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Another interim named; no manager yet

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

An apparent breakdown in communication between state and local school officials has both sides concerned with the placement of another interim superintendent in the school system.

At a special school board meeting Monday, board members Johnnie Ross and Carol Stumbo expressed their displeasure to Deputy Education Commissioner Randy Kimbrough that board-related news traveled faster through the local "rumor mill" than to board members.

The two were also upset that the local board had not had an opportunity to meet the state's recommendation for an interim superintendent, Mike King, 51, of Florence.

King spent two and a half years in the Letcher County School System after the state took control of that district. King has been praised by state officials for the work he performed in that troubled school system.

Kimbrough apologized to board members for any communication snafus and pledged to work harder to improve the process.

Communication concerns between local and state officials have been brewing over the past several weeks with the local scuttlebutt that a former Floyd Countian with ties to Pete Grigsby Jr. would be named as state manager of the school system.

Board members were called, one by one, to the central office on Saturday by Associate Education Commissioner Tom Willis to meet with Woodrow Carter, whom the board had heard would be hired.

New interim superintendent Mike King spent two years in the Letcher County School System after the state took control of that district.

Some board members who met with Carter Saturday were under the impression that he was the district's state manager. Carter is a former Floyd Countian who went to school at McDowell High School. He played on a basketball team coached by Grigbsy. He has been in military service at Fort Knox for over 30 years.

Kimbrough introduced Carter at Monday's board meeting as a consultant for the state who would be working in the district.

In previous discussions with board members, Kimbrough and Willis suggested that the board consider the interim superintendent and state manager to be the same person.

At Monday's meeting, under questioning by Ross, Kimbrough said that King would not be named as state manager and that "we hope an announcement will be made very soon" on who will be appointed state manager of the district.

Ross and Stumbo told Kimbrough that they were concerned because they felt state officials were excluding board members from being involved with the hiring of an interim superintendent, something state officials promised the local board they would have input on.

"The state promised this board we could act and, to use your words, to be in charge," Ross told Kimbrough. "The community expects us to know (what's going on) and try to understand how that feels. I don't have to feel like I'm in charge. I'd like to feel informed. . .I think it's real important to say that, to people beyond this room, sometimes perception is reality."

Kimbrough said that the "rumor mill" in Floyd County is in overdrive and "I don't know how rumors get started here in Floyd County, but rumors destroy people's lives and their credibility."

(See **Interim**, page nine)

Workers stranded after boat capsizes

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

Two construction workers had a chilling experience Monday when their boat capsized and they were thrown into the cold, swift waters of the Big Sandy River.

The workers, employed by Adams Construction, managed to get out of the water, but found themselves trapped on the middle pier of the low-water bridge in Allen.

The Floyd County Emergency and Rescue Squad and the sheriff's department were dispatched to the scene shortly before noon Monday.

"A caller said a boat had capsized and two men were stranded in the water," rescue squad chief Harry Adams said Tuesday morning.

The rescue squad responded to the scene with eight volunteers and a boat. The two workers were apparently stranded on the pier for about 45 minutes before they were taken to safety.

"They were cold and wet," Adams said about the workers who escaped serious injuries. "The water was extremely difficult to maneuver in...the boat capsized and the swift water tore it all to pieces.

"It was too small of a boat in too swift of water," he added.

Adams Construction was attempting to remove the bridge piers when the mishap occurred, the rescue squad chief said.

Though hypothermia is a concern in such instances, the workers apparently required no medical treatment.

The workers were not identified.

Moving day nears

Security will be greatly enhanced at the Floyd County Justice Center, and will require an access code for entry to the offices. Pictured is Frank Derossett, Jr., Floyd Circuit Court Clerk, along with Rocky G. Drew, facilities review officer with the Administrative Office of the Courts in Frankfort, checking out the final touches while preparing to move into the new facility beginning next Tuesday. See story, inside. (photo by Cindy Yates)

Standard Auto agrees in principle to acquire R&S

R & S Truck Body Company, Inc. announced Friday, March 6, that it has entered into a definitive agreement with the Standard Automotive Corporation that will result in its acquisition of approximately 100 percent of the stock of R & S Truck Body Company, Inc.

R & S will operate with its present management as a wholly-owned subsidiary of Standard, and the actual acquisition is scheduled for May.

Current R & S General Manager Charles Collins said "We are excited about becoming part of the Standard Automotive group."

Collins will be appointed president of R & S pursuant to a contract of three years at the time of acquisition.

Collins said "being part of the Standard Automotive group gives us access to the capital which will enable us to expand sales and production of our highly-successful line of custom dump bodies, trailers and PAGE™ suspension systems."

Currently, construction is underway on a new 145,000 sq. ft. plant located in Allen, which is planned to be operational by August.

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Shooting victim accused of wanton endangerment :

Six are indicted in probe of chop shop

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Six people were indicted Tuesday by a Floyd County Grand Jury for their alleged involvement in a multi-county chop shop operation.

John Allen, 37, of Prestonsburg; James Patrick Allen, 34, of East Point; Robert Clark, 24, of East Point; Larry O. Blackburn, 38, of Pikeville; Kelvin Mullins, 35, of Allen; and Daniel Clark, 21, of East Point were indicted on a host of theft charges for allegedly stealing vehicles, tires and burglarizing auto parts stores.

Prestonsburg police sergeant Anthony Castle, who has been investigating the operation, appeared before the grand jury and presented the case.

Castle said the case began four months ago when Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin received information about the operation in Johnson County. Castle, Floyd Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson and the Federal Bureau of Investigation began an investigation into the theft ring, Castle said. He added that state police are conducting a separate investigation.

Tuesday's indictments are "only a small portion" of the suspects expected to be charged in connection with the chop shop investigation, Castle said. Officers have recovered a large number of vehicles and personal property, he said, and the investigation is continuing. Police received a break in the case when an informant came forward, Castle said. The operation spans seven counties and into Ohio, he said.

Specific charges against the six men are:

• John Allen, theft by unlawful taking (TBUT) for allegedly stealing a 1982 pickup truck from Lowell Samons Car Lot on July 19; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Ralph's Tires on November 17; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Brock McVey on March 17, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking 40 tires from a storage trailer at Hyden's B.P. on June 9, 1996; TBUT for allegedly stealing a 1995 4X4 truck from Layne Brothers Ford on November 29, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking a 1984 pickup truck from Ronald Adams on June 26; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Wholesale Auto Parts on June 29, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking a 1992 4X4 pickup truck from Branham and Baker Coal Co. on May 6, 1994; TBUT for allegedly stealing a 1986 pickup truck from Carter, Hughes Toyota on March 29, 1993; TBUT for allegedly taking three rolls of copper from United Supply on May 24, 1996; third degree burglary for allegedly

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Suspect in shooting gets out of jail...free

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

An apparent property dispute escalated into a shooting incident Sunday after an area resident barricaded a road with barbed wire.

In what court records describe as a "long-standing" property dispute, Patty Ann Perry claims ownership of a roadway in Golf Course Hollow and alleges that Clyde Isaac has been traveling the road without her permission.

The dispute between the two Bypro residents came to a head Sunday afternoon when Perry apparently attempted to prevent Isaac from using the road.

The road runs in front of Perry's home and up to Isaac's residence, according to court records.

Perry told authorities that she "blocked the roadway with barbed wire and that Mr. Isaac came and began to cut it down" prior to the alleged shooting.

"She advised that when she approached Mr. Isaac, he began to shoot a .22 caliber rifle in the direction of her residence...," a police report says.

Perry and her three children were reportedly in the residence when 52-year-old Isaac allegedly opened fire. The report does not indicate how many times Isaac allegedly shot at the residence.

Isaac was taken into custody Sunday night, about two hours after the alleged incident. He was charged with four felony counts of first degree wanton endangerment.

Judge James R. Allen entered a not-guilty plea to Isaac's charges during arraignments Monday morning in Floyd District Court.

A preliminary hearing is scheduled for March 18 to determine if there is probable cause to refer the matter to the grand jury.

Isaac was being held at the Floyd County Adult Detention Center in lieu of a $20,000 partially-secured bond. He was later released on a surety bond.

Juvenile killers want chance for parole

Jason Bryant was 14 when the murders were committed. Prosecutors are convinced he was one of the "shooters." All six defendants pleaded guilty.

by Bill Jones
The Greeneville (Tenn.) Sun

Attorneys for Lillelid murder case defendants Jason Blake Bryant, 15, and Karen R. Howell, 18, have filed motions in Greene County Criminal Court asking that their clients´ sentences be set at life in prison – with parole.

Bryant is a minor and Howell was still a juvenile when Vidar, Delfina and Tabitha Lillelid were fatally shot and two-year-old Peter Lillelid seriously wounded last April 6 near Baileyton.

They, along with adult codefendants Natasha W. Cornett, 19; Edward Dean Mullins, 20; Joseph Lance Risner, 21; and Crystal R. Sturgill, 18, pleaded guilty Feb. 20 to three counts of first-degree murder, one count of attempted murder and several lesser charges.

The pleas came after Third Judicial District Attorney General Berkeley Bell dropped his demand for the death penalty against the adult defendants in an agreement that required all six to plead guilty to all charges.

Attorneys for the juveniles argue that a sentence of life without parole would constitute "cruel and unusual" punishment.

A sentencing hearing for all six defendants was scheduled to begin March 10 at the Greene County Courthouse. Prosecutors are asking the court to impose the maximum sentence of three consecutive terms of life without parole.

However, in motions filed Feb. 27 on Bryant´s behalf and Tuesday on Howell´s behalf, defense attorneys argue that the sentences for their clients should be life with parole.

This should be done, the motions argue, because the law under which the two were transferred from Juvenile Court to Criminal Court for trial provided – at the time it was enacted – that life in prison, with the possibility of parole, was the only possible sentence that could be imposed.

"The act specifically excluded the death penalty and – at the time of its enactment – life without parole was not a sentence authorized in the State of Tennessee," language in Howell´s motion says.

The motion further argues that the legislature, in subsequently passing the life-without-parole statute, did not include juveniles. "Therefore, the punishment (life

(See **Killers**, page two)

Karen Howell was also a juvenile when the killings occurred. Prosecutors want all six convicted killers to serve life without parole.

Circuit and district offices to move to new Justice Center beginning March 17

by Cindy Yates
Editorial Assistant

The move is on!

The new Floyd County Justice Center is about to open and, while many of us are looking forward to checking out the new facility, the offices which will inhabit the new building will start moving their equipment and files next week - not an easy task.

Floyd Circuit Clerk Frank Derossett Jr. said, "I have been advised by the Administrative Offices of the Courts that the Floyd circuit and district court offices will be moving into the Floyd County Justice Center beginning March 17 and will continue the process through March 20.

"This move will necessitate the closing of our offices for a short period of time," Derossett said Monday.

"We are sorry for any inconvenience that the public may experience as a result of this move," Derossett said. "There are thousands of files to be moved into the new facility, and maintaining the integrity of those files is our primary responsibility. We hope to have all offices opened in the new facility on March 20."

While the move is underway, Derossett outlined a schedule of closings, and he strongly urges the public to call ahead before making a trip to obtain services from those offices.

The closings of the offices concerned are as follows:

DRIVER'S LICENSING

Renewal, testing and reinstatement services will be closed March 17 and 18. Those offices will reopen March 19 in the new facility.

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DISTRICT COURT

(Includes traffic citations, misdemeanors, and payment of fines). These services will close March 17, 18 and 19. You may call 886-9114 for further information.

CIRCUIT COURT CLERK'S OFFICE

(Includes civil, felony, criminal and probate services). These services will close March 17, 18 and 19. Please call 886-3090 for further information.

"We hope to have all these services restored and available to the public March 20," said Derossett. "I strongly recommend your calling one of the above phone numbers pertaining to your needs before making a trip," Derossett stated.

Clean water coming to Ligon

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Groundbreaking ceremonies will be held at 10:30 Thursday morning for a project that will bring cleaner water to residents of the Ligon/Clear Creek area.

The water system will cost around $935,000, and is being funded through the Abandoned Mines Land Water Supply Projects. The service will impact more than 200 families, Bill McDonald, with Howard K. Bell Consulting Engineers, Inc., said Tuesday.

Mines abandoned in the area before new reclamation laws were implemented affected the residents' source of water, according to Floyd County Judge-Executive Ben Hale, who realized federal funding was available to help the Ligon/Clear Creek area.

Hale said about $15 million is returned to Kentucky for abandoned mine projects, and about $4.5 million of that is directed toward water projects across the state.

An effort to bring clean water to the Ligon/Clear Creek area was begun in 1989 when a request to build a water system was submitted to the Division of Abandoned Lands, Floyd County Judge-Executive Ben Hale said Tuesday. Hale said he didn't know why the project was delayed but, in 1996, he met with Steve Hohmann, now director of the Division of Abandoned Lands, and asked that the area be revisited.

Studies found the site qualified for the funds and approval was given to build the water system.

"We're actually getting to see the reality of this project," Hale said.

Next year, he expects to see the completion of another project that will bring clean water to 265 more families. Hale recently received a memorandum of agreement for a water project affecting Buckeye, Pitts Fork, Henrys Branch, Johns Branch, Stephens Branch, and Spurlock Creek at Bucks Branch.

The Ligon/Clear Creek project is expected to be completed by fall, consulting engineer Bill McDonald said. The groundbreaking ceremony will take place at the KY Highway 122 and KY Highway 979 intersection near Hi Hat.

Judge-Executive Hale; Carl Campbell, commissioner of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation & Enforcement; and Steve Hohmann, director of the Division of Abandoned Lands, will participate in the ceremony.

R&S

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without parole) would not be available unless (the law) was amended," the motion says.

Defense attorneys argue that it was not the legislature's intent to allow juveniles to be sentenced to life without parole – a sentence, they say, that amounts to cruel and unusual punishment.

Judge James E. Beckner must decide the sentences for each of the six defendants at the conclusion of the sentencing hearing that began this week.

The possible sentences include:

- three consecutive sentences of life without parole;
- three concurrent sentences of life without parole;
- three consecutive sentences of life in prison; or
- three concurrent sentences of life in prison.

Currently in Tennessee, a sentence of life in prison equates to 51 years before the convict becomes eligible for parole. Three consecutive sentences would have to be served one after the other. Three concurrent sentences would be served at the same time.

Estimates of how long the sentencing hearing will take have varied from a few days to a few weeks.

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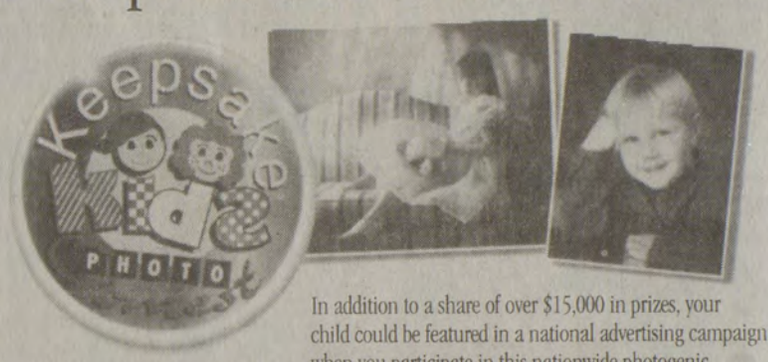

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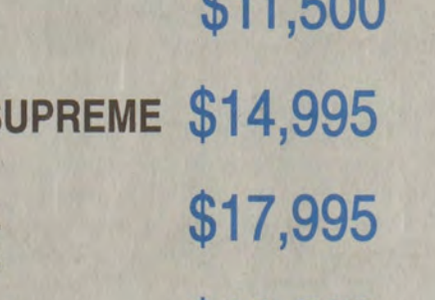

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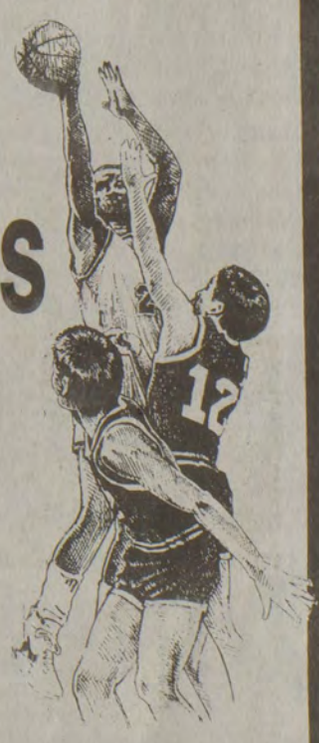

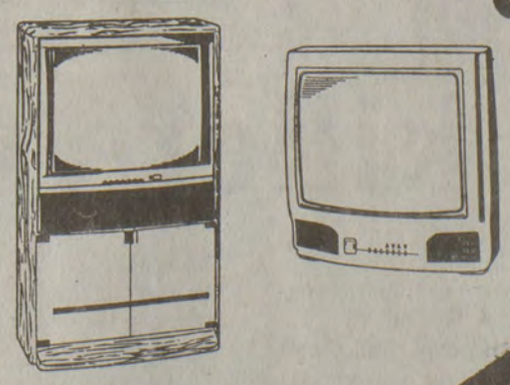

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Gwen Hall, chair of the Floyd County Emergency Food and Shelter board, said that local pantries who participated are still waiting for word about the matching funds program, and she will publish an update about the Valentine's Day donation match in a later edition of The Times.

Two pantries, though, did get a donations increase, she said.

"We're grateful for that."

Correction

In the March 4 edition of The Times, the date for the Community-Oriented Policing services training was incorrectly stated as scheduled to be held March 16 and 30. The correct dates for the program will be April 16 and 30.

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Quote of the week...

"Character is much easier kept than recovered."

—Thomas Paine

Editorial

Mirror, mirror on the wall...

by Scott Perry

Nowhere in our constitution do the words "honor" or "dignity" appear.

They are not part of the oath our president swears before taking office.

That there have been men of honor and men of dignity in our history is of no doubt, but to assume that they describe or define America is to believe a lie.

No, we excuse dishonor and indignity out of hand with a twisted form of "open-mindedness."

We have become so conditioned to our live-and-let-live philosophy, that we actually try to justify the lying, cheating conduct of our leaders by claiming it's "none of our business."

What a load of crap.

If the American public truly believes, as polls suggest, that the character of their president is unimportant, then we have to believe that Americans don't care much about anything.

This issue isn't about sex and it isn't about morality.

It's about respect for the office of the presidency, the most significant, important position of authority on this planet.

And you think it is none of your business how the man who holds that post conducts himself in office?

Throughout this country we have raised monuments to great men, not perfect men, but men of honor and dignity who helped mold America into the land of the free and the home of the brave.

What tribute do we pay them now in the land where anything goes?

Who cares what the president does, he's just a man?

If that is all he is, then America is just water, earth and air. And, honor, dignity and integrity are just words in a dictionary.

The president is a reflection of what we have become.

How can we look at ourselves in the mirror without gagging?

Asides...

In his deposition in the Paula Jones suit, President Clinton claims that Monica Lewinsky was actually a close friend of his personal secretary, Betty Currie, and the gifts he bestowed on the intern were at the request of Ms. Currie.

Ah, the American Way...

Indulge yourself.

If caught, always blame somebody else.

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Letters to the Editor

Amid the dust, smells and mud Kentucky farmers support HB709

Editor:

When bureaucrats run family livestock farms out of Kentucky, that really stinks.

Kentucky farmers are in a tight spot. Their chief cash crop is under attack, and so is their primary alternative—livestock production.

With Kentucky's small farms and uneven terrain, large scale grain or vegetable production is out of the question for most areas. But animal agriculture offers farming families the opportunity to earn a living on moderate-sized parcels of land.

Enter the regulators. Citing fears of so-called factory farms, the state slapped stringent new emergency regulations on hog producers, threatening the futures of the state's hog operations.

Livestock farming is tough work, and even tougher on the bottom line. In 1970, there were 41,000 hog farms in Kentucky. Now, only 1,500 remain. Those who have stuck with it say expansion is the key to profits. But the new regs say no to expansion, so the sons and daughters of today's farmers leave the land, unable to assure their futures in agriculture.

Farmers are supporting legislation in Frankfort as an alternative to the bureaucracy's rigid restrictions. It's House Bill 709, and it allows successful livestock producers to grow, while protecting soil and water resources for our future.

Kentuckians are practical folks. They know about the challenges of farming, that it's not white collar work. There is dust, there are smells, mud and manure. But they also know they depend on farmers for their food and fiber.

Call your legislator now at 1-800-372-7181. Tell him or her that family farms in Kentucky are having tough times, and that state bureaucrats are making those times even tougher.

Farmers are our original environmentalists. They work every day to conserve and protect our natural resources, because it's their job, and the farm is their family's home. Let's give them a chance for survival. Help support House Bill 709.

David S. Back
Executive Vice President
Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation

Passage of Senate Bill 305 will hurt mental patients

Editor:

As Commissioner of the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation Services, I am writing to express my opposition to Senate Bill 305 which would prohibit the implementation of Kentucky ACCESS, the Medicaid behavioral health managed care program.

The Department for Mental Health and Mental Retardation Services has worked for the last four years with the Department for Medicaid Services in the development of the 1915b Waiver which was approved by HCFA and which is the foundation for Kentucky ACCESS. Together with Medicaid staff, we worked with key stakeholders, including the mental health and mental retardation boards, the Kentucky Hospital Association, the Departments of Psychiatry at the University of Kentucky and the University of Louisville as well as numerous consumers and family members.

The regulations which govern the implementation of the behavior health waiver require that the mental health and mental retardation boards are essential partners in the formation of this coalition of providers which will manage Kentucky ACCESS. Unlike many states which have chosen to use for-profit behavioral health managed care entities, Kentucky's program preserves the essential role of the mental health and mental retardation regional boards, not only as providers to individuals with serious mental illness, but as key partners in the managing entity.

Through Kentucky ACCESS, we will be able to expand access to services and provide greater flexibility in what services are offered. Kentucky ACCESS will create incentives to develop community-based programs as alternatives to more expensive in-patient treatment. These services are not only less costly but are desired by consumers. Savings will be re-invested in the mental health system to create more community-based services.

The regulations governing Kentucky ACCESS contain key provisions for consumer protection. Consumers are voting members of the governing bodies of the managed care entities and a consumer bill of rights (which was drafted by consumers) is included. Kentucky can be very proud of the role that mental health consumers have had and will continue to have in the developmental and implementation of behavior health managed care.

The implementation of Kentucky ACCESS for behavioral health does represent change for the mental health system. We have been deliberate and thoughtful in our planning. Key stakeholders have been involved in that planning. Passage of Senate Bill 305 will prevent us from implementing Kentucky ACCESS which can expand access and improve quality for the thousands of Kentuckians who suffer from mental illness.

Elizabeth Rehm Wachtel, Ph.D.
Commissioner

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Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

If you can't lick 'em, lop 'em.

A House budget committee claims to have mistakenly cut funding for Attorney General Ben Chandler's Public Corruption Unit during a closed-door session last week, but Chandler isn't buying the "oops" explanation, and neither are we.

The Public Corruption Unit, in case you didn't know, has been busy investigating some potentially corrupt public servants, including a member or two of the General Assembly.

So it was an accident, was it, that funding for the investigative unit was lopped out of the budget?

A better argument might be self-defense.

Anyway, legislators must think we're dopes.

Of course they meant to cut funding for the Public Corruption Unit. They just didn't mean to get caught at it. Anyone who believes otherwise is, well, just what legislators think we are.

Oh yeah, now that they have to put the money back in the budget for the investigative unit, they're trying to spin some political hay into gold, claiming that restoring the funding will create hardship on some other poor agency, which will have to give up extra money that it was budgeted.

Wait a minute.

We thought the funding cut was a mistake, but budget committee members are saying those dollars were actually transferred to other programs?

Looks like they made more than one boo-boo.

And they think we're the dopes.

Kentucky Senator Mitch McConnell has been whacked over the head from one end of the country to the other over his stand against limiting campaign contributions, despite some fairly convincing evidence that such limits don't boost participation by the less well-heeled in political races.

The same people who criticize McConnell won't hesitate a moment in their support for using public funds...that's your money...to finance political races, which makes perfect sense to them, but none to us.

You have no say in who gets taxpayer assistance in elections and, in fact, you may be contributing toward the election of someone you actually despise.

Limits on contributions have not improved the quality of choices in presidential races. Viable candidates still have to round up $15 million to $20 million to make their play, and it has to be tougher for lessor-knowns to accumulate that much at the $1000 a pop limit in place now. That's also why presidential hopefuls, including Veep Al Gore, spend more time raising money than they do addressing issues.

Some people, including the father-knows-best state media in Kentucky, think money is the root of all political evils.

Except when they are deciding for us how it ought to be spent.

There's nothing like a good conspiracy theory to get the whackos rolling, but darned if we don't find it awful coincidental that some controversial associates of the First Family are suddenly waking up dead.

First there was Vincent Foster, attorney to the Clintons who committed suicide shortly after Whitewater allegations surfaced.

Then there was Commerce Secretary Ron Brown, who died in a plane crash shortly after questions arose about some of his business connections.

Now, James McDougal, the central figure in the Whitewater affair who recently decided to cooperate with prosecutors, has died of a heart attack in prison.

A suicide, an accident, and natural causes. Pretty well covers all the bases, doesn't it?

Okay, maybe we're grasping at straws, but we're darn certain of one thing...

It ain't real safe being a Friend of Bill.

At least 70 members of the state House of Representatives, including most of Eastern Kentucky's delegation, have voted to restrict your access to financial information about your school systems.

It is now up to the Senate to decide if House Bill 378, which allows school districts to publish condensed financial statements instead of the detailed statements now required, will survive.

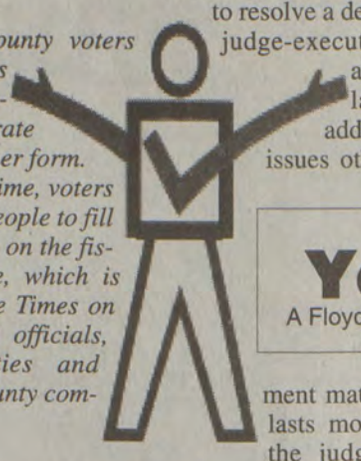
Given the sorry state of financial affairs in some of our area school districts, you have to wonder what has motivated legislators, especially the mountain contingent, to cut you out of the public access picture.

They'll probably argue that they're only trying to save you money.

If the bill passes, we'll never know, will we?

Court members must be in session to act

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer



In 1996, Floyd County voters decided to change its form of county government from the magistrate form to the commissioner form. This year, for the first time, voters will be electing three people to fill the commissioner seats on the fiscal court. This article, which is part of a series by The Times on the duties of elected officials, deals with the duties and responsibilities of a county commissioner.

Your Government
A Floyd County Times series on the duties of elected officials

For the most part, a county commissioner has no duties or authority outside a meeting of the fiscal court. The only other duty a commissioner may have is to perform marriages if authorized by the governor or judge-executive. Commissioners only have official powers while the fiscal court is in session.

According to two attorney general's opinions, commissioners are not eligible to receive a maximum salary if they work only part-time conducting the county's business. The sitting fiscal court will set the salaries for the incoming commissioners.

In Floyd County, under the magistrate form of government, there were four magistrates elected. In the commissioner form, three officials will be elected to the fiscal court. Under state law, two commissioners may call a special meeting of the fiscal court if the county judge-executive cannot or refuses to do so. In case of a tie vote on the court for the appointment of a county officer or employee, commissioners must be given a final chance to resolve a deadlock before the judge-executive makes the appointment. The law does not address tie votes on issues other than employment matters. If a tie vote lasts more than 15 days, the judge-executive can make the appointment.

Fiscal court members have specific duties under the law, which include appropriating money for various county departments; operating, maintaining and constructing county roads, buildings and other property; and housing prisoners. The court may also buy and sell county property; oversee the administration of the county budget; and may investigate all departments in county government.

State lawmakers have given county governments the power to impose taxes, enact ordinances and county regulations, and issue bonds for county construction projects.

The oversight of numerous county departments falls to the fiscal court and includes everything from animal control, public housing, solid waste disposal, to cable television licensing and promoting economic development.

