

Busy week for Mud Creek volunteers

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

The Mud Creek Volunteer Fire Department was unusually busy last week responding to three house fires, one accident with injuries, and one car fire.

"We usually have about one call a month," assistant fire chief Darrin Newsome said Monday. "I guess it was just a coincidence that we had five last week."

To start off the week, the fire department responded to a house

fire at 2:30 a.m. Sunday on Tackett Branch in Grethel. Newsome said the house was totally destroyed.

About 48 hours later, the fire department received another house-fire dispatch. The fire at Greg Frazier's residence in Grethel started in an electrical box, Newsome said. The fire department used two pumps to control the fire, Newsome said.

When the rains came Wednesday, a curve on Long Fork was the site of an accident that injured three people, according to

Newsome.

"It had just started raining," Newsome said, "and then we got the call about the accident."

The Left Beaver Rescue Squad assisted the Mud Creek Volunteer Fire Department with the accident.

On Thursday, the fire department responded to a car fire in Teaberry. One pumper was used by the fire department to extinguish the fire, Newsome said.

To end the week, the fire department and Left Beaver Rescue Squad responded to a house fire at Emery

Newsome's residence in Beaver.

"Newsome's house was a total loss," the assistant fire chief said.

Newsome said there are 16 members on the Mud Creek Volunteer Fire Department, and at least 12 members assisted in each of the runs last week.

"We have had a great response and turnout for the past six months," Newsome said. "We have also had great assistance from the Left Beaver Rescue Squad. I would like to compliment them for their help."



Tutoring

During the '95-96 school year, the Martin Family Resource Center joined with retired Floyd County school teacher, Rose Floyd, left, to assist Wilma Jacob, a parent of Martin Elementary, with literacy classes.



July Employee of the Month

Linda Wilson was named Employee of the Month at Otter Creek's Correctional Center for the month of July. She is a Business/Financial/Management Instructor at Otter Creek.

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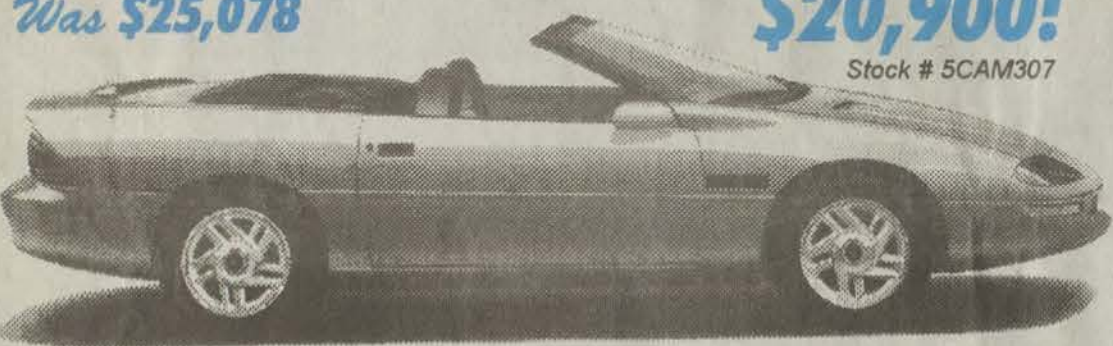


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NASCAR Connection

by Ben Trout

A FEW WORDS FROM THE BRISTOL PITS

I made the annual trek down to Bristol for the Goody's Headache Powders 500 this past weekend, and the pits were fluttering with quite a bit of talk. No doubt, the most popular, or should I say unpopular words, being scattered among NASCAR folk dealt with the recent presidential crackdown on the tobacco industry.

Bill Clinton, in conjunction with the Food and Drug Administration is planning to regulate the tobacco industry by putting severe restrictions on the selling and advertising of tobacco-related products.

The anti-tobacco movement holds the potential to severely affect the world of NASCAR Winston Cup racing. After all, it isn't called Winston Cup for nothing. Each year since 1971, R.J. Reynolds, through its Winston brand, has funneled millions of dollars toward the sponsorship of the enormously popular racing series.

"He's got more serious things to worry about than tobacco," said Dale Jarrett.

Geoff Bodine went as far to say, "Clinton's move has cost him my vote in December."

Three-time Winston Cup champion Darrell Waltrip added, "Clinton needs to concern himself with more serious things that have an impact on our country."

My friends, before this is all said and done, this is going to be one super-hot issue.

More notes...Just when you thought NASCAR was finished making rule changes on the body specs, the sanctioning body announced at Bristol that for Sunday's race at Darlington, Chevy

teams will be allowed to add a quarter-inch on their spoilers and the front air dam clearance would be dropped a quarter-inch. Does the fact that Ford has won six of the last seven races have something to do with this?

The ongoing construction at Bristol proved to produce very few problems. Things went very smooth and from the looks of things, this already great facility is only going to get better.

A sell-out crowd of more than 86,000 contributed to the largest fan attendance in the facility's history. In a couple of years, look for the speedway to seat more than 125,000.

Another pleasantry of the weekend was the flow of traffic after the race. Those of you who regularly attend BMS races, know all too well that traffic after a Bristol race is worse than a visit to the dentist. But not this time. The opening of the new Bristol Beltway certainly helped the situation.

Is Rusty Wallace a terror on short tracks or what? Bristol, Martinsville, Richmond, it really doesn't matter because he's a definite threat. Following the race, I asked Wallace just what it is that makes him such a short track success. "If I knew what made me so good on the short tracks, I'd be winning every race. The car always performs super-strong no matter what type of track, but when we come to these short tracks, we

always seem to do good. It's not a magic set-up, or it's not a special car," said Wallace.

One thing is for sure, if Wallace ever finds the key to tracks better than a mile in length, look out!

This weekend all eyes will be focused upon Dale Jarrett as he makes a bid for the Winston Select Million bonus. Recently, the Yates-owned team has tested at Darlington twice. Consider the fact that NASCAR teams only get seven tests per season, and they have used two at Darlington. It becomes easy

to see how important the quest for the million dollar bonus has become for Dale Jarrett and Robert Yates.

If Jarrett wins on Sunday, it will cap off a spectacular season for the second-generation driver who has wins in the Daytona 500 and the Brickyard 400 to his credit. If Jarrett wins this Sunday, it may very well provide him with the needed momentum to win his first Winston Cup championship. ESPN will cover the race with action getting underway at 1 p.m.

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• Brandon Kinzer, Allen, took home \$800 in prize money by winning the Modified feature at the local racing complex.

• Bill Setser captured the Bomber feature race. The victory lane trip was good for \$500.

• Buck Lemaster drove his number 16 car across the finish line in winning the Super Bomber feature. Lemaster received \$600 for his win.

• Keith Branham won \$125 in prize money by taking the Road Hogs feature race.

Thunder Ridge will feature a \$600 win Super Bomber feature along with its regular show this Saturday night.

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Tackett

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Said one such fan, "He made the bigger kids of Powell County think twice in the game."

Outside of Prestonsburg, the three other county teams will be in action. Allen Central will host Randy McCoy's Elkhorn City Cougars in an early big game matchup. South Floyd travels to Shelby Valley to face the Wildcats in bowl play. Betsy Layne will be the opponent for Magoffin County in the Founders Day Bowl. Kickoff time is 7:30 p.m.

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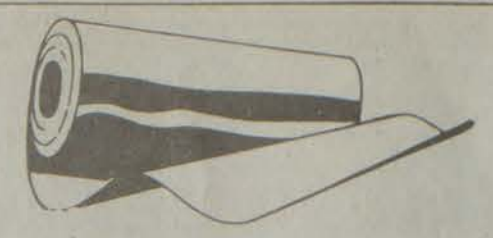
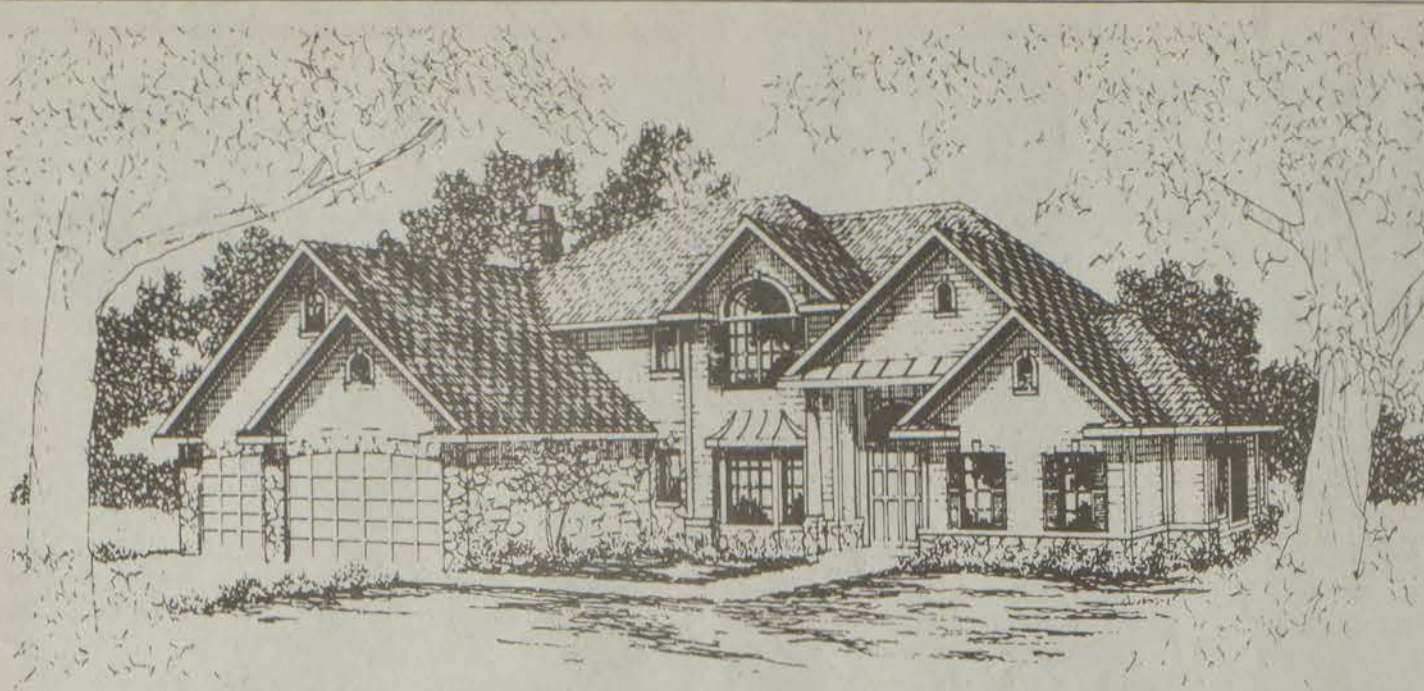
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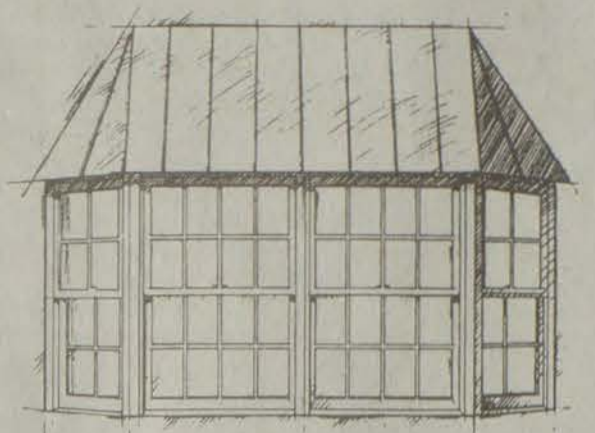
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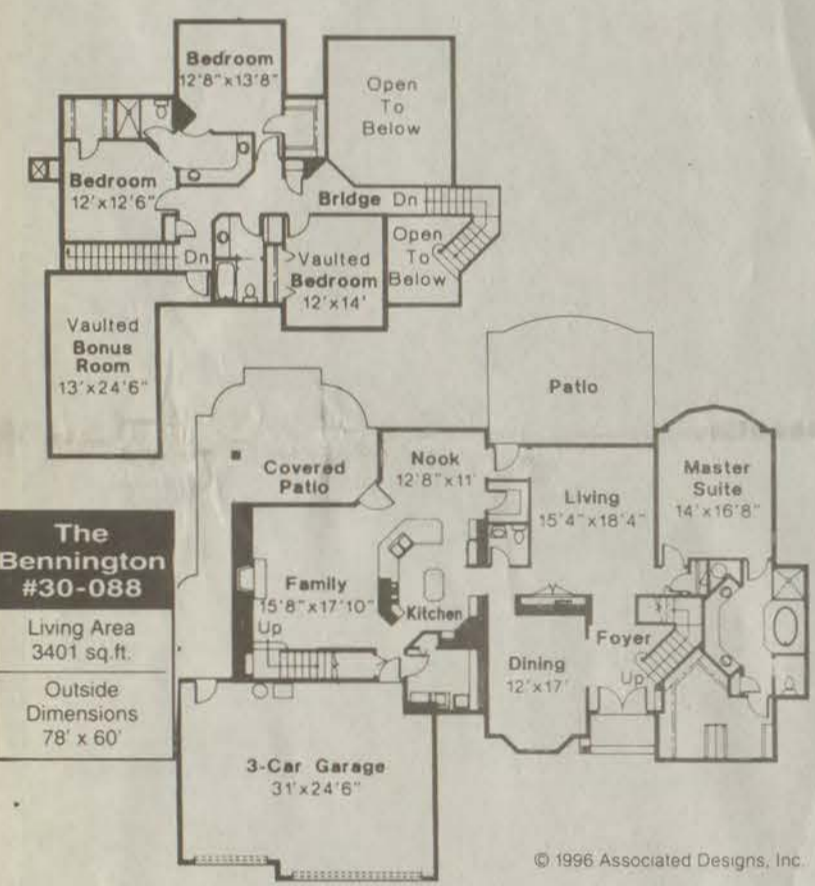
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201 Speedway

Lemaster captures 10th feature win at 201 speedway

by Chris Belcher
Contributing Writer

The regular 201 Speedway drivers were sprinkled with a few new faces this past Saturday night as area bombers got their final opportunity to tune up for next Saturday night's third annual 201 Speedway Bomber Classic.

While Jim Lemaster continued to dominate the Super Bomber features, Garland Mills Jr. became the sixth different driver to win the Claim Bomber feature this season.

Lemaster was the quickest of the 13 car field as he picked up his 10th trip to the winners' circle this year. Beadie Blackburn finished second with Keith Potter crossing in third place.

Mills took the checkered flag in front of Bannie Blair, Steve Burke and Jimmy Johnson to win the Claim Bomber's feature.

Pilgrim's Paul Davis made his debut at 201 a successful one as he powered ahead of the field of drivers in the 25-lap Late Model feature. Davis had the fastest qualifying time winning his heat race. Roy Hobbs finished second with Scott McCloud taking third place.

Willard Blair won Saturday night's Claim Bomber consolation race ahead of Howard Mills Jr. and Eddie Davis.

George Meade took the lead on the third lap and held on to win the Road Hog 10-lap feature.

Cecil Butcher powered across the finish line well ahead of second place Truman Napier in winning the Old Timer's feature at 201.

This Saturday night, 201 will highlight area Bomber drivers in its third annual 201 Speedway Bomber Classic with a \$2,000 pay-off and \$50 to start.



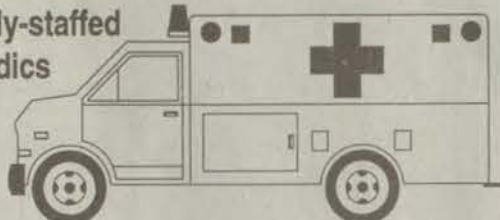
Position switch

Allen Central's Gordon Reeves may find himself calling the signals for the Rebels this Friday night when the Rebels host the Elkhorn City Cougars. Reeves, a running back, may have to replace injured Shane Blackburn. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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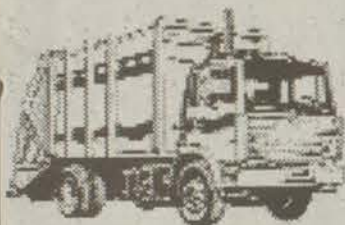
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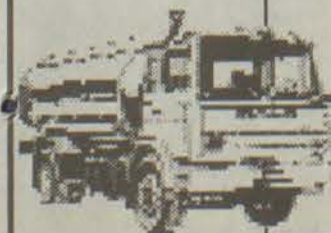
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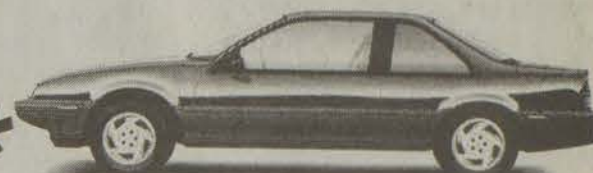
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Sports in Kentucky

by Bob Watkins

UK-Louisville game will be no ordinary match between state rivals

A reasonable forecast in ordinary circumstances for the season's inaugural at Commonwealth Stadium Saturday would be Louisville 20, Kentucky 17... in overtime. Because of the usual advantages and disadvantages — turnovers, depth, depth, and kicking game.

But 1996 is different. We have the added dimension of a rarely skilled quarterback available in the blue team's bullpen who, the football gods warn us, is capable of injecting a Tarkenton element. And the two-minute drill.

That is, a few hundred years ago it seems, Fran Tarkenton would show up after halftime of a hopeless Minnesota Vikings game, scramble around the park until he had rallied the purple team to outlandish victories. The Tark did things that often left Las Vegas oddsmakers scrambling for cover.

Even in a relief role, Tim Couch—an admirer of Tarkenton style and success—is capable of changing a game with 1-2-3 dramatic strokes on the canvas. I think it might happen.

Kentucky 24, Louisville 14.

WISH LIST FOR 1996 FOOTBALL SEASON

Some things I would like to see this football autumn:

✓ Kentucky beats Alabama at Tuscaloosa.

✓ Bill Curry's Big Blue Line is fun again.

✓ Harold Dennis scores a touchdown.

✓ Eastern's Greg Couch gets off to a good start.

✓ Kid brother Couch does likewise up the road.

✓ Confirmation that UofL's Donnell Gordon made the right decision.

✓ Marvin Major learns his lesson.

✓ Western Kentucky applies for re-admission to the OVC.

✓ Billy Jack Haskins stays healthy.

✓ Every Kentucky high school player chosen to an All-State Team, signs to study, play football at an in-state college.

✓ A time comes when a high school coach say, Franklin-Simpson's Jean Rollins, sings the praises of his prize Braxton Anderson and includes along with "strong and quick and can dunk a basketball" these things: "...has qualified academically to play college ball, is hard working student, never misses class, and is active in organizations like students against drugs and alcohol."

✓ Artie Steinmetz, a 6-5, 270-pound lineman for Covington-Catholic gets lots of votes for Mr. Football.

✓ And, as Dick Fick did for college basketball, recognition will come for the best named coach in Kentucky college football, Houston Nutt. Murray State's coach and his Racers are coming off an 11-1 record last season.

GEORGETOWN COLLEGE: NFL COMES TO KY.

The NFL Cincinnati Bengals' decision to make Georgetown their summer training site is not only a windfall for Scott County, but is a Toyota plant-like boost for football in Kentucky.

The Bengals announced Aug. 21 that the organization will build a 5,000-seat stadium and two practice fields on a 52-acre tract owned by Georgetown College.

Voila!, beginning next summer, professional football becomes part of the landscape in Central Kentucky. The Bengals camp will be a drawing card for football fans around the state and beyond. A chance to travel to Georgetown during the Bengals' pre-season, and see workouts, will do nothing if not increase interest in football at all levels.

JAGGERS 3RD ON COACH WIN LIST

High school football 1996 in Kentucky will have an added circle of interest as well.

As the season begins, three active coaches are 3-4-5 on the state's all-time Top 10 coaches career wins list.

Behind Walter Brugh of Paintsville (279) and Garnis Martin of Bardstown (271), both retired, is Joe Jagers of North Hardin in third place (270), Owen Hauck of Boone County in fourth (264), and Mojo Hollowell of Owensboro Catholic fifth (263).

Jagers' overall record of 270-90-

3, translates into a 74.3 win percentage, or nearly three victories in every four games spanning more than three decades at four stops — Nelson County, Trigg County, Fort Knox and North Hardin.

A 10-victory season would push Jagers to the top of the heap, a pedestal where—for those acquainted with the native of Princeton in Caldwell County—he believes his name belongs in any case.

Ironically, if Jagers is to reach the summit, pass Brugh this regular season, the victory would come against Nelson County, the school where his head coaching career began more than 30 years ago.

Irony II. Two victories into this season, Jagers would pass his old nemesis Garnis Martin, who, during a long stint at Bardstown High, administered more than a few coaching spankings to Jagers' ample rump.

MIDSUMMER PITINO

UK's coach was asked: What can be done to change the way underclassmen and high school players (student-athletes) look at professional basketball?

"It's a two-part answer. First, the CBA must be used like Triple-A baseball and if someone wants to develop their pro talents, they should go to the CBA, not college. The second answer has been available for a long time, but because of self-serving interests, it has never been implemented. Freshmen need to be ineligible. That would prolong their collegiate career and also put more focus on academics and more focus on developing and the nurturing of the student. It would take the ego out of high school students. Most coaches would agree with that."

DOWNEY'S QS.

Native Kentuckian David Downey now lives and works in Washington D.C. A devoted UK basketball fan (in absentia), David E-mailed last week questions about UK's recently released 1996-97 schedule.

Q. What's your impression of its difficulty?

A. Considering UK's roster losses, I would rate the schedule difficulty at 9.24 on a scale of 10.

However, since this is a fans' game, an excellent number of marquee-type opponents are in the offing, even if mostly by way of television. UK's schedule includes as many as 11 Top 20 candidates, including three in-league foes — Arkansas, Miss. State and Tennessee.

Q. Would UK's (home games) non-conference foe list be a notch better if Kentucky had an on-campus facility?

A. Without doubt.

Indicative of the cool/correct relationship between UK and the Lexington Civic Center board that runs Rupp Arena, Villanova is UK's only non-conference home game against a ranked team in Rupp Arena next season. Most of the others amount to a duck shoot — Wright State, Notre Dame, UNC-Asheville, Canisius and West Carolina.

Q. Shouldn't UK play a home game at Freedom Hall every year, not counting the Indiana game, with tickets (available to non-season ticket holders)?

A. Absolutely. And another in Cincinnati.

Q. Do you favor a home-and-

home series, UK and North Carolina? What about Kansas?

A. Kansas, not necessarily. But for college basketball's sake, yes to an annual UK-UNC series, say a 10-15 year contract. The college game's two winningest programs should play on Super Bowl Sunday.

Says here the television networks would get in line to bid for broadcast rights, giving this game enough high-powered money-making potential to pre-empt the carnival approach of selling pieces of a basketball floor, fostered by UK assistant AD Larry Ivy.

READERS (RIGHT) WRITE

Greg Smith of Lawrenceburg: "Am looking forward to UK football. If nothing else we will get to see a couple of good quarterbacks run for their lives this year. (But) if any more players leave the team, Mr. (Tim) Couch may be playing wide receiver before the year is out."

DIS 'N DATA

No ties in college football this season as Div. I teams take a cue from high school by flipping a coin at the end of tie games to see who gets the ball first on alternating possessions at the 25-yard line. Whoever scores the most points wins. ... If I were casting my Heisman vote before the firing starts, it would read: Darnell Autry, Northwestern; Danny Wuerffel, Florida; and Peyton Manning, Tennessee. ...

PARTING SHOT

University of Louisville football coach Ron Cooper to the Courier-Journal on Cardinal linebacker Jeryl Tyson, who was arrested on drug charges during the summer: "Jeryl Tyson won't join the football team this year. Case closed."

And so it goes.

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John Ortega, Mike Castle and Brian Jones were named to the All-Appalachian Bowl after the Blackcats posted a 33-6 win over Leslie County at Clay County last Saturday night. (photo by Durward Hale)

Will '96 be Bill Curry's last at UK?

by Cliff Smith
Contributing Writer

Bill Curry starts his seventh season as UK's head football coach this fall without having ended a year with larger numbers on the left than on the right.

Only one of the on-the-field assistant coaches he brought with him has remained — secondary coach Rick Smith, who this year moves up to take the defensive coordinator position.

Of the '92, '93, '94 and '95 recruits who have eligibility remaining this fall, 41 percent are no longer on the players' roster.

Incoming true freshmen will probably have to use a year of their eligibility to provide backups at tailback, tight end, offensive guard, and defensive cornerback.

Except for heralded quarterback recruit Tim Couch, most of UK's '96 recruits chose Kentucky over schools such as Jacksonville, Central Florida, Troy State and Liberty, for whatever that may bode for future years.

However, that doesn't mean there aren't some SEC quality prospects among them, because there are.

What this does suggest is that a 1-10 and 4-7 record in the coach's fifth and sixth seasons at the helm aren't the kind of stats likely to attract players recruited by other Division IA schools.

So this is a crucial year for the Bill Curry era at UK. Curry knows it. C.M. Newton knows it. And the fans know it.

