Mo., and Rep. George Nethercutt, R-Wash., would allow employees and the self-employed to fully deduct their share of Social Security taxes from their gross

longer be taxed on money the government takes out of their pay-

For the typical two-earner family, this bill would mean a saving of \$1,770 a year. For the economy, it could mean real growth of an estimated .5 percent in GDP and

500,000 new Jobs.

A strong and growing economy is the key to creating new jobs and generating capital to expand businesses. A healthy economy also means a better chance for families to get ahead.

The National Federation of Independent Business, the nation's largest small business advocacy group, strongly supports the Working Americans Restoration Act.

Federal payroll taxes represent one of the greatest inhibitors to furthering job creation and growth in the small-business sector.

Payroll taxes place a heavier This way, they would no burden on small employers than on big companies because small businesses are more labor intensive than big businesses.

> greatest concerns is being able to pay their employees a decent wage and being able to retain them.

Security payroll taxes would increase employees' take-home pay and make it less costly for employers to hire and keep

In addition, this legislation would give self-employed business owners immediate tax relief by allowing them to deduct 100 percent of their Social Security payroll taxes.

The self-employed currently are forced to pay a self-employment tax. And they can only they pay in these taxes.

before the U.S. Supreme Court in

Payroll taxes are, by far, the One of small-business owners' fastest growing federal tax burden National on small business.

Since the institution of the payroll tax in the mid-1930s, its rela-Full deductibility of Social tive share of federal revenue has call 1-800-NFIB-NOW,

gone from two percent in 1940 to 30 percent.

Almost one out of every three tax dollars now collected by the federal government is from a pay-

With reports that Medicare and other entitlements may go broke even sooner than expected, small-business owners are concerned that payroll taxes will be raised even higher to keep these programs solvent.

Payroll tax reform must be part deduct half of the 12.4 percent of any federal tax overhaul. But until that happens, allowing "An unlimited power to tax employees and the self-employed involves, necessarily, the power to to deduct their share of Social destroy," argued Daniel Webster Security payroll taxes will provide some relief to people who feel the brunt of the tax crunch.

> Jack Faris is president of the Federation Independent Business, representing over 600,000 small-business men and women. For information

Wants family info

In the late 1700's or early 1800's

Thomas and (or) William Grigsby got land in Floyd County under the settlers act. At a later date they intermarried with the Moores of the Jackson County area and had cousins that moved from Tennessee to the Fredonia area. Since I really don't know what the settlers act was. I'd love to hear from anyone in your area who can tell me about it and the early county history. Also anyone who knows anything at all about the Grigsby family. Please do let me hear from you-will pay copy and postage costs.

Joan Becraft 156 E. Academy St. #15 Asheboro, N.C. 27203

Pioneer Festival board considers beauty pageant

by Janice Shepherd Managing Editor

The Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival is looking into conducting a sanctioned beauty pageant during its festival in October.

Amanda Bowman, who directs beauty pageants in Richmond, offered to conduct the pageant for festival members during a committee meeting Tuesday night at Prestonsburg City Hall, Bowman presented guidelines and discussed

Bowman said the pageant would have age categories from infant to 19 years of age, and she expected around 100 entries in the competition. Bowman said the committee could review and make changes in the guidelines.

Bowman said judges for the event would come from out of town. She added that Richmond and to give Bowman time to check

resident Jimmy Moyer, a judge certified through the Miss America pageant system, will help her find judges for the contest. She indicated that she already had two certified judges who had expressed an interest in coming to Prestonsburg to judge the pageant.

When Prestonsburg Tourism Director Fred James asked Bowman about the possibility of having a sanctioned pageant, she said that she planned to discuss the matter with Moyer and she thought the event could be certified through a pageant of festival queens.

Bowman said she already had several sponsors interested in participating if the committee approved her proposal. Carol Sparks made a motion to table the issue until the next meeting in order to allow committee members to review and discuss the guidelines

on having a sanctioned pageant during the festival. The motion passed.

Another plus for this year's festival will be the crafts area. At Tuesday night's meeting, Deedra Gearheart, who formerly assisted with crafts during the Apple Day Festival, agreed to spearhead the display.

"I could call myself a crafter because I do a little bit of crafts, but wouldn't call myself an artist and that makes all the difference in a really good show," Gearheart said in accepting the chair for the arts and crafts committee.

Anyone who wants to become a member of the arts and crafts committee can contact Gearheart through Fred James at the Prestonsburg Tourism office.

In other business during the meeting, James briefly discussed Jenny Wiley

Competition, an obstacle course contest. James said the event is the brainchild of Prestonsburg tourism commissioner Jim Sparks. The first leg of the adventure is a canoe trip upstream. Contestants will then disembark at an obstacle course on land. The course will consist of five Pioneer Festival's arts and crafts stations, including ax throwing, muzzle loading and bow shooting events. The contest will be judged on a time factor, James said.

Currently, prizes are at the \$750 mark, he added. He asked Fred Goble of Prestonsburg if he would coordinate the event or ask the local archery club to conduct it.

Other events during the festival include performances by Richard Jett Presents the Appalachian Troubadours; Gone Country, storytellers and folk musicians with the Highland Folk Festival; and the Mountaineer Prancers senior citi-

Attending Tuesday night's meeting, in addition to James, Gearheart, and Bowman, were Elizabeth Miller, Sue Webb, Nancy Roberts, Willis Newsome, Rob McNurlin, Phyllis Spradlin, Helene Branham, Donna B. Wells, Carol Sparks, Fred Goble, Anna Mae Goble, Orville Cooley, and Debbie Wallen.

The next meeting will be held in August.

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Social insurance office receives special appreciation certificate

The Floyd County office for the Department for Social Insurance received a special Certificate of Appreciation from Commissioner John Clayton and Director of Field Services Jane Lewis for achieving quite an accomplishment. In 1989 the U.S. Department of Agriculture created the \$6 Million Club.

Counties that give out in excess of \$6 million annually in Food Coupons are members of the \$6 Million Club. Floyd County is the only county in the southeast region, which is made up of nine states, to receive an award of accommodation for attaining a five percent or less food stamp error rate for each year since the inception of the \$6 Million Club. Ronald J. Wright, Donna Allen

and Charles Hackworth have a total combined serviced with state government of 97 years (Wright has 35, Allen 31, and Hackworth

They give all the credit to this outstanding achievement to the local office staff without whose dedication and hard work this achievement would not be possible.



Special award

The Department for Social Insurance in Floyd County received a special Certificate of Appreciation recently. Pictured are, from left, Ronald J. Wright, Donna Allen and Charles Hackworth, field service supervi-

Ownership traced for \ car found in lake

by Ralph B. Davis Paintsville Herald editor

The mystery of cars in Paintsville Lake did not end with the retrieval of a Cadillac 12 days ago. If anything, less makes sense now than when the car was still the subject of rumor and speculation.

Paul Estep says he has located the cials. He declined to say what interowner but has not yet determined any suspects.

Estep identified the owner of the 1995 Cadillac Seville as James Patrick of Nicholasville. Patrick had reported the car stolen last November.

Brian Carpenter, a detective with the Lexington police department auto theft division, said the vehicle was stolen from a Lexington apartment complex while Patrick was working.

What is puzzling, Estep says, is how the vehicle made its way to

Correction

Ethel Stumbo was misidentified in a story in Wednesday's edition of

Johnson County. "That's my question," Estep said in regard to how the vehicle wound up in Paintsville Lake. "I don't know yet."

Estep said he has not been in contact with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, rumored to hold some interest in the case.

But Carpenter said he has dis-Kentucky State Police Detective cussed the matter with FBI offiest the FBI had.

Sheriff's fees to increase

Recent changes in state law mean increased costs for some services at the Floyd County Sheriff's Department.

Serving a civil process from district, circuit, U.S. District or U.S. Circuit court raised from \$10 to \$20. Vehicle inspections increased from \$3 to \$5, and trip fees for those inspections now cost \$10, instead of \$7.

The cost for serving a subpoena did not increase. It remains at the

The changes will become effec-

AAA helps travelers avoid Olympic traffic congestion

Motorists traveling south can vided highways. AAA suggests the Summer Olympics by using rest stops because unlike the alternate routes around the Atlanta area, according to AAA.

The Summer Games, scheduled for July 19-August 4, will spark 18 hours of rush hour traffic daily in the Atlanta area. For motorists heading south to destinations beyond Atlanta, AAA recommends using 1-95 or 1-65 instead of 1-75. For motorists who must use 1-75, AAA suggests using the 1-285 bypass or traveling during the off-peak hours: 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.

Motorists who choose to take secondary routes should remember that these roads include twoand four-lane divided and undi-

avoid traffic congestion during travelers plan ahead for gas and Interstate Highway System, there will be limited exits and rest areas on these roads. AAA Blue Grass/Kentucky is a

not-for-profit motoring organization serving over 120,000 members in Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia.

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esses, agencies coordinate survey

by Chris McDavid Staff Writer

Thirteen Floyd County service organizations are in elementary stages of creating a survey which would allow citizens to have an active role in the structuring of programs which would address their needs.

A committee consisting of representatives of each of the organizations met Wednesday in the Floyd County Library to discuss the format and questions which should be asked on the survey.

Jane Bond, health educator for the Floyd County Health Department said the survey will not only address heath care issues, but also economic, social and transportation issues for Floyd Countians.

"Area residents need to fill out the survey to have active participation in determining the needs and how to go about meeting them," Bond said.

Bond said the survey is expected to be completed by August 15.

"It's exciting for agencies in the county to get together and try to do one assessment," Big Sandy Area Development District director of service programs Bonnie Hale said. "I

hope everyone takes time to fill out any question they would like to see the survey because it will help agen- on the survey are urged to call Jody cies and hospital service providers Spradlin (BSADD program managstructure programs around what the er) at 886-2374. public wants and needs.

Sometimes we have the tendency to see what funding is available to determine the structure of programs," Hale said. "We want to start structuring programs around what the public

Hale said the survey may be sent home with students after the first day of school to disperse the survey throughout the community and surveys will be available at many businesses and agencies.

Participants in creating the survey to assess the needs of area residents are the Floyd County Health Department; BSADD; Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Prestonsburg Community College; City of Prestonsburg; Department of Social Insurance; Highlands Regional Medical Center; Floyd County Chamber of Commerce; Department for Social Services; UK Center for Health; Mountain Comprehensive Care; Floyd County School Board; and Big Sandy Health

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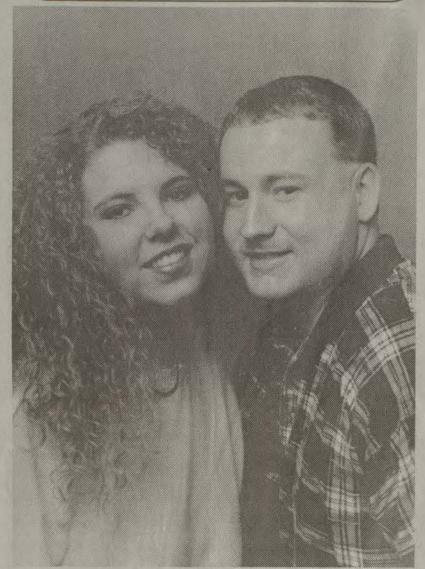
Engagement

Organizations interested in partic-

ipating in structuring the survey

should call the Floyd County Health

Department for more information.



Shawnda Leigh-Ann Lewis and Kevin Scott Hall

New guaranteed multi-family housing loan program created

The Rural Housing Service ing. The guaranteed multi-family (RHS) announced the creation of a new guaranteed multi-family housing loan program. USDA's Rural Development mission will accept applications through August 1, from lenders and developers proposing to build rental housing in rural America. Approximately \$25 million in guaranteed loans is available on a demonstration basis in FY 1996.

"This new guarantee program will support private sector lender's efforts to provide quality, affordable housing to low and moderate income rural Americans. It compliments our ongoing direct multi-family housing loan program targeted at very-low and low income households," said Housing Service Administrator Maureen Kennedy.

For 25 years, RHS has provided direct loans at 1 percent interest to developers of low cost rental houshousing loan program provides a federal guarantee to private sector lenders financing rental housing for moderate income tenants. RHS expects the guarantee program will be used frequently with Low Income Housing Tax Credits and other financial incentives.

Proposals under the demonstration program will be analyzed based on the following criteria: 1) flexibility, innovation and variation of funding models; 2) level of partnering and leveraging; 3) geographic distribution; and 4) other factors to best explore program structure and effectiveness consistent with the best interests of the government.

For more information on how to apply for a section 538 loan guarantee under the demonstration, please contact Thomas G. Fern, Rural Development State Director, at 606/224-7300.

Lewis and Hall to wed

Arthur Lewis and Kimberly Lewis announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Shawnda Leigh-Ann Lewis, to Kevin Scott Hall, son of Bev and Ella Jane Hall.

Lewis is the granddaughter of Stanley and Madelyn Burchett of Cow Creek and Larry and Vernie Lewis of Slick Rock.

The couple will be married Saturday, July 20, at 2 p.m., at the Cow Creek Freewill Baptist Church. The gracious custom of an open church wedding will be observed.

Community Calendar

Editor's Note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, the Floyd 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.

Maytown homecoming

The Maytown Homecoming Association is beginning work on the next homecoming. Anyone interested in becoming a member of the association, planning committee or helping in any way, call 285-3225 or 285-9165.

Click-Prater reunion planned

The first Click-Prater reunion will be held on Saturday, July 20, at a picnic shelter at Stumbo Park, Allen.

Friends and relatives are invited to join the descendants of John and Laura Hicks Click and Elias and Mary Jane Ousley Prater families.

Registration will begin at 10 a.m. A covered dish dinner will be served. Bring food, soft drinks, games, pictures, lawn chairs and all of the family.

For more information, contact Betty Jo Roberts Ayers, 539 Springhill Drive, Lexington, KY or call 278-3083.

Vacation Bible School

· First Presbyterian Church, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, July 15-19, 5:30-8 p.m. Activities for ages 3 to sixth grade will include a free snack supper, Bible stories, crafts, music, recreation and more. All children will receive a free T-shirt. An adult class will also be offered. Phone 886-2214 or 889-9029 for more information or to

register. Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, across from Clark Elementary, July 15-19, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Classes for all ages. Call 886-6204 or 886-1208 for transporta-

Historical

society to meet

The Big Sandy Historical Society will meet July 13 at the Rhododendron Lodge, , Breaks Interstate Park, near Elkhorn City. Business session at 11 a.m. and lunch at noon.

The Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society will meet Monday night, July 15, at 7 p.m. at the Floyd County Library. All interested persons are welcome.

Rogers' rep. to visit Wheelwright

A representative of Congressman Hal Rogers will be at the Wheelwright Senior Citizens Center Wednesday, July 17, at 10 a.m.

Anyone who may have a problem with social security, black lung, the Veterans Administration, or any agency of the federal government can discuss their problems with Rogers' representative.

4-H Summer Mini Camp

4-H Summer Mini Camp will be held Monday, July 15 and Tuesday, July 16, at Betsy Layne Elementary School. The camp will run from 8:30-12:30 both days. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. The camp is free and open to children between the ages of five and 12. To sign up, contact the family resource center at 478-5550.

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Science center planning meet

The East Kentucky Center for Science, Mathematics, and Technology will have a planning meeting with a consultant, Mike Howard, on Wednesday, July 17, at the Morehead Extended Campus Center beginning at 10 a.m.

Project H.O.P.E.