Commissioners also have the responsibility for the county's budget and can control the amount of funds delegated to various departments of county government. The budget is prepared by the judge/executive and submitted to the fiscal court for review or comment. After a budget is approved by state officials, the fiscal court may amend the budget at any time, but the court cannot change the form of the budget.

As for commissioners' responsibilities concerning county roads, the court has the authority to open, alter or establish roads and appropriate money for road work. Fiscal courts may also condemn land in order to build roads.

Court members must also adopt an administrative code which governs the administration of county offices; the county's fiscal affairs; personnel; purchasing and awarding of contracts; and how county services will be rendered. A review of the administrative code is required every year in June and a majority of the court can amend the code.

Meetings of the fiscal court are open to the public and are to be conducted under the state's Open Meetings Law. A majority of court members constitutes a quorum which can make decisions on county issues. A majority of the court is needed to enact county ordinances. A commissioner could be charged with neglect of duty if a member of the court fails to attend half of the court meetings in a six-month period or misses two consecutive meetings without good cause. A commissioner would forfeit the office if convicted on the charge.

All county records are to be kept in the office of the county clerk and are open for public inspection. Records deemed confidential, personal matters and trade secrets, are available for inspection only by court order.

Commissioners serve a four-year term and qualifications for the office are: must be 24 years old; a resident of the county for two years prior to the election; a Kentucky resident; must have lived in a particular district for at least one year prior to the election; and must continue to reside in the district from which they were elected.

In May's primary election, commissioner candidates are nominated from the district they represent. In November's general election, commissioners are elected on a county-wide vote.

Commissioners are forbidden to do work on county roads, supervise work on county roads or provide materials to be used on roads and bridges. Also, officials are prohibited from having a personal interest in any county contract or claim against the county.

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Letters

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Floyd County Historical Society urges participation of citizens

Editor:

It is an honor and a privilege to be able to write this letter to you, our members and prospective members, as president of the Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society. It is my hope to see our society grow, encompassing all, of the many, armchair historians in our area, who have yet to discover our dedicated group. Yes, I did say dedicated, because we are, each of us, dedicated to preserving the histories of our families, and this rich heritage, we are all fortunate to share. Nowhere else; will you find such an opportunity as we have to record for future generations, our unique tapestry of history.

The very mountains we love so much isolated our ancestors to such an extent, that we can still hear Medieval English used in our speech, and we can still hear the echos of the Gregorian chant in some of the old gospel songs, being sung in the small mountain churches. A varied historical tapestry has been woven in our mountains, and it is our privilege to be a product of this master weaver's tapestry, and it is our duty to preserve it for the coming generations. So, it is, with a sense of awe and duty, I approach this coming year as president of the Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society. We have much to do, but we have great examples to guide us. We must reach out and embrace our history and record it, so it will live on as a testament to the mountains that shaped it.

I want to urge each one of you to come out and help us preserve and learn about our history; you have so much to add to our knowledge of the past. As the name says, we are the Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society; we need members from all areas of our county to make our history complete. Please come out, join us, and share your family histories, stories, pictures, and your knowledge of the county with us. We meet the third Monday of each month, at 7 p.m., at the Floyd County Library. The next meeting is this Monday, March 16, 1998.

We look forward to seeing you at the next meeting, and sharing our interests in historical preservation. This meeting we will have the privilege of hearing from our member, Robert Rennick, a folklorist, and an authority on the origin of place names in Kentucky. Please come out and join us!!

Terry Webb Buchanan
President,
Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society

Writer opposes "Bottle Bill"

Editor:

House Bill 371!

Why in the World would anybody want this bill to pass?

In the first place it is a high tax on everyone. Think about the senior citizens and the disabled. They are not able to haul cans and bottles to a redemption center to get their tax back. If everyone was forced to pay their garbage bill, we would not have the garbage along the highway. And if we did have a few along the highway, let's do like they do in Laurel County. Let people from the detention pick up. And if the bottle bill passed, why should we have to pay a garbage bill?

JoAnn George
Prestonsburg

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Floyd County Health Department has a vacancy for a Health Environmentalist.

Minimum requirements for this position are: Four-year degree from a college or university with a minor or equivalent course work (24 semester hours) in environmental health, biological or physical science. (Individuals must become registered under the provisions of KRS 223 prior to becoming a permanent employee.) Criminal background check will be done on applicants.

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Applications are available at the Floyd County Health Department, 54 N. Front Street, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Applications must be received by the Merit System for Local Health Personnel at 275 East Main St., Frankfort, KY 40621 on or before Midnight March 27, 1998.

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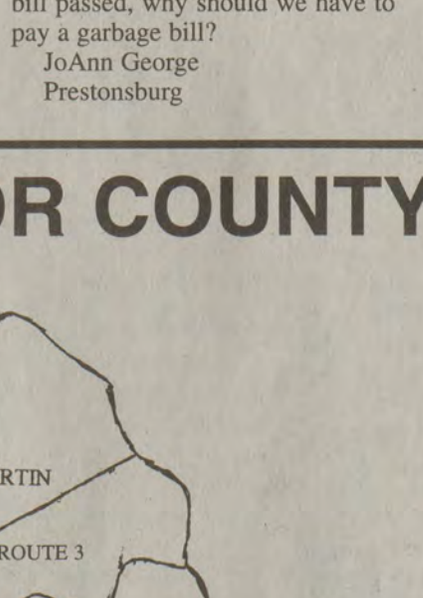
THE BIG PICTURE



Before my critics start slinging mud and spreading lies about me, I want to talk about the issues. Progress is a positive move toward a defined goal that ultimately improves our quality of life. I believe Progress should just not happen in and around Prestonsburg, but throughout Floyd County. All 44,000 Floyd Countians should share in the benefits of progress.

Governor Patton believes that Perry County is the center of Eastern Kentucky and wants to build the veteran's hospital in Hazard. When you're the Governor you're entitled to your own opinion. Floyd Countians believe that the veteran's hospital should be build in Floyd County, the center of all of Eastern Kentucky.

Floyd County is the hub of Eastern Kentucky. Floyd County is the hub of five major highways. US 23 sometimes called the gateway to the south. Mountain Parkway connects us to Central Kentucky and I-64 and I-75. Route 80 guiding all of Western Kentucky right to our doorsteps. Route 3 connects us to West Virginia, and US 460 connects us to Virginia. I-66, the new Interstate, will come off of Abner Mountain through Melvin opening up South Floyd to the rest of the country.

Unfortunately, while our politicians have been fighting over whose child gets a job on the school board, we've lost great opportunities. If we don't stop fighting over little issues and come together as one, we might as well close up shop. Pikeville and Hazard will have already grabbed up everything, leaving us with nothing more than a golf course. When the rich continue to use our governments to get richer nobody wins but them. The common folks have grown sick of taxation for the benefit of the few.

The Magistrate system of government has cost us dearly. It has kept us divided and fighting amongst ourselves. The commissioner system has great powers that the best educated cannot see. When we all come together on 3 November, 1998, we will see the hidden powers of voting together.

If we do what is right, by 1999, the fighting will slowly and surely disappear. When the 21st Century comes, progress and equal government will blossom, just like a beautiful flower, for all 44,000 Floyd Countians.

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A benefit was held at Allen Elementary last week fo
a spinal cord injury in an automobile accident late las

The benefit, which included "oldies vs. youngster
About 300 students and adults showed up for the eve

In addition to the ballgames where the female teach
the male teachers and parents combined skills to take
the coaches, the event included face-painting and con
such as free-throw shooting.

"Everything you can think of went on that night. W
all the kids did most of the work, joining together for h

Waugh was Mandy's fifth grade teacher and the
moved on to the sixth grade.

"There's only one in so many you run into like her
very, very intelligent. She made me work harder beca
added.

Last week's fund-raising event — combined with do
$2,100 for Mandy's medical bills, which are substantia
underwent surgery on her spine and is undergoing e
paralysis is temporary, Mandy's father, Lon, said Tuesd
ment in her ankles, May said.

He expressed his gratitude for the donations and
in Prestonsburg wheelchair-accessible.

Helping out have been Mandy's uncle, David Bar
helped knock down walls and rebuild rooms; Mandy's
donated lineoleum; and Tackett's Furniture, which do

A foundation has also been established at the First
KY 41653.

Mandy returned home Friday, and a welcome hom
surrounded by her fellow students and teachers and g

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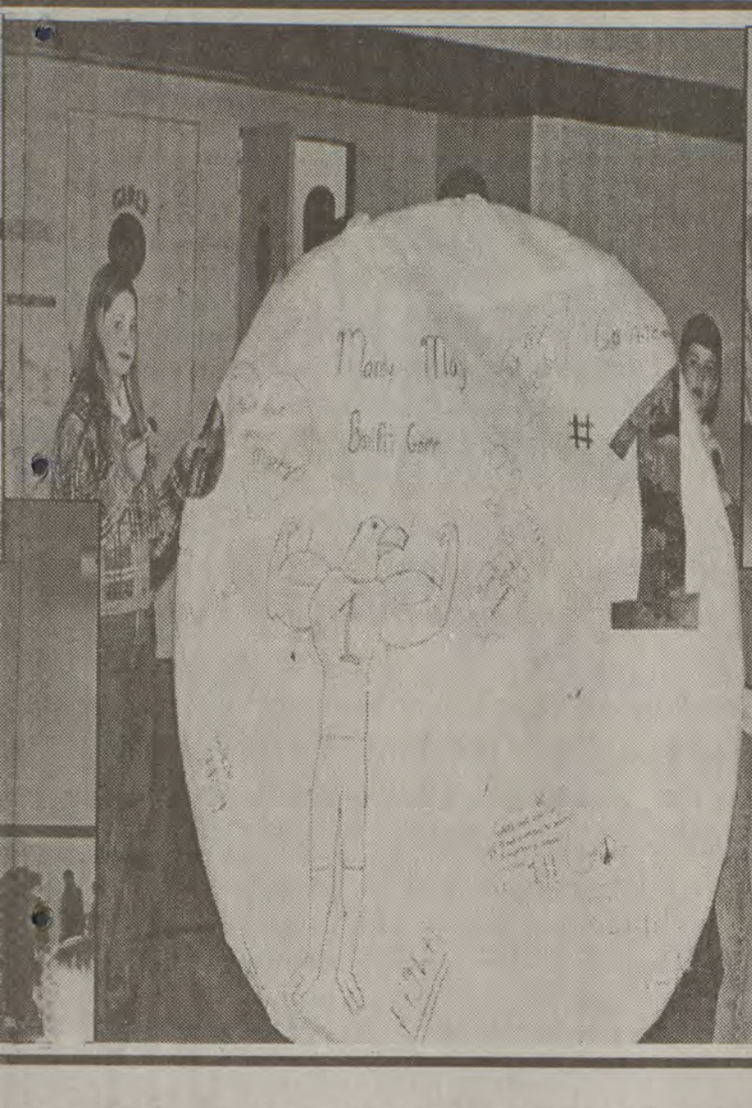

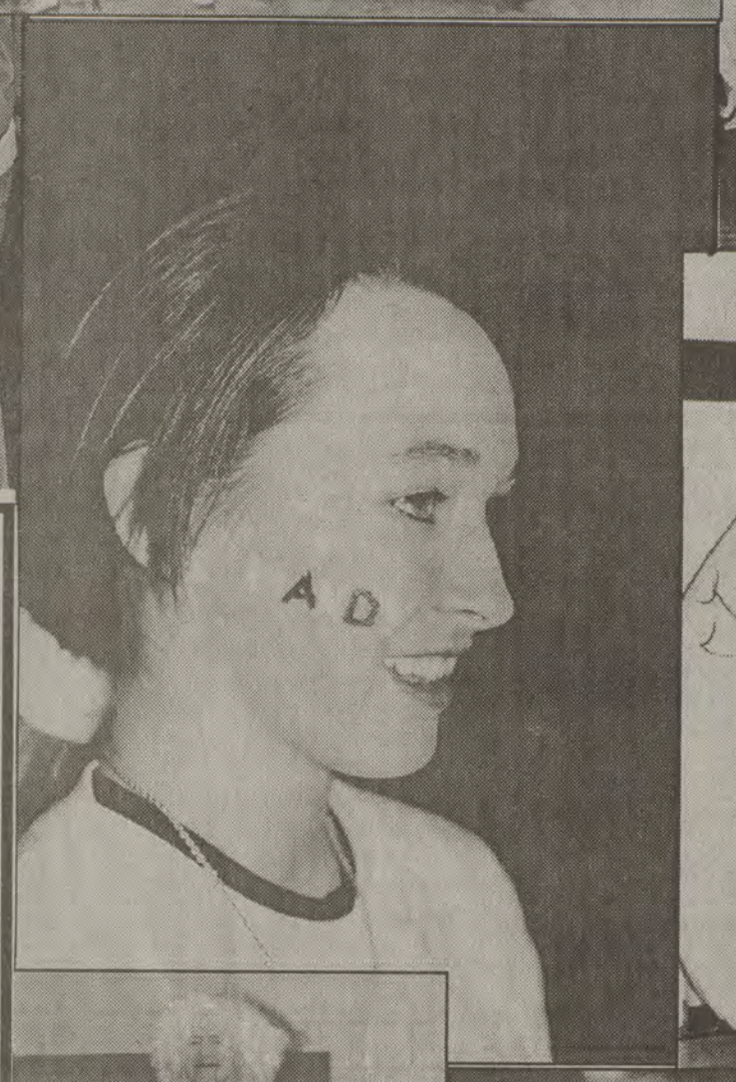

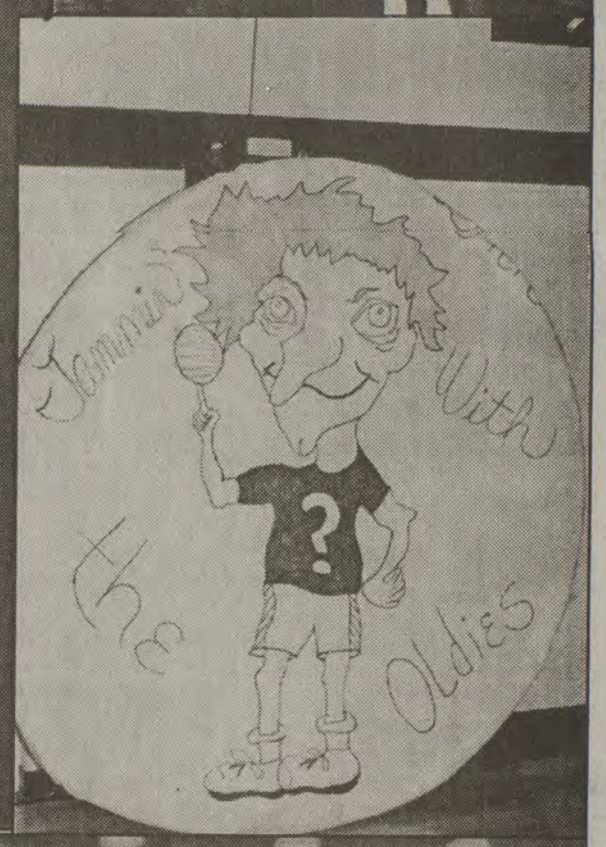

r Mandy May, an Allen Elementary student who received
year.
s" basketball games, attracted a crowd of participants.
nt, Angie Waugh, one of the organizers, said Tuesday.
ers and parents competed against the girls' varsity team,
on the boys' varsity squad, and the junior varsity played
cession booths, as well as other basketball competitions,

Vaugh said. "The benefit itself was good to see because
er."
wo developed a rapport that carried over after Mandy

" Waugh said. She's a very, very special little girl. She's
use I'd have to work out different plans for her," Waugh

nations children have contributed at the school — raised
Mandy was partially paralyzed in the accident. She has
xtensive therapy. There is hope, though, that Mandy's
lay. Just this week, Mandy has experienced some move-

for the help the family has received to make their home

ber, who helped paint walls; Charlie Whitten, who has
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Blane Hall, 73, of New London, Ohio, died Friday, March 6, 1998, at Fisher-Titus Medical Center in Norwalk, Ohio, following a sudden illness.

Born February 9, 1925 at Osborne, he was the son of the late Grant and Ida Belle Salisbury Hall. He had lived in New London since 1950.

He was a trunk driver for almost 40 years, for the former Brada Miller and most recently for Gregg Express. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of New London. He was a licensed baseball umpire for 50 years.

Survivors include his wife, Magalene Hall; five daughters, Linda Crabbs, Gwen Coy and Vivian Perkins, all of New London, Ohio, Carol Hunter of Sandusky, Ohio, and Amy Howard of Huron, Ohio; two sons, Danny Kidd of Huron, Ohio, and Kim Hall of New London, Ohio; one brother, Roy "Red" Hall of New London, Ohio; three sisters, Gerdell Martin of Amherstdale, West Virginia, Lilla Mae Bernak of Gallatin, Tennessee, and Sam Fletcher of Exetor, New Hampshire; 18 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 9, at the First Baptist Church of New London, with Rev. Wayne Mott officiating.

Burial was in the Ashland County Memorial Park, under the direction of Eastman Funeral Home.

Ray Charles Henson

Ray Charles Henson, 31, of Dema, died Monday, March 9, 1998, at his residence.

Born January 31, 1967 at McDowell, he was the son of Charles Henson and Billie Faye Tackett Henson of Hi Hat. He was a student at Mayo State Vocational Center in Paintsville.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by one sister, Donna Sizemore of Minnie; and his maternal grandmother, Hattie Tackett of Hi Hat.

Funeral services will be Friday, March 13, at 11 a.m., at the Church of God of Prophecy at Ligon, with the clergyman Larry Tackett officiating.

Burial will be in the family cemetery at Teaberry, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

"LISA"

Another year has passed and it seems impossible that it has been three years since our loss. We wonder...where the time has gone because the pain is still there and it seems as though it was just yesterday that we saw her beautiful smile or heard her sweet laugh. It seems like just a moment ago we were hearing her voice filled with love, excitement and joy as she talked about her children. It seems that just a moment ago we were blessed with her presence...but all of that was changed on March 13, 1995.

In a split second she was taken away from us. From that day on we have mourned our loss, and have been left to fight our own personal sorrow. With each passing day we strive to continue on as we struggle with the emptiness that can never be filled because of her absence. We would like to take this opportunity that you also remember our beloved *Lisa*.

Sissy and Family

John Franklin Edwards

John Franklin Edwards, 59, of Albion, Michigan, formerly of Melvin, died Thursday, March 5, 1998, at his residence, following an extended illness.

Born March 10, 1938 in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Hales Edwards and Mandy Jane Smith Edwards. He was a retired factory worker.

Survivors include his wife, Claudette Caudill Edwards; one son, Jeff Edwards of Elkhart, Indiana; one daughter, Patricia Younce of Elkhart, Indiana; three brothers, Samuel Edwards and Daniel Edwards, both of Albion, Michigan, and Lawrence Edwards of McAndrews; two sisters, Gertrude Gayheart of Marion, Ohio, and Minnie Edwards of Albion, Michigan; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 9, at 10 a.m., at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church at Melvin, with the ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Boyd Cemetery at Hi Hat, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Billy Ray Shepherd

Billy Ray Shepherd, 58, of Salyersville, died Saturday, February 28, 1998, at the V.A. Medical Center in Huntington, West Virginia.

Born March 19, 1939 at David, he was the son of Lana Miller Shepherd of David and the late Bennie Shepherd.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his wife, Cindy Sparks Shepherd; two sons, Keith Shepherd of Lowell, Florida, and Kevin Shepherd of Lafayette, Indiana; three daughters, Terri Mitchell of Fairland, Indiana, Suzanne Shepherd of Texarkana, Arkansas, and Tammi Lee of Ohio; two brothers, Delbert Shepherd of Wabash, Indiana, and Albert Shepherd of Lexington; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 3, at 11 a.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Vernon Slone officiating.

Burial was in the James E. Shepherd Cemetery at David, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Anderson Laferty

Anderson Laferty, 88, of Prestonsburg, died Thursday, March 5, 1998, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

Born April 30, 1909 at Dwale, he was the son of the late Robert Lee "J. Bob" Laferty and Nellie Jarrell Laferty. He was a retired coal miner, a member of the U.M.W.A. Local No. 9845, and a member of the Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist Church in Prestonsburg.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Hazel Daniel Laferty.

Survivors include two sons, Stewart Laferty of Sidney and Clarence Laferty of Dublin, Ohio; two daughters, Shirley Halbert of Pikeville and Patsy Chaffins of Hindman; and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, March 7, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Birkey Lewis officiating.

Burial was in the Richmond Memorial Gardens in Prestonsburg, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Serving as pallbearers were Joel Chaffins, Geoff Cooley, Don Harrington, Justin Lafferty, Jason Halbert and Tim Vaughn.

Joe Allen Berger

Joe Allen Berger, 43, of Jackhorn, died Sunday, March 8, 1998, at his residence, following an extended illness.

Born May 11, 1954 at Virgie, he was the son of Evia Mullins Berger of Pikeville and the late Charles Berger. He was a disabled coal miner.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his wife, Mary Joan Combs Berger; one son, Kelly Berger of Weeksbury; two stepsons, Clyde Jr. Estep of Kokomo, Indiana, and Lenard Estep of Jackhorn; two daughters, Misty Berger of Weeksbury and Amber Berger of Bevinsville; two stepdaughters, Donna Hall of Weeksbury and Molly Estep of Martin; one brother, Kenneth Berger of Pikeville; four sisters, Evelyn Stilener and Belinda Tackett, both of Pikeville, Mary Frances Falulhaber of Columbus, Ohio, and Brenda Smith of Dorton; and seven step-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 11, at Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church, with Rev. Louis Ferrari officiating.

Burial will be in the Matthew Tackett Cemetery at Melvin, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the family.

Clyde Bryant

Clyde Bryant, 67, of Clarksfield, Ohio, formerly of Hi Hat, died Wednesday, March 4, 1998, at Edison Health Care in Milan, Ohio, following an extended illness.

Born April 18, 1930 in Hi Hat, he was the son of the late Johnnie and Lissie Bryant. He moved to Clarksfield, Ohio, in 1968. He had worked at the Sterling Foundry in Wellington, Ohio, and attended the Old Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lorraine Kidd Bryant; one daughter, Phyliss Bryant of Tiffin, Ohio; one son, Glenn Bryant of Indiana; and two brothers, Sidney Bryant of Dayton, Ohio, and Ballard Bryant of Phillipsburg, Ohio.

Services were held Saturday, March 7, at the Little Nancy Old Regular Baptist Church at Hi Hat. Burial was in the Newman Cemetery in Floyd County.

Eastman Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements in Ohio, and Hall Funeral Home at Martin was in charge of local arrangements.

Serving as pallbearers were Sidney Bryant, Ballard Bryant, Bill Hall, Julius Hall, Robby Hall, Dean Bryant, Gregory Bryant and John Bryant.

Kimberly Ann Floyd

Kimberly Ann Stumbo Floyd, 37, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, died Wednesday, February 25, 1998.

Born August 4, 1960 in Ypsilanti, Michigan, she was the daughter of Howard "Fred" Stumbo of Prestonsburg, and the late Vicki Stumbo Wilson. She attended the Trinity Baptist Church.

In addition to her father, she is survived by two daughters, Melissa Ann and Alisha Lee Floyd; three brothers, Joey Paul Reinhart of Indianapolis, Indiana, Kirk Rojas of Louisville, and Danny Stumbo of Ypsilanti, Michigan; two sisters, Frieda Jean Stumbo Akers of McDowell, and Brenda Lee Stumbo of Ypsilanti, Michigan; and her grandmother, Anna Mae Byron of Louisville.

A memorial services was held February 28, at 1:30 p.m., at the Stark Funeral Services Moore Memorial Chapel, with Rev. John Pyche Sr. officiating.

Claudette Boyd

Claudette Boyd, 40, of Banner, died Thursday, March 5, 1998, at her residence, following a brief illness.

Born April 5, 1957 in Wise, Virginia, she was the daughter of Claude A. and Alahmae Robinson Ryan of Banner.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband, Benjamin Burl Boyd; two daughters, Princess Angelene Boyd of Lincoln Park, Michigan, and Benita Jo Boyd of Banner; and one brother, Tommy Ryan of Banner.

Funeral services were Monday, March 9, at 11 a.m., at the Little Salem Old Regular Baptist Church at Dana, with Evangelist Bennie Blankenship officiating.

Burial was in the Wilford Boyd Family Cemetery at Dana, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Monroe Adams

Monroe Brooks Adams, 84, of Prestonsburg, died Saturday, March 7, 1998, at UK Medical Center in Lexington.

Born May 20, 1913 at Coley, he was the son of the late Malcomb and Lula Sparks Adams. He was a former equipment operator for Floyd County. He was a member of the Chestnut Grove United Baptist Church, where he was also a deacon. He was a member of the Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels.

Survivors include his wife, Nancy Prater Adams; one daughter, Charlene Baldridge of Prestonsburg; five sons, Larry Adams of David, Danny Adams, Donnie Adams, Paul Adams and Terry Adams, all of Prestonsburg; one sister, Pearl Prater of Warsaw, Indiana; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 10, at 1 p.m., at the Carter Funeral Home Chapel, with Elders Chester Adkins, Alex Prater and Wallace Calhoun officiating.

Burial was in the Bob Prater Cemetery at Brainard, under the direction of Carter Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Serving as active pallbearers were Keith Adams, James Osborne, Jason Adams, Brock Boyd, Terry Adams, Tom Blackburn, Steve Baldridge, and Donnie Sparks.

Minnie Clark McClanahan

Minnie Clark McClanahan, 87, died February 14, in Belleville, Michigan, following a long illness.

Born September 30, 1910 in Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of the late John and Campbell Chadwick Clark.

She is survived by one sister, Hellen Clark Prater of Dearborn, Michigan.

Burial was in the Hillside Cemetery in Belleville, Michigan.

CARD OF THANKS

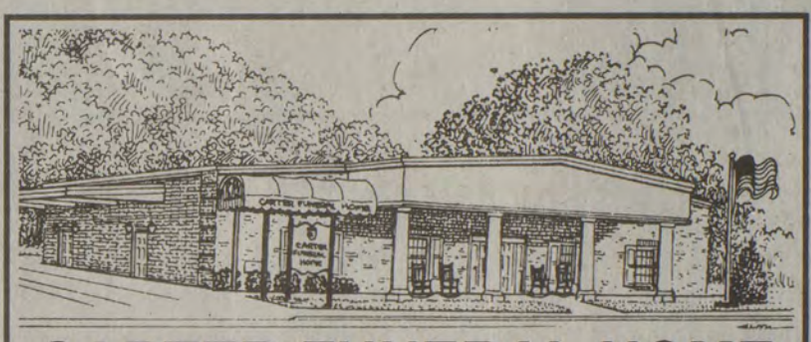
The family of Della Gibson Adkins wishes to thank all of those who were so kind and considerate during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent flowers and gifts of love. We especially want to thank the clergyman Harry Hargis for his comforting words; the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

The family of Della Gibson Adkins

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Tina M. Stumbo would like to extend their appreciation to all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. We deeply appreciate you all. A special thanks to the clergyman Ted Shannon for his comforting words; the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional services.