What is the outlook? My hunch is that there are at least five very likely losses — Florida, Alabama, LSU, Georgia and Tennessee — and no sure bet wins against the other six teams on the schedule.

What happens in the first three games could tell the tale. UK should be competitive against Louisville, Cincinnati, Indiana, South Carolina and Mississippi State as well as Vanderbilt. But none of those are a sure thing. The first three named are the first three opponents.

Given what he has to work with, it isn't realistic to expect new defensive coordinator Rick Smith to field a defense that shows dramatic improvement this year. But they may show some improvement if all of the starters stay healthy.

Offensive coordinator Elliot Uzelac did an almost incredible job last year. This get-in-your-face coach fielded an offensive line composed of players who had never before started a game in the position to which he assigned them.

They proceeded to open gaping holes for Moe Williams and gave Tennessee's vaunted defense all it could handle in the season finale.

Having lost two starters who completed their eligibility, two more to disciplinary dismissal, and still another to injury, he has another task of similar magnitude this year.

Still, UK may exhibit some "big play" capability it has often lacked in recent years except for Moe

(See Curry, B8)

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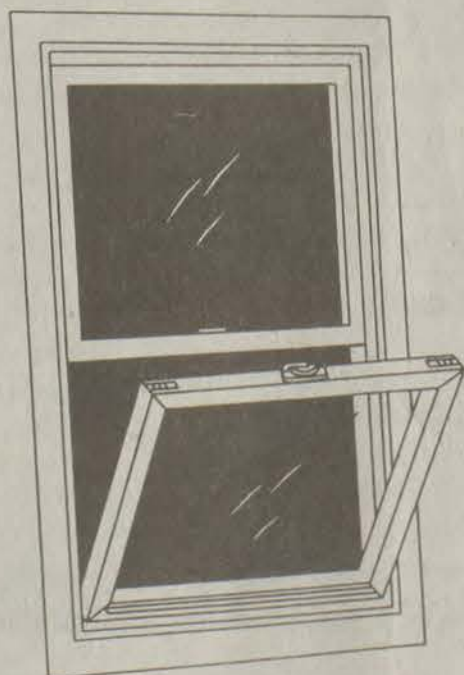
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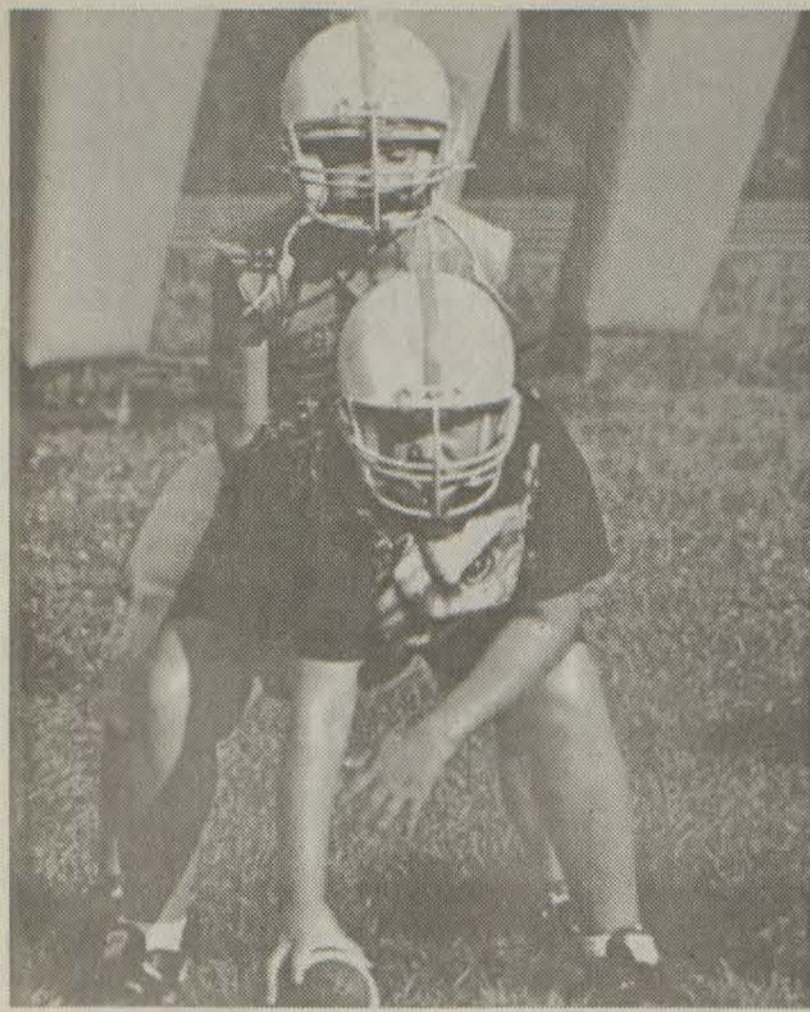
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Curry

(continued from B7)

Williams' exiting running.

For the first time in several years, Kentucky has two, maybe three, quarterbacks who can accurately deliver the football to the team's receivers. And in Kio Sanford, Craig Yeast, Harold Dennis and Norman Mason, the Wildcats have receivers with the speed and ability to hold their own or even to excel in the SEC this fall.

If UK can establish some kind of running game, Uzelack's offense could prove capable of some exciting plays.

But don't forget that old adage that it's the defense that wins games.

I hope that I may be wrong, but my guess is another losing season: and that would mean Curry's last as UK's head football coach.

(Cliff Smith is a free lance journalist who lives in Lexington)

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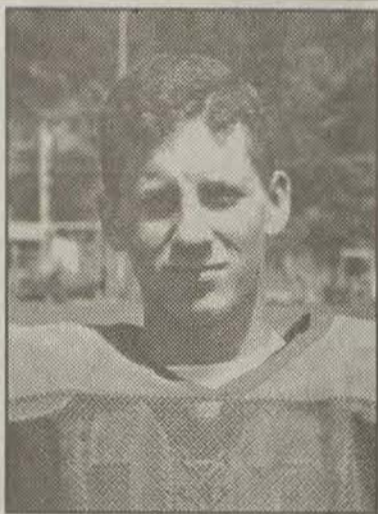
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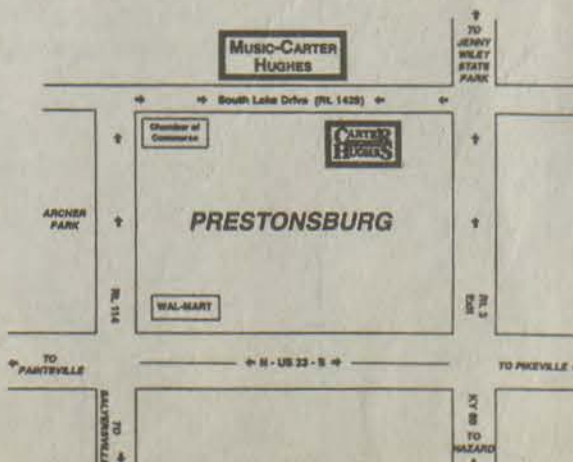
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Lifestyles

Lessons from nature

Over the past few weeks, I've learned a few things about nature.

The first was a lesson about parenting.

I'm referring to the incident that occurred earlier this month in Brookfield, Illinois, where a three-year-old boy fell 18-feet into a colony of apes at a zoo primate exhibit.

As he lay unconscious, an eight-year-old female gorilla named Binta Jua, with her own baby clinging to her back, gently picked the boy up, cradled him in her arms, and carried him to a door where she left him so zoo keepers and paramedics could attend him.

And now back to the more intelligent of the species.

Pick up the paper tomorrow and you'll probably read about some human parent abusing, or even killing children.

You've got to wonder who's the savage.

My next learning experience took place a little closer to home. As a matter of fact, it happened right in my own back yard.

As far back as I can remember, I've heard the old folks say that one shouldn't kill a black snake. My dad always said that black snakes kill rats and mice, and more importantly, other poisonous snakes. Black snakes are good snakes.

Until last week, however, as far as I was concerned, the only good snake was a dead one, regardless of its color. To me, the opinions of the old folks were merely myth.

That's changed. I was sitting on my back

porch talking with a neighbor who was standing on my deck when, in the corner of my eye, I caught an unusual movement on the little hill that falls steeply down into my back yard.

"What in the world is that, Frank?" I asked him. He turned around just as a tangle of snake...one black, the other a copperhead... rolled onto the yard next to his feet.

Both snakes, obviously in mortal combat, were large, probably close to three feet in length. Keeping my wits about me, I grabbed a hoe that I keep handy just for such emergencies since I killed a black snake on my driveway a couple of months ago.

"Wait," Frank said, "let 'em alone for a minute."

At first it was difficult to tell, but it appeared that the black snake was getting the better of the copperhead. Frank and I, along with his son, Jason, and my wife, Wilma, (at least we had one credible witness) stood and watched and in about five minutes the copperhead began wriggling frantically and it looked as if it were about to break loose from the black snake's grip. It didn't, though, and as soon as the copperhead stopped moving, the black snake released its grip and slithered on back up the hill.

The copperhead was as dead as a doornail and so was the so-called myth that had been planted in the back of my mind more than 50 years ago by my father.

I'll kill no more black snakes.



Poison Oak
Clyde Pack

Families who find themselves short on food, don't have to go far for help in Floyd County. Thirteen pantries open their doors at least monthly (some open weekly or daily) to the communities that surround them.

Prestonsburg has two pantries. Feed My Sheep Food Pantry, sponsored by Town Branch Church, is located in the church's basement on Town Branch Road. The pantry is open on Wednesdays from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and serves people from South Prestonsburg, Town Branch, Goble Roberts, Highland Heights, South Lake Drive, Lancer, Corn Fork, and Route 80 from Water Gap to Bucks Branch, including Bull Creek. Contact persons are Tom and Earlene Nelson, 886-9286.

North Prestonsburg, Cliffside, Auxier, East Point, West Prestonsburg and Spurlock are served by Fishes and Loaves Food Pantry, located on University Drive in Prestonsburg behind St. James Episcopal Church. The pantry is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. during the last two full weeks of the month. Contact persons are Reverend and Mrs. Johnnie Ross, 886-8046. For emergencies after 5 p.m., call 886-9820. The pantry is sponsored by St. James Episcopal Church.

The Middle Creek Community Development Club Food Pantry, sponsored by the Middle Creek Community Development Club is located beside the Middle Creek Volunteer Fire Department building on Highway 114, eight miles west of Prestonsburg. It serves Bonanza, Brainard, Highway 114 from 404 to the Magoffin County line, Abbott Creek, the Left Fork of Abbott Creek and State Road Fork Monday through Friday, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., plus emergencies. Clients must be referred by the Food Stamp Office, a pastor, or another pantry or social service agency. The contact person is Milton Harvey, 886-1381.

St. Vincent Mission is located at David in the same building as David Appalachian Crafts. The mission serves Blue River, David, Eastern, Goodloe, Hippo, Langley, Manton, Pyramid and Stephen's Branch on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Clients are asked to call Sister Ida Marie Deville at 886-2513 before coming. When possible, emergencies will be taken care of on Mondays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Grigsby Heights, Warco Housing, West Garrett and Garrett are served by the Garrett Church of God Food Bank, located behind Bank Josephine in Garrett. The pantry serves the last Saturday of the month from 12 noon to 2 p.m. and will consider emergencies. Contact persons are: Deana, 358-2308; Glenda, 285-9766 and Tammy Bragg, 606-946-2341.

The Wayland United Methodist Church Food Pantry is located in the basement of the Wayland United Methodist Church in Wayland, next door to the old Wayland High School building. The pantry is open each Monday at 6 p.m. and serves Estill, Hueysville, Lackey,

Rock Fork, Salt Lick and Wayland. Contact persons are Genia Hall, 358-9328 (evenings only) and Gene DeCoursey, 358-4007.

Bevinsville, Bypro, Jack's Creek and Wheelwright are served by the Wheelwright

Creek Clinic Outreach, is located behind the Mud Creek Clinic at Grethel. The pantry is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. during the last week of the month. Contact person is Eula Hall, 587-1124, 587-2200, 587-2209 and 886-1242. The

pantry serves the west end of Harold bridge down Big Mud Creek (Highway 979) to Beaver, including Harold, Grethel, Galveston, and Teaberry; Little Mud (Highway 1426) to the Dana Post Office; Route 1426 (Amba to Pike County line); and Route 2030 through Honaker.

East Harold and Highway 23 South from Harold to the Pike County line (including Boldman) are served by Home Missions Evangelistic Food and Clothing Outreach. The pantry is sponsored by Christian Life Fellowship Church and is located in the church basement on Hurricane Creek Road. The pantry is open on the third Friday of the month from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Contact persons are: Pastor Terry W. Adkins and Robert Charles, 432-0965.

Bread of Life Food Pantry is sponsored by Betsy Layne Church of God, and is located at Boldman near the Boldman Freewill Baptist Church on the road parallel to Highway 23. The pantry serves Highway 23 North from Betsy Layne to Banner, including Justell, Pike-Floyd Hollow, Stanville, Mare Creek, Tram, Stratton Branch, Toms Creek, Prater Creek and Daniel's Creek on the third Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each month from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Clients are asked to call Shirley Paige, 478-4587 or Danny Caudill, 478-4043 before coming. For emergencies, call Danny Caudill at 478-4043 or 478-4004.

Landmark Church of God Food Pantry is located on Highway 1428 at Burchett's Storage beside Goble Lumber, 1583 Route 1428,

Prestonsburg. The pantry serves Highway 1428 from the red light in Allen to the four-way stop at Lancer, including Calf Creek, Cow Creek, Endicott and Sugar Loaf on the third Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each month from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Contact person is Monta Gail Burkett, 874-9266.

All the pantries will serve emergencies. Clients and referring agencies should call the numbers listed above. However, callers are encouraged to honor the pantry hours as much as possible. Most of the pantries are staffed by volunteers who have other jobs and commitments.

The pantries welcome donations. Clients are not charged for the food; however, the pantries buy most of the food they distribute. Donors should call the same numbers to make contributions.

The Floyd County Emergency Food and Shelter Board often discusses service areas and other food pantry issues at its meetings. The next board meeting is scheduled for 10 a.m. on Thursday, September 5 at St. Martha Catholic Church. For more information, call Gwen Hall at 874-9170.

Food pantries feed Floyd County's hungry

Baptist Center Food Pantry, sponsored by the Kentucky Baptist Convention. The pantry is located next door to Wheelwright Clinic at 1376 Ky. Route 306. Clients are served by appointment only and should contact Charles Wilson at 452-2051.

The Drift Food Pantry is sponsored by Christian Service Ministry and located at Drift Presbyterian Church. The pantry serves Drift, Hi Hat, Hunter, Ligon, Martin, Minnie, McDowell, Orkney, Melvin, Price, Printer, Salisbury and Weeksbury Monday through Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Please call Doreen Martin at 377-2342 before coming. For weekend emergencies, call her at 377-6266.

Christ United Methodist Church Food Bank, located in the old Methodist Church in Old Allen approximately one block from the former Allen Elementary School, is open on the second, third, fourth and fifth Wednesdays of the month from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Emergency requests are handled through the Christ United Methodist Church, 874-2344. The pantry serves Allen, Highway 1428 from Allen to Arkansas Creek, Arkansas Creek and Banner.

Mud Creek Food Pantry, sponsored by Mud

Ten Years Ago (September 3, 1986)

The state attorney general's investigation into Floyd County School System revealed that the 1986-87 year would begin \$402,236 in debt...The 21st annual Highland Folk Festival will begin Friday at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park...An accident on the Mountain Parkway over the Labor Day weekend killed Ivel resident Arnette Keathley Trimble and Mrs. Chessie Cornette, a Betsy Layne High teacher...The president of the Kentucky State Boards Association told a small Floyd group last week that local school districts needed to resolve their own problems rather than relying on intervention by state authorities...Joe Hopkins, 51, of Harold was convicted last week by a Magoffin County jury for the 1983 shooting of Gary Dean Keene, 31, of Shelbiana, Indiana...There died: Carlos Dean Blankenship, 45, of Weeksbury, Friday...Mrs. Daisy Hammonds McGuire, 85, of Allen, Friday...Mrs. Haley H. Webb, 97, of Langley, last Thursday...and Jamie Diane Newman, infant daughter of Diane Newman, of Hi Hat.

Twenty Years Ago (September 1, 1976)

An aftermath of the fatal stabbing of Gerald McBrayer at the Highlands Heights housing project in the Goble-Roberts Addition here, the night of August 23, was the filing last Friday by the Church Housing Association of a suit asking the circuit court for a temporary restraining order to prevent the attackers of the deceased from returning to the housing unit they have occupied or into the housing project premises...A deed to the

last acreage needed for full development of the recreational center near Allen has been received from the C. & O. Railway Company...It was announced this week that Town Center Plaza at Martin, the first housing complex built in Kentucky solely to serve the elderly, will entertain the public with open house next Sunday...The Jenny Wiley State Park Amphitheatre will be the setting for the

11th Annual Kentucky Highlands Folk Festival, which will be held this weekend...Married: Miss Jerri Kaye Richardson, of Betsy Layne, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Argus Richardson, of Betsy Layne, and Mr. Walter Robert Meek Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robert Meek, of King Addition in Paintsville, on July 10 at the Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist Church...There died: Robert (Bob) Campbell, 72, of Garrett, last Monday at the Highlands Regional Medical Center; Mrs. Mary Jane Akers Harris, 82, of Melvin; Claude Rowe, 81, of Langley, last Friday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

Thirty Years Ago (September 1, 1966)

The tax rate on Floyd County real estate and tangible properties was set Tuesday by the Floyd Fiscal Court at 13 1/2 cents per \$100 valuation...When the Floyd County Fair opens on Labor Day for an all-week stand at

Archer Park, it will occupy for the first time a permanent fairground...The number of Floyd County youngsters back in school at the opening of the term last week was 704 less than the total at this time last year...Floyd County's "wet" forces filed suit in Floyd Circuit Court last Thursday afternoon, in an effort to overturn the results of the July 27 local option election which "dry" forces won on the face of returns by 85 votes...There died: William E. Rose, 57, of Prestonsburg, last Thursday at a Lexington hospital; Mrs. Dockie Bell Loar George, 85, of Betsy Layne, last Tuesday at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Miss Ruth Fannin, 64, of Stanville, Sunday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital.

Forty Years Ago (August 30, 1956)

One of Floyd County's 10 major schools—Betsy Layne—failed to open for actual business this week for the want of teachers...The second moonshine still destroyed by officers in the Left Fork of Bull Creek section in a two-week period was found Saturday morning, and later its alleged owner surrendered to authorities here...Floyd County's is one of four school districts in Kentucky which this school term will receive in state aid under the Minimum Foundation Program more than \$1,000,000, figures released last Wednesday

show...The number of visitors at Dewey Lake during the first seven months of this year showed a decided drop from figures for the corresponding period in 1955...As County Judge Henry Stumbo and members of the fiscal court burned last Thursday \$66,000 worth of bonds paid off this year, Floyd County caught a glimpse of daylight beyond the shadow of heavy bonded indebtedness that has hung over it for so many years...Married: Miss Barbara Kay Reed, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. Harry Burke Jr., of Bonanza, August 19 in the Prestonsburg Methodist Church...There died: Branch Whitaker, 72, at the home of a daughter, here; Rev. William N. Jones, 74, of Wheelwright, August 18 at a Virgie hospital; Allen Ousley, 72, of Dock, August 17 at a Paintsville hospital; Drew Spears, 65, of Endicott, Tuesday in the Prestonsburg General Hospital.

Fifty Years Ago (August 29, 1946)

Floyd County's decision to terminate the wet-dry issue will be held Monday, September 30, as requested by some 4,500 persons who signed the petition filed in Floyd County Court...Preparations are being completed this week by representatives of District 30, United Mine Workers of America, for the Labor Day entertainment here next Monday of an expected 20,000 persons...Three Wayland youths, one a war veteran, are dead of injuries sustained Friday night in an automobile wreck near Pikeville...Development of a vast area of coal lands, via Wayland, is predicted as a result

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Our Yesterdays

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

Society News

David Hereford
Society Editor
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Hall-Wilks wedding

Lisa Dawn Hall and Robert Shawn Wilks were united in marriage, Saturday evening, August 24, at the Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church.

Lisa is the daughter of Colleen Hall and the late Willie Hall of Wheelwright.

Robert is the son of Robert and Phyllis Wilks of Hippo.

The First Annual Relay for Life last Friday and Saturday at the Prestonsburg Community College walking track.

Refreshments, entertainment, live radio broadcasting and several contests added to the event.

A large group took part in this very worthy cause.

Friends of the May House meet

The August meeting of the Friends of the Samuel May House met Thursday night, August 22, at the Prestonsburg Community College. President Robert Perry presided at the business session. Bids for renovation of the house have been awarded and work will start in late August or early September.

There was a discussion of the up-coming Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival and the role the group should play during the festival. All citizens and especially Floyd Countians are urged to take a part in saving this old home.

Visits from North Carolina

John Lawson from Dobson, North Carolina, was here last week visiting his mother, Elsie Lawson of Drift and other family and friends.

Kiwaniannes meet

The Prestonsburg Kiwaniannes met Thursday for their monthly luncheon-meeting at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. Members present were Dorothy Osborne, Hope Whitten, Margaret Collins, Minerva Cooley and Mable Jean LeMaster.

Vacation in Tennessee

Don and Maxine Goble of the Auxier Road spent several days in Gatlinburg, Tennessee, last week and celebrated their 43rd wedding anniversary.

They also visited with her niece, Karen Lafferty of Sevierville. Karen is a former resident of Prestonsburg and the daughter of the late Jess and Mabra Dean Lafferty.

Historical society meets

The Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society met Monday night, August 19, at the Floyd County Library.

President Jim Daniels presided. Business matters discussed were donations of materials needed to complete the old City Hall-Fire Station which will be the new home of the Society; Membership Drive; the Society publication and participation in the Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival in October.

Members present were Fred and Joy James, William and Janet Rowe, Marshall Davidson, Robert Perry, John K. and Frances Pitts, Bobby Wells, Jim and Bertha Daniels, Betsy Lambert, Aileen Hall, Russell Whitlock and Brenda

McKenzie.

The group hopes to increase its membership to 250 members by the end of the year.

Visit from Texas

Mrs. William E. (Jerre) Allen of Leander, Texas, is here visiting her mother, Jess Mahan and mother-in-law, Mable Allen.

Visits in Tennessee

Walter, Arnita and Nena Snavelly of Prestonsburg and Wilma Messer of East Point, spent last weekend in Harrogate, Tennessee visiting Charles Snavelly and family.

While there, they attended the Baptist Church in Tazewell, Tennessee, for the baptismal service of Charles and Shari Snavelly and son, Christopher.

Pioneer festival committee meets

The Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival met Monday night, August 19, at the Prestonsburg City Hall.

Donna B. Wells, Chairperson presided.

A schedule of events, time and place, have been finalized. Several new events have been made, including a Boat Show and reception for out-of-town guests.

Committee members present were Sue Webb, Donna Wells, Fred James, Nancy Roberts, Elizabeth Miller, Gale McClure, Carol Sparks, Norm Marcum, Orville Cooley, Carol Combs, Priscilla and Arliss Sammons, Helene Branham and guests, Emma Crook, Becky Justice and Carolyn Varney.

Twins have birthday

Brooke and Reagan Osborne celebrated their second birthday with a party at their home on Neeley Street, Prestonsburg, last week. They are the twin daughters of John and Tina Osborne. Helping them celebrate were great-grandparents, Ernest and Dora Osborne; grandmothers, Rita Campbell and Nadine Vance; great aunt Jane Bond; aunt Rachel Griffith; cousins, Amber and Kristin Griffith and several of their little friends.

Visits in Winchester

Eileen Burchett of Prestonsburg, visited with her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Tommy and Cindy Burchett and family in Winchester last week.

Attends state fair

Ron Hayes, park ranger at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park was host at the Commonwealth of Kentucky information booth last week at the Kentucky State Fair in Louisville.

Celebrates first birthday

Tate Goble celebrated his first birthday with a party at the picnic shelter at Archer Park on August 18. "Winnie the Pooh" was the

theme of the decorations and cake. A large group of his little friends helped him celebrate.

Tate is the son of Michael and Crystal Goble of Prestonsburg and the grandson of Mike and Judy Goble of Auxier and Verldon and Loretta Thornsby of Blue River.

Attend concert

Beverly Goble, Anne Howard, Rose Price, Dianna Reed, Linda Lamer and Jane Bond attended the Michael Bolton concert at the Kentucky State Fair and Exposition Center in Louisville last week.

While there they visited with Mrs. Bond's daughter, Holly.

Jenny Wiley AARP, 3528 conducts dinner meeting

The dinner meeting for the month of August of Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP), was held Friday, August 16, in the new medical facility of Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Sylvia Allen, president of the Chapter, conducted the meeting.

Orville Cooley opened the meeting with prayer and led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

The president, Mrs. Allen, announced the resignation of Mary DeRossett as secretary of the Chapter, and James E. Goble was appointed to serve in that office.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and the treasurer's report was given.

Those members having birthdays in August were recognized, and new members were welcomed.

The matter of a Fifty-Five Alive driving course was discussed, and several members expressed the desire to attend. Ted Stumbo reported that a class would be held when a sufficient number of participants was reached.