Project H.O.P.E. is developing a craft cooperative. The cooperative will market and sell crafters' work

to help people of Eastern Kentucky supplement their incomes, provide economic development to the Eastern Kentucky area, and utilize the skills of Eastern Kentuckians. For more information, contact Gwen Hutchinson at 668-3143.

ACHS site base meeting

The Allen Central High School SBDM Council will hold a special called meeting Thursday, July 18, at 3:30 p.m. The agenda will include standing committee adoption; appointment of chairpersons, budget review, teacher budget requests, and department heads.

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A Look At Sports

A fact: Elkins hurled no-hitter in shutout of Paintsville in LL

WHOOPS!

The first information I received about the 10-0 whitewash Harold-Allen-Prater All-Star pitcher Dustin Elkins hurled against Paintsville last

Monday night, showed that the right-hander allowed a fourth inning hit to spoil a nohitter bid. Ed Taylor

But a fur-Sports Editor ther check

revealed that he actually had a no-hitter. I reported he tossed a one-hitter. But my good buddy Dustin had a no-hit shutout of one of the best teams around.

Harold-Allen-Prater consistently puts a very competitive team on the field when it comes to the All-Star games. Year in and year out, they are always in the finals. This shows how balanced their league is and how well the players are taught the game.

Prestonsburg, up to now, has been the only team to give HAP a scare.

13-YEAR-OLDS

Byron Hansford's 13year-old Floyd County Babe Ruth All-Stars will be in Ashland this weekend for the state tournament. You talk about talent - these kids are just 13 years old and play much better than their age, I wish them well at Ashland. I plan on being there to root them on.

MORE

Don Daniels, principal at Betsy Layne High School, gave me a call Tuesday afternoon and informed me that the head football coaching job had been offered to Randall Hager (see story this section).

There were three applicants for the job. Mr. Daniels felt that any one of the three would have been good for Betsy Layne, but he felt that Hager was the

I wish Randy well, and hope that he continues to keep the Betsy Layne program strong. He has paid his dues and deserves a shot at the head job. Mr. Daniels feels the same way.

"We're glad to have him," Daniels said about Hager. "He deserves a chance. Beside that, he's a good kid. I think he will work well with our kids."

Daniels said the school was sad to see John Derossett depart, but they understand. Now the school and football program are to get on with other things.

"John was well-liked here at Betsy Layne, but I understand how he felt about leaving and going to Prestonsburg,' Daniels. "Now it is time for the kids to get down to business under their new coach."

Daniels said of the selection process for the new coach, the players sat in on the interviews and "con-

(See A Look at Sports, page A 8)

Floyd County 13-year-olds in state tourney

Division faces

winner of Ashland/

at 8 p.m., Boyd

County High

School

Sports Editor

Byron Hansford's 13-year-old Floyd County Babe Ruth All-Stars will meet the winner of the off against Somerset at 5 p.m. Ashland/Lexington Turfland game

in the second round of the Babe Ruth 13year-old State Tournament at Boyd County High School tomorrow (Saturday).

an unusual bye in the double elimination tournament that will field teams from Louisville, Paris, Somerset and Lexington.

first game in an 8 p.m. start over Johnson County in regional Saturday evening.

Ashland faces Lexington Turfland at noon tomorrow, with the second game pitting Louisville against Paris at 2:30 p.m. Boyd County, the host team, will square

A win for Floyd County would mean a 5:30 p.m. Floyd County Allgame on Monday. Should they lose, they Stars 13-Year-Old would play Sunday at 5:30 p.m.

The tournament is Floyd County drew Lexington Saturday scheduled to end Tuesday with Wednesday as a possible date should the winner bracket team drop their first game.

Floyd County advanced to the Floyd will face the winner of the state tournament with dual victories tournament play last weekend.



District 9 champions

The Floyd County 13-year-old All-Stars were crowned District 9 champions last weekend with a doubleheader sweep of Johnson County. The team will be in Ashland this weekend for the state tournament. Front row: Justin Hughes, Dwight McKinney, Henry Napier, Patrick Martin, Larry Mullins and Brandon Hansford. Back row: Coach Bill Kidd, Josh Kidd, B.J. Kidd, Anthony Tackett, Keith Crum, Chase Gibson, Jeremy Hayes, Nick Spears, manager Byron Hansford. Not pictured: Wes Senters. (photo by Ed Taylor)

14-15 All-Star Tournament:

Paintsville scores unearned run; edges P'burg



Pickoff attempt

Prestonsburg first baseman Nathan Leslie took a throw from pitcher Grant Castle in an attempt to pick off a Paintsville base runner in last Tuesday night's All-Star tournament game at Paintsville. Paintsville scored an unearned run in the sixth for a 10-9 win. (photo by Ed

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

The Paintsville 14-15 Senior League All-Stars grabbed an early lead over Prestonsburg, but had to hold on to edge the visitors 10-9 in the finals of the Senior League 14-15 All-Star tournament at the City Park in Paintsville Tuesday night.

Paintsville scored an unearned run in the bottom of the sixth inning to snap a 9-9 tie and held off Prestonsburg in the top of the seventh inning with the tying run stranded at second base in the person of Eric Price.

B. J. Daniels picked up the victory in relief of starter Heath Castle, who worked the first five innings for Paintsville. Grant Castle suffered the loss for innings.

Josh Banks rocketed a long grand slam home run in the first inning to stake Paintsville to a 6-2 lead. Scottie Walls drilled a long solo home run for Prestonsburg in the fifth inning.

Heath Castle was breezing along after his teammates got him an 8-2 lead with six runs coming in the first inning. But Prestonsburg never quit and came back to tie the game at 9 in the top of the sixth.

But a misplayed ball in right field allowed Daniels to circle the bases and score what proved to be the winning run. With one out in the sixth for Paintsville, Baldwin had a hit in the inning, but Castle tournament play.

was retired on a great play at second base by Jon May. Daniels then lined a base hit to the opposite field where the ball was misplayed by John Dixon, and rolled to the fence. The relay throw was bobbled, allowing Dixon to not break stride as he scored.

Prestonsburg took a 2-0 lead in the first inning on a two-run single by Kalen Harris. After Castle retired Grant Castle and Seth Crisp, Adam Hall walked and and Jesse Compton drilled a long double. Harris then scored both runners with his safety.

Paintsville, a very good contact hitting team, showed it as the first three batters reached on base hits. Paintsville scored six times in the first inning. Seth Lauffer, Castle and Baldwin collected hits with Daniels being safe on a fielder's choice. Baldwin had an RBI on his hit and Castle scored on the fielder's choice play.

David Castle roped a single to center to load the bases and, an out later, Banks smashed a long drive over the left center field fence to make it a 6-2 game.

After Prestonsburg went out in order in the second, Paintsville runs on 13 hits. He struck out added two more runs in their half of the inning to assume an 8-2 lead. Baldwin had a one-out single and Daniels was safe on an error at shortstop when his pop up was dropped by Hall. David Castle fanned, but two runs scored on Josh Davis' two-run single, Banks

fanned Cochran to end the threat.

Neither team could dent the plate in the third, but Prestonsburg exploded for five runs in the top of the fourth to narrow the margin to 8-7. Adam Hall unloaded the bases with a long triple to center field. The inning unfolded with Harris and Scottie Walls collecting backto-back hits. John Dixon drew a one-out walk and Nathan Leslie struck out. Grant Castle worked Heath Castle for a walk, forcing home Harris. Crisp hit a slow roller up the third base line that he legged out for an infield hit, allowing Walls to score from third. Hall then had the bases loaded triple.

Paintsville put a run on the scoreboard in the fourth inning to lead 9-7. Daniels singled with one out, stole second and came in on David Castle's RRI single

Prestonsburg pulled back to within one on Walls' long drive over the fence that went to the pool area. The round-tripper made it a 9-8 game. Prestonsburg tied the game at 9 in the top of the sixth on a hit by Castle, an error in center field and a wild pitch.

Grant Castle allowed all 10 seven batters.

Heath Castle struck out six. allowing eight runs on seven hits. Daniels gave up one run on two hits and struck out one batter.

Paintsville awaits the winner of Area I (Pikeville area) to determine who will advance on to state

Hager trades colors for head coaching job

are the two main objectives of

the Bobcats this season. (photos

by Ed Taylor)

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Former Prestonsburg defensive coordinator Randall Hager was named the new head football coach at Betsy Layne High School last Tuesday upon the recommendation of school principal Don Daniels.

Hager was one of three who interviewed for the job. He was given the reins of the program after coach John Derossett recently moved from Betsy Layne to Prestonsburg.

Morgan County assistant football coach B.J. Ward and Lawrence County assistant Tony Burchett also were considered for the position. Hager was a four-year assistant

under coach Bill Letton, who moved on to Paris High School. Hager played high school football at Prestonsburg. The naming of Hager as the new Betsy Layne coach fulfilled Hager's long-time dream of taking on the head coaching job.

"I'm awfully excited about coming to Betsy Layne," said Hager. "I think the program was left in pretty good shape. Coach (John) Derossett has done some really good things up here. I'm just excited about being here and I want to move Betsy Layne up another notch. We've set some goals and hopefully we can reach them."

Hager met with the last year's returning players and told them the season's goals are two-fold.

"I told them first, we wanted to go out and play as well as we can," said the new coach. "Second, we want to make the playoffs. That's something that has not been done here as far as my knowledge. That's something we would like to

Betsy Layne just missed the playoffs last year after losing a 12-0 lead and falling to Allen Central. Hager hopes the nucleus that is returning for Betsy Layne will produce the school's first state playoff

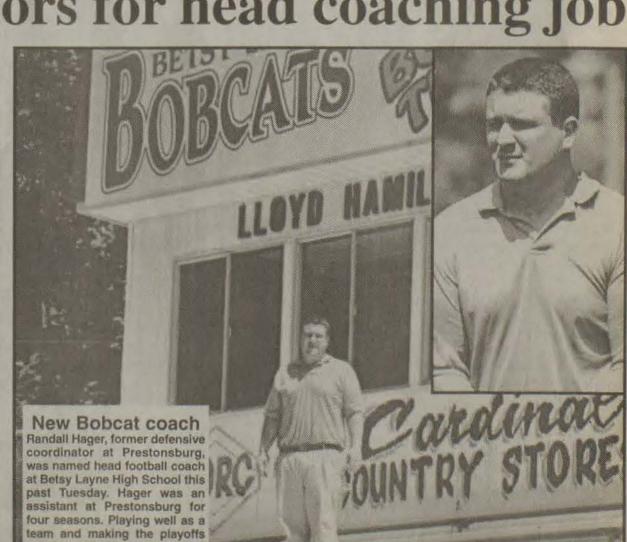
"We have some good leadership coming back in the seven seniors that return," said Coach Hager. "The seven seniors we have returning are strong kids and they're good football players.

"Our junior class has a good group of players, along with the sophomores who are returning."

Hager said he hasn't been in camp long enough to be knowledgeable of the freshmen crop.

The head coach is not expected to bring a new coaching philosophy concerning how the game is to be played. His views will be similar in

(See Hager, A 8)





Was foot on bag?

Prestonsburg's John Dixon was called out at first base as first baseman David Castle took the throw. Prestonsburg dropped a 10-9 decision to Paintsville in the 14-15 All-Star tournament at Paintsville Tuesday night (photo by Ed Taylor)

many ways to Coach Derossett's.

"As far as being different, I don't think there will be much difference," he said. "We're still going to run primarily out of the three-back set. We both play basically a 5-3 defense."

Coach Hager said there might be a difference in how they line up, "a foot or two different."

"The philosophy and the way we do things will be much the same," he said.

The new Betsy Layne coach said he thinks that to win football games you have to run the ball and run it effectively to win.

"We'll throw the football some, but we will be a run-oriented team," he stated.

Coach Hager said that he is familiar with the players who will be returning this season and that the information came through talks with Coach Derossett.

"Coach Derossett and I are close friends," said Hager. "We talk a lot. Sometimes we just talk some football or about this player or that player. Prestonsburg and Betsy Layne attend a lot of weight meets together and we watch a lot of these kids in the meets. I know they are awfully strong. They have three or four linemen who are very strong athletes. Some backs that are strong as well, and show good senior leadership."

One returning player will be senior Craig Hamilton, a two-year starter at quarterback for the Bobcats.

"He's a very good athlete," Hager commented. "He runs the football so well I almost wish there were two of him. I would play one at the running back position and the other at quarterback. He's also an excellent option quarterback."

One of the area's top defensive players returns for the Bobcats in senior Jarred Newsome, who was one of the state's leading defensive players last season. Newsome will be lining up at three possible offen-

"In the films that we watched of him last year before we Hager will look at the Bobcats' (Prestonsburg) played Betsy Layne, I was impressed with his (Coach Derossett's) defensive line overall and Jarred in particular," said Hager. "He's a good defensive

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player. I think that was Betsy Layne's biggest strength last year - how well they played defense.

"I see Jarred lining up for sure at fullback. We may play him at some tailback also. If we want to go to a big formation up front, we may put him at tight end if we want to throw the ball to him."

While other returning coaches have had time to implement the start of their season, Hager thinks he is behind in getting his team ready. But he hopes to make up for some lost time by interjecting plays

"To an extent, the late start will hinder us," he said. "I was talking to other coaches around the area and they are saying, 'This kid is looking good at quarterback,' or, 'This kid is looking good at this. And this year we are running the option better.' But I don't have any idea about any of those things. That is the one problem. As far as defense goes, I know what we are going to run.'

The new Betsy Layne mentor said he has his team on a weights and conditioning program. But last Tuesday night, he put in a play. "Most coaches will run and condition before they actually put in a play, but we are going to put in our first play tonight and try to get going

Taking over as a head coach is something that most assistants can only dream about. As for Hager, August 30 cannot get here any too

"I'm excited, as I said before, about being the head football coach at Betsy Layne," Hager said. "I've always wanted to be a head coach. It's just an exciting time for me. It makes me wish August 30 (the first game date) was here.

"I know there is a lot of work to be done between now and August 30, but I wish it was here. I can't wait until that first Friday night under those lights. Being a head coach is always something I dreamed of."

In the second part (Wednesday), schedule and district ratings, and discover what it is like being on the visitor's side of the field when Betsy Layne plays at Prestonsburg.

A Look At Sports-(Continued from A 7)

view."

wrong with either of the three," he said. "But Randy is a quality person and the type of coach parents are will be holding a skills camp glad their kids could play for."

That's quite a compliment and it came from a person who knows his football. Yet, Daniels said that it was unfair for players to compare coaches.

"I told them they can't go around comparing coaches,' he said. "I told them to bite the bullet and give their new coach a chance. I'm glad he is coming to Betsy Layne." I am too!

OTHER STUFF...

· Chris Burgess, the highly sought after high school

ducted most of the inter- star (high on UK's shopping list), is on the same team as "We couldn't have gone Allen Central's Thomas Jenkins at the Nike Camp in Indianapolis.

· Coach John Derossett at Allen Elementary. For more information, call Prestonsburg High School.

· The Fellowship of Christian Athletes had a big turnout for their basketball camp at the United Methodist Church here in the city.

. I am amazed at the number of people who say they read this column. Not just locally, but across the USA. I'm thankful. Thank you!

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports. Take the kids to Sunday School and church this Sunday.

Charlotte Hornets' Tony Delk to visit'

Former University of Kentucky standout Tony Delk will be in Pikeville and Paintsville Saturday, July 20, to sign autographs and meet with fans. Delk was drafted and signed by the Charlotte Hornets in

Basketball camp

The Mountain Christian Academy will conduct their first annual basketball camp beginning July 15 and running through July 20. The camp will be held in two daily sessions.

For ages 5-10 the camp will run from 8:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m and from 11 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. for ages 11-17.