The family of Tina M. Stumbo



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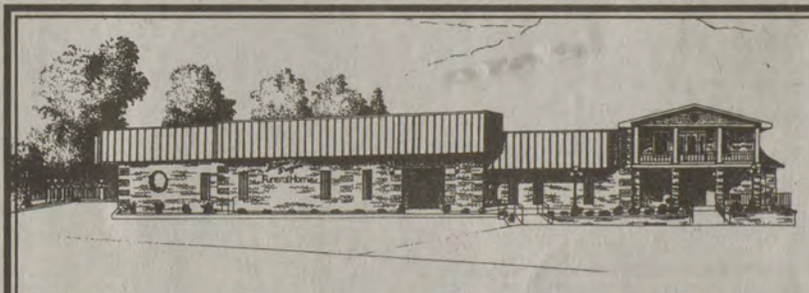

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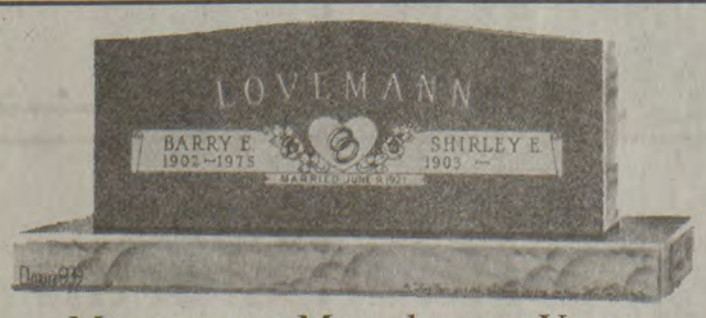

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Cop's wife to be arraigned for DUI

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

The wife of a Martin police officer will be arraigned next month on a drunk driving charge after she allegedly crashed into her husband's police cruiser Saturday night.

Martin officer James Burke notified the Floyd County Sheriff's Office shortly before midnight Saturday that he had been involved in an accident on Main Street.

Reports indicate that the officer's wife, Bonnie Burke, was driving under the influence (DUI) when she apparently wrecked into her husband's cruiser.

Martin police chief Jeffrey Powell said Tuesday that the officer and his wife were transported to Our Lady of the Way Hospital after the mishap.

Officer Burke was treated and released from the hospital, the police chief said, and Bonnie Burke was admitted for 24 hours before being released.

Jail records do not indicate if the officer's wife was arrested for drunk driving after her release. Local authorities reported Tuesday that Bonnie Burke was cited for the violation.

She is scheduled to be arraigned on the DUI charge in Floyd District Court on April 8.

Powell said trooper Johnny Slone was investigating the incident because of a conflict of interest for the city. He added that the city police department has not received any reports from the state police investigation.

The police chief said the city's police department was also conducting an investigation into the mishap.

Trooper Slone could not be contacted Tuesday for additional information about the incident.

Jeffery Boyd

Boyd accepted

Jeffery Todd Boyd of Dana has been accepted into the Pikeville College of Osteopathic Medicine. He plans to enroll this fall.

Boyd attended Prater Elementary; Betsy Layne High School; Morehead State University for four years; and the University of Louisville for two years.

He is now employed at the St. Jose Hospital as a medical technician.

He is the son of Anna Ray Jarrell Boyd of Dana and the late Charley Boyd. He is the grandson of the late Birdie Boyd Jarrell and Bruce Jarrell, James Monroe Boyd and Maggie Click Boyd.

Interim—

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"I will work harder in the future to ensure this is not happening," Kimbrough told the board. "It's very difficult when you have thousands of people second guessing you. . .We will provide support people to assist you. Floyd Countains need to be in control of change in the district to make a difference. . .We are going to make every effort possible to let this board act as any other board in the state. If we see you do anything illegal we will overdrive that and I think you'd expect us to."

Board member Jody Mullins asked Kimbrough if the local board would be responsible for paying an interim superintendent if they sought to find someone on their own.

Kimbrough said the state would pay King's and the proposed four consultant's salaries, but not an interim superintendent selected by the local board.

"So, (King) is a freebie, right?" Mullins asked.

That question prompted Stumbo to comment to Mullins, "Jody, you've become very money conscious."

"Honey, you ain't been where I've been," Mullins responded referring to his removal hearing before a quorum of the Kentucky Board of Education.

Ross asked Kimbrough how long King would be able to serve as interim superintendent, voicing concern that there has been little stability in the district for the past several years.

King, who is retired, can work through the end of June and would be eligible to work in the district for another 100 days if he decided to do so. Retired educators are only allowed to work 100 days without it affecting their retirements.

Interim superintendent Bill Rideout submitted his resignation, effective at the close of Monday's meeting, due to personal reasons.

Board chairman Terry Dotson also expressed concern that there has been a lot of turnover with interim superintendents and said it was not beneficial to the local board or state officials.

Kimbrough said state officials regretted the number of interim superintendents in the district—three last year alone—and added that that has contributed to some of the problems in Floyd County.

Board members asked what state officials expected in the working relationship between a state manager and interim superintendent in the district.

"We want someone who can bring stability to the district and Mike King can do that," Kimbrough said. "We can work with you and collaborate if you think its not the right thing to do, but we need to know that."

After more discussion, the board voted to name King as interim superintendent.

After Monday's meeting, Kimbrough said that a state manager has not been named for the district and wanted to clarify that Carter will work in the district as a consultant for the state.

In other business Monday:

• Board members reviewed a draft of a corrective plan of action in response to an extensive management audit of the district last year. The plan has to be submitted to state officials by mid-March and local officials will present the plan to the Kentucky Board of Education in April. Board members made several recommendations for changes and the document will be finalized before the March deadline.

• Board members passed a resolution to change the meeting time of the March 17 meeting from 6:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

All members were present at Monday's meeting.

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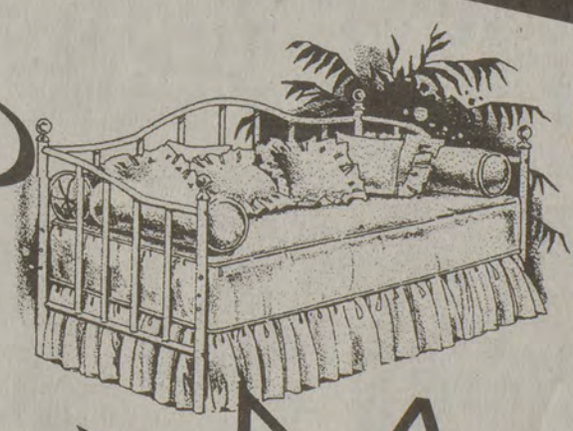

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

Charitable dinner

On March 17, the GFWC-KFWC Prestonsburg's Woman Club will host a dinner at the clubhouse. Cost is $4 and delivery is available. Dinner will consist of Irish stew, cole slaw, cornbread, brownies and ice tea. Proceeds will go to a charitable Christmas event for children.

Clark SBDM council to meet

Clark Elementary SBDM council will meet March 11, at 6 p.m., in the school library. Everyone welcome.

P'burg Little League signups

Prestonsburg Little League signups will be held March 14 and March 21, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Adams Middle School cafeteria. Also, tee-ball enrollment is for children age five years old before August 1. Call 886-2552 for more information.

March Master Gardener classes

• March 12: Fruit tree grafting and pruning, at 1 p.m., at the Floyd County Extension Office.

• March 17: Raised bed and container gardening, at 6 p.m., at the city greenhouse at PCC.

• March 26: Starting seeds at home, at 6 p.m., at the city greenhouse at PCC.

• March 31: Water gardens in the home landscape, at 6:30 p.m., at the extension office.

For more information, contact the Floyd County Extension Office.

MMS advisory council to meet

The Martin Middle School advisory council meeting will be held Thursday, March 12, at 12:30 at the youth service center. The meeting is open to the public.

Also, articles of clothing that students left at school may be found at the youth service center. Check the center if you have lost anything.

Parents support group

If you are a parent, guardian or caretaker of a child who has been abused, there are people who can help you deal with all the things you must face. The parents' support group meets on Thursday mornings, from 10-12, at the Mountain Comprehensive Care Clinic in Prestonsburg. Free and open to the public.

St. Patrick's Dance

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with square, folk and line dancing for the entire family at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Prestonsburg, on Saturday, March 14. $3 per person; children free. Call 886-2711 for more information.

Coffee house, rally

Martin Church of Christ will hold a free coffee house at the church, on March 19, at 7 p.m. Also, Fifth Sunday Rally will be held March 29, at 6 p.m. with special music and a puppet show.

Scholarship applications

The Floyd County Conservation District is accepting college scholarship applications from Floyd County students. Applications are available at the conservation office at 26 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, and from the guidance counselors at the high school. Call 886-3128 for more information.

Quilter's Day Out

Quilter's Day Out will be held March 21, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Floyd County Cooperative Extension Service, 670 S. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg. Activities include show and tell, quilt exhibits, and more. Contact Theresa Morgan-Scott at 886-2668 or Marena Hale Nelson at 886-9622 or 889-0098. The event is sponsored by the Nimble Thimble Quilt Guild of Floyd County.

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OBITUARIES

James "Jim" Prater

James "Jim" Prater, 82, of Edgewater, Florida, formerly of Hueysville, died Thursday, March 5, 1998, at Hospice Care Center in Port Orange, Florida.

Born April 4, 1915 at Hueysville, he was the son of the late Seymore Prater and Liza Handshoe Prater. He was a retired coal miner and former gas and oil well driller. He was a member of the New Smyrna Beach Christian Church in New Smyrna Beach, Florida.

Survivors include his wife, Leona Hayes Prater; four sons, Donald Edward Prater of Westland, Michigan, James Willie Prater and Richard B. Prater, both of Edgewater, Florida, and John M. Prater of Deerfield Beach, Florida; two daughters, Sally Sue Prater Moore of Westland, Michigan, and Dianne Hall of Edgewater, Florida; one sister, Dolly Reed of Plymouth, Ohio; 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 9, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Rondal Hayes officiating.

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

Serving as pallbearers were Jamie Prater, David Prater, J.J. Prater, Ed Hall Jr., Jimmy Prater and Chris Johnson.

Anna Lee Lucas

Anna Lee Lucas, 39, of Hueysville, died Monday, March 9, 1998, at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington, following a brief illness.

Born December 22, 1958 in Knott County, she was the daughter of Clerinda Hall Lucas Taylor of Hueysville and the late Earl Lucas.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by her stepfather, Corbett "Carbide" Taylor of Hueysville; five brothers, Elmer Lucas of Grant, Michigan, Kenis Lucas of Langley, and Lloyd Lucas, Earl Lucas Jr. and Micheal Lucas, all of Marion, Ohio; and six sisters, Gladys Thornsberry of Estill, Janice Moore, Betty Riley and Dusty Grisby, all of Marion, Ohio, Peggy Williams of Wayland and Carolyn Prater of Eastern.

Funeral services will be Thursday, March 12, at 11 a.m., at the Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church at Estill, with the Freewill Baptist Church ministers and other officiating.

Burial will be in the Pigman Cemetery at Raven, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Johnnie B. Post

Johnnie B. Ferrell Post, 53, of North Adams, Michigan, formerly of Martin, died Saturday, March 7, 1998, at Chelsa Community Hospital, following a long illness.

Born February 24, 1945, she was the daughter of the late Herbert and Mattie Ferrell.

Survivors include her husband, John Post; two sons, Nathan and Christopher Post, both of North Adams, Michigan; five sisters, Jeanette Ladd of Cromona, Billie Jean Burke of Martin, Terri Jean Hale of Newport News, Virginia, Sharon Jarrell of Dana, Debra Slone of Price; and one brother, Herbert M. Ferrell of Manton.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 11, at 11 a.m., at the Kurtz Town Funeral Home in North Adams, Michigan. Burial will be in the family cemetery in North Adams.

Information courtesy of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Merlin Hurt Fugate

Merlin Hurt Fugate, 71, of Fisty, died Sunday, March 8, 1998, at her residence, following an extended illness.

Born June 12, 1926 in Clemons, she was the daughter of the late Harvey and Maybelle Combs Hurt. She was preceded in death by her husband, Alamander Fugate.

Survivors include two sons, Dorris Fugate and Doyle Fugate of Lotts Creek; four daughters, Mary Lou Fugate of Bonnyman, Alvonda Ronnebaum of Hazard, and Blanche Saylor and Bethel Caudill, both of Fisty; six brothers; two sisters, 18 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 11, at 11 a.m., at the Lotts Creek United Baptist Church, with Donnie Patrick and others officiating.

Burial will be in the Curt Napier Cemetery at Lotts Creek, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Alma Inmon Hall

Alma Inmon Hall, 85, of Genoa, West Virginia, formerly of Wayland, died Saturday, March 7, 1998, at Three Rivers Medical Center in Louisa, following a long illness.

Born July 7, 1912 in Knott County, she was the daughter of the late Ad and Fanny Coburn Inmon.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Cletis Hall.

Survivors include one son, Clinton Hall of Willard, Ohio; four daughters, Maxine Damron of Genoa, West Virginia, Gwendolyn Martin of Prestonsburg, Barbara Stephens of Lima, Ohio, and Linda Murphy of London, Ohio; nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 9, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Roger Dale Hicks officiating.

Burial was in the Coburn Cemetery at Garrett, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Serving as pallbearers were Mark Purdy, Willie Martin, Larry Damron Jr., Ivory Damron and Alvin Ray Hall.

Nelson Hall

Nelson Hall, 19, of Glenfield, New York, died Sunday, March 8, 1998, at the UK Medical Center in Lexington.

Born March 21, 1978 in Rochester, New York, he was the son of Chett Hall of Clay City and Margaret Kretovic Hall Chapman of Glenfield, New York.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his stepmother, Carol Hall of Clay City; his stepfather, Edward Chapman of Glenfield, New York; maternal grandmother, Wilma Brown of Rochester, New York, step maternal grandmother, Geraldine Chapman of Glenfield, New York; paternal grandparents, Lee Hall of Paintsville and Bamie Akers Taylor of Clay City; one son, Zander Lee Hall of Lowville, New York; two brothers, Justin Hall and Christopher Hall, both of Glenfield, New York; one half-sister, Jill Overton of Lowville, New York; and two stepsisters, Tawana Adams and Roberta Adams, both of Clay City.

Funeral services will be Thursday, March 12, at 11 a.m., at the Immanuel Full Gospel Church at Hi Hat, with Sammy Hall, Bod Crum, Bobby Newsome and Gerlene Newsome officiating.

Burial will be in Greenberry Hall Cemetery at Galveston, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Visitation will be at the church.

Earl Slone

Earl Slone, 77, died Sunday, March 8, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born May 12, 1920 at Blue River, he was the son of the late Harmison and Annie B. Whitaker Slone. He was a retired coal miner and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Ocie Slone; one daughter, Judy Russell of West Van Lear; five brothers, Richmond Slone and Burns Slone, both of Blue River, Columbus Slone of Claypool, Indiana, Raymond Slone of Warsaw, Indiana, and Burl Slone of Las Cruces, New Mexico; one sister, Sally R. Slone of Warsaw, Indiana; two grandsons and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 11, at 1 p.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Vernon Slone officiating.

Burial will be in the James E. Shepherd Cemetery at David, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Serving as pallbearers will be Luther Russell Jr., Chalmer Howard, David Russell, Darren Gamble, Jackie Howard and Jason Russell.

Clarence "Kat" Kidd

Clarence "Kat" Kidd, 69, of Harold, died Sunday, March 8, 1998, at his residence, following a brief illness.

Born April 20, 1928 at Harold, he was the son of the late James and Mamie Wiley Kidd. He was a retired construction worker.

Survivors include four sons, Paul E. Kidd of Harold, Donald R. Kidd of Prestonsburg, Jimmy L. Kidd of Norwalk, Ohio, and Glen Kidd of Martin; one daughter, Barbara Turner of Norwalk, Ohio; one brother, James Kidd of Harold; three sisters, Esta Boyd of Marion, Ohio, and Mable Skeens and Lois Conn, both of Harold; 15 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 11, at 11 a.m., at the Little Dove Old Regular Baptist Church at Honaker.

Burial will be in the Kidd Cemetery on Little Mud, Honaker, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Myrtle Cox

Myrtle Cox, 49, of Mousie, died Saturday, March 7, 1998, at Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Born May 12, 1948 at Mousie, she was the daughter of the late Jarvey Caudill and Virgie Hall Caudill. She was a member of the Little Country Church at Wayland.

Survivors include her husband, Billy Cox; two sons, Billy Edward Cox and William Mullins Jr., both of Rowdy; three daughters, Donna Paige and Tammy Paige, both of Wayland, and Darlene Nickles of Hindman; three brothers, Henry Caudill of Mousie, Bennie Caudill of Martin, and Charlie Caudill of Indiana; two sisters, Pinie Hicks of Wayland and Annie Ritchie of Lackey; and 16 grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 10, at 1 p.m., at the Little Country Church at Wayland, with Tommy Colett and Clester Hall officiating.

Burial was in the Cox Cemetery at Mousie, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Friends of May House to meet

The Friends of the Samuel May House will meet Tuesday, March 24, at 7 p.m., at the Samuel May House.

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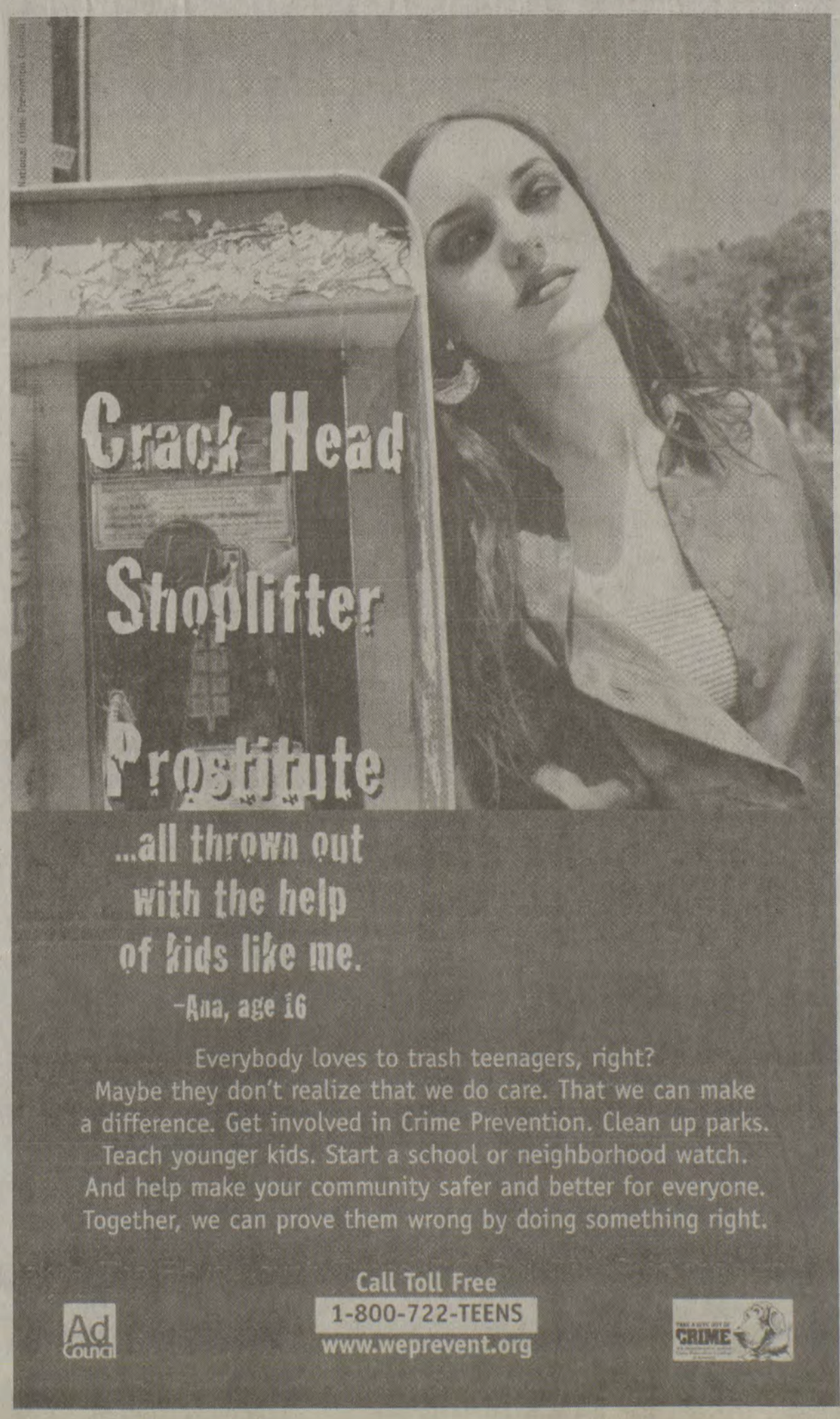


Spring Conference to be held April 23

The Eastern Kentucky Council of Teachers of Mathematics Executive Committee announces the Tenth Annual Spring Conference to be held on Thursday, April 23, at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park's May Lodge and Conference Center. The theme this year is "Algebra for Everyone and Statistics, Another Basic Skill." Conference check-in will begin at 3:30 p.m. in the foyers of both the Lodge and the Conference Center with all grade level sessions starting promptly at 4 p.m. Dinner will be served in the Conference Center at approximately 6 p.m. The after-dinner speaker for this year's conference will be Dr. Michael R. Nichols, noted psychologist, humorist and public speaker. Session speakers include Linda Poppas, Region 8 math specialist; Dr. Thomas Cline, Morehead State University; Dr. Linda Sheffield, Northern Kentucky University; Dr. Connie Widmer, Northern Kentucky University; and Dr. Vivian Cyrus, Morehead State University.

A registration form for the conference must be completed by each individual who plans to attend, and returned with appropriate fees by Friday, April 10. There will be no on-site registration. Respond at your earliest convenience, since we do expect a capacity crowd.

Fees for the conference will be as follows: $20 for teachers, non teachers and administrators and $16 for students (we encourage college student participation; however, all students will be assessed the $16 fee and must complete the registration process by April 10.)

Additional information including registration forms, can be obtained by contacting John D. Sammons at Prestonsburg Community College or Tammy Goble at Sheldon Clark High School. Make plans now to join in a special celebration commemorating a decade of service to Eastern Kentucky.

Blood drive will be held March 20

Every few minutes a Kentuckian receives a blood transfusion. Blood is needed for open heart surgery, organ transplants, accident victims, and persons with debilitating diseases such as cancer. To keep up with the amount of blood use, healthy volunteer donors are needed every day to keep the lifeline flowing.

Family Health Center will sponsor the next Floyd County community blood drive on Friday, March 20, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Family Health Center, on a bloodmobile.

Be part of those who care enough to share. A free t-shirt will be given to all donors. For more information about donating, call Mickey Bowling at 1-800-775-2522.

Morehead society seeking nominations for awards

Morehead State University's Alpha Nu Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, an international, professional fraternity for educators, is seeking nominees for its three annual awards.

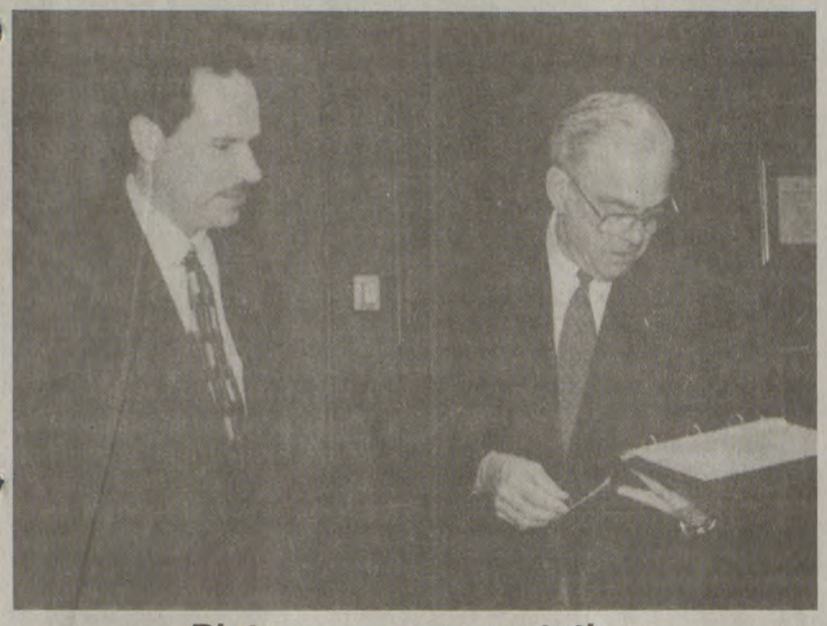
Individuals may be nominated for Outstanding Public School Teacher, Outstanding Public School Administrator, and Outstanding MSU graduate student.

The appropriate nomination forms may be attained from Belva Sammons, chair of the Phi Delta Kappa Awards Committee.

To nominate an individual, contact the person to determine their willingness to be nominated. Ask the nominee to submit to you a typed vita following a specific format and a letter of recommendation from their immediate supervisor.

Send these items, along with your own letter of recommendation, by Monday, March 16, to Sammons, at the Academic Services Center, MSU, UPO 1228, Morehead, KY 40351.

Additional information and forms are available from Sammons by calling (606) 783-5189.



Picturesque presentation

H. Allen Bolling, who recently won an award through the Kentucky Press Association's winter newspaper contest for his photographs of Habitat for Humanity's "Hammerin' in the Hills" project in Pikeville, compiled a photo album of the work and presented it to Governor Paul Patton. The governor, as well as First Lady Hillary Clinton and former President Jimmy Carter, participated in the project. Bolling also included some snapshots he had taken that shows Kentucky at its best.

Calendar

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Public forum

The Department for the Blind is conducting public forums to provide consumers and other individuals with the opportunity to comment on any aspects of the department's programs, services and activities. In the Big Sandy region, the forums will be held at the agency office on April 2, at 7 p.m. The office is located at 2565 S. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg. Contact Carlone Conley at 1-800-334-6940 for additional information.

Training session

The Workforce Training Center at Prestonsburg Community College will offer training in the geographical information system (GIS) to area businesses, service agencies and individuals interested in learning more about this tracking program. Call 886-3863 for more information or stop by the Office of Continuing Education at PCC.

Pikeville College Phonathon

The Pikeville College Phonathon, the school's largest annual fundraiser, will be held on March 2-12. Support Pikeville College by making a pledge. All proceeds benefit the student scholarship fund. Call (606) 432-9326 to volunteer or for donor information.

MCA registration

Mountain Christian Academy is conducting registration. Students currently enrolled and their siblings may register between now and March 15. For students not currently enrolled, registration will begin March 15. For more information, call MCA at 285-5141.

CPR classes

Our Lady of the Way Hospital will offer a basic CPR class for the public on March 20, at the Seton Complex. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.; class starts at 9 a.m. Preregistration is required by March 12. Call 285-5181, ext. 301 to register.

Depressed anonymous

This new 12-step group in the Big Sandy area will meet every Thursday, at 7 p.m. in the conference room of the Big Sandy Area Development office, located on Cliff Road, behind Schwan's. Call 886-0483 for more information.

Shipmates sought

The USS LST Association is looking for all LSTER's to have a reunion with shipmates, from WW2 to present date. The next reunion will be in Washington, D.C. September 2-8. Contact Bob Garner LST 461, HC 52 Box 362, Hemphill, Texas 75948, or call 1-800-228-5870.

Newsome reunion

There will be a Newsome family reunion from Sunday, June 14, to Saturday, June 20. A closing dinner is scheduled for Saturday.

This is for the relatives of Elias G. Newsome, Sarah Jane Akers Newsome (1st wife) and Rhoda Newsome (2nd wife).

Anyone interested in attending the reunion is asked to contact: Raymond Newsome, 12651 Bruce Hunt Rd., Clermont, Florida 34711-9056. Phone: (352) 394-1684

South Floyd Youth Services Center activities

• Adult Learning Center is open Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 8 a.m. to noon. This service is free and open to the public.

• Clothing bank open by appointment on Wednesdays and Fridays.

• Student activity held from 3-4 p.m. on school days.

The center is open 8-4 on Monday-Friday. Call Keith Smallwood or Mable C. Hall at 452-9600 for information.

Adams Middle School Youth Service Center

• The center will be sponsoring a trip for the eighth grade students to Toyota on March 12 and April 14. Call 886-9812 for more information.

• Community Breakfast and Reading Day at the school on March 26. Call the center for more information on how to get involved.