New member, Dee Burchett, introduced Glen Jones, owner of Little Sandy Tours, and he reported that several tours of interest to the Senior Citizen were planned, including a trip to Myrtle Beach and Country Christmas at Opryland. Contact Dee Burchett at 285-3623, for more details.

The president, Mrs. Allen, reported that she had called our Legislators regarding the Health Care bill which was passed recently, and that she had received replies from each of them. These included Mr. Rogers, Mr. Ford and Mr. McConnell.

Ted Stumbo dismissed the meeting with prayer.

The next meeting of the Chapter will be Friday, September 20, at 5:30 p.m. at the medical facility.

Present for the meeting were: L. J. and Sylvia Allen, Elizabeth Little, Arnold and Ruth Moore, Flem and Sina Blanton, Margie Sue Osborne, Buretta Moore, Toots Parsley, Dee Burchett, Burieta Gearhart, Orville Cooley, F. R. and Eulavene Conn, E. H. "Ted" and Marlene Stumbo, James E. and Marie Goble, Earnest Hayes, and Glen Jones.

Chaffins celebrate

50th anniversary

Nerva and Kelly Chaffins had an 50th anniversary Friday, August 16.

All the family, three children and six grandchildren had supper at the Jenny Wiley Lodge to celebrate their 50th anniversary, the couple was presented a large cake, and gifts for both.



50th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Zemo will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary by their children with an open house celebration, Saturday, August 31, at the Floyd County Extension Service, located across the street from Carter-Hughes Toyota on South Lake Drive in Prestonsburg. The open house will be held from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

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For The Record

Property transfers

David Martin to Interstate Natural Gas Company, property at Jack's Creek; Ruth S. Reynolds to Williams James Reynolds III, Patricia Ann Reynolds, Joyce Reynolds Blackburn, and Ethan Wade Reynolds Blackburn, quitclaim deed, property location not listed; Geraldine Short Grizzell to Bryan K. Grizzell, and Stanley A. Grizzell, property on Abbott Creek; Charles Gray and Faye Gray to John R. Dixon and Carol E. Dixon, property at Lancer;

James E. Vanderpool and Clara May Vanderpool to Dolvin Ratliff and Charlene Ratliff, property on Salt Lick Creek; Virgie Jones to Dolvin Ratliff and Charlene Ratliff, property on Salt Lick Creek; Mack Denzil Kidd and Lola Mae Kidd to Costain Coal Inc., property on Big Branch and Prater Creek; Mack Denzil Kidd Jr., and Easter May Kidd to Costain Coal Inc., property on Big Branch of Little Mud Creek;

May Trucking Company Inc. to Dale F. Lusk and Judith A. Lusk, property on Middle Creek; Monroe Newsome and Irma Darlene Newsome to Claude Howell, property location not listed; Jane Herald and John Arnold Herald, Susan Music and James David Music to John David Herald, property at Auxier; Jane Herald and John Arnold Herald, Susan Music and James David Music to Susan Music, property at Auxier; Jane Herald and John Arnold Herald, and Susan Music and James David Music to Jane Herald, property at Auxier; Gordon Williams, Betty Carol Williams, Dorothy Burchett, Anna Angel, Verlia Pearman and Willard Pearman, Gladys I. Doane, Helen D. Lucas, Vicki Sanders, Terry Sanders, Sandra Thomas, Mike Thomas, Barbara Calhoun, William Calhoun, Marie Burgess, and Ruby Lockwood to Reka Burchett and Sanford Burchett, property location not listed;

Gordon Williams, Betty Carol Williams, Dorothy Burchett, Anna Angel, Verlia Pearman and Willard Pearman, Gladys I. Doane, Helen D. Lucas, Vicki Sanders, Terry Sanders, Sandra Thomas, Mike Thomas, Barbara Calhoun, William Calhoun, Marie Burgess, and Ruby Lockwood to Reka Burchett and Sanford Burchett, property location not listed; William T. Foley and Pauline Foley to M & M Enterprises, mineral deed, property on Buffalo Creek of Johns Creek; Vondell and Shirley Shepherd to Elmer Shepherd, property location not listed; Virginia Mae Wright Webb to Kenneth Earl Webb, warranty deed, property location not listed; Paul E. Castle and Ruth Ann Castle to Carey Ann Moore, property on Right Beaver Creek near Eastern;

John T. Hill and Curly L. Hill to Russell D. Howell and Shelia C. Howell, property at Abbott Creek; A. V. Smith to William E. Smith, property at Wheelwright; Loretta Picklesimer to Kenneth R. Adkins and Rachel C. Adkins, property on Pin Hook Branch, Harold; Larry Dean Watson and Brenda Watson to Shadery Watson and Betty Watson, property at Betsy Layne; Blanche Justice to C. R. Hatton, property in

St. Lambert, property at Bull Creek; Samuel M. Leslie and Gracie Leslie to Muriel Leslie Conway and Jerome Conway, property at Emma; Jack Eddie Conn to Barbara C. Bow, property on Big Mud and Little Mud Creek; Bebe Conn to Barbara J. Conn Bow and Stephen H. Conn, property at Big Mud Creek; Roger L. Compton and Linda Compton to William S. Compton, property at Beaver Creek; United Companies Lending Corporation to Roger Nelson and Sandy Nelson, property at Martin; Ricky Lee Music to Edward L. Shepherd and Sadie Shepherd, property location not listed;

John M. Branham and Loraine Branham to Farrish T. Bradley Jr., and Sunshine R. Bradley, property at Abbott Creek; Jackie Moore to Crystal D. Newsome and Kermit Newsome, property at Frasure's Creek, McDowell; Paul Conn and Edna Conn to Leonard Hall and Bulavene Hall, property at Harold; Mattie Jones to Manis Jones Jr., and Sharon Jones, property location not listed.

tion room floor has rugs in several places. Can opener blade needs more routine and intensive cleaning and sanitizing. One light in ventilation hood burned out.

Gas and Go Inc. and Happy Mart, Harold, 82 in deli and 91 in retail: Critical violation. Pizza rolls being held at 115°F. Entire facility has numerous flies (very bad fly problem). All employees have been advised to keep all foods and food equipment covered and to sanitize food and nonfood contact surfaces as often as possible until fly problem has been corrected.

All employees must have a current food handler's permit. Owner has ten days to correct critical violations.

Other violations: Proper hair restraints not being used. Can opener blade in need of more intensive cleaning and sanitizing. Also food contact surface of equipment and utensils being contaminated by numerous flies in the facility. Non food contact surfaces also being contaminated by flies. Rugs on floor in food preparation area. Purse observed stored with food equipment. No soap in men's rest room.

2:44 p.m. — EMS run to Adams Middle School.

5:00 p.m. — Electrical fire. Caller advised that an electric wire fell and burned a hole in the roof of a residence on University Drive.

10:41 p.m. — Disturbance call at Prestonsburg Inn.

August 23
12:20 a.m. — Report of an accident without injuries at Advance Auto Parts.

3:42 p.m. — EMS run to Dr. Minix's office.

10:11 p.m. — EMS run to county jail. Caller advised that a female prisoner fell over. Not sure what was wrong with the prisoner.

August 24
12:18 a.m. — Caller advised that three subjects had forced her from her car.

8:51 p.m. — Caller reported someone burning garbage at Cliffside Apartments.

11:49 p.m. — Caller advised he had caught subject who had been breaking into vehicles at Center Stage.

August 25
3:58 a.m. — EMS run to Prestonsburg Village. Female subject having seizure at Super 8 Motel.

7:21 p.m. — Caller reported a disturbance at a residence in West Side.

Dispatch Logs

August 19

1:44 a.m. — Structure fire. Caller advised that a house one-half mile on Big Branch of Bull Creek was on fire.

7:11 a.m. — Caller advised that the front door had been pried open and the back door was still open at Lee's Famous Recipe.

4:06 p.m. — Caller reported that someone had attempted to break into Kentucky Fried Chicken and damaged the drive-thru window.

9:53 p.m. — Caller advised that a female subject had pulled her pants down in Foodland parking lot.

August 20

1:25 p.m. — Caller reported that an intoxicated person stopped at SuperAmerica on North Lake Drive.

5:10 p.m. — Prestonsburg Police Department received a request to assist the Floyd County Sheriff's Department on South Lake Drive.

5:48 p.m. — Caller advised that a male subject put a .357 in his face and threatened to kill him.

August 21

10:58 a.m. — Report of an accident with injuries on South Lake Drive.

3:05 p.m. — EMS run to Margaret Street. Caller advised that a female subject was in labor.

3:09 p.m. — Caller advised that traffic was splashing water on windows which she had just washed yesterday.

3:11 p.m. — Report of an accident with injuries in front of Gordies.

10:29 p.m. — Caller reported three intoxicated drivers leaving Cliffside Apartments.

August 22

1:36 a.m. — Caller advised that several vehicles had been broken into at Center Stage.

10:14 a.m. — Report of an accident with injuries on Highland Plaza.

Hat;

Melissa Carol Ousley, 26, of Blue River and Roger Michael Little, 24, of Blue River;

Crystal G. McGown, 19, of Printer and Shawn M. Leslie, 18, of Printer; Misty D. Noble, 17, of McDowell and Randy E. Adams,

18, of Weeksbury;

Terry L. Spurlock, 28, of Printer and Richard P. Love Jr., 36, Royalton; Kavanna C. Fite, 35, of Carlisle and William M. Donovan, 47, of Prestonsburg; Christina M. Lewis, 19, of Lexington and Roger D. Stephens, 23, of Lexington.

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Yesterdays

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of a filing by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company of an application for a permit from the Interstate Commerce Commission to build 25 miles of railway from Wayland through the undeveloped areas...Tom DeRossett, 26, of Allen is in critical condition at Beaver Valley Hospital as a result of a bullet wound received Monday afternoon at Allen...J. T. Hughes, owner of the Hughes Motor Company at Allen, was slightly injured and the light plane he was flying was badly wrecked in a forced landing near Allen this afternoon (Thursday)...Married: Miss Bernice Hall, of Bypro, and Mr. Paul Nidiffer, of McRoberts, August 24 at Wheelwright...There died: George Pow, 69, Wednesday at his home at Wayland; Mrs. Clarcy Hall, 78, here Tuesday at the home of her son, Russell Hall; Mrs. Marjorie Wilson, 42, of Martin, at the Gearheart Hospital, Martin, August 23.

Sixty Years Ago (August 26, 1936)

Governor A. B. Chandler Monday handed out the first of Kentucky's old-age pension checks to a part of the group of 109 persons to whom the checks had been issued by State Treasurer John E. Buckingham...William Thomas Dingus, 26, of Prestonsburg, was shot and almost instantly killed Tuesday morning at a farmhouse near Higgensport,

Ohio...Immediate action by local officials to enforce strict compliance with the new driver's license act will meet with the approval of the Department of Revenue, the Department of Motor Vehicles announced today...Misleading reports of work opportunities as a result of the drought relief appropriations brought approximately 150 men from various sections of the county to Prestonsburg Tuesday to apply for employment...Floyd Post 129, American Legion, will sponsor a picnic at the grounds of the Abbott Heights Golf Course, Sunday... H. H. Wheeler, president of the Sandy Valley Grocery Company, here, announced the purchase by his firm of the Cash and Carry Wholesale Company at Louisa...Married: Miss Geneva Clark, of Auxier, and Mr. Russell Harmon, of Prestonsburg, here August 16; Miss Pauline Adams, of Cliff, and Mr. B. F. Collins, of Hellier, Saturday at Pikeville...There died: John Hunter, 79, of Honaker, August 18; the eight-week-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Elige Collins, of Harold, Saturday night; Lewis Thomas Jarrell, 74, at his home at Emma, August 18; the eight-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Illie Rakes, of Drift, Tuesday night at the Beaver Valley Hospital at Martin; the six-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Slone, Wednesday, at the Slone residence here.



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Births

HIGHLANDS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

August 14: A daughter, Krista Renee, to Shirley Lenada Renee and Edward Allan Spradlin of Denver; a son, Caleb Alec Dean, to Deana Faye and Derwin Lee Combs of Hindman; a daughter, Samantha Lane Blair, to Patricia Rose Meade of Oil Springs.

August 15: A son, Alexis Brooke, to Cynthia Eve and Tracy Tackett of Salyersville; a son, Joshua David, to Bernette and Michael David Hinkle of Warfield; a son, Brayden Lee, to Mona L. and Kevin Runyon of Inez; a daughter, Courtney Marie Dawn, to June Amanda and Jimmy Collins of Topmost; a son, Austyn Reid, to Regan Nichole and Darren Jeffrey Turner of Hindman; a son, Wiley Ryan Dwayne Adams, to Stefanie Ann Holliday of Salyersville; a son, Kyle Ray, to Cathy Ann and Kenny Ray Cole of Salyersville; a son, Austin Wesley, to Lona and Charlie Fulford of Prestonsburg.

August 16: A son, Wesley Shane, to Crystal G. Music of Blue River; a son, Kendall Blake, to Jamie Sue and Jerry Lynn Taylor of Salyersville.

August 17: A daughter, Tiffany Lashae, to Stephanie Lynn Burkett of Prestonsburg; a son, Tyler Ryan, to Valerie Maxine and Bobby Joe Back of Edna.

August 18: A son, Austin Blake, to Amy E. and Gary C. Combs of Van Lear.

August 19: A son, Tony Dwayne Fletcher, to Loretta Lynn Perkins of Salyersville.

August 20: A daughter, Alexis Paige, to Sherry Lynn and Paul Cecil Hitchcock of Staffordsville; a son, Justin Ryan, to Tammy Faye Stoton of Inez.

August 21: A son, Joshua Micheal, to JoMarie and Robert Duchnowski Sr. of Salyersville.

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July 24: A son, Tyler Dwayne Hamilton, to April Denise Akers and Stevie Darrell Hamilton.

July 25: A son, Zackery Patton, to Tonya Suzette Corder and Robert Derek Sykes; a son, Nathan Chase Mullins, to Judy Ann King and Tony Edward Mullins; a daughter, Sarah Lynn, to Mary

Lynn and David Wayne Hampton; twins, Joshua Evan and James Ethan Gunner Cooker, to Brooke Wogomon and Joshua Joe Cooper.

July 26: A daughter, Jilleanah-Rashell, to Kelly Lynn and B.L. Blackburn; a son, Jordan O'Neal, to Kimberly Sue and Michael Johnson; a son, Austin Dewayne Burchett, to Connie Lou Casebolt.

July 27: A son, Austin James Logsdon, to Sharlene Stapleton; a daughter, Dedra Nicole, to Kimberly Ann and Terry Dwayne Kilgore.

July 28: A son, Codie Lee Moore, to Zelda Shawn Slone.

July 29: A son, Arnold Ryan, to Sherry Leigh and Tolvey Abshire Jr.; a son, Austin Dwayne, to Cathy Lynn and Dorse Dewayne Sullivan.

July 30: A son, Bruce Dalton, to Vicki Lou and Larry Bruce Hatfield; a son, Larry Mitchell, to Melissa Ann and Larry Dale Wolford.

July 31: A son, Kain Douglas, to Salina Renee and Douglas Cole; a daughter, Olivia Brooke, to Melissa and Fred Belcher, a daughter, Bailey Rose Little, to Connie Sue Owens and Enos Eugene Little.

August 1: A daughter, Kayla Renee, to Angela Renee and Gary Lewis Morley; a daughter, Haley Elizabeth, to Leah Minnie and Jackie Shane Johnson; a daughter, Maecie Lee-Ann, to Teresa Lynn and Ralph Alvin Rollins; a son, Keven Dashawn, to Tara Elaine

and Arthur Deshawn Redford; a son, Shane Allen, to Heather Renee and Steven Allen Akers; a daughter, Shannon Labrock, to Clara Jean and Reford Todd Billiter.

August 2: A son, Nathaniel Dean, to Melissa Lynn and Earl Dean Adkins; a son, Austin Joseph, to Avaleen and Randy Joe Adams.

August 3: A daughter, Kersti Michelle, to Michelle Lynn and Terry Ray Hunt.

August 4: A son, Caleb Morgan, to Martha Cheryl and Donnie Ray Crouch; a daughter, Bethany Nichole, to Robin Bethany and Jeffery Darren Wood.

August 5: A daughter, Allison Hope, to Jennifer Kay and Gary Dwayne Thacker; a son, Mack Tyler, to Lauri Ann and Paul David Little; a son, James William Dalton, to Sandra Renee and Jimmy Dale Estep; a daughter, Katrillya Dashai Hackworth, to Morhonda Gay Hamilton.

August 6: A son, Chandler Reese, to Karra Leigh and Gregory Allen Frederick; a daughter, Carrigan Bess, to Kristie Sabrina and Timothy Joseph Maynard.

August 8: A son, Braxton Bennett Tibbs, to Angela Renee and Douglas Bennett Tibbs; a son, Joseph Scott, to Shelby Ann and Jimmy Chaffins; a daughter, Alicia Dawn, to Vikki Leigh and Lester Junior Hoover; a daughter, Tamara Ann, to Melanie Lynn and Jason Lowell Ray; a son, Johnathan

Michael, to Joanie and Sam Barnett.

August 9: A son, Matthew Gary, to Ruby Jean and Gary Douglas Ramey; a son, Christopher David, to Tammy Rachelle and David Thomas Bower; a daughter, Charity Breann, to Angela Deann and Nicky Neil Slone; a son, Toby Cameron, to Kimberly and Tommy Tackett; twins, Cody Alan Sullivan and Tyler Blake Sullivan, to Melyssa Beth Sykes and Eric James Sullivan.

August 10: A daughter, Brittany Nicole Bray, to Addie Mae Miller and Troy Gene Bray; a daughter, Josi Brooke, to Debra Jo and Billy Joe Estep; a son, Jesse Shon Leathers, to Stephanie Leigh Thacker and Barry Shon Leathers.

August 11: A son, Bradley William, to Mary Elizabeth and Ronald Coleman.

August 12: A son, Steven Michael Bradley, to Mural Ann and Steve Edward Lewis Silvers.

August 13: A son, Garrett David Fannin, to Angel Bedina Coots and Mark David Fannin.

August 14: A daughter, Quanesha Monique Little, to Lillian Merchant and Stevie Reed Little; a daughter, Breanna Danielle, to Angela Kay and Clifford Brian Tussey.

August 16: A daughter, Joanna Chaffins, to Terri Crum; a daughter, Tierra Dawn, to Lynetta Dawn and Sammy Joe McCown; a son,

Dalton Elvis, to Laura and Elvis Dean Thacker.

August 17: A son, Jordan Ray Stewart, to Merita Michelle McKinney and Jimmy Ray Stewart; a son, Jonathan Russell, to Crystal Louise and Billie Joe Bryant.

August 18: A daughter, Brittany Paige Sellards, to Christia Earlene McCoy; a daughter, Paula Renee Duty, to Loretta Renee and Brian Everett Hurley.

August 19: A daughter, Makayla Cheyenne, to Jenny Ann and Terry Lynn Peace.

August 20: A daughter, Makayla Lee, to Karen Kaye and Billy James Bartley; a son, Collin Lee, to Melissa Dawn Mullins; a daughter, Madison Lynn, to Amanda Lynn and Allen Keith Stump; a daughter, Jessica Breanne, to Shannon Leah and Clifford Douglas Triplett; a son, Dakota Lee, to Shelia Renee and Tracy Lee Schwerin.



Birth announced

Tyler Devan Blade Brown, was born August 1, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. He weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and was 19 inches long. He is the grandson of Edgel and Glenna Brown of Garrett, and great-grandson of Mary Daniels of Garrett, and the late Serge Daniels. He was welcomed home by his family members: Kathy B. Allen and Guy Brown, both of Garrett; Chris Brown of Avilla, Indiana; Josh, Ashley, and Kiley Allen, and Kari Brown and Kayla Brown.



Kari Lynn Watkins

Announces birth

Brenda and Dale Watkins of Wayland, announce the birth of their daughter, Kari Lynn, on August 2, at 3:57 p.m., at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She weighed 8 lbs., 3 oz. and was 19 1/2" long.

Maternal grandparents are Berniece Scott of Garrett and the late James Scott.

Paternal grandparents are Roger and Mary Watkins of Wayland.

Weddings



Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Combs

Wed in Gatlinburg

Teresa Garrett Sipple, daughter of Joe H. and Gertie Garrett of Prestonsburg, and Timothy Kyle Combs, son of the late J.B. Combs, and Carl and Lillian Angles of New Port Richey, Florida, were married Friday, August 2, at 5:30 p.m. at Sugarland Wedding Chapel in Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

The double-ring candlelight ceremony was performed by Rev. Ray Morris. Music selected was "Because You Loved Me," "Love Will Keep Us Alive," and "The Traditional Wedding March."

The bride was given in marriage by Carl Angles. The bride wore a floor-length ivory gown with ivory and silver beads on the

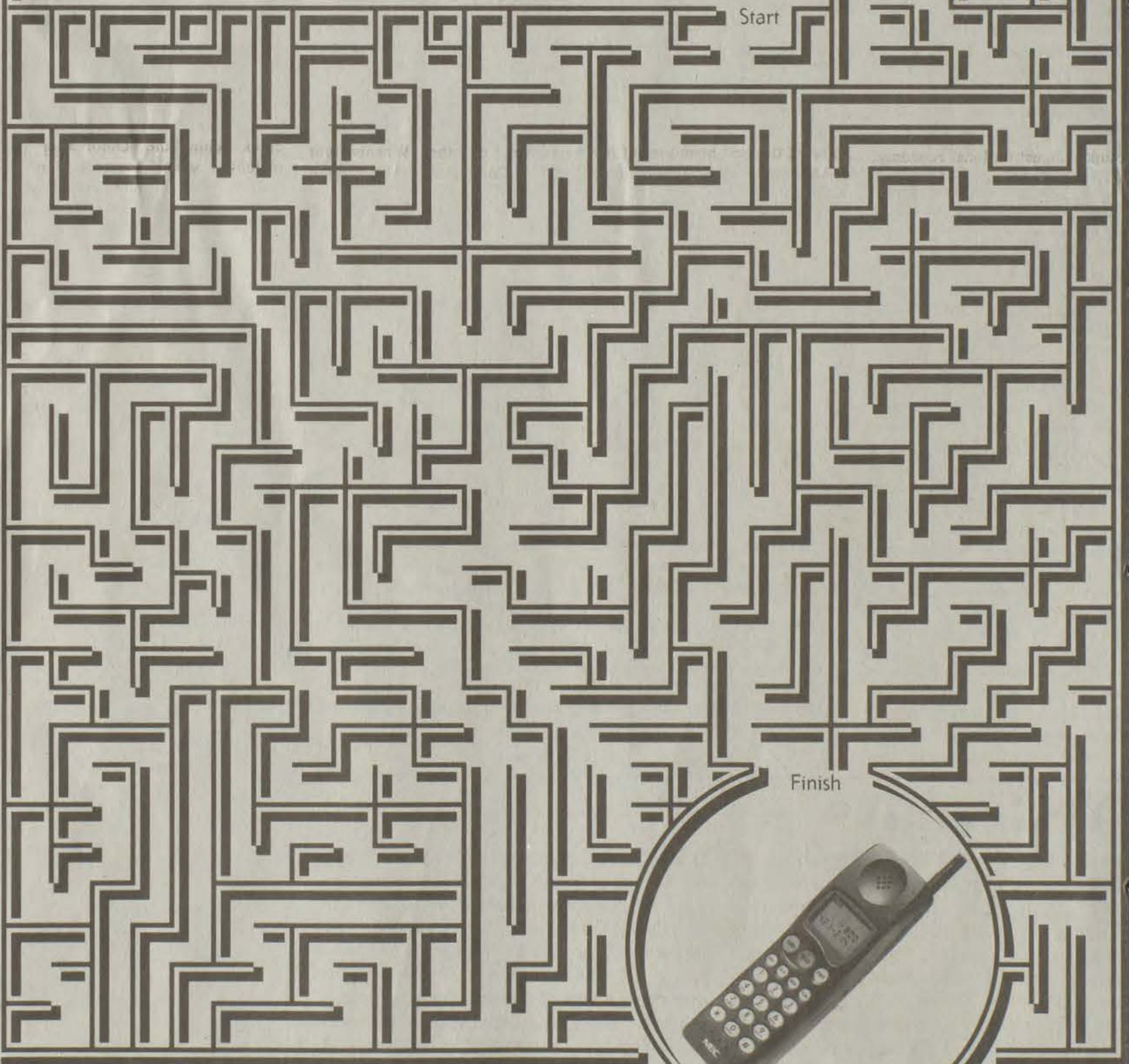
neckline and bodice with a tiara-style veil made of ivory beads and pearls. The bride's bouquet was ivory tiger lilies and burgundy roses accented with burgundy and ivory heather.

Brenda Rice served as matron of honor. Kim Scalf and Stephanie Goble served as bridesmaids. Both wore tea length, burgundy satin dresses and carried arm bouquets which matched the bride's. Neil Rice served as best man.

The reception was held at the Open Hearth Restaurant in Gatlinburg with many friends and family attending.

After a honeymoon in a chalet in the Smokey Mountains, the couple will reside in Prestonsburg.