Cost for the camp is \$50 per camper. Each camper will receive a camp shirt and instructions on the fundamentals of basketball. MCA boys' coach John Biery and girls' coach Tim Potter will conduct the five-day camp.

For more information, call 285-

the June draft and was a favorite of UK fans all over the state.

Delk will be at the J.C. Penny store in Pikeville from 3-5 p.m. on Saturday and will visit the Dawahares store in Paintsville from

Delk will be on hand to autograph T-shirts, posters and other items. Brian Oberg, who is coordinating the appearance, said Delk coming to Eastern Kentucky was to show that he did not think he was too good to come to Eastern Kentucky.

"Upfront, that is the word you hear - that Tony Delk, Mark Pope and Walter McCarty were too good to come to Eastern Kentucky. We wanted to show that Tony Delk does not think he is too good to come to Eastern Kentucky," said Oberg.

The opinion formed when the touring Legends team billed McCarty, Delk and Pope as part of their entourage that would make the trip on a recent tour.

When the three were not part of

the team, fans thought differently about the trio.

"We hope to have Walter (McCarty) to come in and sign autographs at a later time," said Oberg. "Again, just to show that fans are wrong about the three players."

National Champions posters will be available for Delk to sign as well as posters of Delk himself. According to Oberg, fans may purchase one of the two posters and leave with other free posters and photographs.

"They can spend \$20 and leave with over \$80 worth of items. I have items that have not been on the market as of yet," said Oberg.

15th Region football officials to meet Sunday at Pikeville

The 15th Region Football Officials Association will hold an organizational meeting at Pikeville High School, Sunday, July 14, at 2

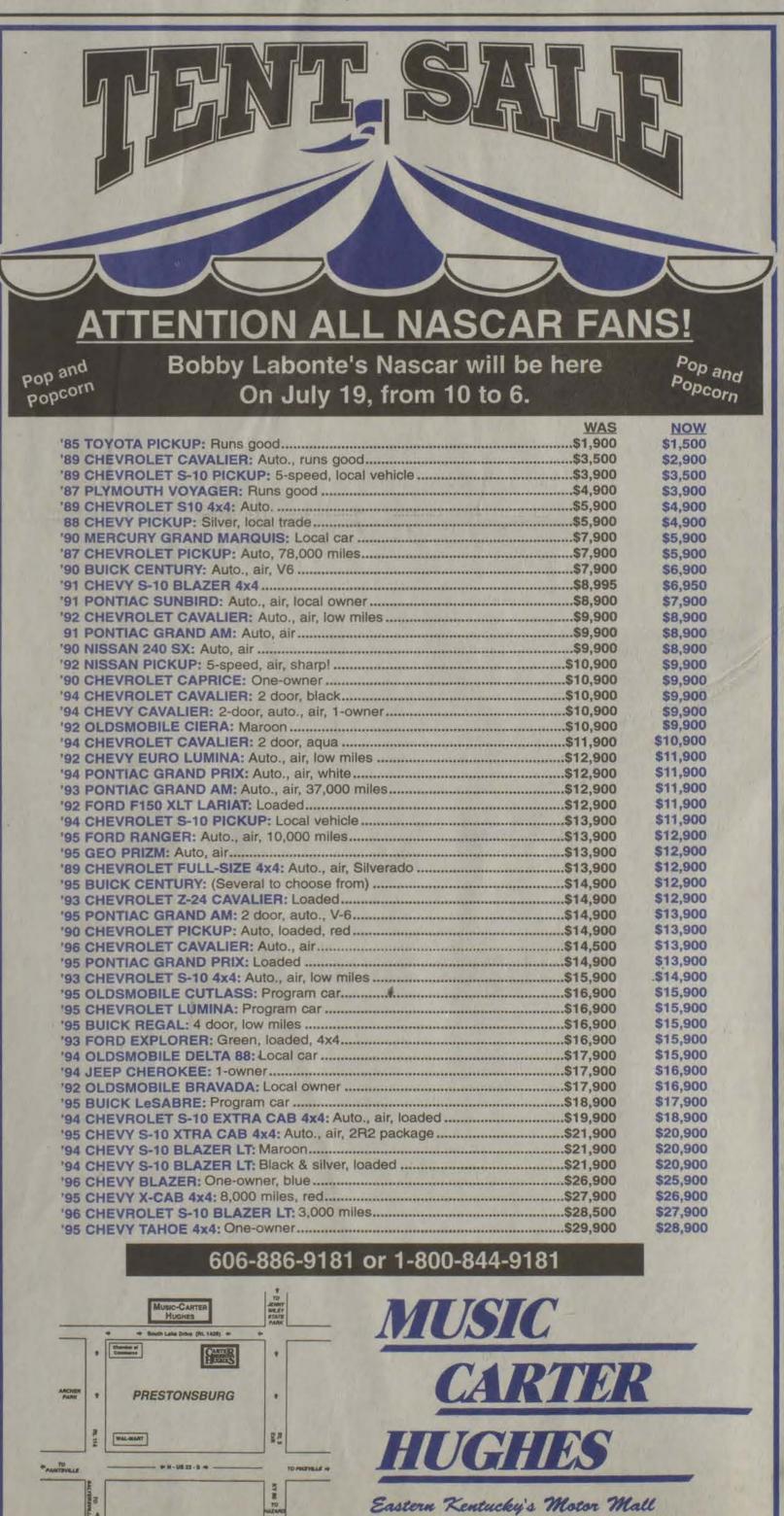
The meeting's purpose will be two-fold. First, the meeting will be for those who are interested in officiating high school football this

Secondly, the meeting is being held to accept registrations for football officials for the 1996 season,

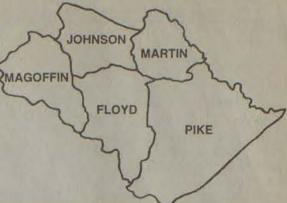
according to Andrew Joyce, Officials' Supervisor.

"Officials are needed at all levels of play," said Joyce. "If there are those who are interested in high school football and think they would enjoy being an official, we want them to come to the meeting and register."

For more information about the organizational meeting or to register as an official, call Andrew Joyce at 437-9519.



AROUND THE REGION MAGOFFIN



Kentucky Grocers Association to meet in Louisville

The Kentucky Grocers Association and Kentucky Association of Convenience Stores will meet August 23-25 at the Hyatt Regency Louisville.

The conference is expected to draw more than 2,200 people from three states.

The conference will include a trade show with 220 booths "where grocers go to shop" for everything from systems and equipment to food products.

Participants will also have the opportunity to attend educational workshops on a variety of topics currently affecting the supermarket and convenience store indus-

The Kentucky Grocers Association and Kentucky Association of Convenience Stores represent supermarkets. convenience stores, wholesale distributors and food industry

For more information, contact Pat Hicks at (502) 459-7111

Gospel sing at Martin County

The eighth annual Martin County Gospel Sing will be held Saturday, July 20, at 6:30 p.m. at Sheldon Clark High School football field.

The songfest will feature the Singing Cookes, the Cooke Brothers, the Freemans, the Castles, and the Risen Trio.

Cost is \$4 per person. Bring a lawn chair.

PHS Class of '76

The Prestonsburg High School class of 1976 is finalizing plans for its 20-year reunion, which will be held August 31.

If you have not received a letter about the event and want to attend, please contact: Leesha Powers, 886-8694; Pat Lemaster, 886-0247; NavaJo Austin, 886-9110: Mark Boatwright, 874-9378; or Greg Goble, 874-2033.

PHS ten-year class reunion

The Prestonsburg High School class of 1986 ten-year reunion is planned for July 14 and 15. Due to renovation of Prestonsburg High School, class of 1986 members will not be able to meet at the school on Friday evening as originally scheduled.

A semi-formal banquet followed by a dance at the Holiday Inn of Prestonsburg on Saturday, begins at 7 p.m.

On Sunday, members and their families will enjoy a picnic at Dewey Lake Spillway beginning at 11:30 a.m. Class members are asked to bring a covered dish or

Wallen reunion

The Wallen reunion will be held July 28 at Art Van-Ata Park in Dayton, just left off North Dixie Drive. Please bring a covsered dish.

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by Larry E. Martin Appalachian News-Express

Pike County's cookie factory will either expand or shut down, depending on union acceptance of a new contract, company officials said Wednesday, July 3.

Mountain Top Baking is owned by Consolidated Biscuit Company of Ohio, but negotiations are underway to sell the Kimper facility, said Charles Holland, the facility's general manager.

"A major U.S. company has shown interest in purchasing the facility," said Holland. "This sale has been contingent upon successful negotiation and ratification of a new contract...between the United Steelworkers of America, AFL-CLC and Mountain Top Baking."

The unnamed company's acquisition of Mountain Top Baking "could mean the economic salvation of the bakery and its employees," Holland said. "In fact, such a purchase would eventually result in expansion far

beyond present capacity."

The bakery, at its peak, employed close to 700 workers. A source has told the News-Express that the sale and expansion of the facility could mean between 1,500 and 2,000 total

However, a proposed agreement was voted upon Sunday and overwhelmingly rejected by the membership of Local 9345. Vote totals were not available and union officials could not be reached for comment.

"This is a major hurdle at this

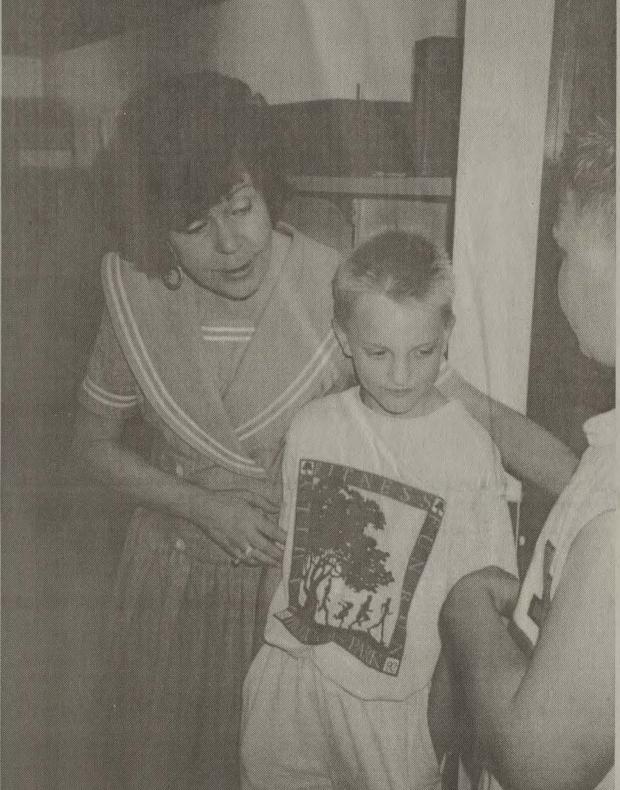
possibility of selling this facility, closure would be imminent."

Mountain Top Baking has reduced its work force in the last week from 338 to around 200, sources said, because a major customer, Nabisco, has permanently removed its packaging equipment from the plant.

Although Consolidated Biscuit owns the plant, Nabisco owned a line of packaging equipment. And because Nabisco is undergoing a

time," Holland said. "If we lose the total restructuring of its business, Holland said, "We have lost this production permanently. Equipment they own is being removed and shipped to their own locations."

> A sale could bring stability to the bakery because no longer would Mountain Top Baking have to rely on separate contracts with various companies, the source said. Instead, the new owner would bake exclusively at the Kimper plant and it would also become a distribution



The secret is out!!

On June 20, First Lady Judi Patton visited the orthopedic and otology (hearing) clinics at the Commission for Children with Special Health Care Needs in Louisville. After meeting with young patients, their families, and the doctors and nurses who care for them, Mrs. Patton said of the commission, "This is the best kept secret in Kentucky!" The Commission provides diagnosis and treatment for children under age 21 who have specific chronic illnesses or physical disabilities and whose family incomes meet financial eligibility qualifications. The nearest office is at Salyersville. Call Vicky Dyer, R.N., coordinator at (606) 349-7411.

New chief judge named of the **Kentucky Court of Appeals**

Effective July 1, Honorable Anthony M. Wilhoit became the new chief judge of the Kentucky Court of Appeals. Judge Wilhoit replaces Judge Charles Bruce Lester who served the court since its inception in 1976.

A Versailles native, Judge Wilhoit is a graduate of Thomas More College, the University of Kentucky College of Law and the University of Virginia School of Law. Prior to his appointment to the Court of Appeals in 1976, he was the first state public defender and worked as deputy secretary for the Kentucky Department of Justice. Judge Wilhoit is a member of the

Woodford County and Kentucky Bar Associations.

The chief judge is selected by his or her peers and serves a fouryear term. This person is the administrative chief of the court and is responsible for its management and

The Court of Appeals is the second appellate court. All cases come to the court on appeal from a lower court or an administrative agency. The case is not retried. The record

attorneys presenting the legal issues to the court for a decision. There are 14 judges, two elected from each of the seven appellate districts. The judges are divided into panels of three which travel throughout the state to hear appeals.

The judges serving the Seventh Appellate District are Judge Sara Walter Combs of Stanton, and Judge Anthony Gardner of Paintsville. - Staff report

First parcel acquired for Magoffin Cut-Thru

Magoffin County-Salversville Cut-Thru Project has reached a new and strategic stage of development. The first parcel of property has been purchased in the construction area of the project.

According to Assistant County Attorney Mike Lyons, "The first tract of land has been purchased by the county and surveying has been completed, as well as all title work, on all but two appraisals in the project area."

The land, which was acquired from the Magoffin County Economic Development Authority, was not purchased outright. A construction easement was purchased from the owners for a sum of approximately \$1,000.

This easement allows the county to construct and maintain the project, while actual ownership is retained by the Economic Development Authority.

There are 17 different tracts of land that require negotiations in the Cut-Thru Project. Three of the tracts will be purchased in their entirety. These three are already in the process of being purchased. It was confirmed by Brenda Powers The Salyersville Independent

of Big Sandy Area Development District, that although no deeds have been transferred, negotiations have been wrapped up and prices agreed upon. Powers went on to say that

"everything appears to be on sched-Bids are expected to be adver-

tised in August and awarded in September, for the start of actual construction. The \$11 million project, when completed, will divert the Licking

River from its current basin through Downtown Salyersville during severe flooding. The state sponsored the biggest portion of the local share with a

grant totaling more than \$1.2 mil-The project will include a moun-

tain that separates Sugar Camp from Auxier Branch. The second cut will be made adjacent to Route 30 west of Salversville on what is known as Connelley Farm.

Engineering and design work on the project is under the supervision of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Louisville District. -

Floyd and Martin counties have highest rates in crime in the region for 1995

The year 1995 appears to have This is not just a one-year thing." been a bad year for criminals, but a good year for everyone else.

Statistics released recently by the Kentucky State Police show that Johnson County has the lowest crime rate among surrounding counties.

The report, which was released by the Johnson County Sheriff's Department, includes crime statistics for 1995 and profiles how counties stack up against one

Johnson County reported 449 total felonies and misdemeanors in 1995, a per capita crime rate of less than two percent.

Other counties in the region did not fare as well. Floyd and Martin counties showed the highest rates in the area at six percent each. Pike and Lawrence counties each had crime rates of four percent.

Among Part I crimes - which include murder, manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny, theft and auto theft — Johnson County also fared well.

Only 27 such crimes were reported in 1995, including one murder, three rapes, five aggravated assaults, six burglaries, two auto thefts and 10 other thefts.

"I was really pleased with the results," said Sheriff Don McFaddin. "This has been a trend.