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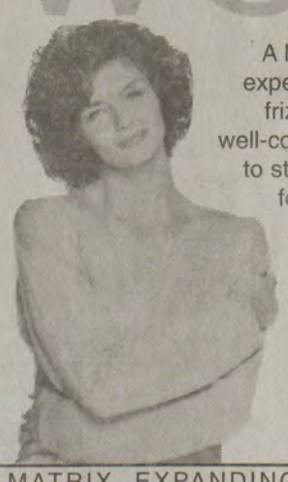
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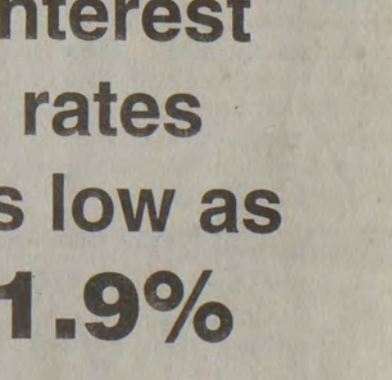

Indictments

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burglarizing Edward Warren Tires on September 20, 1996; TBUT for allegedly stealing a 1995 van loaded with appliances from Tec 21 Service Center on November 17, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking a 1992 4X4 pickup truck from Carter Hughes Toyota on September 9, 1993; and third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Slone's Garage and taking approximately $300,000 in cash.

• Kelvin Mullins, third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Ralph's Tires on November 17, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking three rolls of copper from United Supply on May 24, 1996; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Edward Warren Tires on September 20, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking a 1995 van loaded with appliances from Tec 21 Service Center on November 17, 1996; being a persistent felony offender for having one previous felony conviction.

• Larry O. Blackburn, third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Ralph's Tires on November 17, 1996; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Brock McVey on March 17, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking 40 tires from storage trailer at Hyden's B.P. on June 9, 1996; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Wholesale Auto Parts on July 29, 1996; TBUT for allegedly taking three rolls of copper from United Supply on May 24, 1996; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Edward Warren Tires on September 20, 1996; and TBUT for allegedly stealing a 1995 van loaded with appliances from Tec 21 Service Center on November 17, 1996.

• James Patrick Allen, persistent felony offender for having two or more prior felony convictions; first degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Mountain Pipe Line on April 28 while being armed with a .12 gauge shotgun; TBUT for allegedly stealing a 1982 pickup truck from Lowell Samons Car Lot on July 19; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Prestonsburg city garage on July 27; TBUT for allegedly stealing a 4X4 truck from Layne Brothers Ford on November 29, 1996; and third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Slone's Garage on September 6, 1994 and taking approx. $300,000 in cash.

• Robert Clark, TBUT for allegedly stealing a pickup truck from Lowell Samons Car Lot on July 19.

• Daniel Clark, TBUT for allegedly stealing a 1984 pickup truck from Ronald Adams Auto Sales on June 26.

In other indictments returned Tuesday, an Auxier man who was shot by his wife during a domestic dispute was indicted on two charges of first degree wanton endangerment.

William Horn, 39, is accused of shooting a pistol in close proximity of his wife, Audrey Horn, and his son, Kevin Horn, on February 5. William Horn was shot two times in the face by his wife during the domestic dispute. Sheriff's Lt. Ricky Thornsberry presented the case to the grand jury.

Other indictments issued Tuesday:

• Douglas Patton, 31, of Weeksbury, is charged with first degree sodomy for allegedly engaging in deviate sexual intercourse on January 16 with a woman who was physically helpless. Patton is also charged with criminal facilitation for allegedly assisting Eddie Collins in raping the woman. He is also charged with being a persistent felony offender.

• Eddie Collins, 47, of Weeksbury, is charged with first degree rape for allegedly raping a woman January 16 who was physically helpless. He is also charged with criminal facilitation for allegedly helping Douglas Patton sodomize the woman.

• Luther Edwards, 47, of Mousie, is charged with five counts of first degree sexual abuse for allegedly having sexual contact in November 1997 with a female less than 12 years old.

• William Price, 50, of Prestonsburg, is charged with first degree sexual abuse and third degree sodomy for allegedly engaging in deviate sexual intercourse in 1979 with a person less than 16 years old.

• Auddie Hall, 37, of McDowell, is charged with first degree assault for allegedly stabbing Robert Hanna five times with a kitchen knife on November 13, 1997.

• Anna Lucille Brown, 44, of McDowell, is charged with first degree robbery for allegedly using physical force to restrain Lola Hamilton by taping her hands, feet and covering her eyes and mouth with duct tape to steal personal property from Hamilton's home on June 15, 1997; and second degree unlawful imprisonment for allegedly restraining Lola Hamilton.

• Dawn Morrison, 22, of Langley, is charged with first degree robbery for allegedly using physical force to restrain Lola Hamilton by taping her hands, feet and covering her eyes and mouth with duct tape to steal personal property from Hamilton's home on June 15, 1997.

• Rosemary Samons, 49, of Allen, is charged with conspiracy to commit robbery for allegedly assisting Anna Lucille Brown and Dawn Morrison in the robbery of Lola Hamilton.

• Jason P. Adams, 21, of Prestonsburg, is charged with first degree robbery for allegedly injuring Kim Tussey on November 25, 1997, while he stole her purse in Prestonsburg. He is also charged with being a persistent felony offender for having two or more prior felony convictions.

• Claude D. Issac, 19, of Teaberry, is charged with first degree robbery for allegedly pulling a knife and robbing his uncle, Chester Newsome, on November 28, 1997. He is also charged with first degree assault for allegedly cutting his uncle's throat, and with first degree burglary for allegedly entering Newsome's home with a deadly weapon with the intent to commit a crime.

• Bradford K. Ward, 31, of Martin, is charged with second degree burglary for allegedly entering the home of Katie Hall on December 21, 1997. He is also charged with second degree assault for allegedly hitting Ronnie Dale Hamilton in the head with a 2X4 board and stabbing him in the chest with a broken metal broom handle.

• Ricky Lee Goble, 33, of Prestonsburg, is charged with first degree bail jumping for allegedly failing to appear for trial in Floyd Circuit Court on September 8, 1997.

• Larry Anderson, also known as Larry Douglas, 26, of Allen, is charged with kidnapping for allegedly restraining Jerry Davis with the intent to do bodily harm or terrorize him during the commission of a felony on January 1. He is also charged with two counts of first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly pointing a gun at Jessie Craft and William Watkins; first degree burglary for allegedly entering the home of Shena Keathley armed with a .12 gauge shotgun; terroristic threatening for allegedly threatening to kill Jerry Davis; unlawful transaction with a minor for allegedly causing Jonathan Adkins to engage in first degree burglary, kidnapping, fourth degree assault, terroristic threatening and first degree wanton endangerment; and being a persistent felony offender for having on previous felony conviction.

• Bill Keathley, 31, of Harold, is charged with kidnapping for allegedly restraining Jerry Davis with the intent to do bodily harm or terrorize him during the commission of a felony on January 1. He is also charged with two counts of first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly pointing a gun at Jessie Craft and William Watkins; first degree burglary for allegedly entering the home of Shena Keathley armed with a .12 gauge shotgun; terroristic threatening for allegedly threatening to kill Shena Keathley; two counts of fourth degree assault for allegedly hitting Shena Keathley and beating Jerry Davis; and unlawful transaction with a minor for allegedly causing Jonathan Adkins to engage in first degree burglary, kidnapping, fourth degree assault, terroristic threatening and first degree wanton endangerment.

• Claude Issac, 19, of Teaberry, is charged with criminal mischief for allegedly damaging a 1997 Mercury on November 7, 1997, owned by Maxine Newsome.

• Ricky E. Newsome, 19, of Teaberry, is charged with second degree burglary for allegedly unlawfully entering the home of James Marcus Hylton on November 24, 1997; TBUT for allegedly taking property from the home of James Marcus Hylton; second degree criminal mischief for allegedly damaging James Marcus Hylton's mobile home; and fraudulent used of a credit card after reporting it stolen on November 25, 1997.

• Claude Issac, 19, of Teaberry, is charged with second degree burglary for allegedly unlawfully entering the home of James Marcus Hylton on November 24, 1997; TBUT for allegedly taking property from the home of James Marcus Hylton; and second degree criminal mischief for allegedly damaging James Marcus Hylton's mobile home.

• Christopher J. Hamilton, 20, of Grethel, is charged with second degree burglary for allegedly unlawfully entering the home of James Marcus Hylton on November 24, 1997; TBUT for allegedly taking property from the home of James Marcus Hylton; and second degree criminal mischief for allegedly damaging James Marcus Hylton's mobile home.

• Charles E. Hall II, 24, of Harold, is charged with two counts of second degree criminal possession of a forged instrument for allegedly possessing two forged checks on November 23, 1997, drawn on the Community Trust Bank; theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to Messer's Department Store knowing the check would not be honored; and theft by possession for allegedly presenting a check to Food World knowing the check would not be honored.

• Timmy Wallen, 28, of Blue River, is charged with TBUT for allegedly taking six vehicle batteries from Dennis Adams Distributors on October 8, 1997; third degree burglary for allegedly burglarizing Dennis Adams Distributors; and being a persistent felony offender for having two or more prior felony convictions.

• Jason H. Jenkins, 19, of Hueysville, is charged with TBUT for allegedly stealing a 1990 auto on December 9, 1996, owned by Carl Hicks.

• Wanda George, 22, of Prestonsburg, is charged with theft by failure to make required disposition of property for allegedly using property belonging to Wal-Mart as her own and failing to make payment for the property on April 5, 1997; TBUT for allegedly taking Wal-Mart property; and theft by deception for allegedly signing a bogus signature to a Wal Mart refund ticket.

• Tammy Addington, 25, of Hueysville, is charged with theft by failure to make required disposition of property for allegedly using property belonging to Wal-Mart as her own and failing to make payment for the property on April 5, 1997; TBUT for allegedly taking Wal-Mart property; and theft by deception for allegedly signing a bogus signature to a Wal Mart refund ticket.

• Remis Addington, 25, of Hueysville, is charged with theft by failure to make required disposition of property for allegedly using property belonging to Wal-Mart as her own and failing to make payment for the property on April 5, 1997; TBUT for allegedly taking Wal-Mart property; and theft by deception for allegedly signing a bogus signature to a Wal Mart refund ticket.

• John Stamper, 42, of Prestonsburg, is charged with theft by deception for allegedly performing work for Barry Spurlock while posing as a licensed contractor when he was not from November 1997 through December 1997; two counts of practice as and assumption and use of title of master contractor, journeyman or apprentice without a license for allegedly working on a heating and cooling unit in August 1997, owned by Barry Spurlock; and two counts of false advertising for allegedly advertising in a public telephone book, on his vehicle and other advertisements that he was a licensed master heating, ventilation and air conditioning contractor when he was not.

• Elvie Akers, 28, of Teaberry, is charged with TBUT for allegedly taking mining cable on January 13 which belonged to Ray and/or Kelly Slone.

• Jimmy Tackett, 29, of Teaberry, is charged with TBUT for allegedly taking mining cable on January 13 which belonged to Ray and/or Kelly Slone.

• Toni E. Smith, 44, of Martin, is charged with TBUT for allegedly taking $20,000 from Steve's Tire Sales from June 1996 through December 1997.

• Sammy Rife, 31, of Salyersville, is charged with allegedly operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol on November 22, 1997, after having three prior convictions within a five-year period.

• Robert Prater, 42, of Prestonsburg, is charged with allegedly operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol on August 8, 1997, after having three prior convictions within a five-year period; and allegedly operating a motor vehicle while his license was revoked or suspended for driving under the influence.

• Charles B. Conn, 35, of Allen, is charged with flagrant non-support for allegedly failing to pay child support for more than six months.

• Larry A. McKinney, 34, of Hager Hill, is charged with allegedly making false representations to obtain Unemployment Insurance payments from October 1996 to May 1997 in the amount of $1,265.

• Matthew L. Howell, 22, of Dana, is charged with making false representations to obtain Unemployment Insurance payments from April to July 1997, in the amount of $580.

• Garland C. Spence, 36, of Inez, is charged with making false representations to obtain Unemployment Insurance payments from March to May 1997, in the amount of $1,791.

• Louise Perkins, 39, of Salyersville, is charged with making false representations to obtain Unemployment Insurance payments from July 1996 to March 1997, in the amount of $2,310.

• Charles Walker, 31, of Tram, is charged with flagrant non-support for failing to make child support payments for more than six months.

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For Pike Central, third time is charm

Collins overcomes foul trouble to lead Lady Hawks in region

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

For coach Tammy Tussey and the Pike Central Lady Hawks, the old saying, "third time is a charm," proved true when the final horn had sounded to end the championship round of the girls' 15th Region basketball tournament at South Floyd last Thursday night.

For the Lady Hawks, being "a bridesmaid" for the past three seasons ended when they posted a hard-fought 79-72 win over the Allen Central Lady Rebels to earn their first-ever trip to the Sweet Sixteen (today). Coach Tussey and the Lady Hawks had finished second to Belfry the past two seasons.

Pike Central will go to the "big dance" this week, thanks to a balanced scoring attack that kept Allen Central from pulling away early. The Lady Rebels played outstanding basketball as they practically matched the Lady Hawks basket-for-basket.

But it was Amanda Collins putting on a clinic in the second half after being saddled with three quick first-half fouls and relegated to the bench for most of the first two quarters.

Collins returned in the second half, finding holes in the Allen Central zone, used her patented jump hook to score 26 points in leading the scoring parade for Pike Central. The Lady Hawks placed four players in double figures with Tiffany Slone finishing with 17, while Ashley Melvin and Kim Hall tossed in 16 apiece.

It was Slone who was the thorn in Allen Central's side in the first half. The 6' 1" center had her way underneath the basket against the smaller Lady Rebels. Slone gathered in several lob passes, turned and scored to lead Pike Central early.

Collins had but six points in the first 16 minutes of the game, before being whistled for her third personal foul with 6:57 to play in the second period.

Eighth-grader, Ramanda Music, led Allen Central with 22 points. She also pulled down 14 rebounds. Crystal Martin added 14 points and Misty Scott netted 12. Jennifer Hopkins, who buried three treys, finished with 11 points with Jessica Martin being the fifth Lady Reb to score in double figures with ten points. Karen Wallen had three.

In the second half, it was Kim Hall who inflicted big damage on Allen Central. Hall hit three three-point baskets in the final two periods, but all three came at a time when Allen Central refused to go away.

The seven-point loss was not indicative of the closeness of the game. Allen Central trailed 52-50 with 6:41 to play in the fourth quarter when Hall drilled back-to-back three-pointers that gave Pike Central a 60-54 lead. Collins followed with a jump hook, and the Lady Hawks led by eight, 62-54, with 4:50 to play. Ashley Melvin's layup with 2:39 to play gave the Lady Hawks their biggest lead of the game, 68-58, as Allen Central could not get any closer than the final seven points.

The two teams both looked like champions as they battled throughout the first three quarters. Allen Central scored the first four points of the game, but Pike Central came back with eight unanswered points to lead 8-4. A short jumper and rebound basket by Music tied the game at 8 and it was tied again at 10. Slone gave Pike Central a 10-8 lead and the Lady Hawks turned the ball over on their next three possessions, but Allen Central could only score one point and trailed 12-11 at the first stop. Music scored seven first-quarter points.

Pike Central built a seven-point advantage, 19-12, with 5:20 to play in the second period. But Allen Central went on a 9-0 run taking a 21-19 lead on Hopkins' three-point basket with 2:51 left in the second stanza.

The game was tied twice and the lead exchanged hands seven times before Pike Central led 30-28 at the half.

There were three ties in the third period, with Allen Central holding the lead twice. There were five lead changes in the quarter. Pike Central held a 49-47 lead after three quarters.

Allen Central, who went with six players, appeared to have tired in the fourth quarter. Pike Central hit nine-of-11 free throws down the stretch to seal the win.

Allen Central finished their banner season at 20-9, while Pike Central (26-8) will face Boone County today at 1 p.m. in Richmond.

LADY REB NOTE:

• Allen Central's Misty Scott and Crystal Martin closed out stellar careers at Allen Central. Also playing their final game for the Lady Rebs were Gina Hall and Karen Wallen.

Pikeville upsets Blackcats 55-53 in first round of boys' 15th Region tourney

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

They didn't play their game; they didn't look sharp; and, at times, they looked confused. All that spelled defeat for the Prestonsburg Blackcats as they were upset by the Pikeville Panthers in the first round of the boys' 15th Region basketball tournament at Elkhorn City last Friday night. The Blackcats dropped a 55-53 decision to Pikeville ending any "dream game" with the Paintsville Tigers in a semi-final game.

It was a controversial game as fans verbally attacked the officiating crew over calls and lack of calls. It was a physical game, with Pikeville's Chase Gibson and Prestonsburg's Andy Jarvis battling each other.

But it was Jeremiah Akers' only field goal in the fourth quarter that sent the Blackcats home early. Prestonsburg held a 53-52 lead with 1:21 to play after Gibson had brought his team to within one point.

With 46 seconds remaining, Joe Campbell went to the charity stripe for a bonus shot but missed the front end with Pikeville's Will Isom coming down with the ball. Pikeville called for a time-out with 37 seconds remaining in the game. When play resumed, the Panthers struck with 26 seconds left. Akers received the basketball in the right corner, saw an open lane to the basket, drove the baseline, and on a reverse layup, gave the Panthers the lead at 54-53.

Prestonsburg signaled for a time-out with 18 seconds to play to set up a final play. With the ball, the basketball went to Jarvis off the right side with his back to the basket. Jarvis spin and lifted a shot that rebounded to the left side of the goal. A waiting Nathan Leslie grabbed the ball, scored, but the officials ruled the goal void after calling Jarvis for a pushing foul which brought the wrath of the Prestonsburg cheering section. Will Isom hit one-of-two free throws for the final score. For Coach Dave Thomas, he felt his team did what they had to do to win and perhaps Prestonsburg was looking ahead to the semi-finals.

PRESTONSBURG'S WES SAMONS drove the middle against Pikeville last Friday in the opening round of the boys' regional basketball tournament at Elkhorn City. (photo by Ed Taylor)

"It was a real good win for us," said the Pikeville coach. "For a young team to come up against a team that was supposed to beat us. Everyone was talking about a Paintsville-Prestonsburg match-up, and I guess our kids took offense to that. I thought we executed our game plan probably as well as we have all year. We made some key defensive stops down the stretch.

"Our kids stepped up after we lost a seven-point lead. We hung around and was able to pull it off. This is a good win for our program and for these kids."

Pikeville had built a seven-point lead in the third quarter leading 41-34 with 2:28 to play in the third. But Prestonsburg got two free throws from John Ortega, and Campbell drained his fifth trey of the game to narrow the lead to two, 41-39 after three quarters.

Jarvis completed an old-fashioned three-point play to start the fourth quarter that gave the Blackcats a 42-41 lead at the 7:43 mark.

The two teams were tied at 42 and again at 44 and 48 before Prestonsburg went in front, 51-48, after Jarvis completed another three-point play, with Gibson picking up his third personal.

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Like a sandwich

Allen Central Jessica Martin was caught between Pike Central's Tiffany Slone (55) and another defender as she went up for a shot in the first quarter of the girls' 15th Region championship game at South Floyd. Pike Central posted a 79-72 win over the Lady Rebs (photo by Ed Taylor)

Basketball season ends for county teams with baseball on the horizon

A Look At Sports

Well, the high school basketball season, as far as county teams go, is over until December 1. We did not send anyone to the Sweet Sixteen, but the Allen Central Lady Rebels made a good showing in the girls' regional tournament, finishing second to Pike Central.

Prestonsburg and Allen Central were upset in the first-round games of the boys' 15th Regional meet, and the early exit gave the football teams of the respective schools a chance to get on with spring practice.

The girls' regional tournament was one of the best that I have attended in recent years. It was super. Barry Hall, tournament director, Debbie Daniels, South Floyd principal, did an excellent job in hosting the girls' tournament, and it was a first-class job. Brenda Tackett was the hit of the tournament because she was in charge of the "hospitality room." Great job, Brenda!

The tournament went without incident, and the atmosphere was electrifying at times. Good close games gave the fans all they expected.

At Elkhorn City, the boys' 15th Region features some excellent basketball, as well with a few surprises. There were four upsets in the tournament with Pikeville beating Prestonsburg; Allen Central falling to Shelby Valley; and then the Wildcats being upset by Belfry.

Coach Randy McCoy and the folks at Elkhorn City did an excellent job in handling the almost capacity crowds that showed up for each session.

While the school had to hold split sessions in order to accommodate the crowds, everything went smoothly. Buses met the fans at pickup points throughout the city and returned them to their parked cars after the games.

While I was one of those skeptics complaining about the tournament being held at Elkhorn City, I also want to be the first to say that the tournament was great and was filled with a lot of fun and excitement.

If there was a negative side, then it would have to be the way fans from Paintsville, Prestonsburg and Shelby Valley behaved after their opening round games. The tissue paper, Coke bottles and other items did not need to be thrown onto the floor. The folks at Elkhorn City were the ones who had to clean up the mess left by another school. When adults act like children, then it is time they are reminded they are guests in the fieldhouse and not participants. I was ashamed of what took place.

With all that, the tournament at Elkhorn City was very, very successful and, with each session, it was almost a sold-out fieldhouse — and that was great.

While watching both tournaments, I couldn't help but feel for the seniors who were playing for the final time as their teams were eliminated.

As of this writing, it had not been determined who would represent the 15th Region in next week's state tournament. Paintsville and Belfry were to decide that Tuesday night. If the Tigers go, then it will make the fourth consecutive season for the Tigers. They are an excellent basketball team.

Question? If coach Bill Mike Runyon goes through with his retirement plans, who will guide the Tigers next season? It will be interesting, if the job is opened up, to discover who might apply for it.

This basketball season seems to have been longer than previous seasons, and I am glad it is closing. It must be "burnout" or something. I'm anxious for baseball to begin where we can get outside.

I still need some baseball and softball schedules. If you don't send one in, then don't holler because those games aren't in the newspaper.

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports!

Shelby Valley gets big basket from frosh winning over Allen Central in overtime

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Bradley Johnson stood outside and buried five three-point baskets to finish with 27 points, and Sterling Isaac weaved his way in and out of the Allen Central defense in scoring 25 points. When it came down to the big basket, that was taken by unheralded freshman Shannon Akers, whose rebound basket with just four seconds remaining in overtime, gave Shelby Valley an 85-83 win over the Allen Central Rebels in a first-round game of the boys' 15th Region basketball tournament at Elkhorn City Saturday night.

Akers was also credited with a block of Nick Samons, who went for a layup to tie the game. Akers was averaging just three points per game when he entered the tournament. But, he had pulled down 34 rebounds in the 20 games in which he had played, but none as big as the offensive board he had against the Rebels.

Allen Central seemed to have a safe enough lead in the fourth period as they led Shelby Valley 61-55 with 5:10 to play. But Bradley Johnson drained two three-point baskets back-to-back, sandwiched between by a Todd Howard layup, for a 63-60 game. The Wildcats took a 66-65 lead on a lay-in by Johnson at the 2:46 mark. Howard's free throw tied the game at 66-66 with 1:05 to play in regulation time, but the Wildcats hit four straight free throws to take a 70-67 lead with 15 seconds remaining. Getting the ball upcourt, Jesse Hall stood all alone behind the three-point arch and drained a three-pointer that tied the game at 70 to send it to overtime.

There were eight lead changes and three ties in the extra four-minute period. Jody Damron gave Shelby Valley the first lead at 72-70 to start the extra period. Gary Hunter, who played a superb game, completed a three-point play the old fashioned way that gave Allen Central a 73-72 advantage. The lead changed hands for the fifth time in the period when Johnson hit a three-point basket that gave Shelby Valley an 82-79 lead with 1:33 to play.

Howard closes career with Rebels with 29-point night

Nick Samons sank two charity tosses for an 82-81 game. With 31 seconds to play, Damron connected on the front end of a two-shot foul. Central grabbed the loose ball and Hunter found an opening in the middle, drove the lane, and missed an uncontested layup but was fouled and went to the line for two shots. Hunter missed both attempts with 21 seconds to play in overtime. After Shelby Valley missed, Todd Howard broke free and scored on a layup to tie the game at 83 with 13 seconds to play.

In the final 13 seconds, Howard laid on the floor hurt and Hunter was limping as Shelby Valley got three shots at the basket with Akers putting the ball back in for an 85-83 lead.

Play was stopped at :04 on the clock while Howard left the game.

Samons took the inbound pass, drove around the Shelby Valley defense, and had a clear path to the basket. As he went for the layup, Akers came up from behind and blocked the shot, sending Samons into the end zone on the floor.

The Allen Central bench and fans wanted a foul, but the officials did not break stride as they headed to their dressing room. Coach Johnny Martin, upset over the no-call, lofted his sport coat in the air in disgust.

The two teams played to a 14-14 tie at the end of the first quarter. The Rebels took a 9-2 lead early but the game was tied at 9 and 12 before the 14-14 score.

There were three ties in the second quarter but an 8-2 run by Allen Central in the second period gave the Rebels a 33-29 halftime lead. Howard completed a three-point play with :01 on the scoreboard.

Allen Central maintained control of the game leading by eight points twice in the third period with the last coming at 41-33. But Shelby Valley went on a 9-0 spurt that netted them a 42-41 lead. The Rebels led 53-50 after three quarters.

Samons finished with 16 points for the Rebels, Hunter added 24 and Howard scored 29.

Allen Central finished the season with a 18-10 record.

Sports Forum returns tonight over WPRG, Channel 5

With all the basketball tournaments being history, the 15th Region Sports Forum will return to the airwaves tonight at 8:30 p.m. over the Inter Mountain Cable, WPRG, Channel 5.

The live call-in show will take a look at the just-completed tournaments, a preview of the boys' state tournament scheduled to tip off next week, as well as the Kentucky Wildcats and the NCAA Shootout.

Viewers are urged to call in and talk sports with special guests on the hour-long show.

Pikeville

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On a nice assist from Gibson, Isom scored underneath to make it a one-point game, 51-50. On an attempt that resembled a circus shot, Ortega banked in a jumper with 1:59 to play and Prestonsburg led 53-50. Gibson kept his team close with a rebound basket with 1:21 to play.

Prestonsburg, in control, went to their stall with Campbell being fouled out of it. It was then he missed the front end of the bonus shot.

Isom, who finished with 15 points for the Panthers, was impressive in his match up with Jarvis in the middle but had nothing but praise for the Prestonsburg center.

"It was a great game," he said. "Andy Jarvis is a great player. He gets a lot of offensive rebounds. Luckily, I was able to score and rebound against him. (Nathan) Leslie is a great player also."

For senior John Mims, the victory was sweet one.

"First and foremost I want to thank the Lord and my savior, Jesus Christ. Jeremiah Akers is an unbelievable shooter. He stepped up real big and made some key defensive stops. Chase Gibson: Huge on the glass. He played a great floor game."

Pikeville led 15-13 after the first quarter. Gibson scored six first-quarter points and Akers drilled a three-point basket. After Isom opened the game with a basket, Wes Samons hit a short jumper and Campbell drained his first three-point basket to give Prestonsburg a 5-2 lead. The Blackcats led 7-4 and 11-8 before Akers hit his trey to tie the game at 11. Off a steal, Chad Anderson scored for a 15-11 game but Jarvis had a put-back just ahead of the horn for a 15-13 game.

It was Campbell rising to the challenge in the second period. He buried consecutive three-point baskets to send Prestonsburg in front 19-15. But again it was Akers being a thorn with a lay in and three-point basket to give Pikeville a 20-19 lead.

With 2:47 remaining in the half, Samons hit a trey and Jarvis scored on a layup to give the Blackcats a 27-24 lead at the half.

Pikeville scored the first six points of the third quarter to lead 30-27. A layup by Campbell and his third three-pointer tied the game at 4:55. The Panthers went on to build the 41-34 lead just before the Blackcats rallied to cut the lead to two.

Besides Jarvis and Campbell, who scored 20 and 19 points respectively, no one hit double figures for Prestonsburg. Samons finished with just five points, finishing out his career at Prestonsburg. Ortega had four points, and Nathan Leslie scored only two. Kyle Conley had one trey for three points.

Gibson led the Panthers with 17 points. Isom scored 15 with Akers tossing in 13. Mims added seven and Anderson had but two points. Aaron Miller scored one.

Prestonsburg closes out their season at 18-11.