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On the Warpath, Part 2

Indians filtered in from the north in 1781 as the winter ended and with the onset of spring. They attacked pioneer cabins and settlements near the Falls, the area where Louisville is now located.

In April, the Indians caused unrest at Squire Boone's Station causing the residents to abandon the site before spring planting. This was just the opportunity the Indians wanted, and opportunity to catch the settlers when they were most vulnerable. The attention of Boone and the others was divided among the cattle, property and wagons in addition to the women and children.

The Indians struck with a massive force at Long Run. Squire Boone was one of many who were severely wounded. Several were killed while others were kidnapped. The result couldn't have been much worse for Boone's residents.

Col. Floyd assembled a party of 25 men who attempted to overtake the Indians and rescue their hostages. Included in the number was Captain Samuel Wells with whom Floyd was continually at odds. The party was led into a trap set by over 100 Indians and suffered heavy losses. With their great advantage in numbers and position, the Indian's confidence led them to mount a tomahawk attack. Eighteen of the rescue party were killed. Seeing there was no chance to fight off the Indians, Col. Floyd and the others attempted to escape.

Three Indians attacked Col. Floyd who had no chance to escape with his life until Captain Wells shot one of them through the breast and warded off another with a fierce blow from his rifle butt. The third Indian wanted no part of Wells without assistance from his fellow braves so Floyd and Wells were able to escape. The Indians were content to remain behind and take booty and scalps from the dead men.

The Indian party split up into smaller groups then and attacked various settlements in the county of Kentucke which was part of the Virginia Commonwealth. They also watched the trails closely to find unwary settlers to prey upon.

The following month they watched McAfee's Station before spotting Samuel McAfee and a fellow worker leaving to work in the nearby fields with Samuel's younger brothers lagging far behind. When the two were nearly a quarter-mile from the settlement, the Indians fired on them. Samuel immediately turned and ran back to the settlement while his comrade lay

dead from a bloody bullet wound to the head. Samuel's brothers ran back into the fort except for Robert, who stood and watched.

Samuel noticed a lone Indian stationed between him and the fort. His only hope to reach the safety of the fort was through that position. He raised his rifle and fired just as the Indian fired. Luckily for McAfee the Indian's gun flashed (misfired) while his shot killed his nemesis. Leaping across the Indian's body the young man ran to the fort.

"I want to see the dead Injun," Robert told Samuel as he neared the fort.

"Get back inside, Robert, "his older brother ordered him. "There's more Indians out there."

Samuel thought Robert took his advice and was following along behind him, but as he entered the fort he looked back and saw his brother. Robert had gone further into the field and was staring at the motionless figure of the fallen Indian. He became frightened and started to run back to the fort when five braves jumped in front of him. He immediately increased his speed as he attempted to skirt their position. The five Indians darted after him. Robert, his life at risk, ran like a broken-field runner. He eluded all but one before jumping across a paling fence and falling to the ground not more than twenty yards from the fort.

Just as the Indian started to waylay Robert, his older brother fired a shot from the fort. The bullet claimed the Indian's life. Robert sprang up and ran for the gate of the fort as the remaining Indians sent bullets all around him.

Upset at the turn of events the Indians killed the cattle before vanishing into the woods.

Soon thereafter, Colonel McGary and his troops arrived from Harrodsburg and gave chase, overtaking the Indians. Several of the braves were killed while a small number escaped in different directions as they took to their heels.

Yet the marauding Indians continued their attacks on many fronts as settlers abandoned isolated defenseless forts for the safety of garrisons.

Editor's note: George Rogers Clark returns in Jadon's From the Mountains next week in the Floyd County Times.

*Jadon Gibson is a widely read Appalachian writer from Harrogate, TN. His writings are both historical and nostalgic in nature.

FROM THE MOUNTAINS by Jadon Gibson



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Think About It

THE BURNING BUSH

Every now and then my friend, Doug, will come over and we will sit around and talk about the old days. Since we are both 20 the old days usually consists of mostly grade school talk, but it is just as noble as "old man talk," for which we are both currently in training.

Recently, the discussion turned to a tradition we kept for nearly two years. We called it the burning bush, but it was really a thorn bush about the size of a small pickup. It had been planted outside the band room and, after practice, Doug and I would sit on the rail and catch unsuspecting victims and throw them in. Of course, once they got out, we got ours, too; but it was a manly thing back then to go back to class with slash marks crossing your arms, so none of us really minded.

The burning bush died out during the winter months and so our attention turned to the rail that ran along the gym. During the winter the rail would always have an inch or two of pure ice covering it. This made for an excellent battle zone. Two of us would hop onto the rail and go head-to-head, kind of the way they do it on American Gladiators today, except we didn't have a cushiony fall if defeated, we had cold, hard concrete. The rail game became so popular that we combined it with the burning bush, and started having the matches directly over top of the huge thorn bush. At the end of the day it was hard to tell who was the proudest, the boys who didn't have a mark on them or the boys who looked like John Wayne after about 50 street fights.

Looking back on it now, it seemed like it was a crazy thing to do, but it kept us out of any real trouble. At least we didn't try burning the train tunnel down during the eighth-grade dance like the Packard brothers. But that's not to say that the games didn't cause their fair share of trouble. I once threw my friend's Ghostbuster lunchbox into the creek behind the school after a match in which I smacked my shin on the rail and ended up crawling out of the burning bush. It was actually a freak accident, but I didn't tell him that. He

shouldn't have been carrying a Ghostbusters lunchbox in the eighth grade anyway.

Doug told me that he got a call the other day from one of the boys with whom we used to do battle during school. He said the guy had clipped a branch off the burning bush just after graduation

and was keeping it safely in his freezer in a plastic bag.

I asked if the guy was senile or something.

"No," Doug explained, "I just don't think he has as good a memory as us."

Thank God, I have what little memory I do.

Anniversaries



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nidiffer

50th anniversary celebrated

Venice Nidiffer and Paul Nidiffer of Dearborn Heights, Michigan, celebrated their 50th anniversary on August 24. A dinner was given in their honor with family and friends and out-of-state relatives attending. The couple was presented a memory book, which they will fill out with their experiences for their grandchildren.

The couple's children and their spouses are Terry and Linda Nidiffer, of Garden City, Michigan; Ron and Denise Nidiffer, of Trenton, Michigan; and six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mr. Nidiffer retired from Ford Motor Company in Livonia, Michigan, and Mrs. Nidiffer retired from Beauty Palace Hair Salon in Taylor, Michigan.

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by Katie Newsome
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HEALTH CARE JOBS

The health care system has a definite impact on local economy. In Floyd County over 10 percent of the population is employed by health care providers—that includes hospitals, doctors' offices, pharmacies, ambulance service, medical rental equipment and many other business that overlap and intertwine to maintain the stability of our health care system.

Studies of rural health care have shown that health care dollars spent locally "roll-over" and is re-spent 1.5 to 2.5 times before leaving the community.

Research has established that for each new job in health care, .77 jobs are generated in other areas of the community—that means jobs at the local grocery store, service station, video shop, department store and other businesses.

The Community Initiated Decision Making (CIDM) Process is where you, the community identify, your major concerns with our current health care system. You as a community decide what you want and will support in a health care delivery system.

The people in the area know what they want and need in health care and can develop roles to meet those needs. Our community, hospital and health care providers will develop ongoing communication between the provider delivery system and the community—the consumer of health care.

Communication between the community and the health care providers is vital to both the people and the health care delivery system—WE NEED EACH OTHER TO SURVIVE!

Your health care—Your choice!

Alberta Rhea is enjoying her retirement tremendously! Spending time with her family and being involved with church and community makes this part of her life full and rewarding.

Very much a part of reaching out in the community, Alberta helps with the neighborhood elderly and also does volunteer work at the Job Corps Center.

She is no stranger to the health care system—she has worked at the Mud Creek Clinic, McDowell ARH, Our Lady of the Way Hospital and the Floyd County Health Department. She retired last year from McDowell ARH after 31 years in the nursing profession.

She has a special interest in helping to get a nursing home located in the Left Beaver Creek area. She believes in patient care, not only of the physical body, but

also ministering to the spiritual needs and comforting the person. Some of the best memories of her nursing career were with her home health patients when they chose to share their love of the Lord.

A graduate of Dunham High School at Jenkins, Alberta moved to Floyd County and graduated from Mayo State Vocational School at Paintsville, where she was licensed by the Kentucky State Board of Nursing to be a Licensed Practical Nurse.

She and husband, Alfred, celebrated 41 years of marriage this

past May. Alfred, too, is connected closely in the community; he is a member of the Wheelwright Utility Commission, sits on the Advisory Board for McDowell ARH and active with the South Floyd High School Athletic Club.

The Rhea's have five children and six grandchildren. They are members of the Lighthouse Temple Pentecostal Church and residents of Wheelwright. Anyone having questions, comments, opinions or concerns about the health care system in the area should call Alberta at 452-4174.



Retired nurse on health council

Community Encourager Katie Newsome designated Alberta Rhea as Community Health Council Member for the Wheelwright area.

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Martin area senior citizens hold meet

The Martin area Senior Citizens met August 15. The meeting opened with prayer, and was then called to order by President Dot Tiner. Roll call was taken with the following board members present: Edna Franklin, Ruth Daniels, Dorothy Tackett, Earit Hayes, Rick Caudill and Carla Boyd. There were 15 seniors present, along with Sandra, Doug Lawson and Bruce Coleman.

Minutes of the July 25, board meeting was read. These minutes were amended to reflect the change of \$500 received for the horse show proceeds and \$100 received for the steam table. With this correction, minutes of the July 25 board meeting were approved as read.

OLD BUSINESS:

The group received \$170 during the Bucket-Drop. (This is donations taken for home-delivered meals); a thank-you note was received from Lorraine Shelton.

IN NEW BUSINESS:

A new advisory council has been appointed. There are seven members and the director serves as a non-voting member.

Treasurer's Report reflected that the Martin Senior Citizen account had approximately \$1,200.

The center's car is for sale. The car needs to be sold in order to buy a new one for home-delivered meals.

Doug Lawson said he did not have a report at this time.

Sandra discussed the year-end financial report.

On motion of Edna Franklin and seconded by Dorothy Tackett, the center transferred \$408 from the Martin Senior Citizen account to the area account to pay for the home-delivered meals' driver. Discussion was taken from the floor. All members present voted for the motion.

Bruce Coleman presented Lorraine Shelton with a plaque for her efforts on improving the Town Center property.

Bruce Coleman's report said that blue prints are being resubmitted to the Corp of Engineers for the second story improvements. Hopefully, they will be received back by the end of the

month. Quotes would come next and may begin by late fall.

The community room improvements must be met with matching funds to go with HUD funds. Funds will have to be found before these improvements can be made. It was suggested that maybe the mayor could apply for a CDBG grant to match HUD funds.

Edna Blackburn said she has applications for Senior Discount Cards and Volunteer Insurance Forms.

Advisory council reported that there will be a covered dish dinner on August 23, a spaghetti dinner on September 6, and a bake sale on October 4 in front of Trans Financial Bank and Pic Pac Grocery.

Red, White & Blue Days will be held October 17-18-19, and the center will sell hot dogs, fried bologna sandwiches, cheese sandwiches, candy, etc.

The van took seniors to London to the Big Flea Market on Saturday, August 24.

Betsy Layne Senior Citizen Center activities

Wednesday, September 4: Rook again, horseshow outside.

September 5: Rook and Bingo, exercise, 12:30; shopping after lunch and exercise, 1:00.

September 6: Games in morning. Yard sales after lunch.

September 9: Your quilt squares in. Rook and puzzle.

September 10: Walking again. Exercise, 12:30.

Mud Creek Senior Citizen Center's menu

Wednesday, August 28: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, dinner roll and ice cream.

Thursday, August 29: Hamburger, vegetable soup, and banana pudding.

Friday, August 30: Curried chicken casserole, noodles, mixed vegetables, dinner roll, peaches and cream and Jello.

Sunshine Lines

by Beverly Carroll



Senior citizens, people are our greatest natural resource! What would we do if we were not for family, friends, neighbors and people we don't even know who come to our rescue in a time of crisis?

Sunday afternoon we were invited to go for a drive "way up in the head of a hollow" to see where a house seat had been built. Our friend's exuberance quickly piqued our interest.

When we left our home, our only mission was to drive up to see this land. The setting was breathtakingly beautiful and it was an equally beautiful day. The sun was shining brightly. A warm, August breeze drifted through the woods. As we walked, looking at the terrain, a canopy of leaves shrouded us from the sun's burning rays. The feeling of serenity captivated us.

After a while, we returned to the car to begin the slow, bumpy ride down the mountain toward civilization. A passenger commented that an ox-drawn cart

would have been more appropriate for the trip than the car we were driving. Though the house seat was within a half-mile from the nearest cluster of neighbors, every passenger felt as if we had been in touch with nature in its purest form.

Once we reached the road, we decided to prolong our Sunday afternoon drive. After all, the remodeling project we had been working on at home would still be there when we returned.

As we drove, it was suggested that we ride up Branham's Creek. We hadn't been up that way in a while. This time of year, there's a small section, just off Mud Creek, where the trees on the left meet in the middle with those on the right, to form a natural wooded arch under which motorist pass. We were enjoying this segment of the drive, looking at the homes nestled on the mountainsides and in the valleys, against a background of gorgeous mountain majesty when an on-coming car, slowing to a halt, got our attention. Who do you think it was? None other than your outstanding volunteer benefits counselor Den Hunter. He brought us back to the real world with its people and their problems. Den was "taking care of business" or more specifically he was taking care of people.

He said, "I was just by your house. There's a family with five kids in need of a lot of help..." Den and his friend had just delivered a load of furniture they had

collected. Now he was gathering food.

We went home. The out-of-the-real-world experience we enjoyed for a precious couple hours ended abruptly. Reality, once again, took precedence. There were people needing people.

Unfortunately, Sunday's saga didn't end on Branham's Creek.

The next day my husband left for work at his usual time. Some minutes later I heard his van pull up. "He must have forgotten something," I thought.

He came into the house. A strange look was on his face when I met him in the kitchen. Before I could ask the matter he said, "Junior's house burned down around five this morning. He lost everything."

After my husband left I found myself becoming angry. Junior is our neighbor. His was the first house down the hollow. Separated by only an acre of land and trees beside the creek bed, I was upset that we hadn't noticed the fire upon our arising so we could have tried to do something. What needed to be done now, however, was to determine his immediate needs and strive to fill them by getting other people involved.

On my way out of the hollow, Junior and his aged mother were sitting on her porch, broken hearted and weeping. With them, offering silent comfort, were two of the man's brothers. I stopped to offer my condolences and our family's assistance. At that

moment, when all that remained of the smoldering fire in the distance, were the memories, there was little that anyone could say or do. But it was evident that once again here were people needing people.

Once onto Mud Creek I sped up to make up for lost time. After a couple minutes I was slowed by cars in front of me. Lo and behold the car directly ahead of me was Den Hunter. I followed him out of Mud Creek where he pulled into a convenience store. I told him what had happened. He said, "I'll go over there tomorrow. People will help out. They always do."

People helping people. Senior citizens, we are each others greatest natural resource. Let us be there for others, whether or not we know them. We never know when we might need them to be there for us.

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Hall comes home to open medical practice

Dr. Debra K. Hall, family practitioner, has returned to her native Floyd County to begin medical practice. Dr. Hall has joined the staff of Highlands Regional Medical Center, she will open a practice in family medicine in the new Harold Primary Care Facility being constructed by Highlands Regional Medical Center, scheduled to open September 1.

Dr. Hall is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School. She received her bachelors degree from

the University of Kentucky; her medical degree from the University of Kentucky College of Medicine; and completed an internship and residency in family medicine at McLeod Regional Medical Center in Florence, South Carolina. Dr. Hall is board eligible in family practice.

Dr. Hall was the recipient of the McLeod residency award for leadership. This prestigious award is given only when a particular medical resident displays outstanding

leadership traits.

When asked why she decided to specialize in family practice medicine, Dr. Hall said that during medical school she did a rotation with Dr. Blake Burchett, a family practitioner from Prestonsburg. It was then that she decided to make family practice medicine the focus of her medical career. Dr. Hall added, "I came back to Floyd County because it was home and that was what I always wanted to do. My family is here and it's where I want to live and have my medical prac-

tice.

Until Harold Primary Care opens on September 1, Dr. Hall is seeing patients in the Hayes Complex, Betsy Layne office of Dr. Blake Burchett. To schedule an appointment with Dr. Hall call 478-4800, after August 19 call 478-8787. A physician referral is not required.

Dr. Hall is the daughter of Lloyd G. and Amanda Hall of Prestonsburg, and the sister of Lloyd Keith Hall also of Prestonsburg.



Hometown doctor

Dr. Debra Hall, family practitioner, will see patients in the new Harold Primary Care facility opening September 1.

Continuing education classes hold for insurance agents

Over one thousand Kentucky life insurance agents recently had their insurance licenses revoked because of their failure to obtain the required twenty-four hours of continuing education.

In order to help these agencies regain their licenses, The Kentucky Association of Life Underwriters in conjunction with the Greater Louisville Assoc-

iation of Life Underwriters will be offering a twelve-hour course on "Annuity Concepts" on Wednesday and Thursday, August 21 and August 22, in Louisville.

For further information and to register for any courses, contact the offices of the Kentucky Association of Life Underwriters at (502) 425-8195.

Pikeville National chooses new holding company name

By an overwhelming margin, shareholders of Pikeville National Corporation (NASDAQ symbol: PKVL) August 15 mandated a new name for its holding company: Community Trust Bancorp, Inc.

At a special shareholders meeting, 6,802,539 shares were voted in favor of the new name. It becomes effective January 1, 1997, when the NASDAQ trading symbol will become CTBI. The positive vote represents 91.31 percent of all votes cast and 74.55 percent of total shares outstanding.

"We are gratified that the vast majority of our shareholders agree with our board of directors' position that 'Community Trust' better represents our commitment to all communities in the expanding region we serve," President Terry Coleman said.

"As a bank, Pikeville National has served its customers well since 1903, but those customers now deal with one or more of 60 offices in 19 counties of eastern and central

Kentucky. The name no longer fits our present geography or our plan to aggressively expand beyond the region we now serve," Mr. Coleman added.

"This is an essential step forward in our strategy to grow and to provide more banking products more efficiently to our customers," Mr. Coleman said.

Most banks owned by Pikeville National Corporation will merge into a single bank structure. Many of them will continue to operate under their existing names with "Community Trust Bank, NA" added to their individual identities.

Coleman said the corporation enjoyed record monthly earnings in July 1996 of \$1.718 million which is reflective of the strategies instituted in 1994 and 1995.

Pikeville National and its affiliates operate 60 offices in 19 Kentucky counties and rank among the three largest Kentucky-based banking companies. Corporation assets total about \$1.8 billion.

Century 21 American Way Realty recognizes agents

Dorothy Harris, broker/co-owner of Century 21 American Way Realty has announced the names of the company's two sales agents that earned special recognition for their outstanding production levels for the month of July.

Ellen Holbrook led the office in most closed transactions and Joyce S. Allen received special recognition for the most listed properties.

Both Holbrook and Allen are full-time sales agents and make a

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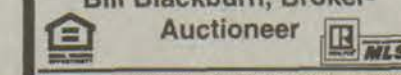
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Director (Jim Carter, II, 123 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg, KY 41653)
Assistant Director (Ruby Akers, Box 185, Drift, KY 41619)
Secretary (Anna Sue Stumbo, Box 236, McDowell, KY 41647)
Treasurer (Billy Merritt, 184 Bee Fork, Prestonsburg, KY 41653)
Board members (Lloyd Wells, Box 70, Auxier, KY 41602)
(Floyd Allen, Box 185, Eastern, KY 41622)
(Johnnie Ross, HC 72, Box 74, East Point, KY 41216-9602)

SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Floyd County Soil Conservation District
For Fiscal Period, July 1, 1995 to June 30, 1996

Beginning Cash on hand (July 1, 1995).....	\$ 67,930.45
Receipts	
Fiscal Court.....	\$ 57,584.52
State Aid.....	\$ 2,066.12
Interest & Reimbursements.....	\$ 1,619.91
Total Receipts.....	\$ 129,201.00
Expenditures	
Salaries.....	\$ 19,058.06
Office Operations.....	\$ 891.60
Education & Promotion.....	\$ 12,617.02
Supervisors Expenses.....	\$ 3,875.47
Miscellaneous.....	\$ 22,627.81
Total Expenditures.....	\$ 59,069.96
Ending Balance (June 30, 1996).....	\$ 70,131.04

NOTICE
The University of Kentucky and Prestonsburg Community College are committed to a policy of providing educational opportunities to all qualified students regardless of economic or social status, and will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, marital status, beliefs, age, national origin, sexual orientation or physical or mental disability.
Compliance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, which prohibits sex discrimination, and with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 is coordinated by Mr. Terry Allen, Affirmative Action Office, 8 Administration Building, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506 at (606) 257-8927.
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Questions concerning compliance with regulations may be directed to UK's Affirmative Action Office, or to the Director of the Office of Civil Rights, 400 State Ave., Suite 908, Kansas City, Kansas 66101.
The University and Prestonsburg Community College are in compliance with the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 and the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act Amendment of 1989. Questions may be directed to the Vice-Chancellor for Student Affairs or the Human Resource Services Director's Office.
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PORTER PLUMBING COMPANY Allen, KY Commercial, residential and service work. Licensed and insured. Rotor roter service, drain cleaning, etc. CALL US FIRST! 874-2794.

Legals

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Sandy Valley Transportation Services, Inc., is soliciting proposals for an audit of the books for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1996. Individuals and firms interested in receiving a RFP should call 606-886-1936 or write to us at: SVTS, 80 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1842. Please ask for Greg Hamlin. Requests must be received by September 6, 1996.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Floyd County E-911 Board will be accepting sealed bids for ALPHA NUMERIC PAGERS, paging service, and pager insurance. Bid packages may be obtained at the Office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive located on the first floor of the Floyd County Courthouse Annex, Suite 109. Bids will be accepted at the Office of the Floyd

County Judge/Executive until 3:00 p.m. Friday, August 30, 1996, and opened at 3:30 p.m. in the Conference Room 105 of the Floyd County Courthouse Annex. Only those bids submitted with the bid package supplied by Floyd County E-911 Board will be accepted, and bid package must be completed in its entirety. Bids will be awarded by the Floyd County Fiscal Court at their regularly scheduled meeting on Friday, September 20, 1996, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. Floyd County Fiscal Court has the right to accept and/or reject any and all bids.

Judge Ben Hale
Chairman, Floyd Co. E-911

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Enterprise Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 244, Dorton, Kentucky 41520, has applied for Phase I bond release of Permit Number 898-5692 which was last issued on October 23, 1995. The application covers an area of approximately 5.0 surface acres and will underlie 585.85 acres located 3 miles southwest of Ligon in Pike and Floyd Counties.

The permit area is approximately 4 miles northwest from Route 119/23 junction with Robinson Creek Road and located 0.4 miles west of Robinson Creek. The latitude is 37° 22' 34". The longitude is 82° 39' 00". The bond now in effect is a surety bond for \$35,400. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$35,400 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading, seeding and mulching.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, KY 40601, by October 14, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for October 15, 1996 at 9 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, KY 41501. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by October 14, 1996.

Phase 2: Addition and Renovation to Prestonsburg High School SECTION 00100 INVITATION FOR RE-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 September 4, 1996, and opened as soon as practicable thereafter, for performing and executing the contracts for

RENOVATION AND ADDITION 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, KENTUCKY 40507 Bidding Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, can be obtained upon the deposit of a \$200 check per set, made payable to the Floyd County Board of Education and forwarded to Ms. Pam Denny, Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co. Inc., 328 Old Vine Street, Lexington, KY 40507, 606-255-1021. Upon receipt of the plan deposit fee, documents may be picked up at Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co., Inc. If documents are to be mailed, a non-refundable mailing charge of \$10 per set is required, made payable directly to Lynn Blue Print & Supply Company, Inc.

The plan deposit will be returned to all bidders who submit a bonafide bid and return to Lynn Blue Print & Supply Co. the plans and specifications (postage 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 PROPOSAL can be obtained from Lynn Blue Print & 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 Co.

It is most important that the requesting firm identify the position of the firm as to prime bidder, material supplier or other. Please give name, address and telephone number of person responsible for receiving addenda material and general communication concerning this bid.

Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of JOHNSON-ROMANOWITZ ARCHITECTS, 300 East Main Street, Suite 301, Lexington, KY; MARTIN ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION, INC., CONSTRUCTION MANAGER, Rt. 122, Martin, KY; FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, OWNER, Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY; F.W. DODGE CORPORATION, 303 N. Hurstbome Lane, Suite 265, Louisville, KY; F.W. DODGE CORPORATION, 2525 Harrodsburg Road, Lexington, KY; AGC, Lexington and BUILDERS EXCHANGE OF LOUISVILLE, 3595 Dutchman's Lane, Louisville, KY; DODGE PLAN ROOM, 405 Capitol St., Suite 509, Charleston, WV.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, cash or bidders bond, executed by the Bidder and Surety Company, IN THE SUM OF NOT LESS THAN FIVE PERCENT (5%) OF THE AMOUNT OF THE BASE PROPOSAL. The bid security is required as a guarantee that if the proposal is accepted a Contract will be immediately entered into and the performance of it properly secured. Proposal Forms must be

properly filled out and submitted in Duplicate Form. No omissions, modifications or qualifying statements or conditions will be permitted in the Form of Proposal. The presence of any of these conditions will be grounds for rejection of the Proposal. Any alteration or erasures must be initiated 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.