McFaddin added that Johnson County has had at or about the lowest crime rate among area counties for the past 15 years. - The Paintsville Herald

Cooper gets new position

Paintsville Mayor Robin Cooper is the city council's designee to assume a new administrative position created Tuesday night, July 9, which will pay him \$36,000 a year.

The council voted unanimously to adopt the second reading of an ordinance to establish the position of city administrator, after first amending the measure to include the \$36,000 a year salary. Immediately afterward, Cooper

sought and received the council's blessing to assume the post without going through a hiring process. "I appreciate the council's confi-

dence in me," Cooper said after-

The new position will allow the mayor to take on full-time responsibilities in day-to-day operations of

Cooper had sought the creation of the administrator's post after retiring from his job as head of East

Kentucky News. Saying he had the qualifications and the time needed for the job, Cooper asked the council to give

him the full-time responsibility with a corresponding pay hike. The issue created a stir two

weeks ago when The Paintsville Herald filed a complaint alleging a closed meeting held to discuss the post was improper.

At that time, Cooper said the complaint was an effort to retaliate against him because of his ownership of rival newspaper The Weekly Progress. - The Paintsville Herald

y passes budget inspector. The changes were made on returning three mechanics to

After a two-month long stalemate, the Johnson County Fiscal Court finally approved its budget last week, but did nothing to indicate when the county road workers will be returning to their jobs.

After making some last minute revisions, commissioners unanimously voted to accept the streamlined budget. County Judge-Executive Hobert Meade

spending plan, laid-off county workers will not be seeing any of that money in the form of pay-Commissioners rejected bring-

Attorney Scott Preston said.

ing back a scaled-down county

statutory requirements, County ready for use. Meade will apparently seek to override the stalemate But while the county now has a next Thursday, when he had called a special meeting. In a commissioner form of gov-

so that the budget would meet their jobs to get road equipment

ernment, the judge-executive has the power to break ties with a second vote after a 15-day waiting

The decision not to bring any workers back came despite the court's earlier approval to advertise for bids on road department materi-The court also deadlocked 2-2 als. - The Paintsville Herald

"Dedicated To Quality—Service and Sales" abstained. staff. Meade said the county's pay-396 Broadway, Paintsville Last-minute changes to the budroll would have included nine get include putting county contrifewer employees than in the previ-789-3585 butions to the salaries of an assistant county attorney and a building

Regional Obituaries

Martin County

Columbus H. 'Tuke' Preece, 89, of Inez, died July 4. He is survived by his wife, Margie Preece, Funeral services were held July 7, at the Union United Baptist Church, under the direction of Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home of Inez.

Pike County

Evelyn Short, 73, of Barberton, Ohio, formerly of Hackneys Creek, died June 29. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clyde Short. Funeral services were held July 3, in the Justice Funeral Home Chapel in Pikeville.

Lessie Fields, 82, of McVeigh, died July 2. She was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Fields. Funeral services were held July 5, in the Rogers Funeral Home Chapel in Belfry.

Eretta Boyd Daugherty, 71, of Mossy Bottom Road, Pikeville, died July 3. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford O. Daugherty. Funeral services were held July 5, in the J. W. Call & Son Funeral Home Chapel in Pikeville.

Jim Justice, 84, of Grassy Creek Road, Raccoon, died July 2. He was a retired coal miner and a member of United Mine Workers of America. He is survived by his wife, Delphia Rife Justice. Funeral services were held July 5, in the Pike County Funeral Home Chapel of Zebulon.

Joe Adkins, 73, of Pikeville, died on July 4. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Artis Newsome Adkins. Funeral services were held July 6 in the Raccoon Primitive Baptist Church, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home of Pikeville.

Greeley Dotson

1996, at Highlands Regional

Medical Center, Prestonsburg, fol-

Prestonsburg, he was the son of the

late Amos and Dollie Marshall

Dotson. He was a veteran of the

U.S. Navy during World War II. He

was a member of the Dotson

Prestonsburg, the V.F.W., D.A.V.,

and a Kentucky Colonel. He was

owner and operator of Dotson

Eliza Robinson Dotson; two sons,

James D. Dotson and Amos Wade

Dotson, both of Prestonsburg; one

daughter, Barbara Slone of

Prestonsburg; one stepdaughter,

Charlotte Crum of Prestonsburg;

two brothers, Everett Dotson of

Prestonsburg and Ralph Dotson of

Silver Lake, Indiana; three sisters,

Effie Miller of Scottsburg, Indiana,

Fannie Burke of North Manchester,

Indiana, and Lenora Green of West

Palm Beach, Florida; five grand-

children, two step-grandchildren,

and two step great-grandchildren.

July 11, at 1 p.m., at the Floyd

Funeral Home Chapel with Rev.

Richard Shepherd and Rev. Glenn

Cemetery in Prestonsburg, under

the direction of Floyd Funeral

Burial was in the Dotson Family

Hughes officiating.

Home:

Funeral services were Thursday,

Survivors include his wife,

Store at West Prestonsburg.

Church

Born June 11, 1919 in

lowing an extended illness.

Pentecostal

Greeley Dotson, 77, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, July 8,

Kansas City, formerly of Pikeville, died June 28. She was a banker. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Bobrink. Funeral services were held July 2 in the Highland Park Funeral Home died July 4. He was a coal miner Chapel in Kansas City.

Ezra Collins, 84, of Homer, Michigan, died July 3. He was born in Pike County. He was preceded in death by his wife, Violet M. Hamilton Collins. Funeral services were held July 8 at Cook's Prairie Church, under the direction of Tidd-Williams Funeral Chapels Inc. of

Gernestine Kendrick May, 74, of Mobile, Alabama, formerly of Pike County, died July 3. She was a retired school teacher, formerly employed by Pikeville City Schools. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert L. May, former Pikeville City Police chief. Funeral services were held July 8, in the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home Chapel of Pikeville.

Roy Lane, 66, of Freeburn, died July 5. He was a coal miner and a veteran of the Korean War. He is survived by his wife, Katrina Lynn Layne. Funeral services were held July 8, in the Freeburn Pentecostal Church of God, under the direction of Justice Funeral Services-Pike County Chapel of Zebulon.

Rebecca Jane Robinson, 86, of Harolds Branch Road, Pikeville, died July 4. She was preceded in death by her husband, Roland Robinson. Funeral services were held July 6 in the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home Chapel in Pikeville.

Vada Ray Maynard, 85, of Varney, died July 3. She was preceded in death by her husband, Finley Albert Maynard, Funeral ser-

Eva Sanders Bobrink, 72, of vices were held July 7, in the Pilgrim Rest Old Regular Baptist Church, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home of Belfry.

> Curtis Murphy, 71, of Regina, and a member of the United Mine Workers of America. He is survived by his wife, Mildred Murphy. Funeral services were held July 7, in the Bailey Funeral Home Chapel of Elkhorn City.

> Della Tackett, 81, of Long Fork of Virgie, died July 6. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ishmel Tackett, Funeral services were held July 10, in the R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home Chapel at

> Anthony Pope, 69, of Virgie, died July 5. He is survived by his wife, Lassie Mae Pope. Funeral services were held July 8, in the R.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home Chapel at Virgie.

> Sandra Kaye Feltner, 45, of Pikeville, died July 7. She was a teacher in the Pikeville Independent School System. She is survived by her husband, Ralph Feltner. Funeral services were held July 10, at the Pikeville United Methodist Church, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home of Pikeville.

> Sarah Childers, 89, of Shelby Gap, died July 8. She was preceded in death by her husband, Adam Frank Childers. Funeral services were held July 11, at the Little Trimble Old Regular Baptist Church, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home of Elkhorn

> Irvin Hill, 61, of Pinsonfork, died July 6. He was a disabled coal miner formerly employed by Eastern Coal Corporation. He is survived by his wife, Debra McGuire Hill. Funeral services were held July 9, in the Rogers Funeral Home Chapel

Bertha Slone, 71, of Fishtrap, died July 6. Funeral services were held July 9, at the Raccoon Primitive Baptist Church, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home of Pikeville.

Magoffin County

Pearl Bailey, 92, of Sciotodale, Ohio, formerly of Salversville, died June 24. She was preceded in death by her husband, Boyd Bailey. Funeral services were held June 25. at the Harrison Funeral Home in Wheelersburg, Ohio.

Goldie Fletcher, 86, of Jackson, Michigan, formerly of Salyersville, died June 10. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ransom Fletcher. Funeral services were held June 13, at the Stockbridge Church of Christ, under the direction of the Caskey-Mitchell Funeral Home.

Lunia Cole Perkins, 57, of Salyersville, died June 17. She is survived by her husband, Oscar Perkins. Funeral services were held June 29, at the Salyersville Funeral Home Chapel.

Roy James Nichols, 65, of Salyersville, died June 30. Funeral services were held July 3, at the Salyersville Funeral Home Memorial Chapel.

Bennett Arnett, 73, of Salyersville, died June 30. He was a farmer and construction worker. He is survived by his wife, Minnie B. Adkins Arnett. Funeral services were held July 3, at the Dunn-Kelley/Prater and Dunn Chapel for

Charles Risner, 71, of Irvin, died June 21. He was born at Royalton. Funeral services were held June 24, under the direction of Lewis Funeral Home.

Johnson County

Dixie Mann, 57, of Johnson

County, died July 3. Funeral ser-Louisville to host joint reunion of 11th U.S. cavalry regiment

The Blackhorse Roundup 1996, a joint reunion of the 11th U.S. Cavalry Regiment, will be held August 1-4, 1996 at the Galt

The reunion is expected to draw 1,600 people from across the nation.

Among the activities on the conference agenda is the addition and dedication of more than 50 names of Blackhorse troopers to the memorial at Fort Knox on Saturday, August 3, followed by a banquet and scholarship awards

ceremony at the Galt House. The Blackhorse Roundup 1996 will unite two separate organizations-the Blackhorse Association, founded in 1969 and recognized as the official alumni organization of the 11th U.S. Cavalary Regiment, and the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment's Veterans of Vietnam and Cambodia, founded in 1986 and representing the 22,000 soldiers who served with the Regiment between 1966 and 1972 in Vietnam and Cambodia.

The 11th U.S. Cavalry Regiment was commissioned in 1901 and carries 18 Battle Streamers on the Regimental

Tackett reunion begins

The annual Tackett reunion will be held July 14. Registration begins at 9 a.m. at the George F. Johnson Elementary School, on Long Fork Road, approximately three miles from Virgie. Pot luck dinner will be served. Genealogy consultants will be available.

held at the Landmark Inn in Pikeville, July 13, at 6 p.m. For more information, call Jeanette Tackett at (606) 639-9726.

For more information, contact Len McFarling, reunion chairman, at (317) 687-6827, ext. 124.

Eugyle Shufflebarger Martin

Eugyle Shufflebarger Martin, 76, of McDowell, died July 9 1996, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following a short illness.

Born July 12, 1919 in Alexandria, Virginia, she was the daughter of the late Dr. Henry A. and Goldie Mae Parsons Shufflebarger. She was a graduate of McDowell High School and Pikeville College where she received a B.A. and a masters degree in education. She taught at McDowell Grade School for 17 years and was a substitute teacher in various schools in Ohio and Northern Kentucky.

Survivors include one son, Bill Martin of McDowell; three brothers, Frank Shufflebarger of Glasgow, Dr. Harold Shufflebarger of Grayson, and Morriss Ray Shufflebarger of Russell; two sisters, Betty Bergman of Bella Vista, Arizona, and Phyllis Richardson of Morgantown, West Virginia; and one granddaughter, Amy Marie Martin of David.

Funeral services for Mrs. Martin will be conducted today, Friday, July 12, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel Martin, with the Clergyman Harry Hargis officiating.

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

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The family of Effie Allen Centers wish to express sincere appreciation, for the graciousness afforded our mother, to Dr's. Rivera and Saha, the entire staff and administration of McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, to the Left Beaver Rescue Squad, Pastor Ted Shannon and the Drift Pentecostal Singers, Pastor and Mrs. Don Fraley and Maudie Osborne, to the Hueysville Church of Christ, its choir, and Clergymen Rondal Hayes and Jimmy Turner, relatives, neighbors, and friends who sent food, flowers, and other kind expressions of sympathy, the Floyd Co. Sheriff's Dept. and Hall Funeral Home.

We, the family of Effie Centers wish to acknowledge, and express our heartfelt appreciation to Dr. Susan Brenner, Dr. Francisco Rivera, and Dr. Ruben Singayao for their loyal support and continued assistance, over the years, in our mother's care.

vices were held July 6, at the Jones-Paintsville.

Ruth Grimm, 73, died July 3. She is survived by her husband, Paul Cecil Grimm. Funeral services were held July 5, at the Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel at Paintsville.

James H. Jackson, 64, of Preston Funeral Home Chapel in Johnson County, died July 6. He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and retired from the Air Force civil service. He was preceded in death by his wife, Opal Patrick Jackson. Funeral services were held July 8, at the Staffordsville Free Will Baptist Church Staffordsville.

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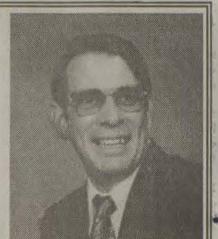
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Gary D. Ratliff Nov. 23, 1943-July 12, 1994

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Marion Dennis Bentley

Marion Dennis "Buddy" Bentley, 57, died Monday, June 24,

Born November 8, 1938 at Dwale, he was the son of the late William Ervin Bentley and Nancy Wright.

He served in the U.S. Army and was stationed in Germany for two terms. He worked 25 years for Dana Corporation and spent the last eight years employed by the LDS Church.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda Lee Adkins Bentley; daughters, Rebecca Bentley-Mila, Rosa Price, Lisa Cole, and Rhonda Bailey; brothers, John Earl, George, William and Clyde; sisters, Mary Brown, Martha Akers, Sally Haywood, and Patsy Propst; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were June 29, at noon, at the Riverside 2nd Ward in Murray, Utah. Burial was in the Murray City Cemetery, under the of Jenkins-Soffe direction Mortuary.

Zella Skeens Greene

Obituaries

Zella Skeens Greene, 97, of Prestonsburg, died Tuesday, July 9, 1996, at the Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center, following a brief illness

Born July 25, 1898 at West Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of the late Tom and Dora Click Skeens. She was preceded in death by her husband, Perry Greene Sr., on May 12, 1985. She attended the Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Dorothy Kinder of West Alexandria, Ohio; two sons, Henry C. Greene of West Palm Beach, Florida, and A. L. Greene of New Carlisle, Ohio; one sister, Minerva Goble of Columbus, Ohio; 22 grandchildren, 38 great-grandchildren, and 12 great-great-grandchil-

dren. Funeral services will be Friday, July 12, at 1 p.m., at the Carter Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Clifford Austin officiating.



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

Cora McClanhan Adkins

Cora McClanhan Adkins, 91, of Ashland, formerly of Pikeville, died Tuesday, July 9, 1996, at King's Daughters' Medical Center.