PRESTONSBURG (53)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Jarvis	9	0	5-2	20
Samons	1	1	0-0	5
Ortega	1	0	2-2	4
Leslie	1	0	0-0	2
Campbell	2	5	1-0	19
Conley	0	1	0-0	3

PIKEVILLE (55)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Isom	7	0	2-1	15
Mims	1	0	6-5	7
Anderson	1	0	0-0	2
Akers	3	2	2-1	13
Gibson	8	0	2-1	17
Miller	0	0	2-1	1

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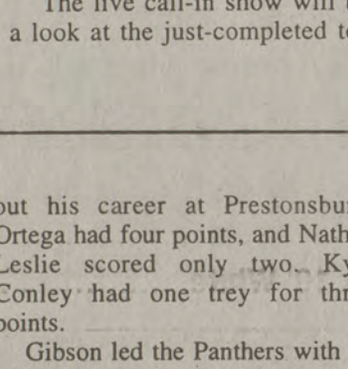
Pikeville.....15 9 17 14 - 55



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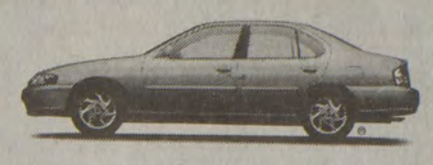
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PEE WEE LEAGUE
BLACK VS RED

Aaron Collins scored 12 points to lead the Black team to an 18-1 win over the Red team two weeks ago in the Beaver Creek Training League. Joshua Stone scored four points and Brittany Cooley two for the winners.

Jamie Mullins had the lone point for the Red team.

GREEN VS ORANGE

The Green team posted a 24-4 win over the Orange team in Pee Wee division basketball. Logan Crowder scored a game-high 16 points. Justin Jackson added four with Hunter Crowder and Cory Conn tossing in two points each.

Chad Nelson had all four points for the Green team.

TRAINING LEAGUE
RED VS GOLD

Robbie Vanderpool scored a game-high 20 points, but it wasn't enough as the Red team fell to the Gold squad 30-23 behind a balanced attack for coach Bimbo Collins' team. Melinda Meadows scored eight points and Josh Stumbo added seven to lead the Gold team. Josh Bailey added five. Ryan Collins and Justin Jacobs scored four points apiece. Justin Robinson and Justin Conley added two points each.

Chad Mynhier had two points for the Red team, while Chad Reed scored one.

PURPLE VS GRAY

The Purple team rolled to a 46-5 win over the Gray team behind the 16-point performance of Shannon Hall. Hall scored ten of his points in the third period. Jeremy Pack added nine points with Justin Webb pumping in eight. Other scorers included: Tyler Turner, six, Casey Duncan, three, Natasha Blanton, two and Nick Music, two.

Gordon Lafferty had four points with Dustin Rowe scoring one.

BLACK VS ORANGE

Andrew Sazabo scored 14 points to lead the Orange team to a 26-20 win over the Black squad. Daniel Howard netted eight while Tasha Howard and Josh Prater scored two points each.

Landon Slone led the Black team with 12 points. Corey Webb tossed in six and Ed Osborne scored two.

PURPLE VS BLUE

In a one-sided affair, the Purple team rolled to a 54-2 win over the Blue team with Nick Music scoring 13 points and Casey Duncan adding 12 points to lead the way. Shannon Hall netted eight with Tyler Turner scoring seven points. Justin Webb scored six. Natasha Blanton had four points in the game.

Richard Johnson scored two for the Blue team.

JUNIOR VARSITY
GREEN VS ORANGE

The Green team edged the Orange team 36-31 with Justin Hall tossing in a game-high 24 points. Hall had a three-point basket in the game. Moore scored eight and Jonathan Prater had four.

Jessica Isaac led the Orange team with 12 points. Terri Mullins netted seven while Harlow scored six. Mullins and Brown scored two apiece.

PURPLE VS BLUE

Terri Mullins scored 11 points and Nikita Thornsberry scored nine as the Purple team posted a 33-8 win over the Blue squad. Chris Bailey and Jessica Meadows scored four points apiece. Josh Bailey and Chris Hall had two each.

Justin Moore led the Blue team with four points. Stanley Frasure and Charles Robinson netted two apiece for the Blue squad.

VARSITY
BLUE VS BLACK

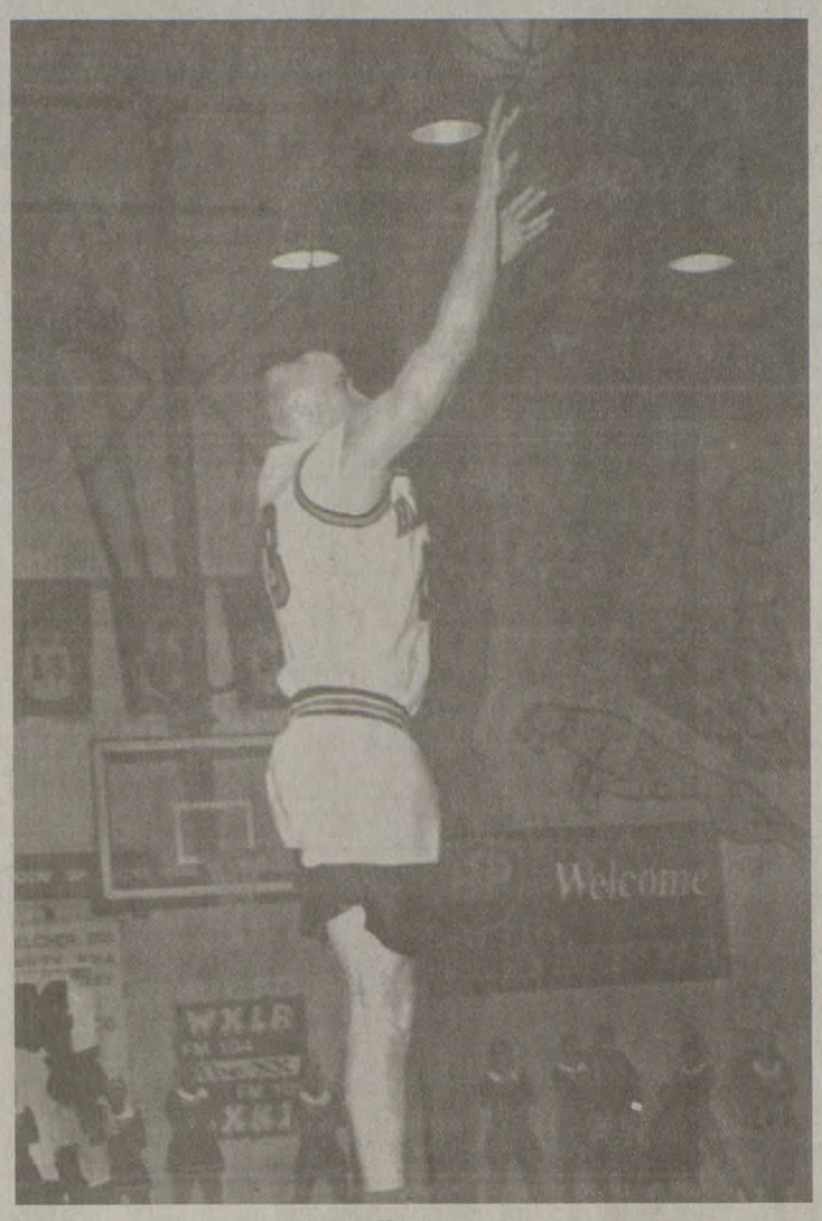
Keith Crum scored 17 points to lead the Blue team to a 42-41 win over the Black team. Nick Hoover added 12 points and Leigh Ann Brown scored seven. Jaclyn Brown, Tabatha Caudill and D.J. Hoover scored two points each.

Michael Murphy had 19 points for the Black team to lead all scorers. Mike Slone added ten points and Freddy Scott scored six. Justin Reynolds had four and Brandon Patton two.

GREEN VS BLUE

The Blue team edged the Green team 35-34 as Keith Crum scored 16 points to lead the way. Jeremy Conn netted seven. Nick Hoover scored three and Leigh Ann Brown scored two.

Jarred Harlow led the Green team with 13 points. Josh Yates tossed in ten with Jason Holbrook and Barry Sturgill scoring eight apiece. Daniel Sazabo tossed in five.



Has five treys

Prestonsburg's Joe Campbell showed his form as he connected on a three-pointer against Pikeville Friday in the first round of the boys' 15th Region basketball tournament at Elkhorn City. Campbell hit five treys and scored 19 points in a 55-53 loss to the Panthers. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Running Reb

Allen Central junior Gary Hunter (20) found an opening against Shelby Valley Saturday night and scored on this drive to the basket. Hunter scored 24 points in Allen Central's 85-83 loss to the Wildcats. (photo by Ed Taylor)

HAP to hold registration at local schools

The Harold-Allen-Prater Little League encourages all children from ages 7-12 years old to come and play baseball at the Allen Park.

All players who attend Allen, Betsy Layne, Duff, Harold, Martin, Prater or Stumbo elementaries can register to play in the HAP league.

Signups will be held at each of the mentioned schools; plus a final registration day will be held at the Allen Park on April 4 from 4-7 p.m.

The league's first registration date is March 12 at the Betsy Layne Dome from 6-8 p.m.

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Park faces long recovery

Raybestos Rookie of the Year candidate, Steve Park, suffered multiple fractures in a crash in practice last Friday while preparing for the rain delayed Primestar 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway.

Park underwent successful surgery Friday evening at Georgia Baptist Hospital in Atlanta to insert a metal rod in his right leg to speed the healing process of his broken thigh bone. His other injuries include a fractured left clavicle (collar bone), left scapula (shoulder blade), and two broken front teeth.

"The doctors haven't really given us a solid timetable, but it looks like Steve will be out for four to five months," said Ty Norris, director of Motorsports for Dale Earnhardt, Inc., which fields the Pennzoil Monte Carlo that Park drives.

Darrell Waltrip, Bill Elliott, and Kyle Petty have all had femur fractures in their careers and their recovery period was in that four to five month range.

In fact it was Elliott who referred Norris to the doctor who treated him after he suffered a broken leg in an accident in the 1996 Winston 500 at Talladega Superspeedway. As luck would have it, the physician was in Atlanta this past weekend traveling with the Auburn University basketball team at the Southeastern Conference basketball tournament.

Immediately after the extent of Park's injuries were known, the speculation in the garage was that Park would go ahead and sit out the rest of the season and return in '99 to make another run for the Rookie of the Year award.

Norris said that DEI planned to take an approach similar to the one used in the NASCAR Busch Series for Dale Earnhardt, Jr. in which he sacrificed his rookie of the year eligibility for seat time. Dale ran nine races last year and lost his eligibility for rookie of the year, but the extra seat time has put him in contention for the Busch Series Championship.

Norris said, "This team was put together for Steve and it'll be his team when he returns. We didn't put this team together with Pennzoil, one of the best sponsors we've ever seen, to run for rookie of the year. We want to be in the best position we can be in to win the 1999 Winston Cup championship. It would be detrimental to the long-term goals of this race team for Steve to sit out the rest of this season."

With Park on the shelf, Earnhardt must now face the unenviable task of finding a replacement for the Pennzoil Chevy until Steve is once again ready to crawl behind the wheel. As expected, the phone was ringing off the hook from drivers offering their services to Earnhardt to fill in for Park.

It seems for the short term that DEI has the situation handled. The team already had a test scheduled at Darlington on Tuesday and will go ahead with those plans with Ron Hornaday as driver. Hornaday drives the NAPA Chevrolet truck for Dale and Teresa Earnhardt in the Craftsman Truck Series.

If all goes well with the test session then look for Hornaday to be in the car for both the March 22 TranSouth Financial 400 and the Food City 500 at Bristol on March 29.

After Bristol the truck series starts back up and looking at the schedule it couldn't be in a farther corner of the country from Winston Cup, so it doesn't appear that Hornaday would help the Pennzoil team any more unless he gave up his chances of winning his second series championship in the truck division.

Norris went on to say, "By the end of this week we hope to have a long-term solution mapped out. What would be devastating for any team is to have a driver-of-the-week and it's very difficult to bring a guy over from the Busch Series, with the difference in the cars."

For sure, DEI will do all that is possible to be competitive each week until Steve Park can once again take over the driving duties.

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Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation sets banquet date

The Daniel Boone Chapter of the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation will hold its first annual Big Game Banquet and Auction at the Jenny Wiley State Park Convention Center on Saturday, March 14.

The Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation is an international, non-profit wildlife organization dedicated to the conservation of elk, other wildlife and their habitat. Local chapters conduct annual banquets that feature a social hour and dinner followed by a benefit auction. The chapters are developed solely by volunteers (in local communities nationwide) who are interested in the future of wildlife.

The Foundation is now 14 years-old, and has funded more than 1,750 critical wildlife and habitat conservation projects in the United States and Canada. Examples include management-related research, elk transplants into areas of suitable habitat, habitat acquisitions, habitat improvement projects and conservation education programs. The project of most interest to this area is the East Kentucky elk relocation project, considered to be one of the largest wildlife relocation projects ever undertaken.

The Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation has pledged $900,000 and technical assistance to implement this project.

Committee Chairperson Cordell Gayheart announced that the social hour will begin at 5:30 p.m., followed by the banquet at 7 p.m. The fund-raising auction, which begins at 8 p.m. will feature several fine rifles, boys, outstanding limited edition wildlife prints, beautiful bronzes, and other top-quality items.

Proceeds from the evening will benefit Foundation programs and habitat projects.

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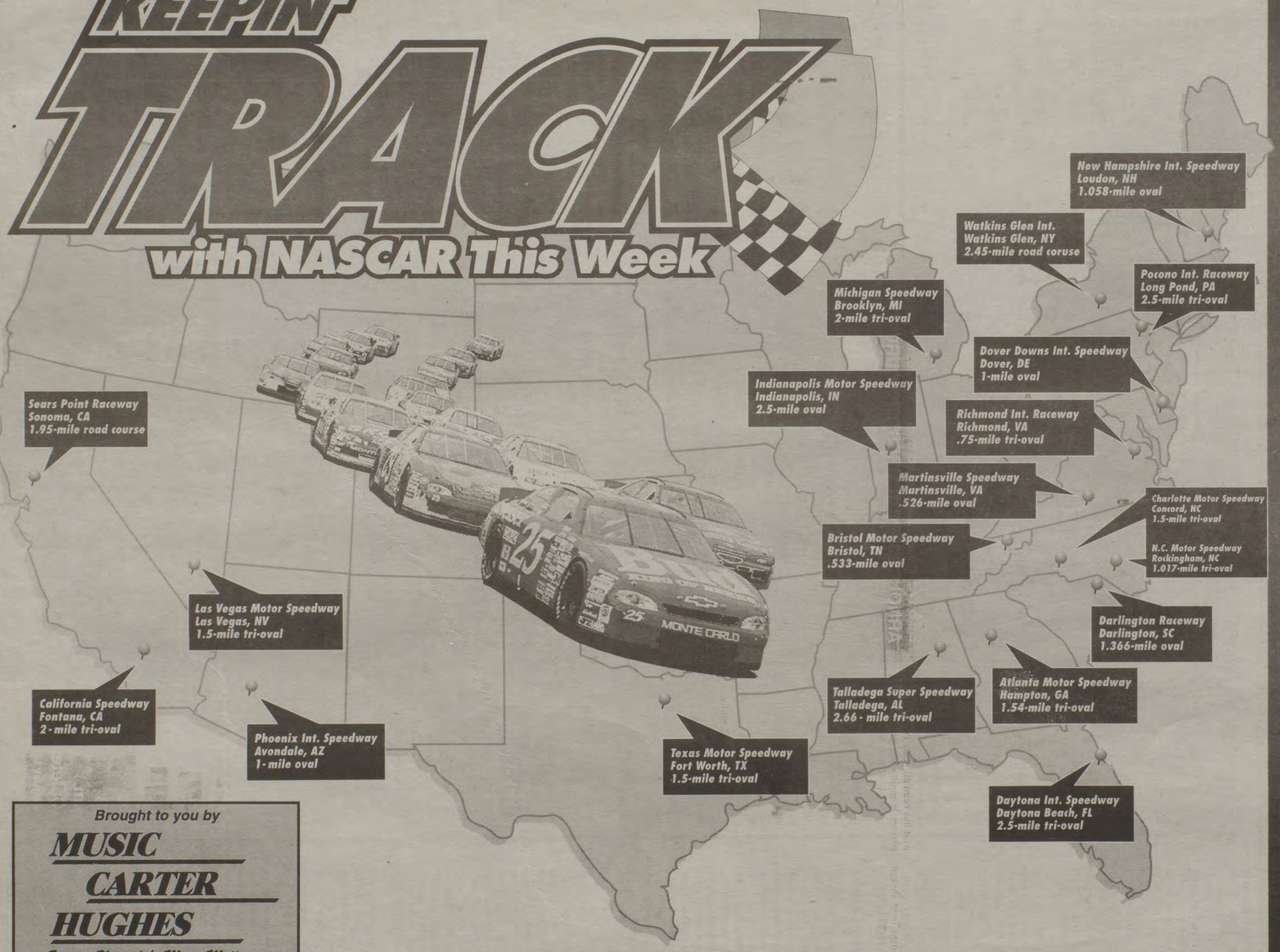

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Belfry advances to finals

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

No one gave the Belfry Pirates much of a chance of getting out of the first round of the boys' 15th Region basketball tournament at Elkhorn City when it all began. After all, the Pirates were to lose to second-ranked Magoffin County in the first round.

But not only did coach Raymond Justice's Pirates surprise the Hornets in round one, they also pulled upset number two by upending the Shelby Valley Wildcats, the region's fourth-ranked team, in a semifinal game Monday night.

Four players scored in double figures as the Pirates pulled out a 62-51 win over the Wildcats. The win placed Belfry in the championship game against Paintsville (Tuesday night).

Mark Maynard scored 16 points to lead the Pirates' scoring. John Wright and Josh Howard netted 13 points each while Jeremy Steele scored 11 points.

Chris Isaac led the Wildcats with 19 points while Brad Johnson scored 17. Chris Johnson finished with eight points and John Wright added three.

The game was highlighted, if you can call it that, by turnovers and free throws. The Pirates committed 24 turnovers while Shelby Valley turned the ball over 21 times. Belfry attempted 47 free throws, 28 in the fourth quarter. In fact, the Pirates had only one field goal in the fourth quarter, a layup by Jonathan Wright.

It was a sloppy-played game as Shelby Valley looked nothing like the team that eliminated Allen Central the night before by scoring 85 points. The two teams were locked on a 16-13 second-quarter score for what seemed like eternity. Turnovers and poor shot selection kept the sold out crowd wondering if that would be the final score.

Belfry led 14-8 after the opening quarter and took a 22-14 lead to the locker room at the half.

Belfry had only four field goals for the final two quarters and three of those came in the third period. Belfry shot 44 free throws in the final 16 minutes of the game.

Coach Rodney Rowe continuously shuffled his players in and out in hopes of finding the right combination that could score against the Pirates' defense. The Wildcats did get to within two, 32-30, of the Pirates in the third quarter on a three-point basket by Brad Johnson. But the Pirates kept dropping in the free throws to keep in front of Shelby Valley. Belfry led 40-32 after three quarters.

Shelby Valley finished their season 19-10 and Belfry improved to 19-9.

The Pirates, winners of three regional titles themselves and the last to accomplish the feat before Paintsville, will look to dethrone the Tigers in the finals.

Paintsville overcomes stall tactics, roll 57-35

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The boy's 15th Region basketball tournament has been a tournament of surprises this year, but for coach Bill Mike Runyon and the Paintsville Tigers, the tactics deployed by Elkhorn City was no surprise as the Tigers overcame the Cougars' stall tactics in pulling out a 57-35 win over coach Randy McCoy's team Friday night in the opening game of the regional meet at Elkhorn City.

Both coaches had different opinions of the "stall tactics" of Elkhorn City.

"I wasn't happy with the tempo of the game," said Coach Runyon. "I'd say Coach McCoy was. I guess he felt that was the best way for him to win the basketball game. I really felt like our press eventually wore them down. We got a lot of turnovers late in the basketball game. He had them well prepared to play."

Elkhorn City attempted only 12 shots at the basket in the first two quarters, hitting seven. Paintsville had only 14 tries and connected on nine.

All-state candidate Todd Tackett was called for four offensive fouls in the game and eventually fouled out early in the fourth quarter. He finished the game with ten points.

Another All-State candidate for Paintsville, J.R. Vanhoose, did not find the tactic of Elkhorn City frustrating.

"No, it was not frustrating for me. With Todd in foul trouble I just wanted to do what I could do to help us win," Vanhoose said.

Vanhoose had two monstrous blocks, as if he wanted to make a statement on the court over the stall tactic.

"I think it sent a message," he said.

"We knew coming here they were going to try and keep the score down," said the Paintsville coach. "But I was pleased with the way we handled it."

Paintsville led 19-14 at the half, and said he had no instructions for his team at the half.

"I didn't tell them anything," said Coach Runyon. "We were up 19-14 at the half and I really felt like we created some turnovers in the first half. Instead of taking care of the basketball and making sure that every possession counted, we went down and turned it over ourselves. You can't do that against a team that is being very patient."

Paintsville turned the ball over on their last three possessions of the first half on a walk by Vanhoose, an offensive foul and a steal.

Paintsville established control of the game at the start of the third quarter, building a nine-point lead, 23-14 by scoring the first four points on a basket by Vanhoose and Josh Greiner's layup with 6:11 to play.

A three-point play by B.J. Ratliff cut the lead back to six points, 27-21, with 45 seconds remaining. A trey by Tackett at the buzzer gave Paintsville a 30-21 lead.

In the final quarter, Paintsville began to put some distance between them and the Cougars as the rolled out to a 19-point lead, 49-30. The biggest lead was 23 points, 55-32.

Paintsville hit 12 free throws down the stretch as Elkhorn City had to put the Tigers at the line.

"We hit the last 12 of the game but we missed the first seven," said Coach Runyon. 'They would not be called free throws if you don't hit every thing free you get. But I have to give them credit, they hit them down the stretch."

With Tackett in foul trouble, Coach Runyon said his team reacted just as he expected them to.

"I didn't have to tell them anything. Evidently they knew because the ball stated going into J.R. This group has played together long enough, they know what to do," said the Paintsville mentor.

Vanhoose was nursing an ailing back but played outstanding basketball anyway.

"My back is about 70 or 75 percent right now," said the 6'9" center. "This game was just as physical as it has been all year. Two or three players bumping you in the back. With my back, I felt I was a step or two slow. I couldn't get around screens as well. I think that will work itself out by next week."

The Tiger coach said he was pleased with the score after the first quarter.

"I was pleased when I looked up and saw we were leading 14-8 after the first quarter," he said. "I thought, coming up here, that would be the score at halftime. I was pleased we scored 14 points in the first quarter."

Griener felt the guards for Elkhorn City were tiring in the fourth quarter.

"I did get tired," said B.J. Ratliff, Cougar point guard, who led the Cougars with 15 points. "I didn't step my game up. I tried as hard as I could."

Coach McCoy said his team is a deliberate-playing team anyway, but he just asked his team to show more patience against Paintsville.

"We have played a very deliberate game all year," he said. "Like or dislike, cry or yell, whatever, we won 20 basketball games doing that. Many thought we would win five games during the season.

"We talked it over, "our coaching staff did, we felt like if we stayed with the way we played with a little more patience, anything could happen. I think through three quarters that's the way it was."

A minute or two into the fourth quarter we got a little tired. They can come at you with so many weapons," said Coach McCoy.

The Cougar coach said his team played according to their game plan.

"I think we did a good job in the situation of taking it to Todd (Tackett). We got him in foul trouble. We did a nice job on J.R. in the first half. I'm very pleased with what we asked our kids to do. They followed it to a tee. We had our chances, but we couldn't come up with a little bit toward the end."

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Vanhoose scores 31 as Paintsville Tigers survive Pikeville scare, 64-61

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

J.R. Vanhoose scored a game-high 31 points, blocked eight shots, had five assists and played much taller than his 6'9" frame in leading the Paintsville Tigers past the Pikeville Panthers in the first semi-final game Monday night at Elkhorn City. The Tigers came from behind and edged a good Pikeville team 64-61 to advance to the boys' 15th Region finals (Tuesday).

Vanhoose found himself in the position of having to take over the game inside as teammate Todd Tackett and the rest of the cast were having a difficult time in scoring against the Panthers.

Vanhoose had six of his eight blocked shots in the first quarter as he established his inside defensive presence. But the blocked shots did not intimidate the Panthers' Chase Gibson and Will Isom. Gibson scored 19 points before fouling late in the fourth quarter. Isom had 14 points.

Tackett, who finished the regular season as one of the hottest scorers in the state, could not find the basket as often and struggled offensively. He did not get in the scorebook until the 1:56 mark of the second quarter, when he hit one-of-two free throws. He finished with ten points in the game.

Paintsville, who is going for an unprecedented fourth straight regional championship, had things going their way until the third quarter. The Tigers held a 29-26 lead at the half and were leading by six points late in the third period when things began to come unraveled for Paintsville.

Vanhoose's rebound basket had staked the Tigers to a 42-36 advantage but with 1:55 left in the third, the All-Stater and Mr. Basketball candidate, picked up his fourth personal foul and was relegated to the Tiger bench.

With Vanhoose missing in action, Isom and Gibson took charge. Isom hit a turnaround four-footer, Gibson connected on a short jumper with John Mims slashing the middle for an easy basket that tied the game at 42. Jeremiah Akers, inspired by the play of Isom and Gibson, drained a three-pointer that gave Pikeville their first-ever lead at 45-42 as the third quarter ended.

A celebrating Pikeville bench greeted the Panthers at the close of the third quarter as they sensed an upset. Two free throws by Gibson to start the fourth gave Pikeville their biggest lead, 47-42.

Vanhoose reentered the game with 6:38 to play in the game, and the game took on a different look. He immediately took a pass from Tackett down low and scored. Tackett drained a trey, and Vanhoose's free throw and layup brought the Tigers to within two, 52-50, of the Panthers.

Following a Mims basket that gave the Panthers a four-point lead, Vanhoose completed an old-fashioned three-point play that narrowed the margin to one point, 54-53.

Then it was Pikeville's turn to come unglued as they tried to get too fancy with the ball and turned the ball over on two consecutive possessions allowing the Tigers to re-gain the lead. Mark Grim took a nice pass from Vanhoose and scored down low off the first turnover. Derek Howard made a steal, scored, was fouled and completed the three-point play that gave Paintsville a 58-54 lead with 2:33 to play.

Akers drilled his second three-pointer as Pikeville trailed 58-57. But Grim grabbed a rebound, stuck it back in and was fouled on the play as the Tigers were in front 60-57.

Gibson stood at the free-throw line for a bonus toss but never got to attempt a shot after Isom was guilty of a lane violation. Tackett then hit one-of-two free throws as the Tigers led 61-57.

Gibson kept the Panthers hopes alive with a basket inside for a two point, 61-59 score.

Vanhoose, again, inside made it 63-59 on a layup with 36 seconds remaining. Akers went for a three-pointer that missed, but he was fouled by Josh Griener behind the three-point arch for three free throws. Akers connected on two of the three attempts for a 63-61 contest.

With 31 seconds on the clock, Gibson fouled Tackett, his fifth, and Tackett hit one-of-two to give the Tigers a three point lead, 64-61.

Pikeville took a time-out with 18 seconds remaining to set up a last shot. But the Panthers could not find an open Akers as he was smothered on defense. Mims forced up a three-point shot from the left side that drew nothing but iron as the Tigers held off Pikeville.

Paintsville led 16-9 after the first quarter as Vanhoose dominated the inside. He scored 11 of the 16 points the Tigers scored in the opening period.

Isom and Gibson kept Pikeville in the game with their inside play as they challenged Vanhoose in hopes of getting the Marshall signee in foul trouble. The Tigers led by three, 29-26, at the half.

Akers finished with 13 points for Pikeville. Chad Anderson scored eight and Mims had seven.