The following Bids are requested:

- Bid 002: Contract for Demolition & Carpentry
- Bid 005: Contract for Masonry, Doors, Frames & Hardware

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

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Middle Creek Area Fire Protection District is required by KRS 75.031 to hold an election to elect two (2) members to its board of trustees.

The election will be held on September 26, 1996, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Middle Creek Fire Department to vote for two of the three candidates.

The candidates are George C. Brown, Rudolph Ousley and Billy R. Hicks.

To be eligible to vote you must be a property owner who owns and resides on property located within the fire protection district (KRS 75.030).

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Fiscal Court is accepting bids for 14 (fourteen) 4" standard Fire Hydrants, 3 (three) feet bury, National Standard Thread, with two nozzles being 2 1/2 inches and one nozzle 4 1/2 inches with a 1 1/2 inch operating nut. Bid price should include the cost of delivery to the City of Prestonsburg Sewerage Treatment Plant, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope to the office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive, 76 Westminister Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, no later than 5:00 p.m., September 19, 1996. Bids will be opened at the regular Floyd County Fiscal Court meeting to be held on September 20, 1996, at 10 a.m. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FLOYD COUNTY FISCAL COURT BEN HALE CO. JUDGE/EXECUTIVE

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

I, Frank DeRossett, Jr., Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following persons have been appointed fiduciaries by the District Court. All persons indebted to an estate should settle with the fiduciary within six (6) months from the date of appointment.

Date of Appointment	Case Number	Estate of:	Fiduciary	Attorney
07-25-96	96-P-00258	Bert Perry P.O. Box 195 Harold, KY 41635	Barbara Caswell 107 Brown Street Wellington, Ohio 44090	Greg Isaac P.O. Drawer 189 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
07-25-96	96-P-00259	Zella Greene 20 Earl Street Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Abraham L. Greene 10692 Marquart Rd. New Carlisle, Ohio 45344	Brett D. Davis P.O. Box 220 Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653
07-29-96	96-P-00222	Alma Collins Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Tilden B. Friend 260 Moss Lane Venice, Florida 34293	Cassie Allen P.O. Box 722 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
07-29-96	96-P-00261	Edward Hicks Reed Branch, Box 109 Hueysville, KY 41640	Tina R. Hicks 109 Reed Branch Road Hueysville, KY 41640	Cassie J. Allen P.O. Box 722 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
07-29-96	96-P-00282	Virginia A. Draughn 423 Front Street Garrett, KY 41630	Janet Shepherd 1687 Salyers Branch Hueysville, KY 41640	Barkley J. Sturgill Sturgill & Hunt P.O. Box 850 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
7-30-96	96-P-00263	Fair Prater Box 85 Hueysville, KY 41640	Lucille Prater Box 85 Hueysville, KY 41640	
7-30-96	96-P-00264	Virgil A. Webb 295 S. Central Ave. Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Nancy P. Webb 295 S. Central Ave. Prestonsburg, KY 41653	
07-30-96	96-P-00265	Danny K. McCoy 244 Ivy Crk. Rd. Ivel, KY 41642	Christine McCoy 244 Ivy Crk. Rd. Ivel, KY 41642	
07-31-96	96-P-00266	Harry Stumbo Printer, KY 41655	Shirley Stumbo Box 58 Printer, KY 41655	
07-31-96	96-P-00267	Martin L. Hammonds 351 Hammonds Rd. Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Charlene Hamilton 354 Hammonds Rd. Prestonsburg, KY 41653	
08-01-96	96-P-00268	Dewey Clyde Hamilton Plum St. 121 Langley, KY	Geniece Hamilton Box 192 Langley, KY	
08-01-96	96-P-00269	Eugyle Shufflebarger Martin 686 KY RT. 680 McDowell, KY 41647	William C. Martin 4037 Frasures Creek Road McDowell, KY 41647	Sheridan Martin P.O. Box 506 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
08-05-96	96-P-00270	Allen Stone 1651 Middle Creek Prestonsburg, KY	Barbara Stone 1651 Middle Creek Prestonsburg, KY	
8-06-96	96-P-00271	William E. Hunt 641 North Lake Drive Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Ruth Carol Hunt Hale 641 North Lake Drive Prestonsburg, KY 41653	
08-07-96	96-P-00272	Ruth Hager 397 KY Rt. 1750 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Freida Justice 397 KY Rt. 1750 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	John W. Mann P.O. Box 1090 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
08-08-96	96-P-00273	Shirley Gayheart 50 Neds Fork McDowell, Ky. 41647	Cheryl Ann Carter 50 Neds Fork McDowell, Ky. 41647	Anthony C. Davis P.O. Box 388 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
08-08-96	96-P-00274	Cecil J. Clark 1204 KY. Rt. 979 Harold, KY 41635	Vanessa Clark 1204 KY. Rt. 979 Harold, KY 41635	Dan Rowland P.O. Box 996 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
08-08-96	96-P-00275	Tivis Evans 671 Mink Branch Craynor, KY 41614	Kathy Evans 617 Mink Branch Craynor, KY 41614	C. Tom Anderson P.O. Box 309 Pikeville, KY 41502
08-12-96	96-P-00276	Teresa Lynn Johnson P.O. Box 87 Tram, KY 41663	Delores D. Johnson P.O. Box 87 Tram, KY 41663	Anthony W. Clark 735 Broad St. 1206 Chattanooga, Tenn. 37402
08-12-96	96-P-00277	Wanedia Parsons Mare Creek Rd. Stanville, KY 41659	Ed Parsons P.O. Box 92 Stanville, KY 41659	G.C. Perry, III P.O. Drawer C Paintsville, KY 41240
08-12-96	96-P-00278	Wesley Todd Samons 1838 Arkansas Creek Rd. Martin, KY 41649	Debra Samons 1838 Arkansas Creek Rd. Martin, KY 41649	Anthony Craig Davis P.O. Box 388 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
08-12-96	96-P-00279	Ethan Reynolds Blackburn 378 East Dorton Street Staffordsville, KY 41256	Patricia A. Reynolds P.O. Box 1106 Martin, KY 41649	Ralph Stevens P.O. Box 427 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
08-14-96	96-P-00281	Mary Ruth Jennings P.O. Box 28 Tram, KY 41663	Rosetta Murrell P.O. Box 28 Tram, KY 41663	Eric C. Conn P.O. Box 308 Stanville, KY 41659
08-15-96	96-P-00282	Lora Kilburn 1946 Stephens Branch Road Martin, KY 41649	Solomon Kilburn P.O. Box 621 Martin, KY 41649	Hon. Greg Isaac P.O. Drawer 189 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
08-15-96	96-P-00283	James Wesley Howard 47 Westminister Prestonsburg, KY	Virginia Howard 47 Westminister Street Prestonsburg, KY	William S. Kendrick P.O. Box 268 Prestonsburg, KY
08-19-96	96-P-00284	Jack D. Fraley Weeksbury, KY 41667	Aileen D. Fraley Weeksbury, KY 41667	
08-13-96	96-P-00280	Gregory S. Dawson H.C. 66, Box 1785 Prestonsburg, KY	Norma Lewis H.C. 66, Box 1785 Prestonsburg, KY	Robert Miller Drawer C Paintsville, KY
08-19-96	96-P-00285	Frank Little H.C. 71, Box 96 Prestonsburg, KY	Priscilla Little H.C. 71, Box 96 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	
08-20-96	96-P-00286	Lewis P. Reynolds Reynolds Lane Martin, KY 41649	Christine Belcher Reynolds Box 763 Martin, KY 41649	
8-22-96	96-P-00288	Aubrey O. Onkst 73 Madison Avenue Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Anna Faye Dixon Onkst 73 Madison Ave. Prestonsburg, KY 41653	

NOTICE (OF FILING OF SETTLEMENT)

I, Frank DeRossett, Jr., Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following settlements of estates have been filed in my office. Anyone desiring to take exception to said settlement must do so on or before September 30, 1996, at 9:00 a.m.

Settlement	Case Number	Estate Of	Fiduciary	Date Filed
Final	95-P-131	Wilburn L. Akers	Verlie Akers	07-25-96
Final	95-P-127	Leavodis Williams Collier	Sharon Casebolt	07-30-96
Final	95-P-126	Okie Collier	Sharon Casebolt	07-30-96
Final	94-P-255	Sylvia Hall Newman	Willis D. Newman	07-25-96
Final	95-P-00374	Eloise Shank	Maggie Stratton	08-01-96
Final	88-P-126	Ova Jervis	Carol Newsome	08-13-96
Final	95-P-00067	Joyce Ann Burke	Mary Francis Jervis Rose	08-05-96
Final	95-P-00385	Alice Ward	Silas Burke, Jr.	08-07-96
Final	95-P-00125	Carl Horn	Raymond L. Ward	08-07-96
			Eleanor S. Horn	08-15-96

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Fiscal Court is accepting bids for the lease/purchase of 10 (ten) new 1997 electric golf cars. Sweater baskets, scuff plates, number decals and freight must be included in the lease/purchase price. The lease/purchase is to be based on a 3 (three) year period with the pay schedule being made during the months of May through October. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope to the office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive, 76 Westminister Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, no later than 5:00 p.m., September 19, 1996. Bids will be opened at the regular Floyd County Fiscal Court meeting to be held on September 20, 1996, at 10 a.m. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FLOYD COUNTY FISCAL COURT BEN HALE COUNTY JUDGE/EXECUTIVE**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

The Floyd County Fiscal Court is accepting bids for 48,000 feet of 4" SDR 21 PVC, class 200 water line pipe (twenty foot joints). Bid price should include the cost of delivery to the City of Prestonsburg Sewerage Treatment Plant, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope to the office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive, 76 Westminister Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, no later than 5:00 p.m. September 19, 1996. Bids will be opened at the regular Floyd County Fiscal Court meeting to be held on September 20, 1996, at 10:00 a.m. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

FLOYD COUNTY FISCAL COURT BEN HALE COUNTY JUDGE/EXECUTIVE**NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE**

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Costain Coal, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501 has applied for a Phase I bond release on permit number 836-0198 which was last issued on August 24, 1995. The application covers an area of approximately 459.57 acres located 1 mile east of Dana in Floyd County.

The permit is approximately 1.1 miles southeast from Hunts Fork County Road's junction with KY 1426 and located 0.3 miles north of Prater Creek. The latitude is 37° 33' 18". The longitude is 82° 39' 10".

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-0198 is a surety bond in the amount of one million, four hundred eighty-four thousand, seven hundred dollars (\$1,484,700). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of one million, four hundred eighty-four thousand, seven hundred dollars (\$1,484,700) is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed from the Spring of 1988 to the Fall of 1994.

This is the final advertisement of this application. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by September 27, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September 30, 1996, at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office located at 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky

41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by September 27, 1996.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Mine Application #836-5272, Operator Change

In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that EDCO Energy Corporation, 1711 Allen Avenue, Apt. #309, Glendale, California, 91201, intends to revise permit number 836-5272 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Black Gem Mining, Inc., P.O. Box 1257, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502. The new operator will be Ro-Co Resources, Inc., P.O. Box 1257, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502.

The operation is located 0.6 mile northeast of Manton in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.4 mile west from State Route 80's junction with County Road 1210 and located 0.2 mile north of Stephens Branch. The operation is located on the Martin U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37° 33' 35" and longitude 82° 46' 53".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. 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 date.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Huntington District, by this notice dated on or about August 14, 1996, advises the public that the Draft Supplemental Environmental Assessment for the Operational Changes to Provide Recreational Whitewater Release, John W. Flannagan Reservoir is complete and available for review. In addition to the Draft Supplemental Environmental Assessment (DSEA), a proposed Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is also included. In compliance with the Natural Environmental Policy Act and 40 CFR 1501.4, the DEA and proposed FONSI must be available to the public in the affected area for 30 days for review and comment. Final determination regarding the need for an Environmental Impact Statement will be made after the public review period. This 30 day public review and comment period is from August 14-September 16, 1996. Copies of this document can be viewed at the following locations: Pike County Extension Office, 1110 Cline Street, Pikeville, KY; Pike County Tourism Commission, Pikeville, KY; Buchanan County Extension Office, Grundy, VA; Buchanan County Chamber of Commerce; Grundy, VA; Dickenson County Extension Office, Clintwood, VA; Dickenson County Tourism Commission, Haysi, VA; Resource Manager's Office, John W. Flannagan Reservoir, Haysi, VA.

Copies of the report may be obtained by contacting Mr. A. Benjamin Borda, Jr., at the Huntington District Office of the Corps of Engineers at 304-529-5712. If you have comments pertaining to the report submit them in letter to: Mr. A. Benjamin Borda, Jr., Chief, Environmental Analysis Branch, Planning Division, Huntington District Office of Engineers, 502 8th Street, Huntington, West Virginia 25701-2070.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September 30, 1996, at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office located at 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky

District Corps of Engineers, 502 8th Street, Huntington, West Virginia 25701-2070.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Huntington District, by this notice dated on or about August 26, 1996, advises the public that the Draft Environmental Assessment for the Dewey Lake, Dam Safety Assurance Project is complete and available for review. The report addresses the proposed augmentation of the current dam in order to correct spillway deficiencies. In addition to the Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA), a proposed finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is also included. In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act and 40 CFR 1501.4, the DEA and proposed FONSI must be available to the public in the affected area for 30 days for review and comment. Final determination regarding the need for an Environmental Impact Statement will be made after the public review period. This 30 day public review and comment period will begin on or about August 26, 1996. Copies of this document can be viewed at the following locations:

Pikeville Public Library, 210 Pike Street, Pikeville, Kentucky. Normal Operating Hours. Floyd County Public Library, Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Normal Operating Hours. Copies of the report may be obtained by contacting Mr. A. Benjamin Borda, Jr., at the Huntington District Office of the Corps of Engineers at 304-529-5712. If you have comments pertaining to the report submit them in letter to:

Mr. Benjamin A. Borda, Jr., Chief, Environmental Analysis Branch, Planning Division, Huntington District Office of Engineers, 502 8th Street, Huntington, West Virginia 25701-2070.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Costain Coal, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501 has applied for a Phase I bond release on permit number 436-0044 which was last issued on January 30, 1996. The application covers an area of approximately 319.9 acres located 1 mile southwest of Ivel in Floyd County.

The permit is approximately 0.5 miles southeast from KY 1426's junction with Cecil Branch County Road and located 0.4 miles south of Cecil Branch. The latitude is 37° 34' 58". The longitude is 82° 40' 48".

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 436-0044 is a surety bond in the amount of one million, one hundred twenty-seven thousand, two hundred dollars (\$1,127,200). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of one million, one hundred twenty-seven thousand, two hundred dollars (\$1,127,200) is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1991.

This is the final advertisement of this application. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by September 27, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for September

30, 1996, at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office located at 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by September 27, 1996.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5259, Amendment #1

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 415 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for an amendment to an existing underground mining and reclamation operation located 1.2 miles southeast of East McDowell in Floyd County. The amendment will underlie an additional 212.00 acres making a total area of 450.00 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 0.2 mile northeast from Route 1929's junction with Hoods Fork Road and located 0.2 mile north of Hoods Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees 26' 15". The longitude is 82 degrees 42' 41".

The proposed amendment is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The amendment will underlie land owned by David Akers, Dorothy Bentley Estate, Brenda G. Moore, Earnest & Margalene Mitchell, Tessie Hall, Jimmy & Joy Hall, Nancy Tucker and Willie Brown Estate. The operation includes the underground method of mining.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00342

Trans Financial Bank, N.A., Plaintiff vs. Randy Johnson and Angela Johnson, his wife, Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the June 17, 1996 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of September, 1996, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky on Stone Coal Creek of Right Beaver Creek, and being more particularly described as follows:

Starting at a point 0 marked by a stake running West for 267 feet turns left (Point 1 marked by a stake) and runs 120 feet to Stone Coal Creek turns left and runs 100 feet back to point 0.

Being the same property conveyed to the first parties from Hawley David Scott and Nancy Scott, his wife, by deed bearing date August 7, 1988, and recorded in Deed Book 321, Page 048, in the office of the Floyd County

Court Clerk.

Including: 1989 Holly Park Mobile Home (Modular) 64' length, ID 02HP11690, A&B.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 17th day of July, 1996.

EARL MARTIN MCGUIRE
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
P.O. Box 1257
Prestonsburg, KY 41653
Phone: 606-886-8140
Fax: 606-886-9755

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II CIVIL ACTION NO. 83-CI-00553

Goldie Justice, et. al., Plaintiffs vs. Homer Johnson, et. al., Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the August 28, 1995 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of September, 1996 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Lying at the mouth of Johnson Fork on Caney Creek, a tributary of the Left Fork of Middle Creek in Floyd County, Kentucky, and being the same conveyed by Bee Johnson, et. al., to Henry Johnson by deed of the 9th day of September, 1945, of record in Deed Book 128, page 136 Floyd County Court Clerk's office and being the interest of George Johnson acquired by descent from Henry Johnson on the 24th day of April, 1964, per will of record in Book C, page 15, Floyd County Court Clerk's office, to which records reference is hereby made for a more particular description, and which are incorporated herein as if fully set out.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 2nd day of August, 1996.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., P.O. Box 130, Mousie, Kentucky 41839 has applied for Phase I bond release on permit number 860-5212, which was last issued on May 24, 1996. This appli-

cation covers an area of approximately 36.91 bonded surface acres and underlies 1,052.63 acres for a total of 1,089.54 acres located approximately 2.25 miles southwest of Garrett in Knott and Floyd Counties.

The permit area is approximately 0.32 miles northwest from State Route 80's junction with Rock Fork County Road and located 0.35 miles northwest of Rock Fork. The latitude is 37° 28' 10". The longitude is 82° 52' 23".

The bond now in effect for this permit is a surety bond in the amount of \$116,400. Approximately sixty-five (65) percent of the original bond amount of \$116,400 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed through May 28, 1996, includes: backfilling, grading, topsoiling, fertilizing, seeding, mulching, and establishment of a satisfactory vegetative cover.

This is the final advertisement of this application. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by thirty (30) days from the date of the last advertisement of this notice.

A public hearing on this bond release application has been scheduled for 1:00 p.m. on September 30, 1996, at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by thirty (30) days of the last date of this advertisement.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0216, Amendment No. 1

In accordance with KRS 350.070 and provision of Section 2 (13) Kentucky Senate Bill 266, notice is hereby given that Costain Coal, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for an amendment to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 3.79 miles north of Ivel in Floyd and Pike Counties. The amendment will add 795.60 acres and delete 13.10 acres of surface disturbance making a total area of 1059.01 acres within the amended permit boundary. The amendment will allow for the disposal of coal combustion by-products. Indiantown Cogeneration, P.O. Box 1799, Indiantown, Florida 34956, will generate the coal combustion by-products.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 3.79 miles northeast from U.S. 23's junction with Ivy Creek County Road and located 0.95 miles north of Ivy Creek. The latitude is 37° 36' 18". The longitude is 82° 37' 35".

The proposed amendment is located on the Harold and Broad Bottom U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by James Hatcher Estate Trust, Denver Collins Heirs, Burchett Heirs, Jackie & Bonnie Scaff, Benjamin Ferguson, Law Heirs, and Costain Coal Inc. The operation will use the area method of surface mining. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road Ivy Creek Road. The operation will not involve the relocation of the public road.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's

Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. 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.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II CIVIL ACTION NO. 95-CI-00740

First National Bank of Paintsville, Kentucky, Plaintiff vs. Danny Paul Curry, Barbara Gail Curry, Adrian Lafferty and Floyd County, Kentucky, Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the May 24, 1996 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of September, 1996, at the hour of 9:30 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Beginning on the Northwest corner of said lot on the corner between Mrs. B.F. Combs (now Godsey) and said A.J. May's property; thence running with the dividing line of Mrs. B.F. Combs and A.J. May N. 59 degrees 10'E 152.26 to the line of Maggie D. Hatcher heirs, thence with the line of Maggie D. Hatcher heirs and Bill (formerly Mrs. Edward Allen) S 30 degrees 50' E 70 feet to a point; thence 59 degrees 10' W 152.26 to Second Avenue (now Arnold Avenue); thence with Second Avenue N 30 degrees 50' W 70 feet to the place of the beginning; being a lot 70x152.6 fronting 70 feet on Second Avenue.

Said parties of the first part due (sic) further convey unto the parties of the second part for and during their joint lives (sic) with remainder to the survivor thereof, his or her heirs and assigns forever, the following described land lying immediately adjacent to the southern boundary of the lot above described, to-wit:

A parcel of land fronting 10 feet on Arnold Avenue, immediately adjacent to the above described property and running back in parallel lines so as to convey a 10 foot strip of land.

Being the same property conveyed to Mortgagors by deed dated the 19th day of May, 1993, from Adrian (sic) Lafferty, individually, and Wanda Jean Lafferty, by her lawful Attorney in fact, Adrian (sic) Lafferty, his wife, recorded in Deed Book 366, Page 486, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II CIVIL ACTION NO. 95-CI-00818

Trans Financial Bank, N.A., Plaintiff vs. Earl Lawson, et al., Defendant

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the July 1, 1996 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of September, 1996, at the hour of 11:00 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Big Mud Creek, being described as follows:

Beginning at a walnut tree at the edge of the Big Mud Creek Road near the end of a swinging bridge; thence due west across Big Mud Creek in a straight line to a planted stone in the line of Willard Niece; thence running up the hill with Lawrence Hamilton's line to the top of the ridge between Big Mud Creek and Little Mud Creek; thence along the top of the ridge to the A.J. Roberts line; thence down the hill with said A.J. Roberts line to an elm tree on the bank of Big Mud Creek; thence east from said elm tree in a straight line to a planted stone on the edge of the Big Mud Creek Road right-of-way and down the same to the place of beginning.

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Big Mud, a tributary of the Big Sandy River, containing 15 acres more or less.

And, being the same property conveyed to Earl J. Lawson and Anna Lawson by deed from Jimmy Rose and Elizabeth Rose, his wife, dated November 16, 1977, recorded in Deed Book 232, Page 287, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

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County Kettle

CENTENNIAL SLAW

Makes about 20 (1/2-cup) servings

1/2 cup Marzetti Slaw Dressing, Original, Light or Fat Free
2 tablespoons honey
2 teaspoons poppy seed
1 cup red cabbage, shredded
2 cups green cabbage, shredded
3 medium oranges, peeled, and cut in chunks
1/2 large sweet onion, very thinly sliced and separated into rings
1/4 cup chopped celery
1 pint fresh strawberries, sliced
1 avocado, peeled, seeded, and sliced (optional)
Lettuce leaves

In small bowl, stir together dressing, honey and poppy seed. Toss together cabbage, oranges, onion, celery and strawberries. Mix with dressing. On 6 individual serving plates or a small platter, arrange lettuce leaves, fill with slaw. Garnish with avocado slices and whole strawberries.

GRILLED CHICKEN BURGERS

1 pound ground chicken or turkey, ground without skin
1/2 cup plain dry bread crumbs
2 green onions, chopped
2 tablespoons barbecue sauce
1 tablespoon lemon juice
2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce
1/8 teaspoon salt
Vegetable oil spray (optional)

In a large bowl, combine all ingredients except vegetable oil spray. Use your hands to mix ingredients thoroughly. Shape mixture into 6 patties.

Grill over medium-hot coals 4 to 5 minutes per side or until no longer pink. Or preheat broiler and lightly spray the rack of an unheated broiler pan with vegetable oil. Place patties on rack. Broil 3 to 4 inches from heat for 4 to 5 minutes per side or until no longer pink.

Serves 6: 1 burger per serving. Preparation time: 10 minutes. Cooking time: 8 to 10 minutes.

CHEESY VEGETABLE MEDLEY CASSEROLE

(6 servings)

1 bag (16 oz.) frozen broccoli, carrots and water chestnuts
1 can (10 3/4 oz.) condensed cheddar cheese soup
1 can (2.8 oz., about 1 1/3 cups) French fried onions

Place frozen vegetables in 1 1/2-quart glass casserole. Microwave at HIGH (100%) for 4 minutes or until thawed. Stir in condensed soup. Microwave at HIGH for 8 minutes. Stir. Sprinkle with onions. Microwave at HIGH for 2 minutes longer.

TROPICAL ISLAND SPARERIBS

3 tablespoons Kikkoman Lite Teriyaki Marinade and Sauce
2 teaspoons vinegar
2 large cloves garlic, pressed
3 pounds pork spareribs, cut into 1-rib pieces
1/2 cup Kikkoman Lite Teriyaki Marinade and Sauce
3 tablespoons minced green onions

Combine 3 Tbsp. lite teriyaki marinade and sauce, vinegar and garlic in 13x9-inch microwave-safe

baking dish. Add ribs, turning over to coat with mixture. Arrange ribs, meaty side up, in same dish. Cover; microwave on Medium (50%) 10 minutes. Turn ribs over; rearrange in dish and brush with pan juices. Cover; microwave on medium (50%) 10 minutes longer. Meanwhile, combine 1/2 cup lite teriyaki sauce and green onions. Place ribs on grill 4 to 5 inches from hot coals; brush with lite teriyaki sauce mixture. Cook 16 minutes, turning over and brushing frequently with remaining sauce mixture.