Born September 21, 1904 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late George and Louisa Meade McClanhan

She was preceded in death by her husband, Steve Adkins, in Survivors include one daughter,

Ruth Adkins of Ashland; five grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and three great-greatgrandchildren. Funeral services were Thursday,

July 11, at 11 a.m., at the J.W. Call and Son Funeral Home Chapel with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating. Burial was in Davidson

Memorial Gardens at Ivel, under

the direction of J.W. Call and Son

Funeral Home. Pallbearers listed for

Thomas Cole Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Thomas Cole were John Martin, Walt Crace, Mike Cole, Charlie Martin, Mark Martin and Jerry Stafford.

at 9 a.m. on July 14

Genealogical sessions will be

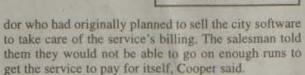
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The Numbers Game

Wednesday's Results July 10, 1996

LOTTO KENTUCKY 09-11-15-16-35-38 Next Estimated Jackpot \$1.3 million

POWERBALL 02-11-15-30-44 27) Next Estimated Jackpot \$13 million



Cooper told the council he still plans to try to look for other ways to make the service work. The council voted unanimously to table the measure indefinitely. -The Paintsville Herald

Deputies want county to pay insurance

Local sheriff's deputies are upset that they are they only county workers who do not have health insurance and they hope the fiscal court soon does something about it.

"I think it's a shame that I have employees who The city council was scheduled to hold a second could get shot or in a car wreck every day they work, and they're the only county employees without insurance," said Sheriff Don McFaddin.

> A report from the state auditor's office agrees with McFaddin's appraisal, and raises the spectre of discrimination in its assessment of the situation.

> Despite the report, no money was allocated for the insurance in the fiscal court's budget passed Wednesday, July 3. Deputies hope the fiscal court will agree to provide insurance sometime soon. If not, talk in private circles has raised the spectre of a lawsuit against the county to gain the coverage.

> Through a spokesman, Johnson County Judge-Executive Hobert Meade told the Herald Tuesday, July 9, that he is in favor of providing insurance to sheriff's deputies. - The Paintsville Herald

Magoffin County

Johnson

County

Paintsville ambulance service might be dead

service was derailed Tuesday night, July 9, when city

officials admitted they have not yet found a way to

reading Tuesday night on an ordinance which would have created the service. But Cooper said a "very

enlightening" meeting put the plans on hold, perhaps

feasible," Paintsville Mayor Robin Cooper told the

council. "I don't think anyone here wants to subsidize

flirtation with operating its own ambulance service,

although Cooper insists, "I'm not ready to abandon this

the conclusion the service would not be able to bring in

enough money while discussing the matter with a ven-

"Unless there is a major swing, it is not going to be

The news could very well spell the end of the city's

Cooper said he and Fire Chief Bob Dixon came to

make the service pay for itself.

his ambulance service.

(the service) completely.

The effort to put together a new city-run ambulance

Magoffin County man killed in single-car wreck in Morgan

Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 3, for a Magoffin County man who was killed Sunday, June 30, in a one-car accident on U.S. 460, two and one-half miles outside of West Liberty.

Four others were injured in the accident and hospitalized. Roy James Nichols, 64, was pronounced dead at the scene at 10:50 p.m., according to Kentucky State Police

Steve Keeton, 57, of Salyersville, and Nicole Ross, 11, Raymond Keeton, 28, and Samantha Nichols, age unknown, all of Hillsboro, Ohio, were taken to the University of Kentucky Chandler Medical Center in Lexington for treatment of various injuries. No reports of their condition was available, according to a hospital spokeswoman.

Police said Nichols was headed east on U.S. 460 when the 1985 Ford Tempo he was driving ran off the road, struck a culvert and then a tree. - The Salyersville

Fatal car accident claims Tennessee youth

Two Tennessee youth were killed about 2 p.m. Saturday, July 6, when their vehicle collided head-on with another vehicle on the Mountain Parkway, six miles west of Salyersville.

The victims, Daniel Seufert, 19, and Josh Holifield, 11, both of Clarksville, Tennessee, were traveling west on the Mountain Parkway when their vehicle crossed the center line and struck an east-bound vehicle occupied by Emery Varney, Melinda Varney, and Christy Varney, according to a Kentucky State Police report. The Varneys' hometown was not listed on the report.

Seufert and Holifield were pronounced dead on the scene by Magoffin County Coroner Glen Conley.

Emery Varney was taken to Paul B. Hall Medical at Paintsville, and then transported to St. Mary's Hospital in Huntington, West Virginia, where he was listed in stable condition. Melinda Varney was treated and released from Paul B. Hall Medical Center. Christy Varney was not treated for injuries.

No alcohol was involved in the accident. The two victims were not wearing seat belts at the time of the accident. - Staff report



Plaque dedicated in honor of late judge

The memory of the late Martin County Judge-Executive John B. Callaham, who died in 1993, was fionored Thursday, July 4, in a special ceremony at the Martin County Health Care Facility at Inez.

The dedication of a marker that lists Callaham's years as county judge and the raising of an American flag were the highlights of the ceremony.

State Senator Walter Blevins, who spoke at the dedication, said, "Johnny Callaham was cut from the same cloth as freedom itself. It is proper and fitting that we stand here on Independence Day to honor a man who brought so much to Martin County."

Blevins concluded, "Johnny understood Eastern Kentucky and that Martin County has been left out. In his actions, John always went the extra mile to see the community prosper.

During Callaham's years as judge, from 1982-1993.

he was instrumental in having the health care facility built, as well as a new library at Inez, the Inez senior citizens center building, Route 3 from Inez to Prestonsburg, and the Big Sandy Regional Airport off Route 3, among other projects. - The Martin County Sun

Knight steps down from Steve Maynard sex abuse and rape case

Martin Circuit Judge James A. Knight recused himself from the controversial Steve Maynard rape and sexual abuse case last week after repeated requests from Steve Maynard that he do so.

Maynard has said in motions which Knight called 'ridiculous" that Knight was part of a conspiracy to frame him because of his political activities. Maynard has been a candidate for U.S Congressman and governor in recent years.

Maynard, 33, and his wife, Bonnie Maynard, were charged last year with several counts of sex related charges in connection with alleged attacks on Mrs. Maynard's then 15-year-old son. Mr. Maynard is set for trial on his charges on August 5, and Mrs. Maynard will face charges of complicity to first degree rape on August 26. The trials will be presided over by Circuit Judge Stephen "Nick" Frazier, who was named to handle the cases when Knight stepped down last week. -The Martin County Sun

Pike County

Virginia man killed in accident

A Big Rock, Virginia man was killed Wednesday, July 3, when the truck he was driving on Ky. 194 at Meta, collided with a dump truck loaded with asphalt.

Leonard J. Dales, 24, was westbound on the road when he crossed the center line in his 1986 Toyota pickup and drove into the path of the dump truck, according to a Kentucky State Police report.

The accident happened at 12:55 p.m. Dales was pronounced dead at the scene by Pike County Coroner Charles Morris. The dump truck's driver, Randall B. Sanders of Mouthcard, was not injured.

Seat belts were not being used by either driver, according to the report. — Appalachian News-Express

Pike to help fund development park

Pike will join two other counties in funding a regional development park, fiscal court members voted Monday, July 1.

The fiscal court discussed \$13.5 million in coal severance taxes earmarked for regional economic development and joining with Floyd and Martin counties to access the multi-county fund.

Counties have to exhaust their coal severance tax money in order to access multi-county funds. Damron said since Pike County is such a large coal producer, and had accrued so much in coal severance taxes, it will be beneficial to join with other counties to help the area. -Appalachian News-Express

Hall named interim county attorney

After eighteen-and-a-half years as Pike County Attorney, Gary C. Johnson, Democratic nominee for state senator in the 31st District, has resigned.

As expected, Pike District Judge Howard Keith Hall was appointed to replace Johnson on Monday, July 8. Hall will serve as interim county attorney until a county attorney is elected in November to fill the final two years of Johnson's unexpired term.

Johnson submitted his letter of resignation to Pike County Judge-Executive Donna Damron Tuesday, July, 2, but the resignation wasn't effective until midnight

Johnson defeated longtime state Senator Kelsey Friend Sr. in May's Democratic primary, and is a heavy favorite to defeat Republican candidate Kevin Hall this fall. - Appalachian News-Express

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Considering that Tom has maintained a consistent Customer Satisfaction Index (SCI) of nearly 93 percent, he's made quite a name for himself, as well. Tom was born and raised in eastern Kentucky and knows how to treat people right. His philosophy is to put the customer first, be positive and patiently answer questions.

"My goal is to maintain the high standards and reputation of Lexus Store of Lexington, and to make our customers just as excited about our products as I am."

Tom and his wfe, Sandra, live in Nicholasville and have two sons.

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News of the Weird by Chuck Shepherd

- Middle East Obsessions: According to the new Judith Miller book, "God Has Ninety-Nine Names," Moammar Gadhafi seriously pined for Bush administration State Department spokeswoman Margaret Tutweiler. And London's Sunday Telegraph reported in December that Syria's defense minister, Lt. Gen. Mustafa Tlass, continues to bombard Princess Diana with love letters. His library is said to be decorated with her pictures and to contain the world's largest collection of books about her.

In May, Monroe County (Tomkinsville, Ky.) judge and county executive Mitchell Page urged officials to help make money for the county by jailing fewer local criminals. Said Page, "We could hold more prisoners from Adair County [and charge \$44 a day for each one] if it wasn't for the local court system filling our jail

- Among the grossest problems created by the District of Columbia's financial crisis is the condition of the city's morgue. The Washington Post reported in May that 74 bodies were stockpiled because the crema-

torium (the only affordable disposal method) is broken and that the city is backlogged with more than 200 autopsies and 400 toxicology analyses. Furthermore, reported the Post, in the autopsy rooms, the air conditioning is broken, cockroaches run free on autopsy tables, the floor is sticky with blood and other bodily fluids because drains are clogged, and corpses are exposed in torn bodybags. (And, of course, there's the

COURTROOM ANTICS

- In May in Narragansett, R.L., Kevin T. McGreevy was sentenced to 20 days' home confinement for his second drunk driving conviction. As usual, home confinement will be monitored by an electronic bracelet that alerts authorities when the subject strays more than 150 feet from his base. Unknown to the judge who imposed the sentence, McGreevy lives in an apartment right above the Bon Vue Inn bar and nightclub, well within the 150-foot zone.

- In May, the California Commission on Judicial Performance recommended that Los Angeles County Judge Norman Gordon be censured for various inappropriate remarks to court employees, including calling a Hispanic court clerk "the little Mexican" and "peon," a Japanese-American stenographer "little Buddhahead," a female judge "sow," and a female stenographer who

was known to be attempting to start a family with her husband as the "little copulator."

- In May, Matthew Simmons, 21, had just been found guilty in London, England, of threatening French soccer star Eric Cantona when he leaped over a bench, grabbed the prosecutor in a headlock, and tried to punch him, yelling all the while, "I am innocent! I promise! I swear on the Bible!"

- In May, after prosecutor Michael Spivack waved his finger at defense lawyer Howard Sohn one time too many in accusing him of making inadmissible statements in the just-concluded closing argument in a murder case, the two started wrestling. At one point, Sohn had Spivack in a headlock and was repeatedly ramming his head against the jury room door while the jury was inside deliberating. According to Judge Victoria Platzer, jurors were taking bets on the outcome of the match.

GREAT ART

- The Wall Street Journal reported in March that New York City photographer (and former Electrolux vacuum cleaner salesman) Eugene Calamari Jr. is a part-time performance artist who lies on the floor and lets people vacuum him with an upright cleaner, after which he asks the vacuumers to write down their feelings. Calamari says, "A lot of people use each other and

(See Weird, page five)



Dan Sca

Country star Dan Seals at the **Paramount**

The Troubadour Concert Series presents popular country/rock artist Dan Seals, formerly of **England Dan and John** Ford Coley, and his band at the historic Paramount Arts Center in Ashland for a lowpriced acoustic concert on Thursday, August 22, at 8 p.m. His hit songs include I'd Really Love to See You Tonight, Bop, Rage On, Everything That Glitters and more! Tickets are only \$15.50 (plus tax and service charge) and go on sale this Tuesday (July 16) at 1 p.m. in the Paramount box office. Other Troubadour shows on sale at the Paramount Arts Center include **Emmylou Harris** (August 13) and The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band (September 13). Call the theatre box office at 606-324-3175 after 9 a.m. weekdays for ticket information.

Flying the coop

(Part 3)

It's only six weeks until our son sets out on his own. However, on his own means he will be living in a dormitory with his friend 'Shoes', and hundreds of other clueless semi-adults who are "out on their own" thanks to the endless generosity of their parents.

What I have to keep reminding myself is that this is a normal process. Birds have been flinging their young out of nests for thousands of years, and they become adept at flying

in a matter of minutes. Why then does it seem as if we are deserting J. R. instead of setting him off on an exciting learning adventure?

"You and J.R. will probably be doing a lot of studying this semester," my husband says to Shoes as he enters the house.

"Yeah," Shoes replies. "We'll have to hit the books every night.

"Of course," I laugh. "That's what you did, isn't

it, Jimmie?"

Smile

Awhile

Jimmie disregards my comment and continues his conversation with Shoes. "Do you have to turn your lights out early in the dorm?"

"Huh?" Shoes answers. 'Lights out, What for?" "So you can sleep. You do

sleep at school don't you?" Shoes glances at J. R. who has just entered the room and says, "Oh, sleep. Sure we

Sara Hopson sleep. "Yeah. We'll sleep when

we're not studying, won't we, Shoes?" "That's right. Study is my middle name," Shoes

"It's getting a little deep in here, boys," I reply.

"All work and no play makes for a dull day."

"Oh, we'll have plenty of time to play," J. R. says. "We're going to go places on the weekend and study during the week. That's the game plan."

"That's a relief. I thought you were going to study all the time," I laugh. "Have you thought about what you're going to take?"

"Mom, I already told you I want to go into com-

munications," J. R. says.

"I mean, I'm sure you'll want to take a word processor, or a calculator, or a refrigerator, or a bedspread, or sheets, or towels, or anything like that,

"Why would we need towels?" J. R. asks. "How are you going to dry off after your show-

"Oh, yeah," J. R. says absentmindedly. "I keep

thinking they provide them."

"Remember, this isn't the Holiday Inn, J. R. You won't be able to call room service or ask for a wake

up call. You'll need sheets and bedspreads." "Yeah, you're right. And I'll have to have posters

and a cell phone.' "A cell phone?" Jimmie yells.

"So you can call me all the time," J. R. replies

"Yeah, and if no answers," Shoes says, "it means we're in class. That will be nearly all the time, too."

(Stay tuned next week when Hunt says, "I'm expecting you guys to come to Lexington every night and study with me.")

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Poperri

by Scott Perry

The 1996 Summer Olympics are slated to open in just a week and we're still looking for a corporate sponsor for our entry in the full-contact volleyball event after being turned down by Ben-Gay®.

They would have been a natural sponsor for our team, which consists mainly of outof-shape, over-the-hill types with nicknames like "Hog," "Butch," "Bat," "Bean," "Little Enos,"and "Butt Ox."

Our team captain, Tim Hall, also known as The Duke of Harold (pronounced Duke O' Hurled), is one of the youngest veteran squad members and he'll be hitting the big 4-0 this week, making him eligible for the team's special benefits package that includes a bottle of ibuprofen, a six-pack, a full-body Ace® bandage, and a preferred-customer pass to the emergency room of your choice.

Full-contact volleyball is not a traditional Olympic sport...yet, but we're lobbying hard to have the game included in the summer lineup.

Hey, they've got synchronized swimming, and if that's a sport, our proposal is a shoo-in.

Anyway, full-contact volleyball is nothing like regular volleyball, where athletes are involved. To be a full-contact player, you must

first become proficient in the art of griping, a prerequisite for "official" score-See, in our league there are no boundary

lines on the court, making every shot debatable. Those who protest loudest and longest always get their way.

The full-contact part of the sport works like this ...