Vanhoose's 31 led the Tigers with Tackett tossing in ten. Greiner added nine and Grim scored six, as did Howard.

The Racing Reporter

Labonte wins Primestar 500

Bobby Labonte took the lead on lap 279 of the 325-lap rain delayed, Primestar 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway, Monday, and held off second place finisher, Dale Jarrett. For Labonte, driver of Joe Gibb's number 18 Interstate Battery Pontiac, it was his second consecutive victory on the Atlanta track, and also the first of the 1998 season for a Pontiac.

TOP 20 FINISHERS: 1) Bobby Labonte, 2) Dale Jarrett, 3) Jeremy Mayfield, 4) Rusty Wallace, 5) Kenny Irwin, 6) Dick Trickle, 7) Kenny Wallace, 8) Jeff Burton, 9) Johnny Benson, 10) Todd Bodine, 11) Bill Elliott, 12) Terry Labonte, 13) Dale Earnhardt, 14) Kevin LePage, 15) Ernie Irvan, 16) Steve Grissom, 17) Ken Schrader, 18) Michael Waltrip, 19) Jeff Gordon, 20) John Andretti.

WALLACE CONTINUES TO LEAD WINSTON CUP POINTS

TOP 10 POINTS LEADERS: 1) Rusty Wallace, 665, 2) Jeremy Mayfield, 616, 3) Dale Earnhardt, 578, 4) Bill Elliott, 557, 5) Terry Labonte 526, 6) Bobby Labonte, 525, 7) Jeff Gordon, 518, 8) Mark Martin, 502, 9) Bobby Hamilton, 473, 10) (tie) Jimmy Spencer, Jeff Burton, 469.

DONLAVEY IN HOSPITAL

Junie Donlavey, owner of the number 90 Helig-Meyers Ford, driven by Dick Trickle, underwent heart surgery on Monday, March 9, at Chippenham Hospital in Richmond, VA. to repair a bad valve in his heart. The number 90 car carried a "Get Well, Junie" decal on its rear panel for the Primestar 500. Donlavey, in his 48th year as a car owner, has teamed with 65 different drivers. In fact, 13 of the 50 NASCAR Greatest Drivers have driven for the legendary Donlavey.

PARK HOSPITALIZED, BUT RESTING

Winston Cup driver, Steve Park, driver of Dale Earnhardt's number 1 Chevrolet Monte Carlo crashed, Friday, March 5, while practicing for the Primestar 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway.

Park's injuries consisted of: a fractured right femur, broken collarbone and shoulder blade, plus two teeth that were knocked out. He underwent surgery at Georgia Baptist Medical Center and had a metal rod inserted into the femur. He was moved from ICU to a private room Sunday where doctors say he is resting comfortably. He is scheduled to be flown home in one of Dale Earnhardt's jets when he is released, either Tuesday or Wednesday.

According to Ty Norris, spokesperson for Dale Earnhardt, Inc., no permanent driver will be selected to replace Park during the 1998 season.

"We selected Mike Wallace to drive in the Primestar 500 because he was available," said Norris. "On Tuesday, the team will take a car to Darlington Raceway for the upcoming TranSouth 400. The driver will be Ron Hornaday. If the test is positive, Hornaday will drive in the TranSouth 400 and the Food City 500 at Bristol, March 29."

Norris said doctors haven't given Park, his family or other members of the team a date for Park's full recovery but anticipate a period of four to five months. Plans beyond Bristol for Hornaday as the driver are uncertain because of Hornaday's commitment to the truck racing schedule.

Get well cards may be sent to Steve Park Fan Club, Box 6005, Mooresville, NC 28115.

YATES CONTINUES TO MAKE CHANGES IN QUEST FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Robert Yates has enjoyed much success in Winston Cup racing. Both as a team owner and engine builder, but he has never collected a Winston Cup championship ring.

Last week, Yates released Marc Reno, the crew chief of car #28, driven by Kenny Irwin, in hopes of boosting that car's record on the track. "We just needed to have a management change and here we are," said Yates. "The 88 car (driven by Dale Jarrett) really has its act together on qualifying. Their qualifying hasn't been the problem, the engine has to run the full lap. I want to be able to follow the mainstream plan and, I think with this change, we'll be able to get the 28 car more in line with the 88."

Yates attended the inaugural NASCAR event held at Charlotte Motor Speedway in 1950 and from that point on has been part of the world of NASCAR racing. He was always preoccupied with things mechanical. While continuing his education at Mars Hill College, he remembers the first time Junior Johnson spoke to him, and he also remembers the professor who had seen him repairing a farm tractor instead of studying for an exam. "One day during class, this professor said, 'There's one guy in here who's never going to make it. He'd rather be a mechanic.'"

The list of Robert Yates clientele who have used his engines is like a who's who in racing: Bobby Allison, Cale Yarborough, Ramo Stott, Darrell Waltrip, Ricky Rudd, Richard Petty, Greg Sacks, Mark Martin, Davey Allison, Robby Gordon, Lake Speed, Ernie Irvan, and Dale Jarrett are just a few.

While attempting to land a helicopter at Talladega Superspeedway in 1993, Davey Allison was killed. Yates withdrew the #28 from the next weekend's race at Pocono, PA., saying, "We couldn't race with tears in our eyes."

In September of 1993, Yates was able to sign Ernie Irvan as a driver. Despite missing a race, Irvan finished sixth in driver points.

The muscle and durability of Yates' engines showed in 1994. In 20 starts, Irvan captured five poles, 11 top-five's and 16 top-ten's. But then for a second time in less than two years, Yates found himself without a driver when Irvan received life-threatening brain and lung injuries in a practice crash at Michigan.

In November, 1994, Yates selected Dale Jarrett to pilot the # 28 Texaco/Havoline Thunderbird for 1995 only, while Irvan completed his recovery. At the end of the 1995 season, Jarrett and the Robert Yates team finished 13th.

Many racing experts thought 1997 would be the year Yates would get his first Winston Cup championship. But it wasn't to be. Dale Jarrett wound up in second, 14 points behind Jeff Gordon, while Irvan finished back in 14th.

For 1998, Yates will have Dale Jarrett behind the wheel of the #88 Ford Taurus, while rookie, Kenny Irwin will drive the #28 Ford Taurus.

Much is expected of these two drivers. Both are top-notch competitors. While both new Tauruses are running well, the teams have experienced problems. The latest was with Jarrett's #88. He dropped a valve-spring during lap 224 at Las Vegas, Sunday, March 1 and wound up with a DNF.

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Big game

Allen Central's Ramanda Music (54) scored 22 points and had 14 rebounds in her team's 79-72 loss to Pike Central in the finals of the girls' regional tournament (photo by Ed Taylor)

Where to pass?

Jessica Martin (50) of Allen Central looked under the basket during regional tournament play at South Floyd last Thursday. Allen Central fell 79-72 in the finals. (photo by Ed Taylor)

All Regional Team

The girls' 15th Region basketball tournament concluded at South Floyd High School last Thursday night with the naming of an all-tournament team. Front row: Tiffany Slone, Amanda Collins, Ashley Melvin, Pike Central; Jennifer Hopkins, Misty Scott, Allen Central. Back row: Summer Jones, Shelby Valley, Susan Thomas, Belfry, Ramanda Music, Allen Central, Mandy Harmon, Sheldon Clark, Crystal Martin, Allen Central, Courtney Mercer, Phelps. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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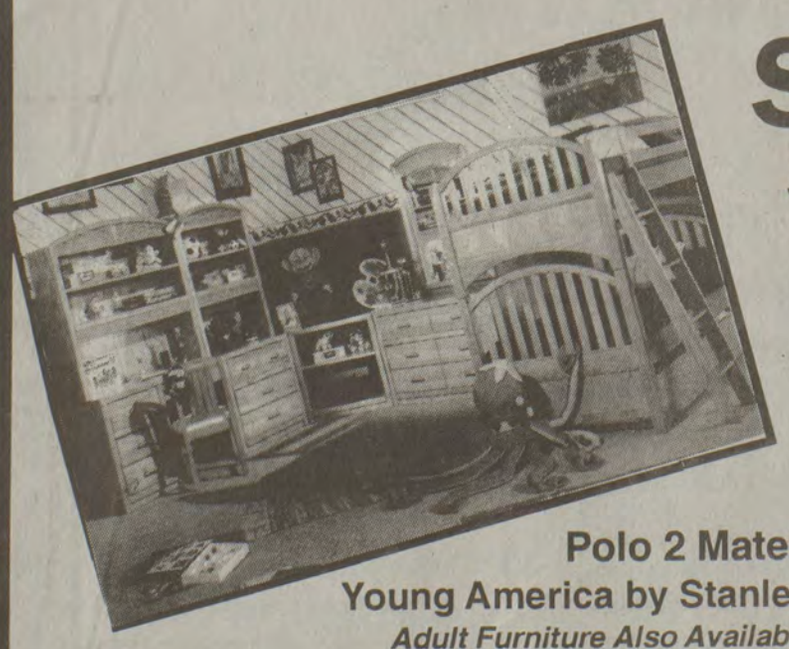

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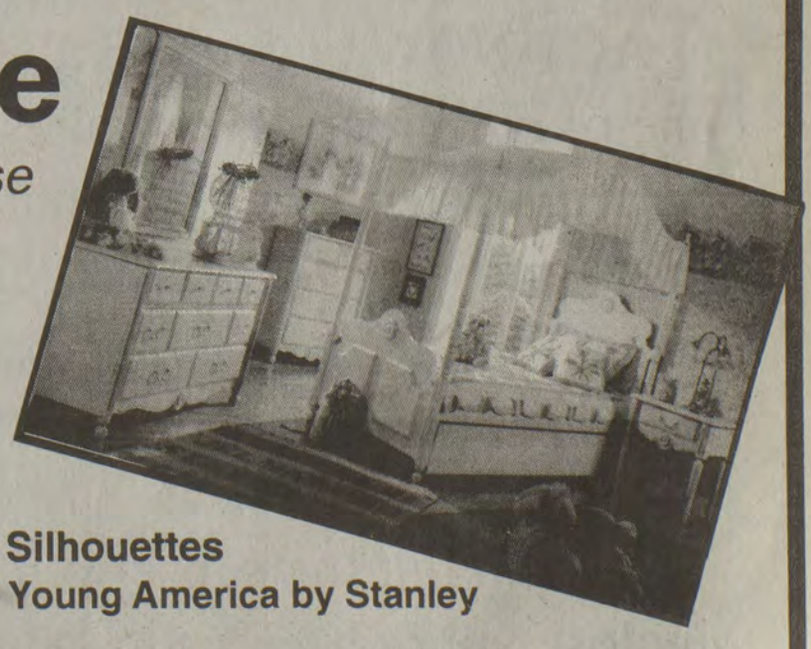

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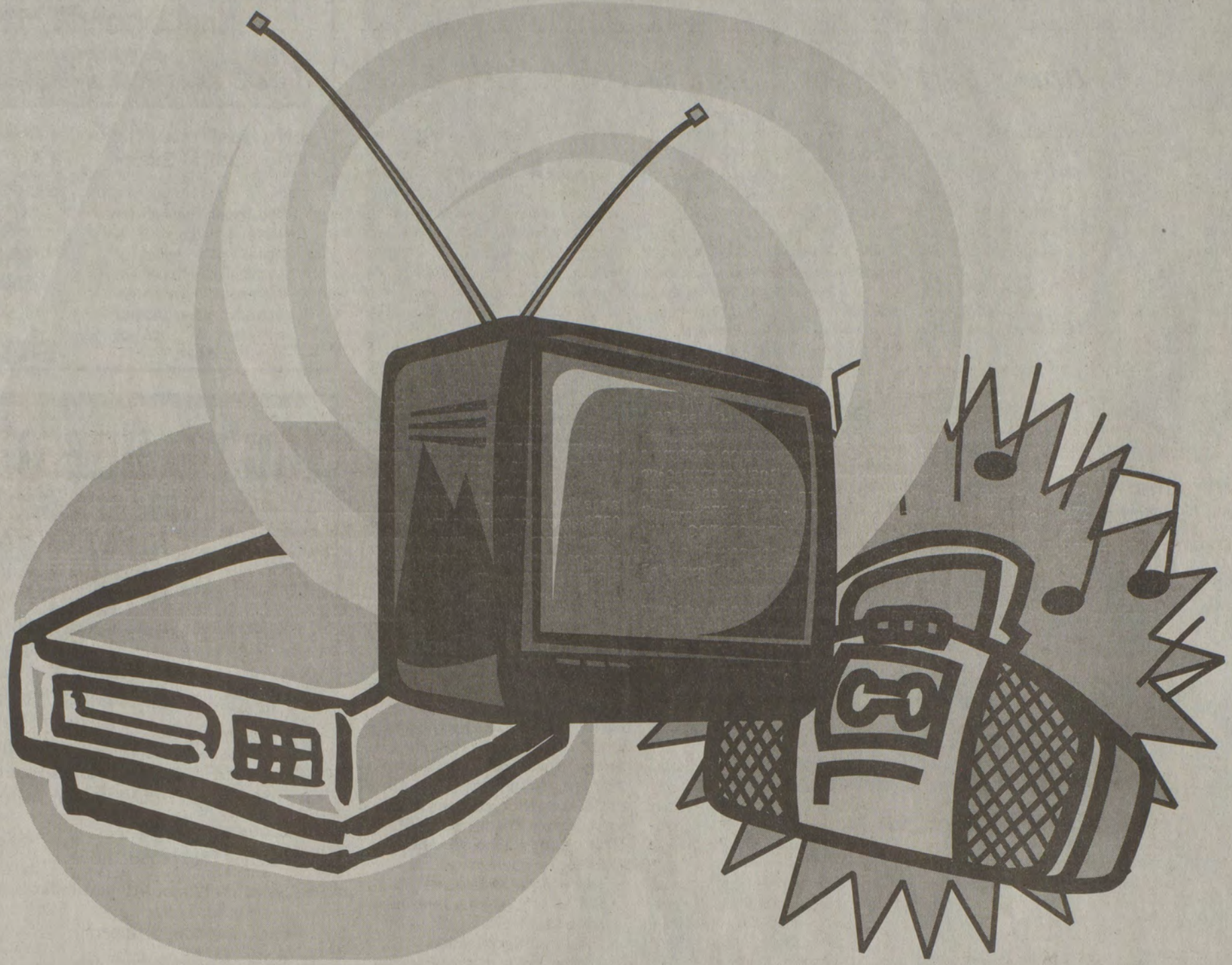

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SPORTS IN KENTUCKY

by Bob Watkins

NCAA pairings and sterling play make UK's chance excellent for magic carpet ride

A dandy. In terms of invitees, balance and seed placements, the 1998 NCAA Men's Tournament is arguably the best in history of the event. And the Bluegrass State's entries, No. 2 seed UK in the South Region and No. 9 seed Murray State in the Midwest, are reasonable and promising.

Among a bevy of marquee first-round games is Murray State against Rhode Island, with the winner having a likely shot at top seed and tourney winningest team, Kansas. The Murray-Rhode Island game should be wonderful television.

In the South Region, Tubby Smith's team got the best placement Wildcat fans could have hoped for. Reasons why include:

1. No games in Rupp Arena (site of the top half of the South Region). Of course no team is allowed to play on its home floor which is just as well for UK.

2. Instead, the Wildcats' first round will be in the Atlanta Dome where they won the SEC Tournament in grand style.

3. UK enjoys a wildly-partisan crowd in Atlanta and is beaten in the Dome.

4. A lower bracket match pits UK against South Carolina State with the winner playing UMass or St. Louis, away from bracket that includes UCLA and Michigan.

5. UK's South Region placement could lead to a UK-Duke (re)match. Such a game has the markings of being as delicious as the historic Kentucky-Duke in Philadelphia in 1992.

Other NCAA bracketing bits...

√ No conference, not even the ACC, landed more than five teams in the field.

√ Utah got to stay in the West Region, finally getting away from Kentucky. The Utes were eliminated by UK in the last two NCAAs.

√ At 29-4, UK is on the brink of posting its third consecutive 30-win season and fourth in the last six years.

√ The Oklahoma State-George Washington match in Rupp Arena brings Eddie Sutton back to a place which will remind him of his career low point.

Conference tournament bits...

√ UK is a synonym for team play ... team play ... team play!

√ No matter the ballot count for Nolan Richardson, Tubby Smith was the SEC's coach of the year. And Scott Padgett belonged on the All-SEC first team (see GPA).

√ No UK player was named first team All-SEC, but four Wildcats made the All-Tournament team: MVP Wayne Turner, Nazr Mohammed, Heshimu Evans and Scott Padgett.

√ Two words to remember: Myron Anthony.

√ Two more words to remember: Michael Bradley.

√ Jeff Sheppard's performance the last two weeks demands a name adjustment: $heppard.

√ Watching the North Carolina-Duke game one wondered, 'when does Dick Vitale breathe?'

SIX DAYS IN MARCH

Six days in March. The NCAA Tournament. The so-called Road to the Final Four is an incredible experience aptly dubbed a magic carpet ride two decades ago by NBC analyst Al McGuire.

UK's chances? The Wildcats look to be a second-tier team in a season when regional No. 1 seeds look to have a better-than-usual chance of getting to San Antonio. McGuire certainly knows the way. Twenty-one years ago this month he coached Marquette to an NCAA title in Atlanta. A year later he watched UK march to the title in St. Louis.

Analytically, what must a team do to make it to San Antonio?

"Breaks. First, you have to win at least one very close game, say by a basket," McGuire believes. "And then you're probably going to have to win at least one game at the free-throw line."

Add these: Crucial to a team's chances, effective depth. A Final Four club must be sound, playing at its peak and able at the grandest moments when CBS's lights are hottest, be at its best in a domed arena. A tricky combination.

All things considered...

Favorite: Duke, with North Carolina and Arizona close behind.

The Blue Demons have superior skill, extraordinary depth and perhaps the best coach in the college game.

North Carolina is less imposing when the schedule takes the Tar Heels away from Tobacco Road. Led by the nation's best player Antawn Jamison, Carolina may lack depth and stamina for a six-win run.

Defending champion Arizona is experienced and knows the way and is playing well at the right time despite a shocking loss at Southern Cal last week that could help. Yet, before last year, Lute Olson's Wildcats have a reputation for disappearing at tournament time.

Second tier: Kansas, Kentucky and UConn.

Kansas is on a mission to erase last year's disappointment. The Jayhawks should make it to San Antonio.

Kentucky, America's most popular basketball team, according to a new Harris Poll, arguably has the tournament's best chemistry going at the perfect time, and has good if not Duke-like depth. The view here is the Wildcats, a No. 2 seed, are playing well enough to be an NCAA Final Four team, but Final Eight looks more probable. And yet, could even go out in round two.

UK has demonstrated it knows how to win close games even if foul shooting is at times, shaky. Coach Tubby Smith — with his predecessor's players — has done an extraordinary job creating an effective rotation and managing his first UK team with aplomb.

UConn and Michigan State will need elements mentioned by McGuire, plus a lucky shot or two along the way.

I think Duke and Kansas will be in San Antonio with the other spots up for grabs.

'Surprise' tier possibles: Utah, Cincinnati, South Carolina and Arkansas.

Dark horse bets: Princeton, TCU and Stanford.

Cinderella favorites: Murray State, Ole Miss, Eastern Michigan and Radford. One or two could make it past the second round.

Six games ... fill in your bracket and see who best handles six days in March.

SO RICK, HOWZIT GOING?

Ah, the spoils of victory. This week Kentucky celebrates its 39th SEC regular season crown and 21st Tournament title, a 29-4 record, and a No. 2 seed at home in the Georgia Dome. Wildcat fans bask in the glow of a legitimate chance to return to the Final Four, Meanwhile, Rick Pitino was ejected from a Celtics game last week, watched his team lose to the Indiana Pacers, and Da Coach was being criticized in Boston for alleged trade/contract talks involving Antoine Walker. And say, Pancho, didn't you used to be Jersey Red?

JUST WONDERING

√ Two of college basketball's major upsets this year involving the nation's 1-2 teams in all-time victories, were masterminded by ex-UK assistant coaches. Billy Donovan's Florida Gators (at UK) Feb. 1; and Herb Sendek's North Carolina State Wolfpack surprised No. 1 ranked North Carolina in Chapel Hill last week.

√ The UK player we will hear from for years to come .... Cameron Mills.

√ Changes to college basketball rules? Enforcement of one already on the books — the Academy Award (no)Call. When a defensive player flops, officials should whistle a technical foul. In a week's time, the flop would be history.

WORTH REPEATING

√ Ex-LSU basketball coach Dale Brown said last week he does not miss coaching: "I wasn't born to coach. I was born to live."

√ When Clay County scored after time had expired, then won in overtime over Corbin in Manchester in the 13th Region Tournament last week, Corbin coach Mike Deaton told reporters, "We talk about what a legend this place is. Well, that's fine. It's legendary."

UK HOOPS RECRUITING

Jason Gardner, 5-10 junior playmaker at Indianapolis North Central, rated among the top five underclassmen nationally, is being scouted by UK coaches. Compared favorably to Duke's Steve Wojciechowski as a passer and perimeter shooter, Gardner has made unofficial visits to Indiana, Purdue, Duke, Arizona, and Kansas. But he is interested in Kentucky and North Carolina.

PARTING SHOT

Maybe John Feerick, arbitrator who ruled Latrell Sprewell has suffered enough and reinstated his NBA contract, should be added to Kenneth Starr's subpoena list.

And so it goes.

Road to the Final Four

First round March 13 | Second round March 15 | Regionals | Semifinals | National Championship San Antonio, Texas March 30 | Semifinals | Regionals | Second round March 14 | First round March 12

MIDWEST

(1) Kansas (34-3)
(16) Pr. View A&M (13-16)
(8) Rhode Is. (22-8)
(9) Murray St. (29-3)
(5) TCU (27-5)
(12) Fla. St. (17-13)
(4) Miss. (22-6)
(13) Valparaiso (21-9)
(6) Clemson (18-13)
(11) W. Mich. (20-7)
(3) Stanford (26-4)
(14) C. of Charl. (24-5)
(7) St. John's (22-9)
(10) Detroit (24-5)
(2) Purdue (26-7)
(15) Delaware (20-9)

St. Louis, Mo March 20 & 22

SOUTH

(1) Duke (29-3)
(16) Radford (20-9)
(8) Okla. State (21-6)
(9) G. Wash. (24-8)
(5) Syracuse (24-8)
(12) Iona (27-5)
(4) New Mexico (23-7)
(13) Butler (22-10)
(6) UCLA (22-8)
(11) Miami (Fla.) (18-9)
(3) Michigan (24-8)
(14) Davidson (20-9)
(7) Mass. (21-10)
(10) St. Louis (21-10)
(2) Kentucky (29-4)
(15) S.C. St. (22-7)

St. Petersburg, Fla. March 20 & 22

EAST

N. Carolina (30-3) (1)
Navy (19-10) (16)
UNC Char. (19-10) (8)
Ill.-Chicago (22-5) (9)
Princeton (26-1) (5)
UNLV (20-12) (12)
Michigan St. (20-7) (4)
E. Michigan (20-9) (13)
Xavier (22-7) (6)
Washington (18-9) (11)
S. Carolina (23-7) (3)
Richmond (22-7) (14)
Indiana (19-11) (7)
Oklahoma (22-10) (10)
Connecticut (29-4) (2)
FDU (23-6) (15)

Greensboro, N.C. March 19 & 21

WEST

Arizona (27-4) (1)
Nicholls St. (19-9) (16)
Tennessee (20-8) (8)
Illinois State (24-5) (9)
Illinois (22-9) (5)
S. Alabama (21-6) (12)
Maryland (19-10) (4)
Utah State (25-7) (13)
Arkansas (23-8) (6)
Nebraska (20-11) (11)
Utah (25-3) (3)
San Fran. (19-10) (14)
Temple (21-8) (7)
W. Virginia (22-8) (10)
Cincinnati (26-5) (2)
N. Arizona 21-7) (15)

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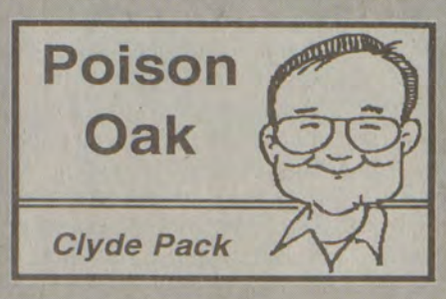
Pity the man

Women in the military in combat roles: a topic of the debate on TV these nights. Personally, I'm against it, but it's definitely not because I think they're the weaker sex. I doubt that anybody who grew up in an Eastern Kentucky coal camp would think that. As a matter of fact, from the time I was a kid, my experiences with the female gender has taught me that the opposite is true.



I mean, even as far back as when I was in the fourth or fifth grade, there were certain things that were just taken for granted. Just as all the boys knew you didn't walk barefooted on a T-rail in the summertime, neither did you arm wrestle with a certain freckle-faced girl. She could take you down with either arm and throw a baseball further and harder than any boy in the room.

The fastest runner in the room was also a girl. She was always picked to represent the Muddy Branch School at the county fair, and she nearly always won a ribbon. The teacher didn't even bother to have a run off, either. She just wrote down the girl's name and the rest of us understood. Besides, it saved us all some embarrassment.

The first male teacher I ever had was rather small in stature, but the only one in class that was taller than he, was a girl. She just also happened to be the school bully, as well as the one who possessed the most colorful vocabulary. She cussed, as they say, like a sailor, and sometimes used words some of us had never heard before. She apparently didn't care much for boys and they were her favorite targets at lunchtime. Whenever there was a fight, which was almost daily, nine times out of ten, she started it. Truth be known, she probably finished it, too. We boys always talked among ourselves that we didn't try very hard because it wasn't nice to fight a girl. Deep down, though, we all knew we'd been whipped soundly.

Not only have I come to believe that girls are physically strong enough for combat roles, I think they're also skilled enough.

If we'd have had a marble champion, you guessed it, it would have also been a girl. There was this one girl that was so good, the only way you could escape with all your marbles was if the bell rung before she could take them. I always figured that what made her so good was that she always used a steely taw. Even though she won my marbles, in my opinion, she definitely lost whatever girlish charm she possessed because of her rusty knuckles and crusty knees.

My experiences have taught me not to worry a lot about girls in the military. If they choose to sign up and go to war, more power to them. As I said, I'm against them doing so, but I pity any man who underestimates their physical prowess.

Floyd County shoppers get FoodWise

The Floyd County Extension Service is helping food stamp recipients put more food into their grocery carts through a new program called Kentucky Gets FoodWise.

Through lessons, weekly meal planners, and cooking sessions, Floyd County Extension agent Theresa Morgan-Scott is showing local residents how to cut food costs and to eat healthier by wise shopping and meal preparation.

Scott began the FoodWise program in Floyd County in November with lessons on nutritional holiday eating. She's conducted programs that teach participants how to stretch their food dollars at such places as the employment office. That program, called More Bags for Bucks, compares costs of coupon shopping, which is usually for more expensive brands, with store-brand purchases, which are usually cheaper.

She also teaches that although some nutritional food purchases, such as fruits, appear to be too expensive for snacks, these pay off in the long run. She explained that shoppers on limited budgets think they can't afford to buy fresh fruits and vegetables. Her lessons help shoppers realize that if they replace those costly and fat-laden potato chip purchases with fruit, they're not only stretching their bucks, they're eating healthier, too.

Studies have found that food stamp recipients weren't getting the nutrition they needed when they spent only the voucher limit, according to the University of Kentucky Extension service.

Suzanne McGough, extension associate for home economics programs at UK, said these families often have to use cash to supplement what they bought with food stamps in order to eat a better diet.

"If you're spending money to supplement vouchers, you may be taking away money from rent and utilities," she said.

Can a family of four eat nutritiously on the $13.50 per day that some families receive for food purchases?

"Yes," Janet Kurzynske, interim assistant director of the Home Economics Extension. "Obviously you're eating more economical foods, but it can be done."