ROSEMARY LAMB CHOPS

1/2 cup Kikkoman Teriyaki Marinade and Sauce
1 tablespoon dry white wine
1 teaspoon dried rosemary, crumbled
1 clove garlic, minced
4 lamb shoulder arm or blade chops, each about 1/2 to 3/4 inch thick

Combine teriyaki marinade and sauce, wine, rosemary and garlic; pour over lamb chops in large plastic food storage bag. Press air out of bag; close top securely. Refrigerate 45 minutes, turning bag over occasionally. Reserving marinade, remove chops and place on grill 4 to 5 inches from hot coals. Cook 4 minutes on each side (for rare), or to desired doneness, turning over and brushing occasionally with reserved marinade. (Or, place lamb chops on rack of broiler pan. Broil 4 to 5 inches from heat 5 minutes on each side [for rare]; brush with reserved marinade after turning over.

CURRIED CHICKEN BREASTS

1 can (10 1/2 ounces) defatted 1/3-less-salt chicken broth
1 tablespoon curry powder
1/3 cup all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
4 boneless skinless chicken breast halves (about 1 pound)
2 teaspoons olive oil
1 medium onion, sliced
2 cloves garlic, minced
1 cup instant brown rice
1 cup canned pineapple chunks
1 apple, cored and sliced
1/4 cup golden raisins

Combine chicken broth and curry powder in small bowl. Combine flour, salt and pepper; coat chicken breasts lightly with flour mixture. Heat olive oil in large nonstick skillet over medium heat until hot. Add chicken breasts. Cook 3 minutes on each side or until browned; remove chicken from skillet. Add chicken broth mixture, onion and garlic to skillet. Cook 5 minutes or until onion is tender, stirring occasionally. Add chicken. Reduce heat to low; cover and cook 10 minutes or until chicken is no longer pink in center.

Meanwhile, cook rice according to package directions, omitting salt and butter. Spoon rice onto serving platter. Top with chicken and onion, reserving liquid in skillet. Add pineapple, apple and raisins to liquid in skillet. Cook fruits over medium heat 3 minutes or until heated through. Arrange fruits over chicken and rice. Makes 4 servings. Ready to serve in 28 minutes.

CONFETTI CHICKEN CHILI

1 pound 90% fat free ground chicken or 93% fat free ground turkey
1 large onion, chopped
2 carrots, chopped
1 large Anaheim or 1 medium green bell pepper, chopped
2 Italian tomatoes, chopped
1 jalapeno pepper, finely chopped*
1 can (15 ounces) Great Northern beans, rinsed and drained
2 cans (about 14 ounces each) defatted 1/3-less-salt chicken broth
2 teaspoons chili powder
1/2 teaspoon ground red pepper

Heat large nonstick saucepan over medium heat until hot. Add chicken and onion; cook and stir 5 minutes or until chicken is browned. Drain fat from saucepan. Add remaining ingredients to

saucepan. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat to low and simmer 15 minutes. Ready to serve in 30 minutes.

CREAMY LIME PIE

(1 pie, 8 servings)

1 1/4 cups graham cracker crumbs
2 tablespoons sugar
1/4 cup regular margarine, melted
1 carton (8 oz., 1 cup) refrigerated real egg product
2 cans (14 oz., each) sweetened condensed skimmed milk
3/4 cup fresh lime juice (about 6 limes)
1 1/2 teaspoons grated lime peel
5 drops green food coloring
Whipped topping for garnish

Stir together graham cracker crumbs, sugar and melted margarine. Press evenly and firmly into 9-inch

glass pie plate to form shell. Microwave at HIGH (100%) for 3 to 3 1/2 minutes, rotating plate a quarter turn after every minute. Cool.

In medium-size bowl, stir together egg product and condensed milk. Gradually stir in lime juice. Stir in lime peel and food coloring. Pour into cooled pie shell.

Microwave at MEDIUM (50%) for 15 minutes or until set, rotating pie plate a half turn after every 5 minutes. Cool and chill until serving time. Garnish with whipped topping.

PEPPER PITA PIZZAS

1 teaspoon olive oil
1 medium onion, thinly sliced
1 red bell pepper, cut in thin strips
1 green bell pepper, cut in thin strips
4 cloves garlic, minced
2 tablespoons minced fresh basil

or 2 teaspoons dried basil
1 tablespoon minced fresh oregano or 1 teaspoon dried oregano
2 Italian plum tomatoes, coarsely chopped
4 pita breads
1 cup (4 ounces) shredded reduced fat Monterey Jack cheese

Preheat oven to 425°F. Heat olive oil in medium nonstick skillet over medium heat until hot. Add onion, peppers, garlic, basil and oregano. Partially cover and cook 5 minutes or until tender, stirring occasionally. Add tomatoes. Partially cover and cook 3 minutes.

Place pita breads on baking sheet. Divide tomato mixture evenly among pita breads. Top each pita bread with 1/4 cup cheese. Bake 5 minutes or until cheese is melted. Makes 4 servings. Ready to serve in 28 minutes.

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Health Matters

GETTING KIDS TO EAT THEIR FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

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All children over the age of two should eat a diet in which 30 percent or fewer of the calories come from fat. This means that for every 100 calories consumed, they should have no more than three grams of fat. (Children younger than two need more fat to meet the energy need of rapid growth.) To meet this goal use low fat or fat free dairy products, lean cuts of meat in small portions, and an ample supply of grains, pastas, fruits and vegetables.

same food is offered at another meal, it will then be familiar and the child will be more likely to try it. Also, serve small portions and let the child ask for more. This gives you both a feeling of success.

Most children like fruits because they are naturally sweet. Just making them available is the key. Give fruit as a snack instead of chips or cookies. Serve unsweetened applesauce instead of ice cream—try sprinkling on some cinnamon for added flavor. Frozen blueberries—right out of the freezer—make a great snack; so do frozen bananas.

Use a little creativity and you will find what works for your family, but the younger you start, the easier making changes will be. And don't forget: The example you set has the greatest impact.

Tip of the week: Two to four servings of fruit should be consumed each day.

Incorporating a variety of healthy foods at meal times and as snacks takes some planning and a bit of patience, but establishing good nutrition early will reward your child with a lifetime of healthy dietary habits.

Serving a variety of fruits and vegetables and including some at every meal helps ensure all nutrient needs are met. If your child will not try a new food the first time you serve it, don't force him. When the

Christopher G. Fleming is the Project Health Coordinator and Instructor of Kinesiology and Health Promotion at Prestonsburg Community College. He has a bachelor's degree in Health and Physical Education, a master's degree in Education, and a Master's plus Thirty with emphasis in Exercise Science. Fleming is also a certified American College of Sports Medicine Health Fitness Instructor.

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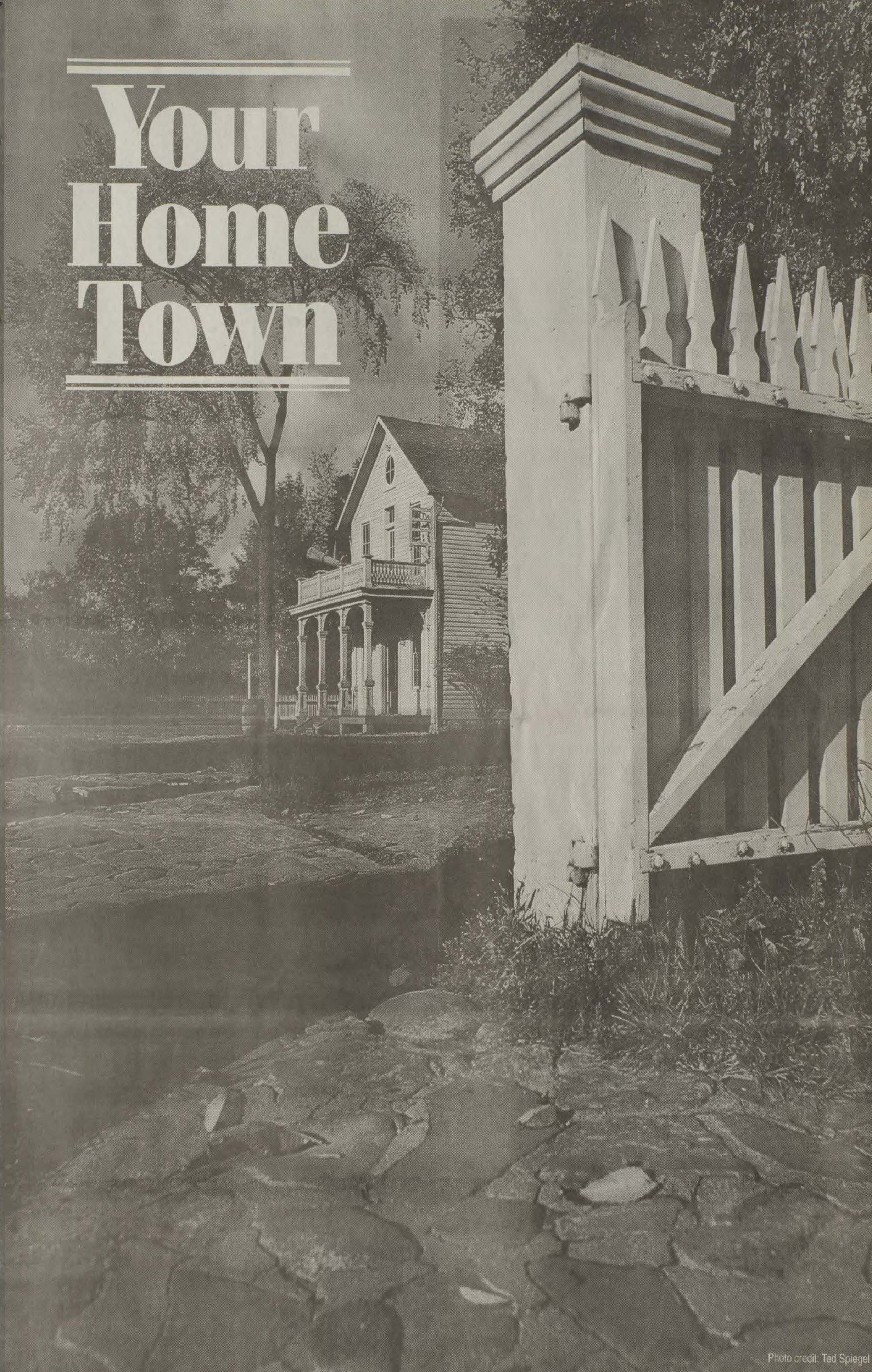


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The patio at CC's cafe is expected to be a highlight for this autumn's season. The patio adds to the atmosphere of the restaurant.

Mom's Sunday dinner every day of the week at CC's Cafe

by Patti M. Clark
Staff Writer

Looking for a new niche in which to operate, the owners of CC's Cafe turned to a style of food that Eastern Kentucky is famous for — home cooking.

"It's like having mom's Sunday dinner every day of the week," manager Judy Goble said.

Jeff Barjuca and his partners are not new to Prestonsburg even though the restaurant on North Lake Drive has a new face. Before CC's opened, the company owned Tacos Too.

Struggling with sales that weren't quite what they wanted them to be, Barjuca decided to look at the new concept.

There's a CC's in Nicholasville and Lexington and Goble said expansion may be in the works for Pike or Johnson counties.

"It is paying off," she said.

While the Tacos Too chain still exists and is doing great in other

locales, Goble said it just wasn't working here.

The draw now is the home-cooked meals. Nearly everything is made from scratch.

"We make things people like to eat," Goble said.

The most popular menu items include pot roast and mashed potatoes and gravy. Another favorite is the cajun chicken salad.

"We use good recipes and that's what helps make it good," Goble said. "That cookbook is our Bible and each person makes a dish the same way."

She says Barjuca and others in the chain compiled the cookbook by picking up recipes handed down from family and friends. They prepared the dishes they thought the customers might enjoy the most, but just don't have the time to cook.

"These really are home-cooked meals," Goble said. "And the prices are really reasonable too."

The atmosphere also helps.

Country music filters through speakers throughout the restaurant, which has only 14 tables inside and six tables outside. They owners like the down-home atmosphere and plan to keep it that way.

"We've been having a huge lunch crowd from the people in offices in town," Goble said. "This is something different than what they've had before. It's real food real fast."

The patio has added to that atmosphere, giving diners an alternative. "It's an ideal spot to have a root beer and watch one of the festival parades that are coming up," Goble said.

While the month of July saw sales decline, Goble said that's expected in the restaurant business. "People go on vacation. Their kids are out of school. Many go home for lunch," she said.

She said restaurant sales always pick back up when the kids head off to class and parents are too busy to cook a homestyle meal.

Floyd County's best kept secret revealed—the health department

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Carol Holbrook, who heads the Floyd County Health Department, says the health department is "one of the best kept secrets in Kentucky," and she's trying to get the word out about the many services it offers to area residents.

Health department personnel have gone door-to-door and even stuffed informational circulars into grocery bags, but people still think the health department only gives baby shots, educates the public about sexually transmitted diseases (STD's) and provides birth certificates. That's just a small part of the services the health department offers the community, Holbrook says.

WIC (WOMEN, INFANT, AND CHILDREN)

A major component of the health department services is its WIC program, a supplemental program for women, infants and children. Holbrook says statistics indicate numerous Floyd County families qualify for the program, but aren't utilizing it.

The program provides short-term benefits for pregnant or breast-feeding mothers and also for their infants. It provides, at no cost to the mother, nutritious foods for mothers and their infants.

The program isn't just for the low-income families, Holbrook says. It's also for working families. She cited as an example a nurse who works at a local hospital and her husband who also has a well-paying job. The couple recently became parents and they qualify for the WIC program.

Patients who have been on WIC and who have been discharged can reapply. Holbrook urges Floyd County families to take advantage of the program. Mothers can call the health department to find out if they are eligible.

HOME HEALTH

Another of the health department's major services is its Home Health Agency, "considered to be one of the best in the state," Holbrook says. The agency is ranked No. 1 in being cost effective, according to Holbrook.

The agency renders services to

its homebound patients without regard for the patients' ability to pay, Holbrook says.

The Home Health Agency provides skilled nursing care, home health aides, 24-hour private duty nursing, physical therapy, speech therapy, and medical social services.

Holbrook says the health department works well with the three other home health agencies in the county, but she cautions bringing in agencies backed by major companies.

"I think that (the state board of health approving) health services that are not already available here is a wonderful thing, but we need to be cautious about duplication of services," Holbrook says. "There are a lot of bigger companies that can come in and undercut a public agency."

She explained that the state would then cut funds to the public agency when use of its services slacked. "We're not afraid of competition. If the public agency is put out of business by being undercut, then I'm worried about the people who do not have any insurance or any means of paying. It's those patients who can't provide any form of payment who will suffer."

SATELLITE PROGRAMS

The Floyd County Health Department has satellite health programs throughout the county. The health department has branch offices in Betsy Layne and Wheelwright.

A Children in Crisis Stabilization Unit of the health department is expected to open around the first of September in the Viola Bailey Memorial/McDowell Senior Citizens building.

Holbrook says she is impressed with the commitment of the McDowell Senior Citizens Center. "Their concern is to provide services to the community. They're aware of the needs in their area and are very vocal about it."

PRENATAL PROGRAM

The prenatal program at the health department just got underway last September, but it has been growing in leaps and bounds, Holbrook says. The program began with one nurse and now has three on staff.

The service has a potential caseload of 300 women, according to Holbrook.

The service is an enhanced care program that complements a physician's care. It is an education and counseling service, Holbrook says. Pregnant mothers receive monthly prenatal counseling. They're told about the changes that will take place in their bodies and about the development of their baby. They're also advised about their responsibility to take care of their bodies in order to give birth to healthy children.

The program also offers perinatal visits from nurses at the health department. Through the program, pregnant teenagers are also visited by resource persons who support the teens through their pregnancy. The resource persons also make sure the teens visit their doctor on a routine basis and consume a healthy diet.

IMMUNIZATIONS

Health department nurses give diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis, oral polio, HIB, measles-mumps-rubella, tetanus-diphtheria, influenza, and Hepatitis B immunizations at the health department, the satellite clinics, and area family resource centers.

The Floyd County Health Department has improved its immunization compliance record with the state. It has gone from a 50 percent compliance rate to an 86 percent rate, better than the statewide rate of 78 percent.

PSI AND RTR

Floyd County has been identified as having one of the state's highest number of teenage pregnancies. The health department is taking steps to lower that rate by putting trained teenage peers into the classrooms and teaching their fellow students that it's okay to say, "No," through the Postponing Sexual Involvement and Reducing The Risk programs.

PARTNERS IN PREVENTION

The health department also offers body analysis, health risk assessments, laboratory services, family planning, pediatric, and diabetes services.

"The bottom line is if we can't (offer a treatment), then we can certainly provide services to help those that can do it," Holbrook says.



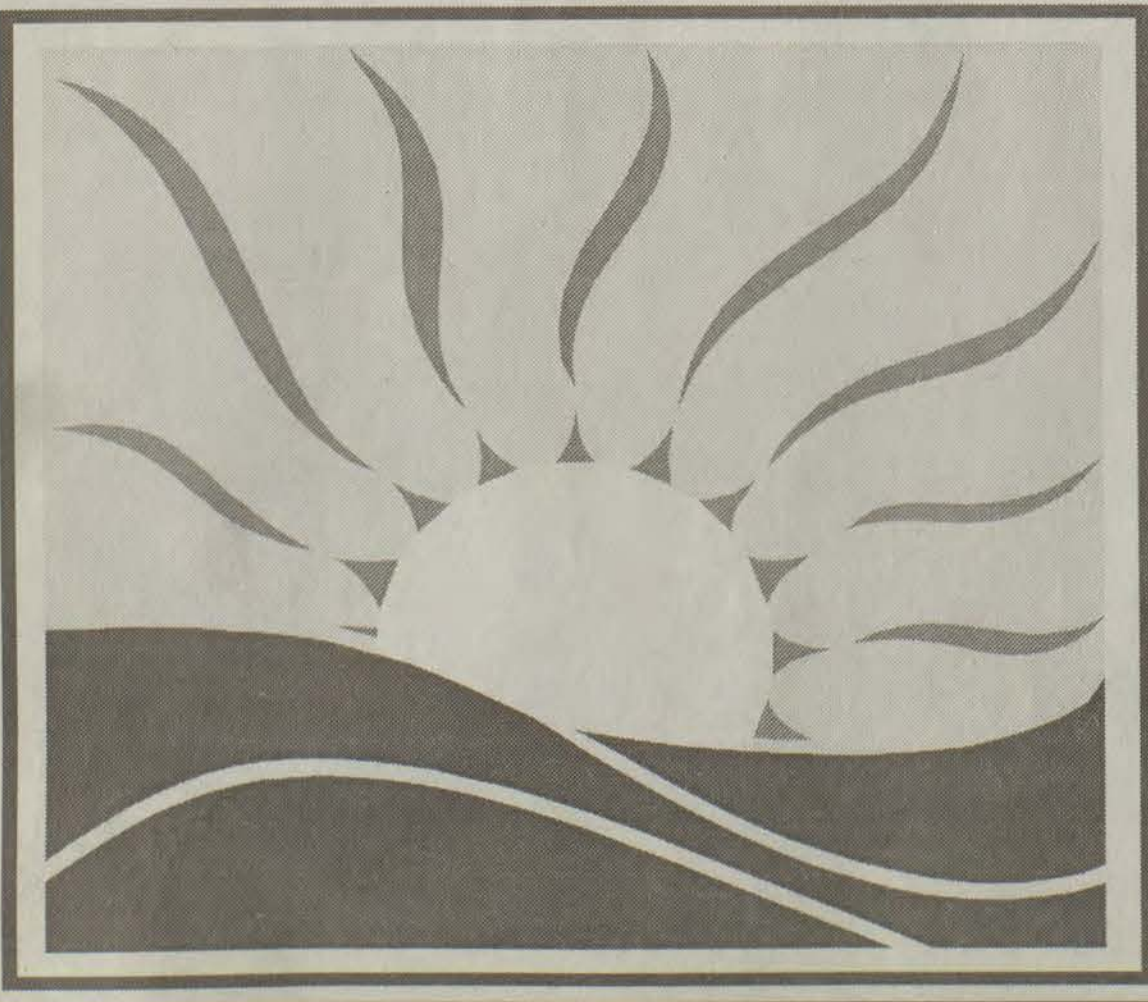
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First Commonwealth Bank's 'roots run deep'

by Patti M. Clark
Staff Writer

The only locally-owned bank in Floyd County has roots that run deep. With more than 90 years of service to the people of Eastern Kentucky, First Commonwealth Bank has become a tradition in the area.

Customer service and quality management, according to Vice President Robert Allen, have kept the bank alive and growing since it opened its doors more than 92 years ago.

"Being involved in the community has also been very important," Allen said.

The history of the bank includes its start in an "upper room" to the construction of a new multi-story facility overlooking the Big Sandy River.

First Commonwealth opened its doors May 2, 1904 as the First National Bank of Prestonsburg, a nationally chartered banking facility. It was the second bank in Prestonsburg.

That first office was "an upper room of the law office of May & May," but the bank's business grew quickly as area residents gained confidence in the establishment. Five years after opening its doors, the bank moved its headquarters to First Avenue. In a little more than ten years, the bank had grown so much it needed more room.

A committee was formed in June 1920 to oversee the construction of an addition to the "Front and Bridge Street" building. Just as important were the contents of that building as noted in October 1920:

"...the board directed the cashier to buy and install the latest and improved posting machine, ostensibly to keep up with the higher volume of work being required." Although the word "technology" didn't exist in 1920, President Hiram Harris was setting the tone for his

Before and after. Bank and community dignitaries shoveled the first dirt from the site of the newest First Commonwealth location. The new building today.



successors in providing the necessary tools to meet customer needs.

The Stock Market Crash of 1929 and the Great Depression of the 1930s didn't devastate Floyd County or the First National Bank to the extent it did Wall Street. But the bank and its customers weren't immune from the fall either.

The rent of bank-owned offices was increased from \$36 to \$50 in 1931, when there appeared a new confidence in the economy. That amount didn't even include utilities.

Despite that confidence, however, First National sustained losses in bonds in 1934 and 1935 and a reduction in salaries was necessary to avoid layoffs.



The third office of First Commonwealth was located on North Lake Drive at the intersection of Court Street and North Lake Drive. The bank moved from that location ten years ago.

Perhaps as a result of the 1930s experience, in 1935, a remodeling contract for the first floor of the bank included an order of 230 safe deposit boxes.

During the remainder of the 1930s and through the war years, the bank underwent a period of growth to position itself properly for the 1950s.

In 1944, a new shareholder, Burl Spurlock, joined the board. Over the next 28 years, Spurlock would serve on the board as executive vice president and president from 1954 to 1972.

Seeing the post-war population growth on the horizon, as well as the need to once again provide customer convenience, the board of directors

decided to relocate the main office to the northeast corner of the intersection of North Lake Drive and Court Street. That decision was made on July 28, 1952.

The logic of the move was obvious. No longer were the railroad and river the prime modes of transportation; not for long, anyway. The heavily-traveled Route 23, also known as the Mayo Trail, was at the doorstep of the soon to be bank office.

The new banking headquarters were first occupied in September 1953. The total assets at the time were approximately \$5 million.

During the 1960s, under the direction and leadership of Burl Spurlock, the bank grew and prospered and total assets grew to more than \$14.6 million by December 31, 1966.

In the next decade, the bank continued to assert its leadership in the community and was rewarded with additional growth. Russell Hagewood, a long-time senior officer of the bank, became president in 1972 after the death of Burl Spurlock, and served in that capacity until his passing in 1976. Under his helm, the bank grew from more than \$36 million by December 31, 1972 to more than \$63.5 million by December 31, 1976.

Burl Wells Spurlock was named president after the death of Hagewood and remains in that position today.

In 1980, the board of directors authorized the conversion of the bank from one with a national charter to one with a state charter. That's when First National Bank of Prestonsburg became the First Commonwealth Bank of Prestonsburg. The change took place on April 7, 1980 and total assets at the time had grown to nearly \$98,500,000.