Each player has a designated position on the court, but they never actually play in that spot. Every time a ball is hit over the net (or under it on special sneak-attack plays), every player rushes toward it at ramming speed with the intention of: (a.) sending as many of your own teammates as possible to the hospital; (b.) sending as many opposing players to the hospital as possible; and (c.) hitting the ball back across the net (or through it on special power plays).

Score is unimportant, since the winner is always determined by the team with the most players still standing at dark.

It's a great game for the recently middle-aged, but it can be painful.

Many players, in fact, never make it past the pre-game warm-ups, which consist of repetitive "12 ounce curls."

Those players who do make it to game time discover that this sport truly does build character...and it hangs right over our waistlines where we can keep an eye on it.

Critic's Corner

by Michael Greene

The Cable Guy

I remember watching an interview with Robin Williams some years back in which he was poking fun at some reviews he'd received. He said he was amused when the reviewers called his dramatic performances in such films as "Good Morning Vietnam," "Awakenings," "Dead Poets Society," as "restrained," "disciplined," etc., etc. He claimed that the next time he took a dramatic role, they'd probably say he was in a coma! This all came to mind as I watched this latest Jim Carrey offering in which Carrey takes on a different, more challenging role than those he'd previously successfully accomplished.

Carrey portrays a cable installer by the name of Chip.

Apparently, the field is a natural for him since his entire life and persona have been shaped by his television viewing habits. Chip is a cross between a slapstick Three-Stooges type of guy and "Fatal Attraction." He's both funny and sinister at the same time.

Called to install cable TV for Steven Kovacs (Matthew Broderick), he latches onto the poor guy like a leech, forging a rather questionable friendship. Kovacs has just been dumped by his girlfriend, so Chip comes up with a scheme to get her back. He also ingratiates himself in several other ways just to be near Steven.

What's brilliant about Carrey's performance are the mood swings which he exhibits so well. You don't know if he's going to roar with laughter or get out a cleaver and start chasing Kovacs. It's really wonderful.

Broderick is a good foil for Carrey and the two play off each other quite well. Added to the mix are carneos by such people as Janeane Garofalo, Eric Roberts and Andy Dick. Directed by the talented Ben Stiller, this is a can't-miss flick!

SOAP UPDATES

ALL MY CHILDREN: to his "hunch" and had Stephanie Jonathan arranged for Dimitri to see Erica (whom Jonathan drugged) in a compromising position in bed. Toni and Janet fled from the attic. Dimitri comforted Maria over losing Sam to Kelsey and she, in turn, comforted him over losing Erica. Their sympathy turned to passion which was witnessed by a groggy Toni. Liza was shocked to realize Toni was actually Skye, Adam's daughter. Among the art pieces Jonathan brought to Stuart to auction was one called "Pine Valley" which he gave to Skye years earlier. Edmund found Toni. Wait To See: Jonathan reacts to news of Toni's

ANOTHER WORLD: Gabe denounced Josie's request for Gary to work as a civilian on the stalker case. Lorna, wearing Felicia's good luck chain, was followed by the stalker. Michael and Vicky got a call which could prove Donna was framed for murder. Later, the stalker watched as Vicky spoke to Yvette, a hospital cleaning lady. Gary noticed Josie's hand was shaking. Matt saw Carl make a payoff to Rafael. Wait To See: Tomas considers a "suggestion" from

AS THE WORLD TURNS: Lucinda blamed Kirk for forcing Samantha to love. Later, Kirk vowed to get Samantha back. Adam felt left out and rejected when everyone reacted joyfully to Casey's return. Ryder learned he'd have to stay in town longer than he expected. Lily gave Kirk an ultimatum. Lucinda told Cal about Kirk and Umberto. Hal told Nikki how he really felt about Adam. Mark and Agent Jones went off on a secret mission. Wait To See: Margo and Tom face a new challenge with

THE BOLD AND THE BEAU-TIFUL: Grant told Sheila they had no romantic relationship, and suggested she see a psychiatrist. Sheila then fantasized about James and decided to help him with Stephanie's case by leaving a medical text open to a page marked Mercury Poisoning. James reacted

tested. Meanwhile, Sheila tried to replace the mercury pills in Stephanie's bathroom with her original calcium tablets, but ran into an obstacle. Jessica asked Dylan to dance once more, just for her. Wait To See: Maggie is confronted with a shocking accusation.

THE CITY: Richard found the bloody robe in Sydney's place. Later, Sydney found a note with the robe reading, "Are you happy now? Sydney hired Alex to probe the mystery of the bloody robe and note. Mike blackmailed Sydney and was later found dead. Alex noticed that Jocelyn's father died within an hour of Jared's death. Uncle Gino turned up with Carla whom Ally recognized from her photograph at Jared's funeral. Wait To See: Tony becomes increasingly curious about Uncle Gino and Carla.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES: Sami was awarded custody of Will, and made plans to move into her own place, where Austin would have to go to visit his son. Bo was stunned to learn Franco was Hope's new modeling partner. After escaping Stefano's deadly trap, John knew he was endangering Kristen and the baby if he used the goggles again, but how else could he see his beloved Marlena? Meanwhile, Stefano gave an unbelieving Marlena proof of John's death. As Vivian and Ivan strolled the streets of Paris, she thought she saw Stefano. Wait To See: Bo's feelings about Franco become increasingly negative.

GENERAL HOSPITAL: Laura saw the mysterious stranger on the Wyndemere Island compound. He had the key to saving Lesley Lu, but at what price for the Spencers? Meanwhile, much to Bobbie's distress, Luke continued to search for her daughter. Carly overheard talk about the adoption and realized Tony knew nothing about it. Dr. Dorman comforted Monica after an angry Alan moved out of the mansion. Jason learned of a scheme to scam Sonny. Wait To See: Laura makes a painful decision.

GUIDING LIGHT: After find-

BY SALLY STONE

Common" fans: Starting August 11, NBC will unreel all new, neverbefore-seen episodes of this newest hit series. Note the new time: 8:30, Sunday evenings.

Also from NBC: Multi Goldmedalist swimmer Summer Sanders will do commentary for

George Hamilton fans will see their favorite tanned man playing a heartless rogue in "Hart to Hart: Till Death Do Us Part," airing on the Family Channel August 25. The film stars its perennial performers, Stefanie Powers and Robert Wagner as the wedded duo who do so much to weed out the world's nasties.

Last week, we previewed the new shows for ABC, CBS, and NBC. This week the new offerings come from FOX, UPN, and WB Networks:

FOX-"L.A. Firefighters," shows us how they face danger on the job and challenges of their private lives ... "Millennium," from the creators of "X-Files" revolves around an ex FBI agent and a mysterious task force ... "Come Fly With Me" follows a family trying to move up ... "Lush Life" is about

Good news for "Boston two long-time friends looking for whatever people look for in Venice, Calif. ... "Party Girl," based on the flick, is about a woman searching for a good time, but who has to deal with harsher realities at work.

> UPN-"Malcolm and Eddie," stars Malcolm Jamal Warner as half a pair of roommates living over a bar in Kansas City (Mo. or Kan.? say.)..."Goode didn't Behavior" has Sherman Helmsley living under house arrest ... "Sparks, Sparks, and Sparks," with James Avery and Robin Givens as members of an inner city family law firm ... "Homeboys in Outer Space" takes place in the 23rd century. No further comment at this time ... "The Burning Zone" shows how scientists try to cope with emerging viruses.

> WB-"The Jamie Foxx Show" has Foxx as an aspiring actor working in the family bar ... "Nick Freno: Licensed Teacher," is about teachers trying to teach despite red tape, etc. ... "Seventh Heaven" gives us a minister, his wife, and their five kids ... "Life with Roger" has Mike O'Mally as an unwanted friend who doesn't know when to leave. (No further comment here,

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step on each other's rights," and says his theme is "I won't let anyone do this to me.'

OUR ANIMAL FRIENDS

- USA Today reported in April on the problems caused by aging zoo animals. At the Phoenix (Ariz.) Zoo, orangutan Billy, age 35, gets laxatives and also cortisone for his aching back; a cancerous growth was removed from the mouth of a rattlesnake; a zebra gets ibuprofen for various pains; and a 33-year-old donkey wears orthopedic shoes.

Newsweek reported in January that Dr. Soraya JuarbeDiaz of Cornell University is developing a kitten personality test to help prospective owners, eliciting cat responses to 13 stimuli, including prolonged petting, various toys and the sight of dogs.

- The Edmonton (Alberta) Sun reported in June that researchers will soon begin studying the effect of "alternative medicine" treatments on dogs, cats and horses that have such illnesses as cancer or liver disease or kidney disease. Among the treatments being considered: acupuncture, herbal remedies and massage therapy.

THE WEIRDO AMERICAN COMMUNITY

- In March, Preston Lit, 47, was arrested as the suspected stalker of Philadelphia news anchor Steve Levy. Allegedly, Lit followed Levy around on assignments for three years and sent him what Lit called 'special gifts," such as car parts and mail stolen from other people. Lit once congratulated Levy on his ability to "control the weather."

- In April the Foothill Leader newspaper (La Crescenta, Calif.) profiled local man Ludovit 'Fanman' Salka, 77, prominent for having waged a 28-year war against his neighbors, who he says manufacture drugs in their houses. In the beginning, he would call the police, but after they repeatedly found no evidence of drugs in any of the homes, they started arresting Salka. Nowadays, Salka is on his own, screeching at neighbors at all hours of the day and night; he must yell to be heard over the roar of a dozen industrial fans on his property, which he says are necessary to blow away the drug fumes.

(Send your Weird News to Chuck Shepherd, P.O. Box 8306, St. Petersburg, Fla. 33738, or 74777.3206@com-

puserve.com.)

ing Gilly and Griffin in a compromising position, Vivian blurted out her long-held secret, which sent Gilly reeling out the door. Blake was stunned to hear Hart say Roger had been drugging Dinah. Lucy confronted Alan-Michael about setting Phillip up. Rick confronted Annie about her headache medication. J discovered a dead body at the dig site. Alan presented Buzz and Reva with a new obstacle in their drive to save the Fifth Street neighborhood. Wait To See: Alan-Michael senses he's losing touch with Lucy.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE: Maggie talked Alex out of putting Asa through electroshock treatments. Later, after getting Asa to admit he'd been faking his mental state, Maggie told Max Asa had to be sprung from the institution. Carlo saw "proof" that he's dying, and told Alex he wanted her to give him an heir. Lorna and Cristian tried to

get her CDs out of Jo-Jo's car, and were stopped by a cop. Lorna was released, while Cris was arrested. Viki was suspicious of Cord's land deal with Dorian. Elliot decided it was time to hypnotize Viki. Wait To See: Max and Maggie face an unexpected obstacle.

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS: Nicholas reacted negatively to Sharon's news about being pregnant. Jill was livid over Kay's suggestion that John and Billy live at her place while Jill waits to face the Grand Jury for shooting Victor, Victor, meanwhile, told Chris he felt Jill didn't do it. When Chris asked if he had proof, Victor gave her an envelope that could only be opened if he died. Phyllis realized she had to counteract Sasha's blackmail. Chris and Paul chose a wedding date. Grace wouldn't tell Nikki about Sharon's past in Madison. Wait To See: An unlikely witness turns up for Jill.

NATASHA'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) you are impatient to make certain You'll begin a home decorating project early in the week. Later, arguments about money are likely to arise, but you've done your financial homework. What you want to do is really affordable. The weekend looks good for a quick

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A new assignment, which will be to your liking, comes your way early on. You could meet with romance through an introduction made on the job. However, those who are in a committed relationship should resist temptation.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Your social graces will be an asset in business this week. You'll finally receive recognition for your work from cantankerous bigwigs. A possible disagreement could arise this weekend with a loved one, but avoid being stubborn.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You're a bit restless as the week dawns. Going out for good times is favored over staying at home this week. Travel is in the stars for you quite soon and romance is part of

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You'll be spending quality time with a romantic interest this week. Avoid confrontations in business since these are sparked by jealous co-workers. Make that special call this weekend to a troubled friend who needs your assistance.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A romantic cycle begins for singles. Bonds of affection will grow stronger among those who are attached. Enjoy fun amusements later in the week, but try to avoid spending too much money; you can have fun inexpen-

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) You've been going out more often than usual for fun times. However, try not to let a small upset between friends turn into a huge area of contention in which you're dragged in the middle. Perhaps it's best to relax this

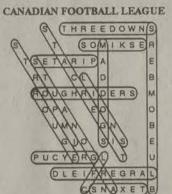
SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Travel and artistic interests are likely to be the priorities which are uppermost on your mind this week. Avoid forcing issues in business, even though changes. The situation soon turns in your favor.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your social life will pick up this week, and singles are likely to meet with a new admirer. On the job, it's best to keep peace with that cantankerous co-worker. Eventually, this person meets you halfway in a spirit of cooperation.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A cycle begins that is favorable for shopping. Although you could become impatient with a personal adviser, in business, your charm works wonders. Utilize this to its best advantage. Seek out a trusted friend this weekend.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You'll be sprucing up your wardrobe and appearance this week. You'll also get encouragement to proceed with a project that's been on the back burner at work. Feel free now to jump in.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A disagreement with a friend could occur over money should you decide to say yes to a loan request. Plans for travel fall into place. However, make it a point to guard your valuables.



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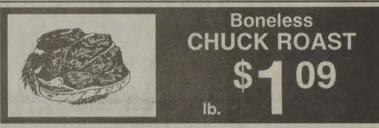
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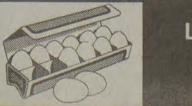




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Rose Acre LARGE EGGS

Academics

Fine Arts Festival held recently



Outstanding art

Floyd County students showed that there is a lot of talent in local schools. Pictured are winning exhibits during the Floyd County Fine Arts Festival

students were winners in the Floyd County Fine Arts Festival.

Center activities

25, at 6 p.m. in the center. Open to

South Floyd Youth Services

Center activities

(ALC) is open Mondays,

Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 8.

a.m. until 4 p.m. Learn new job

skills, earn your GED, prepare for

college or vocational entrance

· The Adult Learning Center

the public upon request.

the public.

· Advisory council meeting July

· Clothes Closet will be open to

County Fine Arts Festival ten students were judged to be the "Top 10 Artists.

This selection was made after viewing a presentation of their overall work.

The exhibit was on stage during the concert of the all-county band (both junior and senior high). The crowning of the new festival queen followed the performance.

Visitors had time before and after the musical selections to see the art exhibit.

The trophies for the "Top 10" were presented by Dr. John Balentine, superintendent of Floyd County Schools.

The students selected for this honor were: Brad Allen (Allen Central), Leslie Allen (Allen Central), Todd Bingham (Allen Central), Ashley DeRossett (Prestonsburg), Brandon Elswick (South Floyd), John Moore (Allen Central), Ephraim O'Quinn (Allen Central), Xavier Scott (Allen Central), Joe Tackett (South

At the recently held Floyd Floyd), and Jada Webb (Allen Central).

> Also receiving recognition for outstanding work was Becky Daniels (Prestonsburg), Jason George (Prestonsburg), Ginger Griffith (Allen Central), Adam Hall (Prestonsburg), Chris Harper (South Floyd), John Haywood (Prestonsburg), Jamie McCoy (Prestonsburg), Amanda Powers (Prestonsburg), Carolyn Shepherd (Prestonsburg), and Jessica Tenny (South Floyd).

> Students receiving Honorable Mention were Chris Isaac (South Floyd), Cara Meece (Prestonsburg), Robert Spradlin (Prestonsburg), and Stephanie Wright (Prestonsburg).

> Student work was submitted for competition by Caralita O'Quinn (Allen Central High School), Billie Jo Stegall (South Floyd High School), and Johnny Stumbo (Prestonsburg High School).