Recipes for the Kentucky Gets FoodWise were developed with an eye for the traditional foods Kentuckians like, Kurzynske and McGough said in a press release.

Local economist Scott concurred.

"The recipes are designed to be quick, using a few common ingredients. They're quick and easy to prepare," she said.

(See **FoodWise**, page four)

Theresa Morgan-Scott, demonstrates how shoppers can save money at the grocery store and at the same time prepare more nutritional meals. (Photo by Janice Shepherd)

SAVING MONEY ON FOOD

• Plan one meatless day each week.

• Prepare oven meals. Cook main dish, dessert, vegetables, and quick breads at the same time in the oven.

• Stretch ground beef/hamburger with bread crumbs, oatmeal, sausage, tomato sauce, powdered milk, etc.

• Mix one-part instant milk with one-part regular milk. The family will never know the difference.

• Waste less! Kentuckians throw $3-4 million worth of food per year into the garbage. The amount doesn't even include food wasted in restaurants and school cafeterias, or food that ends up in disposal.

• Grow your own fruits and vegetables. Can, freeze, and dry some of them for future use. Many vegetables and some fruits can be grown in containers, such as flower pots.

• Prepare some of your own convenience foods, master mixes and desserts.

• Plan your meals one week at a time. First, review the grocery ads to take advantage of weekly specials. Make out your shopping lists from your menu plan and store advertisements.

• Grocery shop when you're not hungry. It will help you avoid "impulse" buying.

• Feed your family well from the basics of the Food Pyramid. Keep them healthy, and save on medical bills.

• When you shop, compare price per unit: pound, ounce, dozen, package, etc.

• Take your calculator with you and use it in the store.

• Prepare a large quantity of standard recipes, such as sauces, spaghetti, chili, stews, etc. Then label and freeze for later use. This not only saves time, but you can often buy larger amounts of basic ingredients more economically; ground beef is one example.

• Cut your food shopping trips to no more than one a week. You'll save gas, time and money.

• Eat less expensive foods; drink less expensive beverages — or drink water.

• Entertain with "pot luck meals" or inexpensive buffets, such as lasagna and salad.

• Stop buying junk food for snacking. Substitute fruits and vegetables, fruit juices and milk drinks, oatmeal or peanut butter cookies (made at home).

The more processing or preparation that is done to a food item when you buy it, the more it will cost. Example: fresh potatoes cost nine cents; canned costs 18 cents; frozen fries cost 25 cents; and scalloped from a mix costs 38 cents.

Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago (March 9, 1988)

Super Tuesday saw polls close with only a sparse number of voters casting their ballots, and Gore and Bush were in the lead...Further workings may get underway for the US 23 link between Prestonsburg and Paintsville, with funds released by the Department of Transportation...The High Court ruled the unmined minerals tax was unconstitutional last Thursday...Johnson County was put under state financial restraint after being warned over a year ago to better manage its finances...The pre-season tournament will be absent from next year's basketball season as a part of economic belt-tightening...Spring fire season officially began, and burning laws are now being enforced in the county...There died: Nancy Holbrook, 54, of Abbott, Monday at Pikeville Methodist Hospital...Nola Sexton, 66, of Wheelwright, Thursday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital...Effie Ousley, 75, of Langley, Monday at her home...Amos Marsillett, 92, of Pikeville, Sunday at Pikeville Methodist Hospital...Raymond Jones, 55, of Melvin, Saturday at Highlands Regional Medical Center...Rozolla Hale, 78, of Martin, Wednesday at Highlands Regional Medical Center...Alberta Wright, 69, of Printer, Friday at Highlands Regional Medical Center...Arzie Conley, 72, of Rock House Bottom, Saturday at her residence...Carl Smith, 65, formerly of Wayland, February 11 in Ohio...Jay Wells, 83, of Auxier, Sunday at his residence...Billie Collins, 47, of Prestonsburg, Saturday at the home of her daughter in Prestonsburg...Timothy Patton, infant son of Harvey and Donna Patton, Sunday at his home...Lena Dingus, 80, of Martin, March 1 at Our Lady of The Way Hospital...Stella Osborne, 75, of Hi Hat, Tuesday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital...James Hall, 42, of Wheelwright, Monday at his residence...Sam Johnson, 93, of Bevinsville, Saturday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital...Robert Merritt, 45, Sunday at University Hospital in Lexington.

Twenty Years Ago (March 8, 1978)

The orderly polling of United Mine workers on the proposed contract suddenly erupted into violence at Martin Elementary School last Saturday afternoon when a Frankfort news photographer was beaten, his equipment smashed, and a newswriter threatened...If a school calendar amended by the Floyd County Board of Education is approved by the State Department of Education, and no more teaching time is lost, and if time usually lost to the annual KEA session can be saved, Floyd County pupils will get out of school June 5...The Floyd Fiscal Court moved at its special meeting last Tuesday to curb use of electric energy consumption as the coal strike continues and mandatory cuts in power use are being contemplated...Gov. Julian Carroll has allocated $622,501 to cities and towns across the state to help them recoup their expenses in snow and ice removal after the January and February snows, and seven Floyd county communities will receive $2,291 for their efforts...The McDowell Daredevils won the 58th district basketball championship Saturday night by defeating Betsy Layne on their home court 61-59 in overtime...The Betsy Layne Lady Bobcats defeated Allen Central 70-48 Saturday to capture the girls' title in the 58th district tournament...There died: Mrs. Beryl Turner Jarrell, 66, formerly of Floyd County, Sunday at St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington, West Virginia; Alex Patton, 67, of Lackey, Sunday at his home; Mary Goodman Sweeney, 78, of Prestonsburg, Sunday at her home; Mrs. Berniece Hall, 47, of Allen, Sunday at her home; A. N. (Nat) Cooley, 63, of Lexington, formerly of Wayland, last Thursday in Lexington; Fred Goble, 64, of Highland Avenue, Thursday at the VA Hospital in Lexington; Mrs. Virginia M. Brashear, 70, of Manton, Thursday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

Thirty Years Ago (March 7, 1968)

An alternate plan for the proposed multi-million dollar Beaver Elkhorn Water District's water system was outlined here Wednesday by a Versailles engineering firm...Joseph L. McCauley, of Pikeville, was named as director of the five-county Big Sandy Development District office at a meeting Thursday at Prestonsburg Community College...A community "boostrap operation" won for Weeksbury, top honors at the Floyd County Community Development Awards Program sponsored here Tuesday night by the Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce... The Dewey Lake Fish & Game Club at a recent meeting here discussed means of creating interest among sportsmen and landowners in providing food for wildlife...The McDowell Daredevils won the district tournament here last week and, along with the Wayland High school team, will represent Floyd County in the regional tourney underway here...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. William Rae Thompson, of Lexington, twin daughters, Staci Rae and Traci Lynn, Jan. 27 at Central Baptist Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Rice, of Banner, a daughter, Delilah Ruth, Feb. 20 at the Prestonsburg General Hospital...There died: Mrs. Erma Huff Goble, 77, last Thursday, at the home here of her son, James E. Goble; Raymond Dixon, 52, native of Martin and a resident of Louisa, Saturday when a small boat he occupied overturned in the Big Sandy River near Louisa; Mrs. Betty T. Clark, 63, Tuesday at her home at David; Mrs. Mahala Snavely, 91, of East Point, Monday at the Jenny Wiley Rest Home near Auxier; Robert

(See **Yesterdays**, page four)

Society

J.W. Theatre board holds retreat

The Jenny Wiley theatre board retreat was held at Wilkinson-Stumbo convention center on February 21.

Randy Burchett, president, welcomed board members Betty Cook, David Gardner, Tim Weddington, Mickey McCoy, Carolyn Justice, Jessica Parrish, Denise Ash, Pat Preston, Linda Francis, Nancy Sturgill, Pat Barnette, Glenda Hughes, Terri Smith-Walters, Al Pelphrey, Gary Brown, Bill Francis, Randy Burchett, Tracie Sturgill, Inez Baldridge, Julie Paxton, Ellen Sturgill, Robin Smith, Gwen Daniels and Miriam Silman; advisory board members: William Kinzer, Clarence Traum, Bill Forsyth, John David Preston, Jim Stewart, Jenny Robinson, and Tammy Tackett; and staff Patrick Baldauff, Emil White and Scott Bradley.

Tim Weddington served as moderator and recognized each committee chairperson who gave an overview of their committee.

Julie Paxton conducted an orientation for new and returning board of trustee members. She will have a handout of responsibilities at the next board meeting.

Bill Francis did an overview of the 1988 budget. Bill made a motion for Robin to negotiate with the David School for housing for the 1998 season. Inez seconded the motion and the motion carried. The theatre has a bank debt of $130,000 and a vendor debt of $60,000. It needs at least $90,000 in new money this year.

Corporate and individual fundraising committees met with letters prepared to be sent out on Monday.

Each committee met during lunch at the May Lodge.

Patrik Baldauff reported on casting and productions. Auditions have gone well with some roles cast, Balduff said. Terry and Peyton will be returning to the theatre. Joe Clark will return as youth director, and Jim Hunter will design Cinderella.

Discussions were held on the meeting with the sub-committee on Thursday, with suggestions from John David Preston on how to approach the committee. The need to meet individually with each member of the sub-committee was stressed. Points to cover include the economic impact on the area. There are 22 to 25,000 tickets sold each year. The theatre has 95-100 employees. The state has a 3.5 million dollar investment to protect, as well as 7 million dollars spent on the Wilkinson-Stumbo building. Sixty-percent of the tickets sold are to tourists, and that generates 4.5 million dollars to the area. The theatre has been in existence for 34 years. The theatre also has a symbiotic relationship with the MAC that was a 7.5 million dollar investment.

The board need a one-time grant.

Recycling committee holds meeting

The Floyd County Recycling Committee met February 18, at the Chamber of Commerce office, Prestonsburg.

Kathy Friend reported she had checked with clients of Blue Grass Regional Recycling about establishing a recycling center in Prestonsburg, and had received favorable responses from all those contacted. She also delivered Johnnie Ross' report, which showed no violations or complaints against BGRR have been filed with the Division of Waste Management in Frankfort.

Motion was made by Friend that the recycling committee endorse Blue Grass Regional Recycling as their choice for the recycling agent for this region. Motion was seconded by Hubert Puckett and passed unanimously.

Friend asked committee members to call legislators and urge passage of HB 371, the Bottle Bill. Rebecca Derossett, questioned whether to endorse the bill as a committee or individually. Norm Marcum expressed concern that some cities or counties may not be able to pay for establishing redemption centers. He said he would like to study HB 371 before endorsing it. Hubert Puckett said he does not believe the state need another bill.

Mickey Mills, a representative of Bluegrass Regional Recycling, advised that HB 371, even in its present form, deserves passage. He said he is working with those who drafted HB 371, recommending certain items be revised, so as to be more helpful to the cities and counties. One item the group is studying is the way advance disposal fees (ADF) are returned to the local governments.

After further discussion, the group recommended that calls be made to legislators individually rather than collectively. The number is 1-800-372-7181 to leave a message for members of the Natural Resources Committee.

Gorman Collins said the City of Prestonsburg is ready to expand the recycling program, but lacks a suitable facility or land. In response to his questions about using or acquiring the site now owned by Floyd County Solid Waste, Lon May said an agreement may be worked out to benefit both the city and the county. Kathy Friend asked Rebecca Derossett to contact Mike Vance, director of Floyd County Solid Waste, and County Attorney Keith Bartley to determine legalities of the situation.

Committee members agreed to attend the Floyd County Solid Waste meeting on Monday evening, February 23, 6:30 p.m., at the Chamber of Commerce office, to provide an update of recycling committee activities.

Cindy Hackworth stated that Wal-Mart is sponsoring Environmental Day on May 8. Location and details of the all-day event will be announced later.

The next meeting of the committee will be at noon, Wednesday, March 18.

GFWC-KFWC holds meeting

The GFWC-KFWC Prestonsburg Womans Club met March 5 at the clubhouse Archer Park in Prestonsburg.

The meeting was called to order by President Sandy Burchett. The pledge to the flag was given. The devotional was given by Beverly Oxford. The speaker, Dr. Debra Hall, gave information on "Women's Health," with a question and answer session following.

Thank-you notes were read from the Kathryn Poe family and friends of the May House.

January minutes were read and approved. The next meeting will be April 20.

On March 17, the members are having a dinner at the clubhouse and will deliver. Tickets are $4 each, and can be purchased from members or bought at the door. The menu is Irish stew, cole slaw, cornbread, brownies and ice tea.

The proceeds will go to a "Charitable Christmas" event for children.

The president appointed a nominating committee: Sandy Burchett, Pam Skeen and Lida Spradlin.

The KFWC 103rd convention will be held in Louisville on April 5, 6, 7, 8, and is entitled, "Reaping the Awards."

The hostesses: Garnett Fairchild, Sandra Robertson, Melissa Forsythe, Joan Lucas, Lida Howard, Carolyn Traum and Ethel Burke, served refreshments to the members and guests.

Attending were Sandy Burchett, Carolyn Traum, Sandra Robertson, Beverly Oxford, Drema Miller, Earlene Nelson, Pam Weiner Skeen, Elizabeth Ramey, Garnett Fairchild, Lida Howard, Eileen Burchett, Mable Brown, Burieta Gearhart, Joyce Allen, Barbara Dawson, Boots Adams, Margaret Turnbull and Sabre Jacobs.

WEDDINGS ENGAGEMENTS

Couple exchange vows

Judy Sexton May, daughter of the late Andrew and Zina Sexton, married Dr. George Stevens of Lexington on December 21, in Honolulu. The wedding was followed by a three week honeymoon in Hawaii. Dr. and Mrs. Stevens reside in Lexington.

Hensley and Stover to wed

William Roger Hensley of Grassy Creek and Margaret Hensley Clouse of Hager Hill announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Melissa Lynn Hensley, to Wayne Thomas Stover, son of Jess Lee and Dorothy Stover of Auxier. Melissa is a 1995 graduate of JCHS and is currently a junior in the social work program at Morehead State University. Tom is a 1991 graduate of JCHS and is currently self-employed at Stover's Ice in Auxier. The wedding ceremony will take place at the First United Methodist Church in Prestonsburg, Saturday, March 14, at 3:30 p.m. There will be a reception following the ceremony.

Bates-Young to wed April 11

Henry and Rosa Young of Prestonsburg announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Michelle, to David Jay, son of Jay and Opal Bates. The prospective groom is a graduate of Morehead State University and is currently employed by West Paces Medical Center in Atlanta, Georgia as a radiologist technician. The bride-to-be is also a graduate of Morehead State University with a bachelor's degree in accounting. The wedding will take place April 11, at the Church of Christ in Prestonsburg. The couple will move to Atlanta after the wedding.

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FOR THE RECORD

Suits Filed

Editor's note: Suits filed are not indicative of guilt, but represent only the claims of those filing the action.

Denver Slone of Hi Hat vs. All State Insurance Company of Louisville; contract dispute.

Oakwood Acceptance Corporation of Greensboro, North Carolina vs. Nathan Cochran of Hi Hat; alleged debt.

Bank America Housing vs. Ransom Mullins of Hi Hat; alleged debt.

Monica Kirk of Inez vs. Highlands Regional Medical Center of Prestonsburg et al.; alleged malpractice.

Jim Music of Mt. Sterling et al. vs. Ralph Bowen of Chula Vista, California et al.; contract dispute.

Commonwealth for Regina Reid vs. William Reid of Tram; petition for child support and health insurance.

Jennifer Osborne of Auxier et al. vs. John Hibbens of Prestonsburg et al.; property dispute.

Tom Reffitt of Langley vs. Rhonda Reffitt of Prestonsburg; petition for dissolution of marriage.

Carol Kuss of Prestonsburg vs. Thomas Kuss II of Prestonsburg; petition for dissolution of marriage.

Crystal Allen of Prestonsburg vs. Ezra Allen Jr. of Prestonsburg; petition for dissolution of marriage.

Denise Justice of Ligon vs. Alan Case Jr. of Minnie; contract dispute.

Joyce Clark of Ivel vs. Doris Endicott of Endicott; compensation for injuries sustained on or about March 7, 1996 on Rt. 1428.

Debra Click vs. Craig Click of Betsy Layne; petition for dissolution of marriage.

Commonwealth for Marlene Arms vs. Phinas Dye of McDowell; petition for child support and health insurance.

Renesse Fairfield of Martin vs. Joseph Fairfield of Allen; petition for dissolution of marriage.

Janie Bryant of Prestonsburg vs. Lonzo Bryant of Teaberry; petition for dissolution of marriage.

Marriages

Christina Howard, 21, of Prestonsburg, and Andy Wallace, 19, of Prestonsburg.

Monica Younce, 18, of Wheelwright, and Robbie Wright, 25, of Wheelwright.

Selena Rogers, 20, of Harold, and Paul D. Nichols, 23, of Dana.

Donna Martin, 33, of Hindman, and Clinis Hall, 39, of Drift.

Carey Moore, 22, of Langley, and Robert Davis, 24, of Auxier.

Robin Clemons, 35, of Wheelwright, and Ray Jr. Hatfield, 23, of Hi Hat.

Daneque Branson, 27, of Allen, and Jack Howard, 25, of Dwale.

Christina Hale, 19, of Prestonsburg, and Keith Barnett, 24, of Prestonsburg.

Jennifer Shepherd, 20, of Drift, and Claude Webb II, 23, of Langley.

Michelle Sparks, 21, of Hager Hill, and Ervin Daniels, 24, of Hager Hill.

Katina Preece, 25, of Batavia, Ohio, and Kenneth Ward, 28, of Tomahawk.

Dispatch Logs

Editor's note: Dispatch logs are taken from the logs of the Prestonsburg Police and Fire Departments.

March 3

8:52 a.m. — An accident without injuries was reported near the Wal-Mart exit.

12:00 p.m. — An accident with injuries was reported near Floyd Funeral Home.

3:04 p.m. — A three-car accident with injuries was reported at PHS.

3:09 p.m. — An accident without injuries was reported at PHS.

4:30 p.m. — A man advised dispatch that another man was trying to get him to pull off the road, and that he had a restraining order against the subject.

5:30 p.m. — Extra patrol was needed at PCC because male subjects were cruising the parking lot trying to pick up girls.

8:31 p.m. — Cliff resident reported teens peeping in windows.

9:57 p.m. — The gate at AMS was reported left open.

11:33 p.m. — Vehicle fire was reported at Auxier.

March 4

3:21 a.m. — An officer was needed to go to Riverside Drive to contact a family member for an individual due to an illness.

9:40 a.m. — EMS dispatched to a man passed on the floor in West Prestonsburg.

10:17 a.m. — Dr. Leslie's office needed EMS for an individual with analphylactic shock.

11:32 a.m. — An accident with injuries was reported at 1428/23 lights near Cliff.

11:33 a.m. — Possible accident with injuries was reported on US 23 North.

2:00 p.m. — A man in a south business in town reported auto theft.

2:09 p.m. — Coal truck fire reported at the Holiday Inn hill.

3:52 p.m. — Oven fire reported at Lancer.

4:14 p.m. — Town Center woman reported an accident without injuries.

6:50 p.m. — Cliff maintenance reported a woman was moving her stuff out of her apartment and was hit on the head by someone.

6:50 p.m. — Power outage was reported near a south business.

11:20 p.m. — A woman at the north business area reported phone harassment by another woman that was giving her number out and telling men she was a call girl.

March 5

6:49 a.m. — An officer was requested to open vehicle which contained a small child.

2:31 p.m. — A Town Center business reported a missing deposit slip from a previous deposit at a local bank.

9:37 p.m — A Town Center man advised that his wife reported he was missing and he wasn't.

6:54 p.m. — An accident with injuries was reported at the concrete barrier near Somerset Gas Station.

March 6

1:09 a.m. — A vehicle was reported weaving north bound on US 23, and the driver was attempting to eat and drive.

8:21 a.m. — EMS was needed to an unresponsive female at a south business area residence.

11:50 a.m. — An accident without injuries was reported in front of First Commonwealth Bank.

1:07 p.m. — EMS was needed to go to a 4-month-old baby at Cliff that was purple.

4:25 p.m. — Vehicle fire was reported at the ramp of 23/80.

6:57 p.m. — A Cliff man reported that an intoxicated man was trying to push his truck from its parking place.

March 7

10:33 a.m. — A south business street man reported that his wife has his keys and won't give them to him.

9:02 p.m. — A report of kids abandoned in a vehicle at Food City.

March 8

9:00 a.m. — A missing juvenile report was made from the Job Corps.

12:34 p.m. — A 16-year-old having seizures was reported from the Job Corps.

2:20 p.m. — A Town Center woman reported harassing phone calls.

8:17 p.m. — A Goble-Roberts individual reported a reckless driver in a black car was screeching his tires and driving very fast.

Property transfers

Eekerol Evans and Maggie Evans to Gary Evans and Virdie Mae Evans; property location not listed.

Rhonda Hall to Brad Hall, property location not listed;

Sterling Francis and Bethel Francis to Sylvester Francis; property location not listed.

Charlotte Nadine Jarrell to George Henry Jarrell; property located on Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River. Elizabeth Louise H. Perdue, to Elizabeth Louise H. Perdue and Timothy David Perdue; property location not listed.

Larry Johnson, executor of the estates of John Melvin Johnson and Zetta Johnson, to Ronald Dean Johnson; property location not listed.

Dianne P. Scalf, to Darrell Patton and Jayne Collins Patton; property location not listed.

Annie Newsome to Clyde Newsome; property location not listed.

Pat Davis to Rita Stumbo; property location not listed.

Geniece Hamilton to D. King and Bonnie Blair King, property located on Right Beaver Creek;

Emmitt Hamilton and Katherine Hamilton, to Timothy David Martin and Rachael Martin; property location not listed.

Norma Lee Thomas Mullins to Larry Wendell Thomas; property located at Layne addition.

Dana Dwight Tackett and Mary Fern Tackett, to Shelia R. Hall; property located on Tackett Fork and Big Mud.

Ken Tackett and Sandy Tackett, to Shelia R. Hall; property located on Tackett Fork and Big Mud.

Nicky Tackett and Wanda Jean Tackett to Shelia R. Hall; property located on Tackett Fork and Big Mud.

Rebecca Pack Hamilton, to Kip D. Kidd and Angela Kidd; property located on Left Beaver Creek.

Fred Bowser and Mary G. Bowser to Brian K. Nelson and Leslie P. Nelson; proprty located on Daniels Creek.

Dexter Howell and Palestine Howell to William Howell and Nancy Howell, property location not listed;

Letha M. Imes and William Imes, Arnold L. Salisbury and Artie Salisbury, Ronald G. Salisbury and Linda Salisbury, Lloyd Salisbury and Tena Salisbury, to Melissa M. Thacker and Sheldon S. Thacker; property location not listed.

Sarah Ring to James D. Ring; property located on Right Beaver Creek.

Russell Prince and Charlene Prince, Violet Ann Prince, Elizabeth Thomas and Lowell Thomas and Willie Prince, to Harry Prince and Geraldine Prince; property located near Dwale.

Ruby J. Colegrove and Chandra Rose Gibson and Carl H. Gibson, Jr., Rita Louise Daniel, Geneva Crager, Clinton Ratliff and Vicky Ratliff to Jones A. Ratliff and Ruth Ratliff, property located on Right Beaver Creek;

Ruby J. Colegrove and Jones A. Ratliff and Ruth Ratliff, Geneva Crager, Clinton Ratliff and Vicky Ratliff to Rita Louise Daniel, property located on Right Beaver Creek;

Clinton Ratliff and Vicky Ratliff, Rita Louise Daniel, Jones A. Ratliff and Ruth Ratliff and Ruby J. Colegrove; through Chandra Rose Gibson and Carl H. Gibson, Jr., Power of Attorney for Ruby J. Colegrove, to Geneva Crager, property location not listed.

Ruby J. Colegrove, Rita Louise Daniel, Jones A. Ratliff and Ruth Ratliff, Geneva Crager, to Clinton Ratliff and Vicky Ratliff, property located on Right Beaver Creek;

Clinton Ratliff and Vicky Ratliff, Rita Louise Daniel and Jones A. Ratliff and Ruth Ratliff and Geneva Crager to Ruby J. Colegrove, property located on Right Beaver Creek;

Rosemary C. Baird to Christopher Baird; property location not listed.

Mabel Bradley to Charity Hunt Justice and Eugene Justice, property located at Betsy Layne.

Gary Adkins and Shirley Adkins and Velma Scalf and John Scalf to Betsy Layne Freewill Baptist Church Inc., property location not listed.

Rita L. Caudill and Michael R. Caudill; Danny Ray Bates and Drema Bates; Arlene Harper and Victor Harper; Carol Ann and Johnson and Timothy Darrell Johnson and Sonia Lynn Johnson and Frederick Gregory Johnson to Arlis Bates; property located on Riley Branch of Left Beaver Creek.

Rosie W. Collins to Timothy Howard and Pauline Collins; property located on Lost Fork (Right Fork) of Middle Creek.

Silas Slone, Jr. and Susan Slone; to Robert Lee Duncan, property location not listed.

Della Marsillett Hackworth to The First Calvary Pentecostal Church; property located on Middle Creek Ky. Rt. 114 (Parkway).

Katie Calhoun to Tim and Shannon Walker; property located on Big Sandy River.

Mike Puckett, Jack Stanley, Craig Davis, Lonell Murray, Keith Akers, Rodney Hatfield; to Boldman Freewill Baptist Church Inc., property location not listed.

Helen Hall to Emil Hall; property location not listed.

Sharon L. Kershaw and Michael Kershaw to James Kent Dye and Rita Dye; property on the Waters of Left Beaver Creek, in Spewing Branch.

Russell Ward, Jr. and Loretta W. Ward by Earl Martin McGuire and Community Trust Bank, N.A., D/B/A. Pikeville National Bank and Trust Company; property location not listed.

District Court

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

Chad Caudill, 23, of Thelma; AI (1st, 2nd), $87.50, unlawful transaction with a minor, (3rd) three counts, $25, 60 days probated, not to be at Holiday Inn, no contact with victim, no violations for 180 days.

Gary Fairchild, 29, of Oil Springs; speeding 16 mph over, traffic school, $60, no registration receipt, dismissed with proof, two counts no seatbelts, dismissed.

John Pinson, 34, of Regina; speeding 15 mph over, $90, no insurance, $500, no seatbelts, $25.

James Welch, 26, of Paintsville; speeding 15 mph over, $90, no seatbelts, $10, operating on suspended license, $50, no registration receipt, $25.

Julian Rodriguez, 21, of Jasper, Indiana; no operator's license, $107.50, insurance, dismissed, second degree unlawful transaction with a minor, two counts, amend to misdemeanor, 60 days probated, stay out of Floyd County, no violations for 180 days.

Delbert Bryant, 43, of Printer; speeding 15 mph over, $90, traffic school, no insurance, dismissed.

Lannie Ray, 24, of Tutor Key; speeding 17 mph over, $60, traffic school, no seatbelts, $10, no insurance, dismissed.

Judy Skeens, 24, of Banner; no insurance, $500, improper registration plates, dismissed, failure to register transfer, $25.

Robyn Slone, 27, of Prestonsburg; AI (1st, 2nd), $25 plus court costs.

Kennith Gooslin, 36, of Harold; second degree stalking, dismissed, disorderly conduct, 22 days jail, resisting arrest, 22 days jail plus court costs.

Sherman Poston, 39, of McDowell; marijuana possession, $100 to DARE program, court costs, AI (1st, 2nd), $25.

Melissa Johnson, 29, of Melvin; operating on suspended license, $207.50, no insurance, $500.

Will Carroll, 40, of Printer; driving DUI under suspension, $150, 2 days jail, operating motor vehicle under influence, BA pending, $297.50, alcohol and drug education, no insurance, dismissed.

Donna Owens, 37, of Prestonsburg; operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .186, $467.50, alcohol and drug education class, two days probated.

Timothy Isaacs, 35, of Topmost; AI (1st, 2nd), $97.50, violation of EPO, 30 days, probate 20, no contact with victim.