Shortly after the name change, officials purchased land to build a new bank headquarters. The main office was no longer adequate because of substantial asset growth and more than 80 employees to house. The planning and construc-

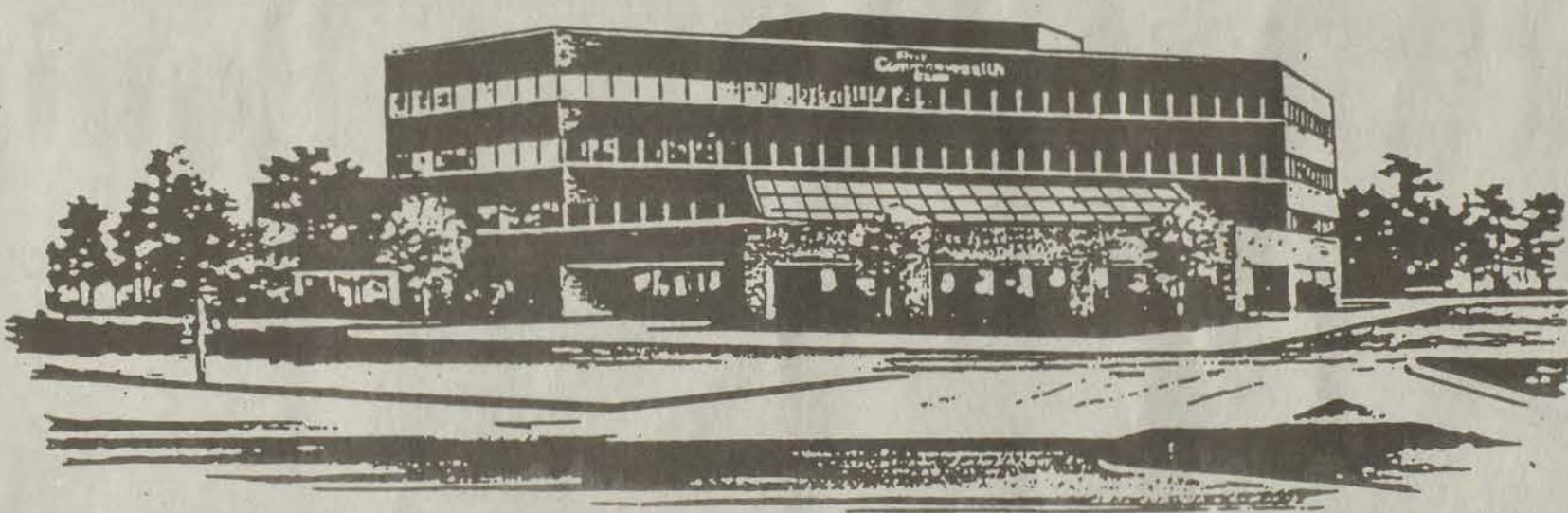


The second office of First Commonwealth Bank opened on First Avenue in 1909, five years after the bank opened its doors.

tion time took several years but in October 1986, the new main office was occupied. The building, at 169 North Arnold Avenue, was constructed on property that had been owned by heirs of Professor Julian Harlow and the old "Garfield Place," the headquarters in January 1864 of Major James A.

Garfield who served with the Union Army during the Battle of Middlecreek.

The bank now has about \$150,000,000 in assets as it continues to be very efficient, serving its customers with a wide variety of financial services supported by the latest technologies and data processing.



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Experience everything Prestonsburg has to offer

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Prestonsburg is a town with a future, and the city is taking steps to ensure that future is a success, according to its mayor, Jerry Fannin.

A new music complex, the Mountain Arts Center, opens this fall and will bring a new level of entertainment to the city. The center plans to bring some top-name entertainers in the country music, gospel and jazz industry to its stage.

The Arts Center will offer a diversified program of entertainment, from orchestras to folk. The Kentucky Opry and the Kentucky Opry Junior Pros will be regular performers at the center.

A future project that will boost the city's tourism trade is a mountain-top 18-hole championship golf course within city limits that will include a recreational center and, possibly, a residential housing complex. The city is currently seeking an agreement with Costain Coal, the company mining the site, and is working in a joint effort with Jenny Wiley State Resort Park to develop a recreational facility, according to Prestonsburg Tourism director Fred James. James said the projects are potentially unparalleled for golf and recreation in Kentucky.

The city received \$400,000 from the state for the design phase of the project, Fannin said. That design will include facilities for all ages.

"There'll be something for everybody for all ages," Fannin said.

He hopes to have a complex that will house the senior citizens center, adult day care center, child care center, and youth center, as well as other on-site programs at the recreational

on South Lake Drive, offer visitors an opportunity to relax in a tranquil setting, or to pull out their knives and whittling sticks.

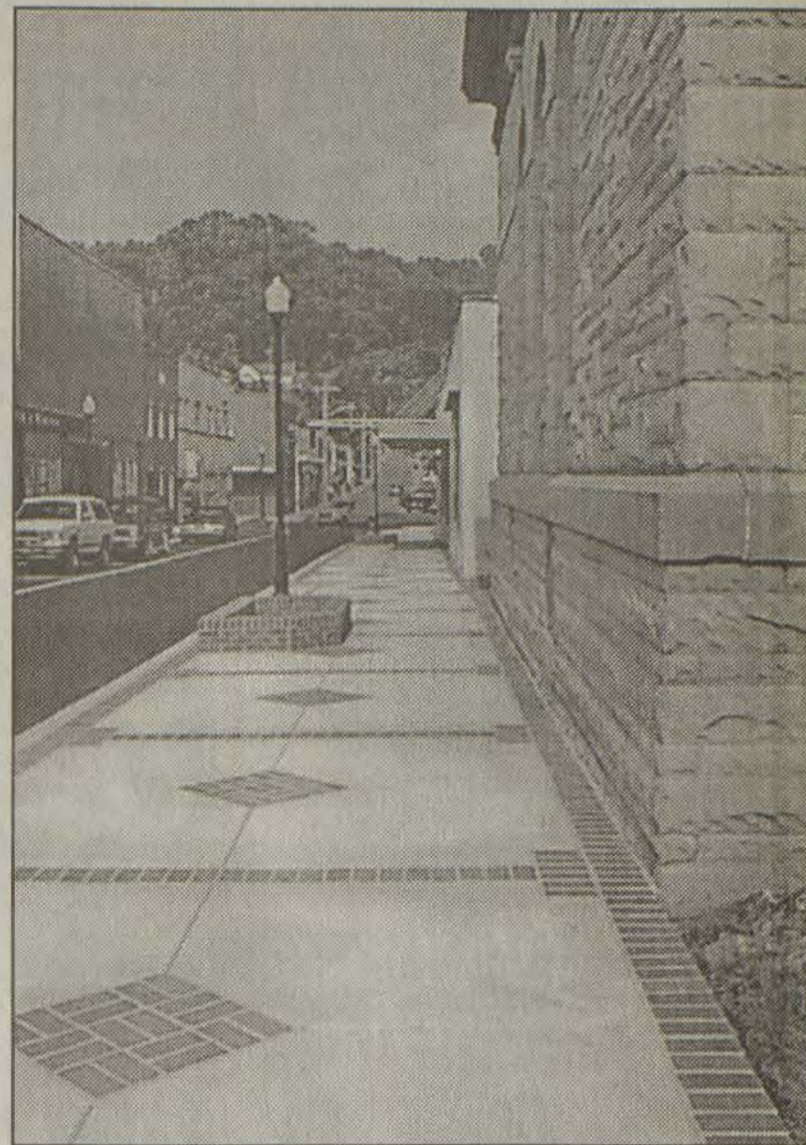
Just down the street and over the riverbank, another area offers respite from a busy day. The Riverpark,

city's new Town Center Parking Lot on North Lake Drive. The Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival's gospel show will be held in the parking lot in October, pending completion of the Mountain Arts Center. If the center is finished by the festival date, the

gospel sing may be held there, but entertainment can still be found onstage in the parking lot area during the festival. Other festival activities will also center around the parking lot.



The Mountain Arts Center is scheduled to open this fall and should usher in a new era of entertainment to Prestonsburg and Floyd County. (photo by Janice Shepherd)



Prestonsburg city sidewalks are now paved with new concrete and red brick and are wider for the convenience of downtown shoppers and strollers. The new look is reminiscent of golden, olden days when life was less hectic and area residents had time to catch up on gossip when they met on the sidewalk. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

site.

Under the guidance of Mayor Jerry Fannin, Prestonsburg is getting a facelift, adding to its attractive, small-town atmosphere.

Changes in city sidewalks in downtown Prestonsburg invite strollers to take a leisurely journey through the city. The wider sidewalks, interspersed with red brick and lined with lanterned street lights, are reminiscent of the horse and buggy days, when the pace of life was slower and city visitors had time to sit a spell and gossip.

A gazebo and benches, the city's latest project located at the red light

located behind Billy Ray's Restaurant, has an old-fashioned swing in a cool, shady spot. The swing faces the river, and visitors can watch the ducks swim down river while they relax. The park also offers a covered picnic pavilion and a covered stage.



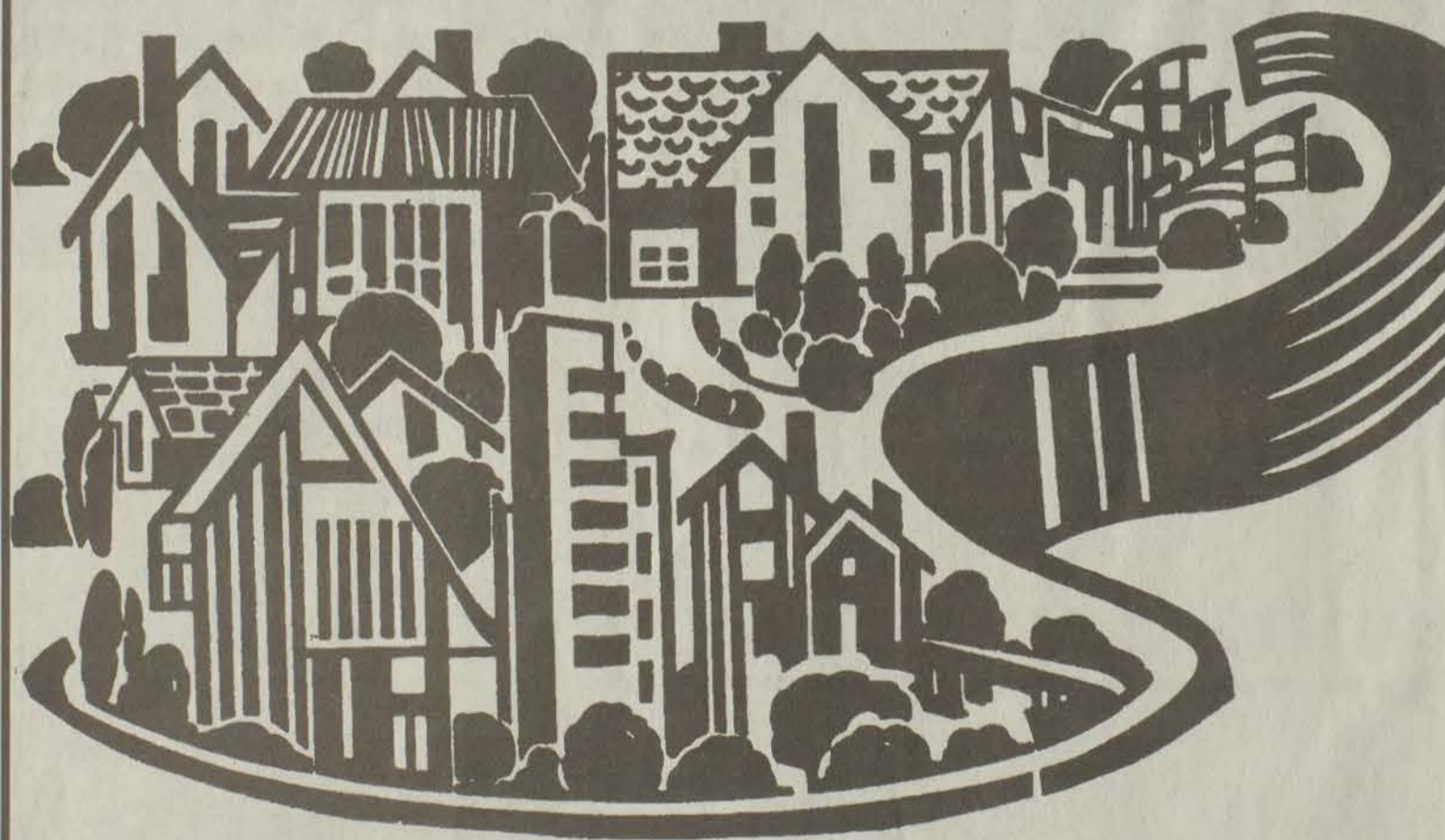
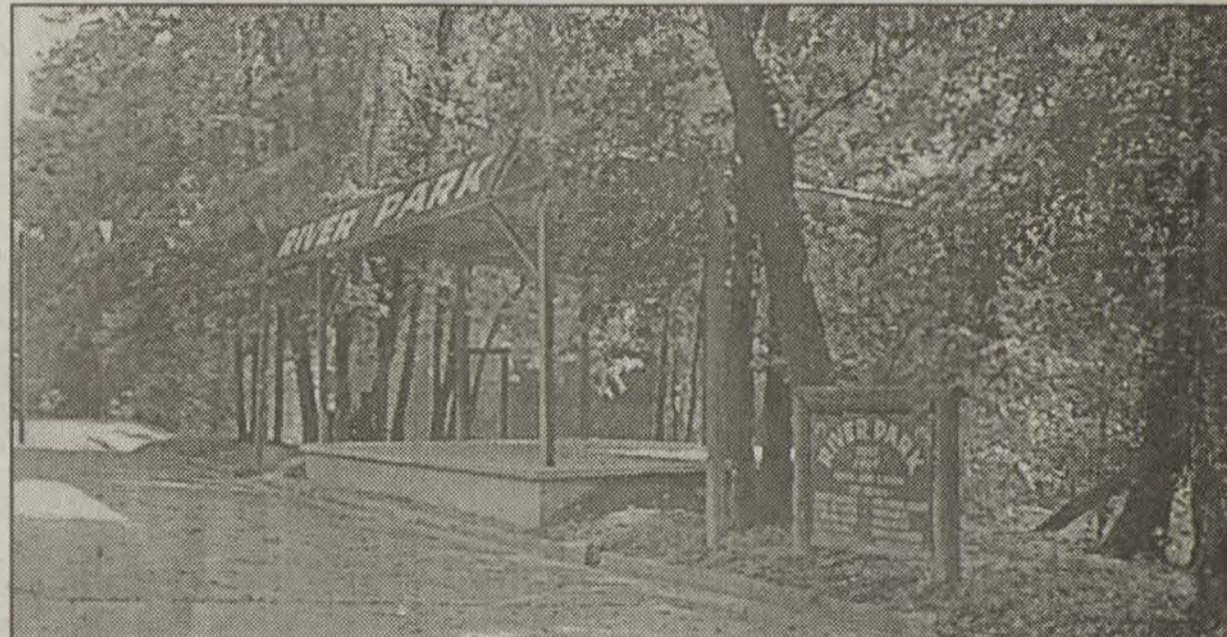
Free country music and gospel shows are held on the stage.

Free shows are also held in the In photo to the right, the stage of the River Park awaits the next entertainment event. A picnic shelter and a swing are located beside the stage and face the river. In the photo to the left and from right, Prestonsburg dispatcher Gary Dotson; Mayor Jerry Fannin; Fire Chief Tom Bo Blackburn; Tim Blackburn; Darrell Sparks and Adam Blackburn, son of Tim Blackburn, stand beside some of the city's latest emergency equipment purchased to meet the needs of the city residents. (photo by Janice

have pie throwing contests, juried arts and crafts displays, craft demonstrations, folk music, youth contests, beauty pageants, and a pioneer and archery competition — just lots and lots of old-fashioned festival fun.

The pioneer competition is a first for Prestonsburg, but it should generate plenty of excitement as the bravest and most skilled men in the county vie for prizes. The competition includes muzzle shooting, archery contests, ax throws, canoe paddling, and an obstacle course. The Pioneer Competition will take place

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Highlands Regional Medical Center will open Harold Primary Care facility on September 1

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Highlands Regional Medical Center will open Harold Primary Care September 1 at Harold. Primary Care is a family practice facility aimed at increasing the availability of family practice medicine in an underserved area, according to Kathy Rubado, director of public relations at Highlands.

Currently, people living in the Harold area must travel quite a distance to find family physician care. Residents must either go to the Mud Creek Clinic, or Betsy Layne and Prestonsburg to find the nearest health care facilities. The Harold Primary Care Center is located at 273 Old Harold Road, about 1/2-mile off U.S. 23 on Rt. 979.

The family practice will be staffed by hometown physicians, Dr. Debra K. Hall and Dr. Blake Burchett.

Burchett has been practicing family medicine in Floyd County for the past ten years. He has offices at Betsy Layne in the Hayes Complex and at Prestonsburg in the Archer Clinic.

He is involved in the community. A few of his community commitments include promoting baseball and tourism activities in the county. Burchett has also served on the Prestonsburg

Tourism Commission for several years.

Dr. Hall is a family practitioner who just finished her internship and three years of residency at McLeod Regional Medical Center in Florence, South Carolina. The pull of Floyd County, her native home, proved too strong to resist, and Hall returned to bring her skills to back to the county.

Her family was another strong incentive for Hall to return to Floyd County. Her parents, Lloyd and Amanda Hall, live in the Goble-Roberts Addition and her brother, Lloyd Keith Hall, lives at Sugar Loaf near Prestonsburg.

Dr. Hall said she also had another reason to practice medicine in Floyd County. She likes Eastern Kentucky and its people.

"Everybody is friendly here. There's few crimes and drugs — not like away from here," she said last week.

At McLeod Hospital where she did her residency, Hall saw a lot of injuries from violent crimes. The city of Florence, North Carolina was located just off I-95, which runs from New York to Miami, she said, and the violence spilled over to the cities along the route.

She doesn't expect to see those type of



Harold Primary Care will bring family practitioners into the Harold community. The health care facility will be staffed by Dr. Debra K. Hall and Dr. Blake Burchett, both native Floyd Countians. The center will also bring health care closer to home for the Harold and the surrounding community, (photo by Steve Porter)

injuries here. She does expect, though, to encounter a community atmosphere and a sense of belonging. She is especially excited about becoming part of the Harold community.

"It's a nice place," she said. "I like the idea of working with the whole family. Family physicians share the good things — graduations, births."

She wants to develop close relationships with her patients. "A personal relationship develops with family physicians and their patients. They come to trust their physician as a friend and be more honest and more upfront. They get a sense that the physician actually cares about them," she said.

Kathy Rubado agrees: "Family physicians develop a closer relationship with their patients. They understand the patients' problems and follow (their patients) through life."

That's part of what attracted Hall to the field of family physicians.

During her third year as a medical student, she spent about one month assisting Dr. Blake Burchett at his offices in Betsy Layne and Prestonsburg.

"That's when I decided to do family medicine. I kept in touch with him and he's helped me along."

When Highlands Regional recruited her to work with Burchett at the Harold Primary facility, she couldn't refuse and moved back to Floyd County about three weeks ago.

"I'm still unpacking," she said last Thursday. Dr. Hall and her roommate, her cat, have just moved into their home on Arnold Avenue in Prestonsburg.

Dr. Hall plans to focus her attention on keeping her patients healthy.

She'll educate them about the importance of diet, the dangers to their health from smoking, consuming alcohol, and the need for regular exercise.

She's also working toward some

free services for the patients at the clinic. Currently, she's seeking Frankfort's help to provide free immunizations for children and young adults, up to 21 years of age.

Dr. Hall said she's glad that Highlands Regional Medical Center located its new Primary Care Clinic at Harold and thinks it will provide easier access to health care since the nearest facility, the Mud Creek Clinic, is about 10 to 15 miles away from clinic.

Scott Richardson said the project had been in the works for the past two years, since Highlands did a needs assessment on the area and was made aware about the number of residents in the growing business community and the need for the Primary Health Care facility.

"We've been recruiting physicians — there's always been a need for physicians in the area — and we've been developing the clinic at the same time," Richardson said.

Part of the easier access will involve lab facilities. Some basic

laboratory work, such as blood specimens, will be taken at the clinic. Highlands' personnel will do the leg work, picking up the lab work and transporting it to the hospital's lab for testing, Richardson said.

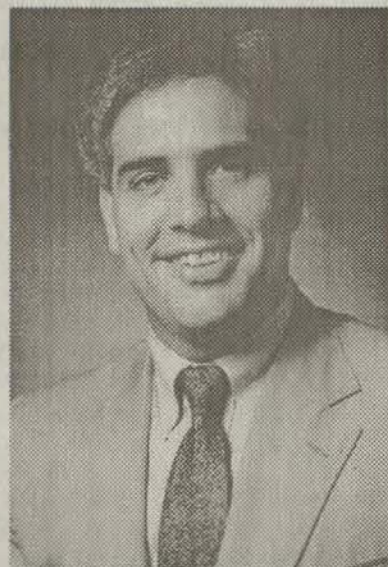
The clinic will also make it easier for patients who need more extensive testing at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Kathy Rubado added, because the clinic and the hospital will take care of the paperwork before the patient arrives at the hospital.

Rubado said the new clinic helps fulfill part of Highland Regional Medical Center's vision statement — to make Eastern Kentucky a better place to live and provide quality medical care to area residents.

Dr. Hall will see patients at the Harold Primary Care Center Monday, Wednesday and Fridays, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Dr. Burchett will see patients at the clinic on Tuesdays, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For appointments, call 478-8787.



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Dr. Hall and Dr. Burchett are currently seeing patients at the Hayes Complex in Betsy Layne

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East Kentucky Auto Parts maintains service, tradition

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

East Kentucky Auto Parts may have changed owners a little more than a year ago, but the same service and tradition that have been available for more than 40 years is still there, along with quality products and warehouse prices.

For 40 years, C. J. McNally owned and operated East Kentucky Auto Parts, and a little more than a year ago, Bluegrass Parts Warehouse of Danville purchased the store from McNally.

"We've been in the area as a warehouse, a warehouse distributor, and now as a company store," manager Dan Jennings said, "We want to continue the tradition of service that C. J. McNally provided customers and build on that tradition."

Even though the store is owned by an out-of-town company, Jennings said it is still considered to be a community-wide store. East Kentucky Auto Parts is locally operated and "we try to buy everything locally."

Jennings said the store buys all its paper products, brooms, cleaning supplies, etc. from other Floyd County businesses. However, he did explain that if the store could not purchase supplies from local businesses, the store then looks to the next closest location.

Jennings said the store has brought warehouse prices to Floyd County. He explained that since the store was a warehouse outlet, the

"middle man" is skipped, and so prices are not increased, as they normally are for the middle man to make a profit.

"Our prices are lower across the board," Jennings said.

Aside from the tradition and service, East Kentucky Auto Parts is also a very active contributor to the community.

This year, the store donated a tool set, Bearcat scanner, and a radar detector to the Kiwanis' Golf Tournament.

Plans are currently being made between East Kentucky Auto Parts, Angler's Bait and Tackle, and the Floyd County Rescue Squad to raise funds for the rescue squad — a non-profit organization which provides a valuable service to Floyd County — from proceeds of a fishing tournament.

"We are trying to put as much into the community as possible," Jennings said.

Included with the service, low prices, and community involvement, East Kentucky Auto Parts offers name-brand products, Professional Choice merchandise, and Performance Products. "We have Moog, Dayco, Standard Motor Products, as well as Professional Choice merchandise for price-conscious shoppers," Jennings said.

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Holiday Inn not just for travelers

by Polly Ward
Contributing Writer

Although Holiday Inn of Prestonsburg may be considered the perfect home-away-from-home for travelers, the full-service hotel has plenty to offer area residents.

That is the message the Holiday Inn management team wants to emphasize. "We are a full service hotel and we have a lot to offer to people here in Floyd and surrounding counties," said Linda Smith, the hotel's comptroller and food and beverage director.

Smith, Rooms Division Manager Stanual Mullins, and Chief of Maintenance and Security Keith Frasure, make up the hotel's general management. Through their leadership, the Inn, located on U.S. 23 South, was named a Holiday Inn International Quality/Excellence Award Winner for 1995.

That means that the facility ranked in the top ten percent of more than 2,000 Holiday Inns world-wide in terms of services and products it offers its customers.

"The ranking of the hotels is based on guest comments. The award is really given to us by our guests," explained Mullins. "They say we're doing a good job."

"Twice a year we have a (surprise) on-site inspection from Holiday Inn," said Smith. "That is also factored into the award."

The dedication of the hotel's 70 employees is a major reason its customers give the hotel's service a high rating. "The security and maintenance workers are knowledgeable people," said Mullins. "The house-keeping staff is good."

The hotel celebrated its tenth

anniversary in June and, to show their appreciation for work well done, management held a reception for its employees. Certificates and pins were awarded to employees based on years of service.

Three employees, bartender Steve Lafferty and waitresses Kay Conn and Anna Benner, have been with the hotel for ten years. "Several others employees have been here eight or nine years," said Smith.

The Holiday Inn also celebrated its first decade of service with an open house to show appreciation for area customers' patronage. "Where other facilities try to appeal to the traveling public, we want to appeal to the traveling public and community," Smith emphasized.

Accordingly, Holiday Inn offers amenities that appeal to both travelers and the community.

ROOM ACCOMMODATIONS

The full-service hotel accommodations includes 117 exterior entrance guest rooms. Guests can choose rooms with king-size and double size beds, and smoking or non-smoking. The rooms have cable TV.

A suite is also available that includes a sleep room, a hospitality-type room that includes a wet bar and a dry bar, and a kitchenette.