Betsy Layne honored for prom promise commitment

Students at Betsy Layne High School helped each other learn a valuable lesson this prom seasonbeing alcohol-and drug-free can be fun.

They participated in a variety of exciting activities as part of the Nationwide Insurance Prom Promise program, which helps students be drug- and alcohol-freeespecially on prom night.

Local Nationwide Insurance agents will present a certificate to commend the students for signing the Prom Promise pledge, for keeping it and for having a safe prom night-free from the influence of drugs or alcohol.

Alcohol-related automobile crashes are the leading cause of death among teenagers. Nationwide Insurance sponsors the Prom Promise program as part of its effort to make driving safer-especially on prom night.



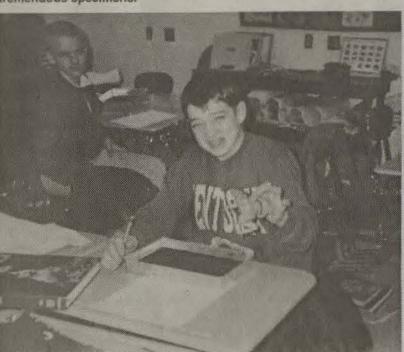
Operation: Frog

Betsy Layne students viewed the Internal organs of a frog, without the mess, though the use of computer programming.



Real thing

These two Betsy Layne students wondered what pond grew these tremendous specimens.



Yuk

This Betsy Layne Elementary student had a light touch with his pro-

Bobcats discover dissection—two ways

Betsy Lavne Elementary sixth, seventh and eighth grade students were introduced to the world of dissection through two means-computers and the real thing.

Students dissected several different organisms, including earthworms, crayfish, grasshoppers, frogs, pigs, and even a shark. These hands-on experiences allowed the students the opportunities to learn and understand an animal's body, while making observations about

the similarities to a human body.

Students also worked with the computer program Operation: Frog. This program enabled students to remove body parts and also to reconstruct-without the mess.

This school year the school has developed a brand new science program lead by science teacher Ann

Many strategies have been utilized to teach the science core con-



Callin' the Dog

Casey Price, left, and Michael Stephens rehearse a scene from Callin'

the Dog. The musical was performed by the Music TAG Class of

Prestonsburg Elementary on May 21. The class has 15 students from

primary through fifth grade and is taught by Rebecca Haywood.

Fine arts winner

Pictured, from left, are Brandon Elswick (South Floyd), Jada Webb (Allen Central), Ephraim O'Quinn (Allen

Central), Joe Tackett (South Floyd), Xavier Scott (Alien Central), and Ashley DeRossett (Prestonsburg). The

your reading, writing, and math

skills, learn job success tips, and

find help with housing, food,

clothes and more. This service is

free and open to the public.

Instructor is Mitzi Crisp. The ALC is sponsored by the David School.

For more information, contact

Mitzi Crisp, Keith Smallwood, or

Mable Hall. Phone 452-4904 or

· Cancer support group meets

monthly. For more information,

452-9600, ext. 145.

students upon request.

Allen Central Youth Service exams, get leads on good jobs, call Georgia Smith at 452-4115 or Auxier center for any child who learn computer skills, brush up on the SFYSC at 452-9600, ext. 145. wants to participate in them. The · Computer classes Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6-8 p.m. for

four weeks. Call for more information or to register. · Aerobics class is held

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6-7 p.m.

The class is free.

Family Resource Centers

· South Floyd Youth Service Center is open 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. Monday through Fridays. The center is located in Suite 232 at South • The Clothing Bank is open to Floyd High School. For more information, contact Keith Smallwood or Mable C. Hall, 452-9600, Ext. 145. Fax 452-9303.

McDowell Family

sitting this summer can take classes at the center, held by Chuck Stamper, from the extension service. Call 377-2678 for more information. The classes are free and

· Greg Johnson will have the McDowell Elementary School gym open for scheduled activities during the week of July 22. It will be open from 9 a.m. to noon each day. Call for more information, call

County Health Department is at the center each month to see patients. She will perform well-child exams, school physicals (head start, kindergarten and sixth grade), administer immunizations and T.B. skin tests. She will see established

. The McDowell A.R.H. will be hosting a week of activities at the center. They will be making a community poster. These activities are scheduled for July 29-August 2. They will be held from 9 a.m. until noon. Call the center for more

Prestonsburg, Auxier Elementary Youth Service

. Due to the fact that PHS will be closed for renovation this summer, the center will not be opened. You can talk to someone at the Auxier center at 889-0135.

· There will be activities at the

activities will start at 8 a.m. and end at 12:30 p.m. The activities will coincide with the breakfast and lunch program at the school. · Clothing distribution everyday

at the Auxier center from 10 a.m. to noon. Open to the public.

Clark Family Resource Center

· Joy Moore, RN, from the Floyd County Health Dept., is in the center on Fridays. The center is currently scheduling appointments for 6th grade physicals, also head start and kindergarten physicals. Call 886-0815 for an appointment.

Call the center for location and more information. Center hours: 8-4:00 M-F; evening appointments are available.

Attained perfect attendance for 1995-96 school year at Clark

Several students at Clark Elementary recorded perfect attendance for the 1995-96 school year.

In the primary level were Sally Hale, Morgan Chaffins, Pamela Slone, Nicholas Lafferty, Brittany Johnson, Kelie Bailey, Ashley Evans and Frank Price.

Students in the fourth grade attaining perfect attendance were Melissa Sexton, Cory Belue Sturgill, Wayne Johnson, Sarah Reffett, Matthew Shortridge. Nathan Slone, Kevin Smiley, Ashley Conn, Sheena Spears, Miranda Lafferty, Jeremy Troxell, Jamie Slone, Shannon Slone.

Perfect attendance students in the fifth grade were Michael Warrix, Amanda Webb, Greta Ousley, Jason Lee Adams, Jason Nathaniel Ison, Bobby Wright, and Jonathon Little.

Students earning a perfect 4.0 average at Clark Elementary for the school year were Miranda Lafferty, Rae Isaac, Tommi Sue Tussey, Kristi Barrowman, Matthew Francis, Shonda Music, Amanda Webb and Jason Nathaniel Ison.



Perfect attendance

Eighth month perfect attendance winners at Prestonsburg Elementary School were Josh LeMaster, Danielle Slone, and Trevor Compton. They each received a \$25 gift certificate from Gwen Harmon, principal.

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"The boss wants to know if you've finished the employee motivational banner yet."







BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL









Vision Teaser

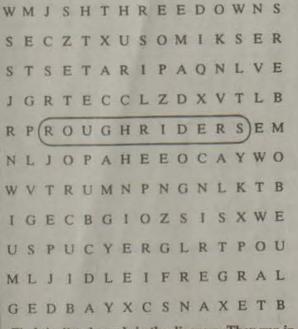


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MagicMaze

CANADIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

(Answers on B 5)



Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Argonauts Blue Bombers CFL Eskimos

Grey Cup Imports Larger field Lions

Mad Dogs Texans Pirates Three downs Tiger-Cats Rouge Roughriders

R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND





GEORGE by MARK SZORADY





THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING







OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS



Super Crossword

ACROSS 1 Snake charmer's CIBW 5 Door part

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course of 17 Plants 18 Notes from Bellini? 19 Belfry sound

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23 Head for the clouds 24 Grimm creature 25 Tenor's

tribute 26 "I'm working 27 Hen's honey 28 Napoleon's

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remark by Milton Berle 36 Veto 37 Freddie the Freeloader,

38 - room (family

hangout)

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54 Fix a fight 55 Actress Sinclair 56 Stopped in one's tracks

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remark 70 "Zebra" 71 Autumn decoration 72 Dale Evans or Annie

73 Man of the cloth? 76 First-class 77 Snarl

birds 82 Boor

84 "The Night Watch" artist 88 Strapping

89 Cereal grain

91 Atty.'s org. 92 End of remark 103 "Java" man? 104 Gless role 105 Nice ninny

106 Half-baked? 107 Jergens or Astaire 109 Openings 110 - -de-camp 112 Type of sofa 113 Doctrine

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Come Worship With Us"

Auxier Freewill Baptist Church, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6:00 p.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Thursday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby Joe Spencer; Assistant, Southie Fannin, Jr.

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Rd.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Paul Aiken. ABBOTT

The Father House, Big Branch, Abbott Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship. 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, J.J. Wright.

ALLEN Allen First Baptist Church, Allen; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00

a.m.; Evening Worship at 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. French Harmon. Christ United Methodist, Allen, Ky.;

Sunday School, 9:45; Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth Lemaster. BANNER

Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., Kids for Christ Club meets; Sunday, 11:00 a.m., Jr. and Beginners Church meets; Independent Fundementalist Baptist Church; Pastor, Gary Fish BEAVER

Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist Fellowship, Beaver, Rt. 979; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastors, Philip T. Smith.

BETSY LAYNE

Calvary Southern Baptist Church, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.: Youth Meeting, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 p.m..

Betsy Layne United Methodist Church, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Philip T. Smith.

Betsy Layne Church of God, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night family training hour, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Judith

Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wed. Night Prayer & Youth Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tracy Patton

BLUE RIVER

Middle Creek Baptist Church, Blue River, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Vernon Slone.

BONANZA

Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbott Creek Road, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Herb Arms. BUFFALO

Endicott Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; first Saturday each month services, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Service, 11:30 a.m.

CORN FORK Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Com Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday worship, II a.m.; Prayer Meeting and

Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m. COW CREEK

Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.-11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m., 7:30 p.m.; 3rd Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. to Pastor, Nathon Lafferty.

Benedict Baptist Church, Slick Rock Branch of Cow Creek, (half mile up Cow Creek on left); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Youth Service, 6 p.m. each Wednesday and Evening Service, 7 p.m. each Wednesday.

Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Dana; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hammond.

DANA

DAVID

Goodloe Pentecostal Church, Rt. 850, David, Ky.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Fourth Saturday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Kilmer Lambert DRIFT

Drift Pentecostal Church, Drift; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ted Shannon.

Prater Creek Baptist Church, Prater Drift Independent Church, Drift; Thursday, 6:30; Sunday, 11:00.

> Drift Freewill Baptist Church, Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m., Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner. Drift Presbyterian Church, Route 1101. Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Parttime minister, Mary Alice Murray.

DENVER

Liberty Baptist Church, Denver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Pastor Merle Little

DWALE

Dwale House of Prayer, Dwale, Ky.; service Saturday night, 7:00 p.m; Sunday night, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Woodrow Crum.

EAST POINT

Free Pentecostal Church of God, East Point, Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30; Thursday Night, 6:30; Pastor, Buster

Emma United Methodist, Emma, Ky.: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Jack Howard, Pastor.

ESTILL

Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Wayne Stevens.

GARRETT

Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church, Garrett; 4th Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Slone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns.

Rock Fork Freewill Baptist Church, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Lancer-Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meet- Watergap Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; ing, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Amburgey

First Baptist Church, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Bible dren; Pastor, Mark Tackett. Study, 7:00 p.m., Wednesday; Pastor, Randy Osborne.

Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald Bragg. Garrett Community Christian Church, Route 550, Garrett, Ky.; Service Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10:30 Cow Creek Freewill Baptist, Cow a.m. Come and bring a friend. Everyone

welcome. Pastor, Donnie Hackworth. GOBLE ROBERTS ADDITION Landmark Church of God, Goble Rob-12 noon; Prayer Meeting and Youth erts Addition; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Group, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.; Morning Worship, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00

p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth E, Prater, Jr. Community Freewill Baptist, Goble

Roberts; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 4th Saturday Night, Regular Service & Business, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m..

GRETHEL

Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth Meeting, 5:30 p.m.; Evening Services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David

HI HAT

The Church of God of Prophecy at Hi Hat, invites you to worship with us each week. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday night is family night! Everyone welcome! Pastor, Don Fraley, Jr.

United Christian Church, Meade Bot-7:00 p.m. Brother, Bill Slone, Pastor.

HUEYSVILLE

United Community Baptist Church, Hwy. 7, Hueysville, Ky. Service each

day worship, 7:00 p.m.; Second Saturday Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Youth Activity nights, 1st and 3rd Saturday, 6:00 p.m.; Womens Ministries, 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Ministries, 2nd Friday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Bible study Monday evenings, 6:00 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Pas-

Faith Bible Church, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Independent Fundamental Baptist; Pastor, Don Crisp,

Martin Freewill Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Bobby Baldridge.

First Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Bible Study, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Mid Week, 7:00; Pastor, Pastor: Russ Taylor.

Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Friday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Deacon, Bud Crum.

tom, Hi Hat, Ky; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sun-Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m., day School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Group, 7 p.m.; Evangelist, Gary Mitchell.

Listen...

My voice shalt thou hear in the morning, O Lord; in the morning will I direct my prayer unto thee, and will look up

Friday night, 7:00 p.m. and each Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Come worship with us and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Jacob Jarvis.

Salt Lick United Baptist, Salt Lick, Hueysville, Ky. Service each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. and the 4th Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Jacob

IVEL

Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23, first exit (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Chuck Ferguson.

LANCER

Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tom Biddle. Trimble Chapel Freewill Baptist, Lancer-Water Gap Road; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Youth Service Wednesday, 6:30; Pastor,

Joe Coleman. Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 7 p.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday programs available for chil-

LANGLEY

Maytown United Methodist Church, Langley; Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Sunday, 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Bob Green.

MARTIN

Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist Church, Stephens Branch; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Mid-Week Bible Study. Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

Martin House of Worship, in Martin on Old Post Office St. Tuesday and Saturday

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Rt. 80, Martin; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Relief Society/Priesthood, 9:30 a.m.; Sacrament Service, 11:20

First Assembly of God, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p.m..; Missionettes & Royal Rangers, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Lorie Vannucci. Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness

Church, North Main Street, Martin; services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7:00 p.m.; Thurs-

Martin

Martin Methodist Church; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7:00; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

MAYTOWN

Maytown First Baptist Church, Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor,

McDOWELL

McDowell First Baptist Church, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.; individual counseling and family counseling by appointment. Pastor, Harry Hargis.

MIDDLE CREEK

Spurlock Bible Church, Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Dan Heintzelman.

MOUNTAIN PARKWAY Free Pentecostal Deliverance Church,

Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton, Saturday and Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Patricia Crider.

PRESTONSBURG

Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Mike Foraker, 886-3459.

St. Martha Church, Water Gap; Masses, Saturday, 7 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m.; Religious Education Classes, Sunday, 9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Rev. John Moriarty.

Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Bobby G. Lawson. Church; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David Garrett.

First Baptist Church, (Irene Cole Memorial), 54 S. Front St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; S.M.A.S.H. 6:45 (on Wednesday); Wednesday night, 7 pm.; Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Rev. Rick McMillam, Min. of Youth and Ed.; Dr. S. Thomas Valentine, Pastor.

Praise Assembly, 1 mile North of Prestonsburg, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise & Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.; nursery provided Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church,

Prestonsburg

886-8602

located two miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Van West. First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; MorningWorship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Rev.

George C. Love.

First United Methodist Church, 60 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Sun., WPRT AM, 11:00; Radio Broadcast WXKZ 105.5 FM; Pastor, Reverend David Fultz.

Victory Christian Ministries Church,

1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship. 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams. Parkway Baptist, Mt. Parkway; Sun.