FINE DINING

Kelsey's Restaurant, located just off the lobby, offers "fine dining in a relaxed atmosphere," Smith said. Although the dining room has an elegant decor, "We don't want people to feel they must dress up," Smith said.

The restaurant features daily lunch and dinner specials, as well as a "catch of the day."

Kelsey's extensive Sunday buffet, which offers a variety of food choices,

including at least three entrees for only \$6.95 per person, has become extremely popular with locals. "We thank the community for the tremendous response to our buffet," Smith said.

The restaurant boasts five chefs. Executive chef is Larry Brewer.

"The comments we hear concerning the restaurant is about how good the food is," said Mullins. "And once diners start coming here, they keep coming back."

BANQUET FACILITIES

Holiday Inn has four adjoining banquet rooms that serve as meeting and/or banquet facilities. The rooms can be opened into one large ballroom for a large event, such as a wedding reception or business meeting.

The banquet rooms are also used as a setting for birthday parties, anniversary celebrations, and other types of receptions. The Inn has a full-time banquet coordinator and other professional staff who attend to the smallest detail for customers.

Various community civic groups and organizations use the facilities for meetings and other functions.

FULL-SERVICE LOUNGE

Sweet Georgia Brown's, the Holiday Inn's full-service lounge, is known for its entertainment and good food. Every Tuesday night is "Jimmy Buffet Night," an evening that features the music of singer Jimmy Buffet. "We have good crowds for that," Mullins noted.

Each Thursday and Friday night, dee-jay Rich Hughes wows the crowd with his presentation of past and present musical favorites.

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Our Lady of the Way, growing to meet needs of Floyd County

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

In the past, mothers waited — and it probably seemed like an endless wait — in a hospital emergency room late at night for treatment of their children's colds.

The moms may have just gotten off work and discovered their two-year-olds were ill. Their doctors' offices were closed, so they went to the local emergency room for treatment for their children.

The visit may have taken hours because hospital staff were tied up with life-threatening emergencies. The visit was also expensive because they were paying for emergency room services.

These working mothers needed primary care for their children during evening hours and on weekends. Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin recognized that need and took steps to remedy that situation.

"As many as half of the patients who currently seek emergency services do not require true emergency care, but rather are people who need access to primary health care services. This includes people who cannot get an appointment during the day to see a private physician and people who have no private physician," says Kathy Stumbo, the hospital's associate administrator.

Stumbo said that elderly residents in the area also had a problem receiving after-hours primary care because they lacked transportation to clinics until their care providers were off work.

In an effort to provide the best possible care for these patients who need emergency care in the evenings and on weekends when physicians offices are closed, the hospital expanded its emergency services on July 1 with the opening of an outpatient clinic facility.

The emergency room will continue as a vital hospital service, providing true emergency care, while the clinic will provide access to those in need of less urgent primary care services, Stumbo explained.

The clinic will be open from 3 p.m. to 11 p.m., Monday through Friday and from 11 a.m. until 11 p.m., Saturday and Sunday — peak volume hours for ER services, according to the hospital's chief operating officer, John Osborne.

The emergency room will continue its 24-hour operation. When patients come to the hospital's emergency room during the primary care clinic hours, they will be triaged, says Billie Turner, vice president of Patient Care Services. A nurse will get vital signs and medical history. Patients with trauma, chest pain, respiratory distress, difficulty breathing, severe pain or in life threatening situations will be treated in the emergency room, according to Turner.

Patients with less threatening symptoms, such as ear aches or sore throats, will be sent to the clinic, located just across the hall from the emergency room.

The four-bed expanded service will allow patients to receive the best possible service in a shorter time. Turner says the hospital's goal is to have patients in the clinic and in the process of being seen by a practitioner within 30 minutes.

The clinic will be staffed by a physician, a physician's assistant, and registered nurses.

The hospital's COO John Osborne, said the clinic was opened in response to comments from patients.

"We, as part of the community,

In photo to right, Billie Turner watched as Melinda Stumbo filled out paperwork. In bottom photo, Stumbo and R.N. Teresa Bailey put a sling around the cast of Nicholas Hoover, who broke his arm during gym class at his school. He is the son of James and Connie Hoover of Eastern.

are very interested in knowing what the comments and the needs of people in the community are," he said.

"We want to know (our patients') feelings about what we're providing. We want to know what they think about our services. That's what we're here for," he said.

The clinic should also reduce the cost to patients for after-hours care. A visit to most emergency rooms for a simple cold could cost as high as \$200, Osborne said. "At the clinic, the cost should be no more than at a physician's office."

Two primary concerns about health care are cost and access, and the clinic is responding to those concerns, he added.

For more information about the clinic, contact Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin at 285-5181.



Bank Josephine has a long tradition of being a financial institution that was the first to provide area residents with many new, innovative banking services. When choosing a financial institution, choose Floyd County's hometown bank — Bank Josephine. (photo by Chris McDavid)

Bank Josephine, your first hometown team since 1891

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

Go with a home team for your banking — go with Bank Josephine.

All banks fall into a proprietary category, Bank Josephine president Donald B. Wise said, and normally the transactions customers have at a bank have a large impact on their lives.

Whether it's buying a home, car, or getting a student loan, a bank enables customers to build life-long memories. And with choosing a bank, it should be important to bank with someone on your home team — and that bank is none other than Bank Josephine.

Bank Josephine has a long tradition of providing services to residents in Floyd County.

The Bank Josephine — incorporated by special Act of the Kentucky Legislature, Chapter 255, Acts 1890 — was the very first bank established in Floyd County. Doors were opened to serve customers on April 1, 1891.

The bank was named in honor of Mrs. Josephine Davidson Harkins, the wife of Walter Scott Harkins, the first Chairman of the Board and the original founder of the bank.

Bank Josephine became the only bank in the United States named after a woman.

According to the book, The History of Floyd County, business began on February 2, 1891 in one

room of Walter Scott Harkins' law office; and about April 1, 1892, the bank moved to a Main Street building, owned by A. J. Davidson.

Approximately nine years later, the bank purchased the site at the corner of First and Court Street, and constructed a modern bank building, which was destroyed in 1916 by a fire started in an adjoining building, the History of Floyd County states.

The bank then moved back to the law office of Walter Scott Harkins, where it continued to do business until its present building was completed on December 26, 1917, according to the History of Floyd County.

Bank Josephine has led the county's banking by providing new and innovative service for customers.

For more than 100 years, the bank was the only bank in the county to provide student loans to make it possible for customers to continue their education through low-interest, government guaranteed loans.

In 1965, Bank Josephine was the first bank to open a branch bank in Floyd County. The bank's first branch facility is located in Allen.

The bank also led the county's banking by being the first to introduce computerized checking accounts in 1969; and in 1970, it was the first bank to offer MasterCard services to Floyd County customers.

The credit cards gave customers one local bank which could handle all their needs, with services ranging

from an application for a credit card to a cash advance.

Bank Josephine also led the way in offering bearing checking accounts or NOW accounts. In 1980, immediately following the legislation, the bank began paying interest on demand deposits.

Another service Bank Josephine was the first to offer customers an automatic Teller Machine at the Prestonsburg Branch in 1981. With automatic Teller Machines, ATMs, customers have access to their banking needs 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Five additional ATMs were put into service, making Bank Josephine accessible at more locations than all other banks in the county combined.

In 1989, the bank joined the CIRCUS ATM Network, giving customers the use of their Bank Josephine card at thousands of location all around the world.

Today, Bank Josephine still offers all these services and many more to its customers. With all the personal service, quality financial products, and friendly people, its easy to see why the bank's motto is "We're your bank of yesterday, today, and tomorrow."

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Continuity of care at Three Rivers

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Continuity of care is an aspect of treatment for patients at the Three Rivers Medical Center located in Louisa.

"Traditionally, continuity of care implies that, when a patient is discharged from the hospital, an adequate level of follow-up care has been initiated. As medical director of the psychiatric program at Three Rivers Medical Center, I have observed how critical this can be," says Dr. Emmanuel Eze.

The whole objective is pursuing continuing care, preventing relapse, and ensuring the patient does not fall through the mental health provider cracks, Eze says.

That is a problem in Eastern Kentucky, according to the medical director.

"In this area, patients more often than not do not follow the discharge planning recommendations. Sooner or later, they relapse and are knocking on our doors again."

Three Rivers has taken steps to resolve that problem by continuity of care. The medical center, which is a 15-bed psychiatric facility, makes its patients' referrals before the patients go home.

When patients are released from the facility, their appointments are made at physicians' offices or mental health facilities close to their home before the parents are discharged, Janet Howard, outreach coordinator for the center, says.

Referrals are also made for home

health services for patients who are homebound. If a patient can no longer live at home, then the medical center will also make arrangements for the patient to be admitted into a nursing home, Howard said.

Referrals include major aspects of the patient's overall well-being, including medical center staff contacting a local senior citizen center or literacy center in the patient's area. Referrals depend on the patient and the situation, according to Howard.

"We make referrals to just about any agency you can name," she says.

The medical center tries to make the transition from the program to home as smooth as possible, Howard says, and takes the extra time and care to work with facilities in the patient's home area.

The medical center offers several outpatient services, including individual and group therapy, including recreational therapy, such as exercise, crafts, and occasional bowling trips. The medical center hopes to include fishing therapy in its treatment schedule.

Therapy also includes visits from guest speakers. Speakers depend on the type of patients being treated at the time, Howard says, explaining that if the center is treating patients with substance abuse problems, then speakers will focus on that topic.

Group therapy includes sessions such as AA meetings and alumni meetings. The monthly alumni sessions are part of the medical center's Big Brother system, in which former patients lend a sympathetic ear to

current patients.

The medical center's focus is to provide acute care, educate the people about mental health, and to perpetuate the family unit, Howard says.

"We try to keep the family unit intact. We concentrate on the closeness of the patient to the family," she adds.

The medical facility accepts referrals from physicians, but doesn't limit its acceptance to only those patients. Anyone who needs help, or who has a family member who needs help, can call the center at its toll-free number, 1-800-249-3602 to receive a screening over the phone.

"You do not have to have a referral, call the number yourself," Howard urged.

If the operator thinks an emergency situation exists, the caller will be referred to a physician, she added. Otherwise, the caller will be asked to come in for a talk with a center staff member before admittance.

If the caller does not have enough criteria for admittance, then a referral will be made to the appropriate agency, such as a substance abuse center, for the patient.

The medical facility is more than just a psychiatric treatment program. It also provides all aspects of health care, Howard said. The center just passed a joint commission (three-year certification). "That's like having a gold seal," Howard said.

The medical center accepts K.M.A., Medicaid, Medicare, and private insurance payments.

A new breed of truck dealer makes its mark—Worldwide Equipment

Terry L. Dotson is not your typical truck dealer. But he soon may be.

As "Customer Satisfaction Leader" as well as chairman, president and chief executive officer of Worldwide Equipment Enterprises in Prestonsburg, Mr. Dotson represents a new breed of truck dealer—selling trucks is only one of many things they do.

From its base in Floyd County, Kentucky, Worldwide has established truck sales and service outlets in West Virginia, Virginia, Ohio and Tennessee.

And building on its traditional customer base among the coal haulers in the rugged hills of Appalachia, the company has picked up significant new business from long-haul fleets.

It also sells scores of used trucks each year to customers outside the U.S.

Through a subsidiary, Service Parts Inc., the company runs its own wholesale parts distribution business that generates annual revenues of \$70 million.

Worldwide is a dealer for Fruehauf, Benson Truck Bodies and several other specialized trailer and off-road equipment manufacturers. It also provides full-service leasing and contract maintenance services.

And this, judging from interview with Mr. Dotson and other Worldwide executives, is just the beginning.

"In five years," Randy Polk, executive vice-president and chief financial officer, said, "we want to be a much larger company and much more diversified."

As he envisions the future, a new breed of technologically sophisticated dealership is poised to grab a much larger share of the market for truck sales and service by acquiring new dealerships, adding new equipment makes and models and offering a much wider range of support services for private and for-hire fleets.

"We want to be larger at what we presently do," Mr. Polk said,

but he added that Worldwide also may "diversify into manufacturing or other areas that may or may not be related to our business."

Terry Dotson was born in Grundy, Virginia, where his dad worked as a service station operator and occasional truck driver. Growing up in Pike County, he washed United Parcel Service trucks and raced motorcycles after school. An avid trumpet player, he attended Pikeville College on a music scholarship.

After graduating in 1972, he took a job selling trucks because, as he recalled, it paid about three times as much as teaching. He quickly moved through the management ranks and in 1981, at age 31, was named president of Eastern Kentucky Mack.

Having a strong mentor helped Mr. Dotson develop into a successful manager very quickly. One of those was James H. "Buck" Harless of West Virginia, who was part-owner of Matewan National Bank and Gilbert Lumber Co. Mr. Harless joined Mr. Dotson in purchasing Eastern Kentucky Mack in 1985.

"The reason we called our company Worldwide Equipment," Mr. Dotson said, "was to get the one word from the two initials, and that's WE. We wanted our people to think of it as their company."

Mr. Dotson still owns about 40 percent of the company.

Coal trucks were the lifeblood of the business throughout the 1980s, and the company's devotion to coal haulers earned it a solid reputation in an area that major truck manufacturers had overlooked for years.

Despite his success, Mr. Dotson realized that coal was a declining resource. In order to continue to grow, Worldwide needed to diversify into other trucking sectors.

"Every time a load goes out, the industry dies a little bit," he said.

Worldwide's approach to selling trucks was a little different. "We ask customers what they want us to do.

"We try to be somebody who will do more than deliver a truck. We want to be a business partner. If you want contract maintenance, we can do that, too."

When Mack decided to get out of the off-highway truck business, Worldwide bought Mack's entire inventory so it could continue to supply parts for customers over the next six or seven years.

Getting parts at a good price was a problem that turned into a golden opportunity for Worldwide.

"We realized there was a significant amount of the parts business that truck dealers didn't get," Mr. Dotson explained. "Wholesale-distribution companies did a better job, especially in selling high-volume replacement parts like filters. So we started our own W-D."

With the establishment of Service Parts Inc., Worldwide could offer customers much faster service. The company runs seven linehaul tractors out of Atlanta each day to bring truck parts into its own chain of stores. Customers can get parts not in stock the same day or overnight. A fleet of 25 delivery trucks also delivers parts directly to the customer or to a job site if necessary.

These initiatives broadened Worldwide's business and set the stage for the diversification of its customer base.

In the 1980s, 90 percent of its business was related to coal. Now it is only 40 percent. "Our real growth started after 1989," Mr. Dotson said.

The company began selling trucks to fast-growing fleets like Danny Herman Trucking of Mountain City, Tennessee, and Super Service, a refrigerated fleet based in Somerset.

They acquired a Kenworth franchise and set up truck leasing operations throughout the region. Recently it opened a dealership in Cincinnati and is looking at possible acquisitions in other cities in the South and West, perhaps as far away as Dallas.

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Friendly service at Martins awaits its customers. The store's employees include, from left, Carmen Burchett, Donna Stone, Sheri Porter, and Mickie Meade. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Martins Department Store: top-of-the-line merchandise

Located in the Glynview Shopping Center near Prestonsburg, Martin's Department Store has brought quality products at reasonable prices to the Floyd County area. Martins has also brought back the experience of small-town, neighborly friendliness to shopping in the county. The clerks at Martins have a smile and a greeting for each customer.

Martins clerks are your next-door neighbors, and Martin's Department Store's, Inc. has always been a good neighbor to the community, taking part in school and civic organizations.

Martin's Department Stores, Inc. was founded in Eastern Kentucky in the late 1940s and has been serving the people of Floyd County for the past year. Martins has strived to serve the area with brand-name merchandise, quality personal service, and competitive prices.

Martin's Department Store's main goal is to separate themselves from the mass merchants with superior clothing, quality, unique fashion selections, and excellent personal service, such as free gift wrapping, free alterations, special orders for the hard-to-fit individual

and the best brand name clothing in the industry.

Martins carries the apparel of the top jeans manufacturers in the country, including Levi Straus, Guess, Inc., Z. Cavaricci and Calvin Klein. Martins exclusively represents a new line of jeans called "Austin Apparel" that is manufactured with pride right here

in Eastern Kentucky.

Martins represents just about any major clothing vendor in the industry such as Nike, Reebok, Duckhead, Haggar Clothing, Arrow, Levi, Dockers, E.B.G.B., 62 East, Koret of California, Alfred Dunner, Eastland Dexter, Florsheim, Hushpuppy, Red Wing, Keds, and so much more.



From left, Donna Stone, Mickie Meade, Carmen Burchett, and Sheri Porter display the Duck Head merchandise at Martins.

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Prestonsburg — (Continued from page five)



The new Town Center Parking Lot in Prestonsburg is located across from the Town Center Building on North Lake Drive. The stage area of the parking lot is used for free concerts. The parking lot is also the scene for festival fun in October when the Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival brings activities to the lot. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

in the River Park.

The city recently opened another park on the south end of town. The Lancer Park has a walking track, basketball goals and a picnic shelter.

The city is also keeping its emergency equipment updated. In April, Prestonsburg purchased a 1,500 gallon pumper fire truck that will help keep downtown businesses safe from fire destruction.

The city also purchased two 4-wheelers for the Prestonsburg Fire Department. The equipment has been used to fight fires and for rescues in areas that even four-wheel

drive vehicles don't have access to. Tim Blackburn, Prestonsburg firefighter said last week.

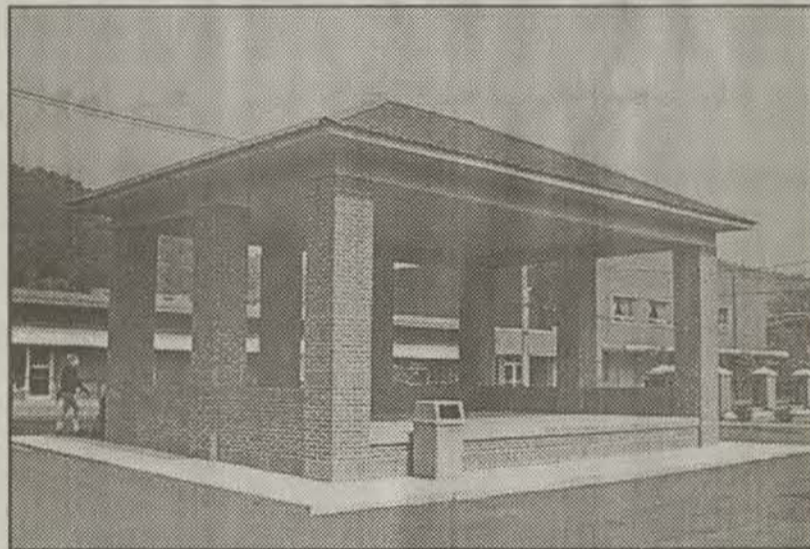
The city also purchased a new ambulance unit that the fire department uses to save the lives of its citizens and visitors in emergency situations.

That's just a small part of the what city hall is doing for the town, Fannin indicated.

To find out more about Prestonsburg and the improvements in the works in town, call the Prestonsburg Tourism office at 886-1341.



Photo above shows a glimpse of the erosion prevention efforts of the city of Prestonsburg. Rocks line the banks of the creek at Archer Park and West Prestonsburg. In photo below, the stage of the Town Center Parking Lot in downtown Prestonsburg is made of red brick, part of the city's efforts to improve the downtown area. (photos by Janice Shepherd)



A reflection of Floyd County history

The vast area of Eastern Kentucky, in which no one had permanently settled before 1790, had been in a number of Virginia Counties before it became Floyd

County, KY. Formed by the colonial Virginia Legislature in 1738, Augusta County's boundary lines included the Big Sandy.

Daniel Boone and William Hill spent the winter at a salt lick near David

From Mason County was formed Fleming County, where for two years the Big Sandy Valley was placed. Then "Montgomery County was created from Clark County by an act approved on December 14, 1796."

—From A History of Floyd County

New Creation

The New Creation Family Book Store, located on North Lake Drive in Prestonsburg, offers a variety of merchandise, from t-shirts to Sunday school supplies. The store's motto: "A Christian book store with a vision to strengthening the family," holds true. The store has family-oriented videos to rent or buy, cassettes, CDs, jewelry, and a full line of Bibles. It also has from 1,000 to 1,500 soundtracks in stock. New Creation Family Book Store will also do imprinting — and it doesn't take long. It's usually done by the time the customer is finished shopping. (photos by Janice Shepherd)

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Holiday — (Continued from page seven)

One of the most popular drawing cards is Sweet Georgia Brown's Thursday night comedy club. The lounge features two top-notch comedians every Thursday night.

"We are members of the Comedy Zone, which is known all over the U.S.," Mullins said. "Some of the comedians have been seen on HBO, (David) Letterman and Jay Leno (The Tonight Show)."

BREEZERS CLUB

Membership in the hotel's Breezers Club allows locals to have access to the hotel's several amenities, including the health club, exercise room, sauna, whirlpool and outdoor heated swimming pool. In addition, the club members receive discounts on food and beverages, free or discounted admission to special Holiday Inn events, and a discount

on the cover charge for the comedy club.

The membership fee is \$30 a year. If individuals sign up by August 31, the fee is only \$25. Individuals must be 21 or older to join.

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For the last several years, the Holiday Inn has been host of "Safe Trick or Treat." Each year at Halloween, participating businesses and organizations set up shop in rooms at the Inn, where they give out free Halloween candy to area children.

"Last year was a good year," Mullins said. "We had about 3,000 to 4,000 children."

For more information about the Holiday Inn at Prestonsburg, call 886-0001.

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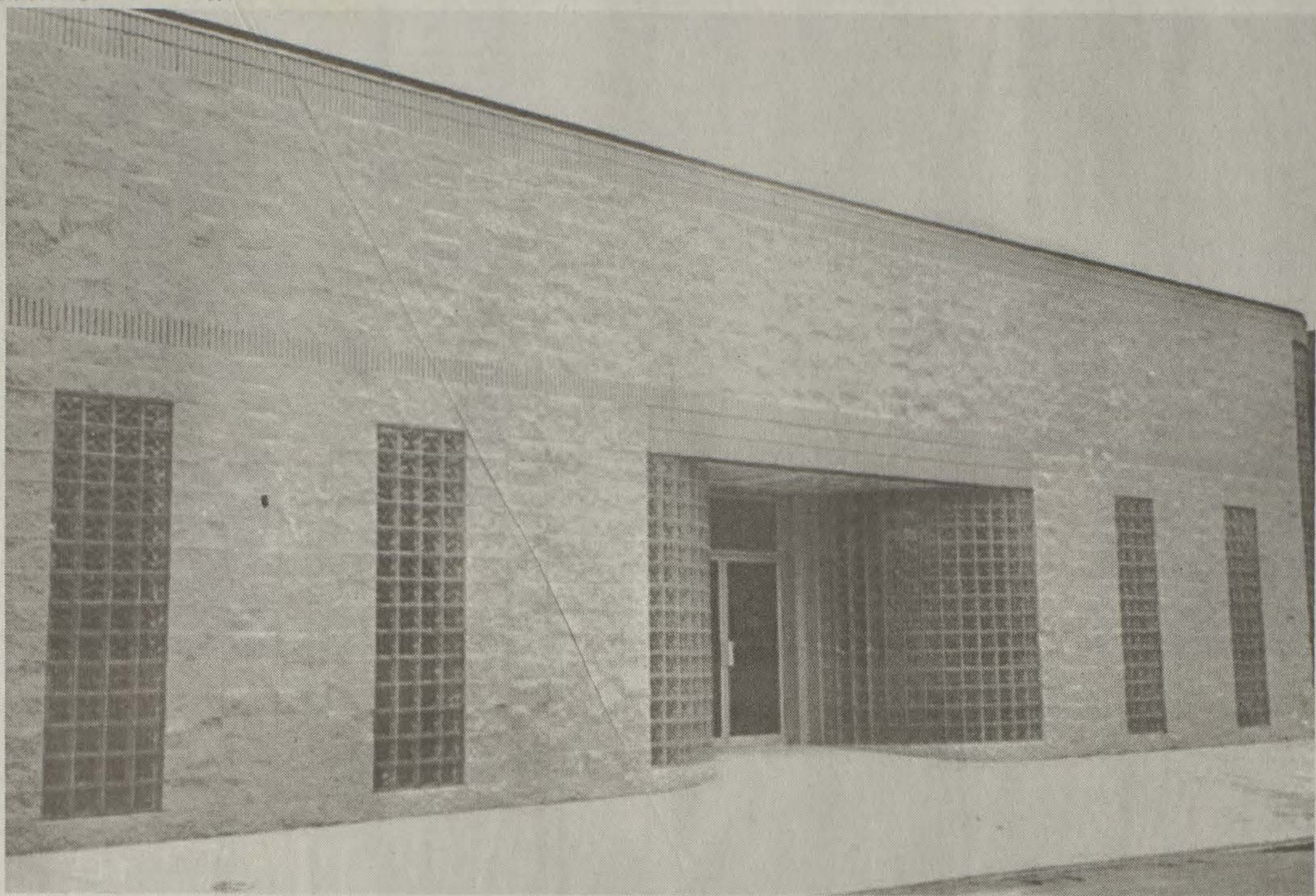
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