School, 10a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor. Church of Christ, South Lake Drive;

p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.; Evangelist, Benny Blankenship. St. James Episcopal Church, school starts 9:45. Enquire classes to begin in January. For more information, contact

Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00

the Rev. Johnnie E. Ross, 886-8046. Faith Freewill Baptist Church, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment on Rt. 1428. Buddy Jones, Pastor; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Prayer meeting, 7:00; Sunday Night Ser-

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Town Branch Community Baptist, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6

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PRINTER

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Weeksbury Church of Christ; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike

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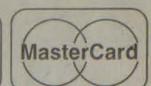
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application #836-0268, Transfer

In accordance with 405

KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Sandy River Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 218, Rt. 23, Ivel, Kentucky 41642 intends to transfer permit number 836-0168 to Carbon Tech Fuels, Inc., P.O. Box 218, Ivel, Kentucky 41642. The new permit number will be 836-0268. The operation disturbs 10.74 surface acres and will underlie an additional 143.59 acres for a total proposed permit acreage of 154.33 acres. No new acreage will be

affected by the transfer. The operation is located

1.50 miles southwest from KY 2030's junction with KY 1426 and located 3.50 miles west of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy The operation is River. located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37° 31' 20" and longitude 82º 40' 37" The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface

Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Regional Prestonsburg Office, 2705 South Lake Prestonsburg, 41653-1455 Kentucky Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's

Phase 2: Site Improvements to Prestonsburg High School 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 July 19, 1996, and opened as soon as practicable thereafter, for performing and executing the contracts for

SITE IMPROVEMENTS TO PRESTONSBURG HIGH SCHOOL PHASE 2

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 \$25 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 606-255-1021. 40507. 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

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

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The FORM OF PRO-POSAL can be obtained from Lynn Blue Print & right to accept any or reject Supply Co., Inc. Bidders shall advise Lynn Blue Print of the respective Bid Division(s) the bidder desires to bid. 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 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 ARCHI-TECTS, 300 East Main Street. Suite 301. Lexington, KY; MARTIN ENGINEERING & CON-STRUCTION, INC., CON-STRUCTION MANAGER, Rt. 122, Martin, KY; FLOYD COUNTY BOARD EDUCATION, OWNER, Amold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY; F.W. DODGE CORPORATION, 303 N. Hurstborne Lane, Suite 265, Louisville, 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

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

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/she shall be eliminated and shall forfeit his/her certified check, cash or his/her 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

any and all Bids and to waive any informalities therein.

The following bids are

requested: Bid 001A: Contract for Site Improvements Bid 001B; Contract for

Concrete 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 and interest in the bid divisions involved

FLOYD COUNTY **BOARD OF EDUCATIO**

NOTICE

The regular monthly of meeting Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission for the month of July will be held on July. 16, 1996, at 2 p.m., instead of the scheduled meeting date of July 17, 1996 Monthly meetings are held at the Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission building at 2103 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY.

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This is to inform the public that under 12 C.F.R. 545.92 (Establishment of a Branch Office), Matewan Bank, FSB has notified the Office of Thrift Supervision that it proposes to establish a branch office to be located at, or in the immediate vicinity of Glyn View Shopping Plaza, SR 114, Prestonsburg, KY,

Anyone may write in favor or protest of the proposal. Three copies must be sent to "Regional Director, Office of Thrift Supervision" at the Central Regional Office, 200 West Madison Street, Suite 1300, Chicago, Illinois 60606, within 10 days of the publication of this notice. An additional 7 days to submit comments may be obtained if a written request is received by the Regional Director within the 10-day

Anyone sending a protest deemed substantial by the Regional Director may request an oral argument by submitting a written request to the Regional Director during the 10-day period. For a protest to be considered substantial, it must be written and received on time, the reasons for the protest must be consistent with the regulatory basis for denial of the application and the protest must be supported by the information specified in 12 C.F.R. Section 543.2(e) (4).

You may look at the notice and all comments filed at the OTS Regional Office of Chicago, unless any such material is exempt by law from disclosure. If you have any questions concerning these procedures, contact the Regional Office of Chicago, at 200 West Madison Street.

mase 2: Addition and Renovation to Prestonsburg High School 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 August 7, 1996, and opened as soon as practicable thereafter, for performing and executing the

RENOVATION AND ADDITION TO PRE-STONSBURG HIGH SCHOOL PHASE 2

in accordance with the Contract Documents prepared by the Architect,

JOHNSON-ROMANOWITZ ARCHITECTS 300 EAST MAIN STREET, SUITE 301 LEXINGTON,

KENTUCKY 40507 Documents, Bidding including Drawings and Specifications, can be obtained upon the deposit of a \$200 check per set, made payable to the Floyd Board County 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 nonrefundable 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 paid) 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 PRO-POSAL can be obtained from Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co., Inc. Bidders shall advise Lynn Blue Print of the respective Bid Division(s) the bidder The desires to bid. 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 egeneral communication

concerning this bid. Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of JOHNSON-ROMANOWITZ ARCHI-TECTS, 300 East Main Suite 301, Street. Lexington, KY; MARTIN ENGINEERING & CON-STRUCTION, INC., CON-STRUCTION MANAGER, 122, Martin, KY; FLOYD COUNTY BOARD EDUCATION,

OWNER, Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY; F.W. DODGE CORPORATION. 303 N. Hurstborne Lane, Suite 265, Louisville, KY; F.W. DODGE CORPORA-TION, 2525 Harrodsburg Road, Louisville, KY; AGC, Lexington and BUILDERS EXCHANGE OF LOUISVILLE, 3595

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Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, cash or bidders bond, executed by the 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 performances 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/she shall be eliminated and shall forfeit his/her certified check, cash or his/her 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 CONFER-ENCE is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. EST July 30, 1996, at the Prestonsburg School, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The following Bids are requested:

Bid 001: Contract for Site Work

Bid 002: Contract for Demolition & Carpentry Bid 003: Contract for

Paving Bid 004: Contract for Concrete

Contract for Bid 005: Masonry, Doors, Frames & Hardware

Bid 006; Contract for Structural Miscellaneous Steel Bid 007: Contract for

Roofing Systems Bid 008: Contract for Painting 8 Finishes,

Caulking Bid 009: Contract for Windows, Glass & Glazing Bid 010: Contract for

Specialties Bid 011: Contract for Food Service Equipment

Bid 012: Contract for Plastic Laminate Faced Casework

Bid 013: Contract for Plumbing Bid 014: Contract for

H.V.A.C. Bid 015: Contract for Electrical

Bid 016: Contract for Sprinkler Bid 017: Contract for

Football Field Lighting Major material items within the individual bid divisions 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

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-0234, Major

Revision No. 2

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Premier Elkhorn Coal Company, P.O. Box 130, Myra, Kentucky, 41549, has applied for a major revision to an existing surface mining operation located 0.8 mile Northwest of Osborne in Floyd County. The major revision will add 0 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 0 acres making a total area of 112.22 acres within the revised permit

boundary. The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.8 mile southeast from KY Route 1426's junction with the left fork of Toler Creek and located 0.25 mile Southwest of Toler Creek. The latitude is 379 28' 49". The longitude is 829 37' 38" The proposed major

revision is located on the Pikeville and McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected by the major revision is owned Randall Lawson.

The major revision proposes to change the postmining land use from forestland and fish and wildlife habitat to pasture-

The major revision has been filed for public inspection at Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 503 South Lake Drive. Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397 Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-6007, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350,055, notice is hereby given that Coal-Mac, Inc. P.O. Box 3428, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502, has applied for a renewal of a permit for a coal processing facility affecting 4.43 acres located 0.25 miles south of Eastern in Floyd County.

The proposed facility is approximately 0.07 miles south from KY Route 80's junction with KY Route 550 and located along the Right Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 379 30' 49". The longitude is

82º 48' 30" The proposed facility is located on the Martin U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Coal-Mac, CSX and Transportation, Inc. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of a public road which accesses residents on the south side of Right Fork of Creek near Beaver Eastern. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road.

The application has been filed for public inspection at Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Prestonsburg, Drive. Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to **Application Number** 836-0268, Renewal

In accordance with the provision of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Carbon Tech Fuels, Inc., P.O. Box 218, Ivel, Kentucky 41642 has filed an application for renewal of an underground coal mining and reclamation operation. The existing operation will affect a surface disturbance of 10.74 acres and will underlie an additional 143.59 acres for a total proposed permit acreage of 154.33 acres located 3.50 miles west of

Honaker in Floyd County. The proposed operation is approximately 1.50 miles southwest from KY 2030's junction with KY 1426 and located 3.50 miles west of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River. The latitude is 37º 31' 20". The longitude is 829 40' 37".

The operation is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by

Bernard Clark, Ronald Newberry and Willie The operation Lawson. will underlie land owned by Bernard Clark, Ronald Newberry Willie Lawson, Case, Aaron Vernon John P. Hall, Tackett. Henry Harvey, Parsons Estate and George Kidd. The operation will use the contour/auger and underground methods of mining. The application has

been filed for public the inspection at Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Prestonsburg, Drive. Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

> BLASTING SCHEDULE

This is notice that Coal-Mac, Inc., P.O. Box 3428, Pikeville, KY 41502, 606-432-0171, Permit Number 836-0229, will be blasting at Dry Branch, Mitchell Branch, Poplarlick Fork, Ned Fork and Mud Creek. Latitude 37º 24' 55", longitude 82º 39' 50". Blasting will be done daily. blasting will be conducted before sunrise or after sunset. At least ten (10) minutes before the blast, access to the area will be controlled by company personnel. Before each blast is detonated, the following type(s) of audible warning will be given: Five (5) minutes before blast, three (3) short sounds of an air horn or siren -immediately before blast, three (3) short sounds of an air horn or siren. The all-clear signal(s) after blasting will be: One (1) long sound of an air horn or siren. Blasting will not be conducted at times different from those given above except in emergency situations where lightning, other atmospheric conditions, or an operator or public safety requires unscheduled detonation. Prior to these detonations, the following audible warning will be given: Three (3) short sounds of an air horn or three (3) short sounds of an air horn or siren. Also, prior to detonations in emergency situations, the permittee. using audible signals, shall notify all persons within one-half (1/2) mile of the

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given

blasting site.

that Stephen C. McKinney, 755 Mink Branch, Craynor, KY 41614, has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to construct a one lane bridge of six I beams, steel, block and concrete, for small vehicle (cars, trucks and light vehicles). The property is located off State Route 3379 across Branham Creek, 2 miles off State Route 979 and five miles from Grethel Post Office and out of the 120 year flood plain map and out of flood plain area. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 18 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601; phone 502-564-3410.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to **Application Number** 836-5349, Transfer

In accordance with the provisions to 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Prater Creek Mining, Inc., P.O. Box 369, Harold, Kentucky 41635, intends to transfer permit number 836-5126 to Costain Coal, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The new permit number will be 836-5349. The operation disturbs 1.72 surface acres and underlies 707.00 acres. No new acreage is affected by the transfer

The operation is located 1.0 miles north of Rough Knob in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 2.0 miles south from Ky. 2030's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located 70 feet south of Upper Wolfpen Branch. The operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 379 28' 22" and longitude 82° 42' 02"

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Prestonsburg, Drive. Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort. Kentucky 40601. All comments or must objections received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to **Application Number** 836-5350, Transfer

In accordance with the provisions to 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Prater Creek Mining, Inc., P.O. Box 369. Harold, Kentucky 41635, intends to transfer permit number 836-5127 Costain Coal, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The new permit number will be 836-5350. The operation disturbs 4.08 surface acres and underlies 528.00 acres. No new acreage is affected by the transfer.

The operation is located 1.0 miles north of Rough Knob in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 2.0 miles south from Ky. 2030's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located 70 feet north of Upper Wolfpen Branch. The operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37% 28' 30'

and longitude 82º 41' 40" The application has been filed for public inspection at Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Prestonsburg, Drive. Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to **Application Number** 836-5351, Transfer

In accordance with the

provisions of 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Tram Coal Co., Inc., P.O. Box 370, Harold, Kentucky 41635, intends to transfer permit number 836-5199 to Costain Coal, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The new permit number will be 836-5351. operation disturbs 4.23 surface acres and underlies 170.00 acres. No new acreage is affected by this transfer. The operation is located

4.0 miles southwest of Honaker in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 3.0 miles southwest from Ky. 2030's junction with Ky. 1426 and located 0:10 miles east of Upper Wolfpen Branch. The operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37º 28' 14" and longitude 82º 42' 09".

The application has filed for public been inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Prestonsburg. Drive. 41653-1410. Kentucky Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to **Application Number** 836-5352, Transfer

In accordance with the provisions to 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Tram Coal Co., Inc., P.O. Box 370, Harold, Kentucky 41635, intends to transfer permit number 836-5214 to Costain Coal, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The new permit number will be 836-5352. The operation disturbs 5.26 surface acres and underlies 82.21 acres. No new acreage is affected by the transfer.

The operation is located 3.5 miles south of Honaker in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 3.0 miles south from Kv. 2030's junction with Ky. 5197 and located along Stonecoal Hollow of Little Mud Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 379 28' 16" and longitude 82°

The application has been filed for public

inspection at Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive. Prestonsburg Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort. Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must received within fifteen (15) days of today's date

The Chopping Block

by Philomena Corradeno

To revive interest in familiar foods, we must constantly put new spins on them. This is especially true with main-dish summer salads, such as, potato, macaroni, rice, potato and bean. Don't you find you tend to rely on your tried and true recipes? But use your ingenuity to revitalize the salad bowl.

Bean salads are popular because they are quick and easy. Just open a can or two of beans, add a few pantry or refrigerator ingredients and you've got a good, substantial

Presentation is essential too for perking up eye appeal. And that's what we've done with the first of today's recipes. We've spooned a quickie medley of canned red kidney beans and canned corn kernels into green, red and yellow bell pepper halves. The tempting, new touch is the seedless California grapes that add not only a novel look and sparkling, juicy flavor but a delightful crunch.

The second salad combines two of our old reliablesmacaroni and canned chick peas (garbanzos)-dressed with a simple mixture of vinegar and olive oil flavored with rosemary. Chick peas make a satisfying protein supplement for the pasta.

GRAPE SALAD-STUFFED PEPPERS

2 cups California seedless grapes 2 cups canned cut corn, drained

1 (15.5-ounce) can red kidney beans, drained

1/2 cup chopped celery Herb Vinaigrette*

I sweet red bell pepper

1 green bell pepper 1 yellow bell pepper

Cut grapes in half. Combine grapes, corn, beans and celery in a large bowl; toss with Herb Vinaigrette (recipe follows). Marinate at least one hour. Cut peppers in half lengthwise; remove seeds and membranes. Fill each half with grape mixture. Makes 6 servings

*HERB VINAIGRETTE

2 tablespoons white wine vinegar

2 tablespoons vegetable oil

1 tablespoon lemon juice

1 tablespoon chopped cilantro or Italian parsley

In small bowl, combine vinegar, oil, lemon juice,

cilantro and sugar; mix well. Makes about 1/4 cup. CHICK PEA AND PASTA SALAD

8 ounces rotelle pasta, uncooked

1 large green pepper

1/3 cup olive oil

2 tablespoons cider vinegar 1/2 teaspoon rosemary leaves, crushed

1/2 teaspoon salt

Freshly ground black pepper to taste 3 tablespoons minced onion

1 (19-ounce) can chick peas, drained

1 medium tomato, diced Cook pasta according to package directions; drain

Rinse with cold water; drain thoroughly. Set aside. Cut 3 rings from center of green pepper; reserve for

garnish. Dice remaining pepper; reserve. In large bowl, combine oil, vinegar, rosemary, salt, black pepper and onion. Add macaroni, chick peas, diced green pepper and tomato. Toss lightly until combined. Cover; refrigerate at least I hour. Turn into serving dish. Garnish with reserved pepper rings. Makes 6 to 8 servings; about 8 cups.

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