Shawn Leslie, 19, of Dwale; speeding 26 mph over, $52, operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .139, alcohol and drug education class, $457.50, no seatbelts, dismissed, no insurance, dismissed.

Clarence Raines, 27, of Tomahawk; leaving the scene of an accident, $100, operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA pending, $467.50, alcohol and drug education class, five days to turn in license, no insurance, show proof in 10 days, no seatbelts, dismissed, disorderly conduct, $25, terroristic threatening, $200, no registration receipt, dismissed.

Steven Moore, 18, of Martin; attempt to elude an officer, $50, disorderly conduct, $25, possession of alcohol by a minor, $50, terroristic threatening, 30 days probated if no further violation for 12 months.

Stephen Amburgey, age unknown, of Langley; failure to send child to school, $50 plus court costs.

Timothy Holloway, 18, of Belfry; theft by unlawful taking, $172.50, not to enter Wal-Mart for 12 months, marijuana possession, 10 days, possession of drug paraphelnia, 10 days to serve concurrently.

Earl Walker, 48, of Ashland; AI (3 or more), amend to 1st, $87.50.

Ricky Harris, 33, of Van Lear; theft by unlawful taking, (auto), 364 days, credit time served of 100, probate remainder, amend to misdemeanor, $1450.50 restitution, not to violate law for 12 months.

Timothy Hunt, 31, of Prestonsburg; theft by unlawful taking, (auto), 364 days, credit time served of 100, probate remainder, amend to misdemeanor, $1450.50 restitution, not to violate law for 12 months.

Phillip Joseph, 21, of Prestonsburg; operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .143, $457.50, alcohol and drug education class, no seatbelt, dismissed.

Kennard Nordstrand, 47, of San Antonio, Texas; third degree criminal trespass, five days, $62.50.

Gregory Neeley, 27, of Stanville; operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .167, $467.50, alcohol and drug education class, two days public service.

Marcel Derossett, 42, of Prestonsburg; driving DUI under suspension, $207.50, no insurance, $500.

Jerry Miller, 39, of Auxier; operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .26, amend to second DUI, $617.50, 12 days home incarceration, credit time served, one day.

Revilla Compton, 53, of Banner; driving side-to-side, dismissed, no seatbelts, dismissed, operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .187, alcohol and drug education class, $457.50, no insurance, $500.

Sean Wilson, 35, of East Point; operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .146, $467.50, 2 days public service, alcohol and drug education class, 2 days to turn in license.

Teresa Newman, 28, of Harold; operating a motor vehicle under the influence, BA .089, amend to reckless driving, $157.50.

Restaurant, school, and mobile home park inspections

Editor's Note: All inspections are made by Floyd County Health Department environmentalists John L. Bailey, Russell Wallace, and Mark Johnson.

• Allen Elementary, 90: Approved service water fountains not supplied with enough pressure. Restrooms near cafeteria and primary wing not clean. Locker room gym area not clean. Premises not clean around dumpsters and rear entrance of building.

• Auxier Elementary, 94: Walls in disrepair in boys' restroom (gym area) and restrooms not clean in main building and gym. Steps in bad repair (metal edging) as you enter building. Playground area holding water — premises not drained.

• Pizza Hut, 89: Improper storage of ready-to-eat food. Vegetables stored on floor in walk-in cooler. Hair restraints not worn in preparation area. Improper sequence of operation and soiled sanitizer compartment on three-compartment sink. Floor, can opener and mounted mixer not clean.

Pizza cartons stored on floor. Handsink in preparation area soiled with food waste. Floors not clean in preparation area.

• Cardinal Country Store No. 6, Prestonsburg, not rated. Follow-up visit. All critical items corrected.

• Lee's Famous Recipe, 94: Mixer head and inside of reach-in chest freezer in storage area not clean. Bottom of upright refrigerator, storage area, and all shelving throughout preparation area not clean. Not clean around outside refuse area. Floors not clean in preparation area. Walls in disrepair in preparation area and storage area.

• Big J Meat Processing, 99: Lights not shielded.

• Foodworld, 95 in deli and 91 in retail: Vanilla wafers on floor. No proper hair restraints used in deli. Cooler door handle broken in deli area. Styrofoam trays on floor in meat room. Outside dumpster not covered. Area behind store is littered. Floor and ceiling needs repairs.

• Martin Senior Citizen Center, not rated, courtesy inspection: Three lights in kitchen need shields. The center does not cook on a daily basis and does not require a permit. The kitchen is very clean and in excellent repair.

• Dollar General Store, 98: No self-closing door in restroom.

• Spouse Abuse Center, not rated, courtesy inspection: Food area is very clean. No permit required.

• G & C Grocery, 99: Ceiling needs repair. Store is very clean.

• Hippo Stop & Shop, 97: Dog food stored on floor. Ceiling needs repair.

• Food City, 96 in deli and 95 in retail: Improper sequence of operation of three-compartment sink. Three-compartment sink leaking. Lights not shielded properly. Floors not clean in walk-in freezer in meat room. Dipper not clean — food residue evident — in clean utensil rack.

Chipped paint surfaces in deli case display. Refuse area littered with debris.

• Prestonsburg Foodland, 91 in deli and 91 in retail: Food contact surface inside microwave not clean. Floor mounted mixer not clean. Lights not shielded. Ceiling vents soiled with dust and not clean. Hair restraints not worn in preparation area.

Floor not clean in preparation area. Improper storage of clean utensils between steam table and countertop. Improper operational sequence on three-compartment sink.

Storage racks rusted in meat room cooler storage. Non food contact surfaces not maintained. Bags of onions stored on floor. Shelving in dairy cooler display has chipped paint. Shelving dusty in retail area.

Reminder issued to watch for can defects while stocking shelves.

FoodWise

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The various projects through the FoodWise program are adapted to fit the needs of the families, Scott explained. She advises participants to plan menus for two weeks at a time and to get their family involved in the planning process.

"Let the kids have a part in the decision-making," she said.

Families who eat together generally consume a healthier diet, she added.

Materials provided by UK for the program include a special invitation which can be sent to family members to join in a meal together, as well as a family meals "contract" in which families can agree to eat at least one more meal together than they currently are doing.

Through the Kentucky Gets FoodWise program, Scott also distributes laminated weekly meal planners. She advises participants to make their grocery lists as they plan their meals. When they shop, they should stick to their lists to avoid unexpected, higher-priced purchases, she said.

Scott also conducts cooking sessions where participants can sample the economical and nutritional meals.

"If they taste the sample, they're more inclined to go home and try the recipe," she explained.

At some locations, she conducts "Winning Weighs," a six-to-eight-week program to help individuals lose weight through sound-eating habits. The program is achieving some success. Through the holiday season, a time for overindulging, the group ended up with a 50 percent weight loss achievement.

The weight-loss program, which is free because it is for food stamp recipients, is underway at the Auxier Family Resource Center.

Scott plans to conduct Kentucky Gets FoodWise programs at housing projects and family resource centers. She's extending the program to areas where it's most needed, including the local Department of Social Insurance. She's also making arrangements with Gwen Hall, Catholic Social Services, to give food demonstrations at the food pantries during food pickups at the pantry.

Another aspect of the home economics program, is the Extension's Food Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP), which is similar to — but separate from — the FoodWise program. Vanessa Hicks and Tonya Hall, EFNEP assistants at the Floyd County Extension Service, go into homes and work one-on-one with families. That program is also tailored to meet family needs, whether it is a picky eater in the family or trouble with money management. Currently that program assists about 45 families in Floyd County.

The local EFNEP program and the Kentucky Gets FoodWise program work hand in hand to help local families, Scott said.

The EFNEP program has been underway in the state since 1969, but has only been in Floyd County since June of 1997. The FoodWise program was recently initiated by the University of Kentucky Home Economics Extension Service and is being conducted in conjunction with the Department of Social Insurance in Frankfort.

Recent statistics indicate that 4,007 Floyd Countians receive food stamps. In Kentucky, in June of 1997, more than 168,000 families — 374,530 individuals — were food stamp recipients.

Food prices were compared in six Kentucky communities to make sure food stamp recipients could follow the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Guide Pyramid within their voucher limits. The cost for the recipes developed for the program is an average of those communities' costs.

For more information about the FoodWise or EFNEP programs, or to schedule demonstrations, contact Theresa Morgan-Scott, home economist at the Floyd County Extension Service, at 886-2668.

Updates on the FoodWise program will appear in Scott's weekly Extension News column in the Lifestyle section of the Floyd County Times.

FoodWise recipes will be printed about once a month in County Kettle.

Mild Tex Mex Beef

Total cost of recipe $3.77
Cost per serving 63¢

1 lb. lean ground beef
1 med. onion, chopped
1 can (15.5 oz.) red kidney or pinto beans
1 can (15.75 oz.) whole kernel corn
1 can (15 oz.) tomatoes
1 can (6 oz.) tomato paste
2 Tbsp. chili powder
Salt & pepper to taste

Cook ground beef and onion in large skillet over medium-high heat for ten minutes. Drain fat from skillet. Add remaining ingredients. Cook over medium heat, stirring occasionally, for 20 minutes. Makes 6 servings. (340 calories per serving)

Yesterdays

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Hamilton, 69, Saturday at his home at Grethel; Sam Harris, 79, of Price, Wednesday at the Jenkins Clinic; Ed Clay, 75, Sunday at his home at Ligon; Mrs. Mary Lafferty, 76, of Lancer, Tuesday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Morgan Hall, 70, of Wayland, Friday at Paintsville; Mrs. Lyda Cooley Stephens, 87, of Lackey, formerly of Cliff, Wednesday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Conard Goble, 72, of Lancer, last Thursday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Mrs. Gertrude Kidd Parsons, 66, of Honaker, Friday at the home of a daughter at Harold; Mrs. Mary M. Stratton, 38, native of this county, Feb. 19 at a Ypsilanti, Michigan hospital.

Forty Years Ago (March 6, 1958)

Twenty-seven lives were claimed Friday in the worst school bus tragedy in the nation's history...A major addition to the electric power facilities of the Kentucky Power Company is being constructed at the Beaver Creek transmission station at Hi Hat, it was announced this week...Dallas Newsome, 33, former Floyd man, was shot and killed last Monday at Newport, Kentucky...Sol Branham, 36, of Melvin, died at Veterans' Hospital, Huntington, West Virginia Saturday of head injuries he had suffered the preceding day in a car wreck at Bevinsville...Married: Betty Jane Burnette, of Waltz, Mich., and Airman Roy Frost Jr., formerly of Weeksbury, Dec. 22...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wade Moore, a son, William Wade, February 27 at the Prestonsburg General Hospital...There died: Mrs. Jenny G. Baldridge, 74, of East Point, Friday at her home; Mrs. Margaret Jarrell, 77, Saturday at Dwale; Jack Blackburn, 58, of Martin, Saturday at a Huntington, West Virginia Hospital; David Banner May, 72, last Wednesday at his home at Allen; James S. Goble, 87, of Auxier, last Tuesday at the home of a daughter.

Fifty Years Ago (March 11, 1948)

Hopes of Floyd and Knott counties to remain in the same judicial district were blasted Tuesday as both houses of the General Assembly quickly approved the bill revising this and three other Eastern Kentucky districts and creating a new one, the 39th...Prestonsburg's Blackcats, the champions, and the Garrett High School Black Devils, the runners-up in last week's district basketball meet here, begin play tonight (Thursday) at Inez for regional honors... Arthur Conn, 34-year-old Printer miner, died at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin, early Wednesday morning, several hours after both his legs had been severed by a train near his home...Mrs. Lula Music Caldwell, 26, former Harold resident, was shot to death in a River Rouge, Mich. night club, shortly before midnight Sunday...Cpl. Vernon P. Smedigar, formerly of Garrett, drowned Friday when he fell from a bridge in Kyoto, Japan...Seven parents were fined and two 14-year-old boys were given suspended reform school sentences Saturday by County Judge Alex L. Davidson after the boys had been arrested for truancy and their elders had been named in warrants for failing to send their children to school...

Married: Miss Rosemary Malone, of Allen, and Mr. Walter Frasure, of McDowell, February 19 at the Allen Baptist Church... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. William Damron, a son, William Mayo, Sunday, March 7 at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville; to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Derossett, of Martin, a son, Dennis Michael, Sunday at the Beaver Valley Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, of Prestonsburg, a daughter, Marilyn Gail, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; to Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Mauk, of Jeffersonville, Indiana, a son, Raymond Bruce, February 18; to Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Gray Jr., of New Haven, Connecticut, a son, Clark Bingham, February 14 at New Haven Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Richardson, of Bonanza, a daughter...There died: Mrs. Tennessee Burchett Jarell, 87, at home at Tram, Monday; A. E. Hays, 55, former Floyd resident, at home at Oakhill, Ohio, February 29; Dude D. Hamilton, 37, formerly of Emma, March 2 at Olive Hill; Charlie Allen, 41, Wednesday at his home at Wayland; Jack Ousley, 41, at home at Drift, Saturday; Harry Thomas Sparks, five-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Sparks, of Prestonsburg, February 24 at the Paintsville Hospital.

Sixty Years Ago (March 10, 1938)

The Floyd County Board of Education, in session here Saturday, adopted a resolution which will, after July 1, this year, eliminate the sub-district school system in the County...The Garrett and McDowell basketball teams will represent Floyd County in the Regional tournament which begins today (Thursday) at the gymnasium here...Coroner Elliot Prater said last Saturday that an autopsy revealed that Brack Adkins, 35, who died at Shelbiana, Pike County, suffered a broken neck, although it had been claimed he died as the result of a long illness... Resolutions of Jack's Creek local, United Mine Workers of America, calling for the completion of the Left Beaver Creek road, were unanimously approved by a crowd of approximately 300 persons attending the local's meeting at the Burton School, Sunday afternoon...Fire departments of Prestonsburg, Pikeville and Paintsville battled here Tuesday night to save Prestonsburg's business section as fire destroyed the Unique Theatre and threatened an entire block...The nation-wide publicity given Amos Tackett, young Wheelwright man, when he wore his father's wedding pants at his own marriage, recently, to Miss Ethel Rogers, came to a climax last Thursday night when Tackett appeared on the CBS Radio program, "We The People"... The City of Prestonsburg's petition for a restraining order from Circuit Judge John W. Caudill which would have compelled officers making arrests for drunkenness and other misdemeanors here to take their prisoners before Police Judge A. H. Spradlin for trial was denied Thursday, last week... Invited as sole representatives from Kentucky, the native Floyd Plainsong Chanters will appear at the National Folk Festival in Washington, D. C, May 6, 7 and 8...There died: Lindsey Martin, 85, at home at Mousie, Sunday.

John Graham Chapter DAR holds February meeting

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met at the home of regent, Mrs. Carl R. Horn, for a business meeting and pizza supper, February 2. The regent presided.

Treasurer Karen Ousley reported that 27 reports had been filed with both the National Society and the Kentucky Society with all requirements completed.

DAR Good Citizen chairman Frances Brackett said that Prestonsburg High senior Lesley Anne Stout had been named DAR Good Citizen, and had also been named the Sixth District winner. Stout and five other DAR Good Citizens will be honored Saturday, March 29, 2:00 p.m., at the Marriott Resort, Lexington, at which time the Kentucky Society winner will be announced and honored with a check for $250. Brackett announced that an Allen Central High School cadet will be named to receive the JROTC bronze medal at a later date.

The regent announced that the Kentucky Society Convention will be held March 27-30. Delegates are Eleanor Horn and Frances Brackett, who is KSDAR State Magazine Chairman. Alternates are Karen Ousley, Virginia Goble, Betty J. Conn, and Vivian Hale. Angela Frances Brackett will serve as page. A state memorial service will memoralize Olga Auxier Preston, past regent, who died May 12, 1997, and Ethel Salisbury Cross, who died December 8, 1997. Among guests will be the President General Mrs. Charles Kemper, California; Alabama State Regent, Mrs. Wayne White; Arkansas State Regent; Mrs. McLyle Zumwit; Georgia State Regent, Mrs. Dennis Beall; and National Junior Membership Chairman, Mrs. John M. Ivancevich.

The next regular meeting will be held Saturday, April 25, May Lodge, with a joint SAR-DAR meeting at noon. A memorial service will be conducted by chaplain Betty Conn for Olga Preston and Ethel' Cross, the DAR Good Citizen and her parents will be recognized, and the Allen Central High School outstanding cadet will be honored.

BIRTHDAYS

Viola Derossett to celebrate birthday

Viola Cooley Derossett will celebrate her 80th birthday on Sunday, March 15 from 2-4 p.m. at The Community United Methodist Church fellowship hall on Burke Avenue in Prestonsburg. The family requests no gifts, just the presence of their family and friends.

First birthday

Ethan Brice Layne, the son of Johnny and Tracie Layne of Langley, celebrated his first birthday on February 5. Ethan's big brother, Kyle Preston, helped him enjoy a party with a Barney theme. Many family members and friends also attended. Ethan is the maternal grandson of Patty Peters of Martin and Bob and Sue Caudill of Cynthiana. He is the paternal grandson of Glorania Layne of Langley. His great-grandparents are Margie Rudder of Martin, Ida Click of Banner, Curt Layne of Salyersville, and Virginia Nicholson of Albion, Michigan.

March birthday

Alex Wade Mullins will celebrate his fourth birthday on March 11, 1998. He is the son of Alicia and Darrin Caudill of Melvin. He is the grandson of Buck and Ruth Keens of Melvin.

Four!

Derrick Michael Moore, son of Peggy Lynn Johnson Moore of Langley, turned four on March 3. He celebrated on March 1 at the Weeksbury Community Center with family members and friends. Derrick is the grandson of Levi Johnson Jr. of Weeksbury and Jean Johnson of Minnie.

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KOUNTY KETTLE

Recipes reprinted from "Tastes From the Country," a cookbook compiled by the Lancer Baptist Church. The cookbooks cost $10, and may be obtained by calling the church at 886-1700; Nancy Roberts at 886-9675; or any church member.

RIB-EYE STEAKS WITH SESAME BUTTER

4 beef rib-eye steaks (3/4 to 1-inch thick)
salt and pepper
Sesame Butter

Set oven control to broil and/or 550°. Place steaks on rack in broiler pan so tops are 3-inches from heat. Broil 10 to 15 minutes total for rare, 15 to 20 minutes for medium, turning once. Season each side with salt and pepper when brown. Spread with Sesame Butter.

Sesame Butter:

1/4 c. margarine or butter, softened
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1/2 tsp. garlic salt
1 Tbsp. toasted sesame seed

Beat margarine, Worcestershire sauce and garlic salt until fluffy. Stir in sesame seed. Makes about 1/4 cup.

TURKEY WITH MUSHROOMS

1 hind or front quarter turkey
4 Tbsp. fat
salt, pepper and flour
paprika
1 c. sweet or sour cream
1 c. canned mushrooms, drained

Wash and prepare turkey for cooking. Cut into serving pieces. Heat cooker. Add fat. Dredge turkey in the combined salt, pepper, flour and paprika. Brown in hot fat. Add cream and mushrooms. Place cover on cooker. Allow steam to flow from vent pipe to release all air from cooker. Place indicator weight on vent pipe and cook 20 to 25 minutes with stem at cook position. Let stem return to down position.

BARBECUE FISH—GRILLED

1 whole salmon
1 can crushed pineapple (save juice)
garlic salt
salt and pepper to taste
butter, melted
barbecue sauce

You need a whole fish large enough for your meal. Cut 1-inch deep slits in each side of fish. Put in slots the crushed pineapple, garlic salt, salt and pepper. Wrap in aluminum foil. Cook on medium-low for approximately 20 minutes with lid down. Add butter, pineapple juice and more salt and pepper. Cook 5 minutes. Add barbecue sauce. Cook until desired texture, still with lid down.

Tammy Webb

GROUND BEEF STUFFED FRENCH BREAD

1 lb. hamburger
1/2 green pepper, chopped
1/2 celery stick, chopped
1/2 tsp. pepper
1 tsp. salt
1 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 can Cheddar cheese soup
1 loaf French bread
cheese slices

Brown hamburger. Add next 6 ingredients. Simmer 5 minutes. Cut top off bread and scoop out bread. Add to meat mixture. Stir well. Put meat mixture in bread shell. Top with cheese slices. Put bread top on and bake at 350° for 5 to 8 minutes. Cut in slices and serve.

Millie Crook

SWEET BREAD

2 eggs
1 c. lard
1 c. sugar
1 c. molasses
1 c. buttermilk
1 tsp. baking powder
2 tsp. soda
1 tsp. ginger
1 tsp. cinnamon

Mix egg, lard, sugar, molasses and buttermilk in pan and mix. Add ginger and cinnamon. Put baking powder and soda in bowl of flour. Put mixture in pan in flour and roll until not sticky. Roll out on board and cut with glass. Put in greased cookie sheet and put in oven. Bake at 350° for about 15 minutes or until golden brown. Cool, then remove from cookie sheet. Put into jar. Makes 4 or 5 dozen.

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APPLE CRUMB PIE

4 c. apples, pared and chopped
1/2 c. sugar
1 Tbsp. lemon juice
1/2 tsp. nutmeg
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
2 Tbsp. melted butter
2 Tbsp. sour cream
1 (9-inch) pie crust, unbaked

Combine apples, sugar, juice, spices, butter and cream. Spread evenly in pie crust. Sprinkle the Crumb Topping over mixture and place in oven.

Crumb Topping:
1/2 c. sugar
1/4 c. soft butter
1/2 c. sifted flour

Combine flour and sugar. Work in butter. Bake pie at 425° for the first 15 minutes, then reduce heat to 350° for 30 minutes or until apples are tender. Serve warm.

Emma Crook

CHEWY FUDGE-CAKE COOKIES

2 sq. baking chocolate
1/4 c. cooking oil (not olive)
1 c. sugar
2 eggs, unbeaten
1 tsp. vanilla
1 scant c. flour
1 tsp. baking powder
1/4 tsp. salt

Melt the chocolate and oil. Stir in the sugar, eggs and vanilla. Sift together and add the flour, baking powder and salt. Chill it for 1 hour. After dampening your hands, form it into little balls. Roll them in powdered sugar. Bake at 400° for 10 minutes.

PECAN CHEWIES

1 stick margarine, softened
1 (16 oz.) pkg. light brown sugar
3 eggs
1 1/2 c. self-rising flour
1 tsp. vanilla
1 c. chopped pecans

Cream the butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each. Add flour, blending well. Stir in vanilla and pecans. Pour batter into greased 13 x 9-inch pan. Bake at 350° for 30 to 35 minutes. Makes 30 squares.

MICROWAVE MEXI-BEEF

1 lb. lean ground beef
1/2 c. chopped onions
1 pkg. taco seasoning mix
1 can stewed tomatoes (and liquid)

Combine ground beef and onions. Microwave on High for 3 minutes. Stir to break up beef. Continue cooking on High for 2 minutes. Drain. Add taco seasoning and tomatoes, mixing well. Microwave on High for 4 to 5 minutes or until thoroughly heated, stirring after 3 minutes. Serve on buns. Shredded cheese may also be added.

Taco Salad (Using Mexi-Beef):

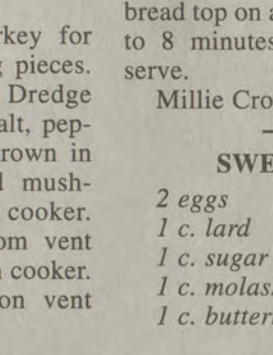
2 c. shredded lettuce
1/2 c. shredded cheese
1/4 c. sliced olives
Add.

Nachos: Place tortilla chips on microwave-safe plate. Top with Mexi-Beef mixture and 2 tablespoons shredded Cheddar cheese. Sliced jalapenos may also be added. Heat until beef is hot.

EXTENSION NEWS

Getting to know ramie

The marketplace is beaming with lots of spring color and the latest in spring and summer fashions. As you pause to take a better look, you may notice terms on the hang tags and labels that are not the familiar cotton, linen and polyester. One of the relatively new fibers is not new at all, but one that has been around a long time, but just not used much in wearing apparel. That fiber is ramie.



by Theresa Scott-Morgan

Until the 1980's, ramie was primarily used in household textiles and industrial materials. Today, the fiber is being used in a wide variety of wearing apparel from shirts to sweaters. You will also find it a favorite fiber for blends with cotton, rayon, polyester, acrylic and silk.

Ramie is a long, fine lustrous bast fiber very closely related to cotton and flax—you might think of them as cousins! Ramie is a cellulosic fiber, widely known throughout the world as China grass. It took on that name because it had been cultivated for hundreds of years in China. In recent years, Florida has grown ramie as a perennial shrub which can be cut several times a year for its fiber.

More closely related to flax in terms of production and hand ("feel"), ramie fibers are somewhat brittle and stiff. They are actually stronger when wet, and more absorbent than cotton or flax (linen). Ramie is prone to damage by strong acids (sulfuric acid), but is highly resistant to alkalis (such as ammonia). These properties definitely set parameters for the manner in which the fabric can be handled during the fabric finishing process. In contrast to cotton and linen, ramie is also resistant to mildew and insects. However, under certain conditions prolonged exposure to sunlight or contact with chlorine bleach will cause the fiber to weaken and the fabric to degrade. Be careful about hanging garments of ramie out in the sun to dry or to air.

Wearing apparel made from ramie can be either washed or dry-cleaned depending on the dyes, finishes, garment design and supportive fabrics used in construction. Thus, it is important to look for and follow the manufacturer's care recommendation when purchasing ready-to-wear items. Ramie fabric is especially prone to shrinkage, loss of body (limpness), and color change. Therefore, if you are purchasing ramie yard goods, it is important that it be dry-cleaned (preshrunk) before constructing anything from it. Much like flax (linen), ramie is subject to abrasion and wrinkles after cleaning. For these reasons, you are very likely to see ramie blended with one or more other fibers this season.

Source: Clothing Care Gazette, International Fabricare Institute
March 1998.
Linda Heaton

NEW ARRIVALS

PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL

February 14: A son, Jamie Tyler Lawson, to Terissa Bryant.

February 15: A daughter, Bianca Mariann Robinett, to Rosie Blankenship and Julius Robinett III; a son, Christopher Darrell, to Laverne and Ronnie Williams Jr.

February 16: A daughter, Micah Dean, to Diane and Russell Osborne; a son, Joshua David, to Jennifer and David Michael Griffith.

February 17: A daughter, Alexandria Elizabeth, to Elizabeth Mae and Lacy Alexander Love; a son, Anthony Kyle Jennings, to Brenda Lynn Mullins; a daughter, Kristen Paige, to Lily Annette and Jeffrey Don Thomas.

February 18: A son, Matthew Kelland, to Dixie Elizabeth and David Alan Branham; a son, Robert Austin, to Sherry Lynn and Robert Wayne Stewart; a son, Zechariah David, to Regena and Timmy Rose.

February 20: A son, John Ashton, to Glinda Louise and Gregory Alan Caines; a son, Matthew Dylan, to Julia Guerrant Walz and Mark Dixon Walz; a daughter, Kennedy Bethann Garrett, to Connie Lynn Minix; a son, Stone Jacob, to Dianne Renee and Edward Anthony Harris; a daughter, Lacrisha Marie, to Atacha Jo Swiney and Emmit Lee Murphy; a daughter, Candace Brooke Johnson, to Stacy Lynn Johnson and Gary Little Jr.

February 22: A son, Jeremiah Austin, to Stephanie Don and Andrew Jackson Johnson; a son, Jackie Edward Jones III, to Cheryl Hunt and Jackie Edward Jones Jr.; a son, James Mairon-Talers Daniels, to Remona Jean Hammond and Johnny Lee Daniels; a son, Joshua Kane, to Brittany Kay and Joey Matthew Adkins.

February 23: A son, Matthew Donovan Curtis Kiser, to Kristy Lee Hall and Ramey Dale Kiser.

February 24: A son, Matthew Lee, to Kristal Kay and Danny Lee Casey; a son, Aaron Cody, to Nancy Lynn and Thomas Wayne Bertrand.

February 25: A daughter, Kierra Deshae Mullins to Christy Renee Compton and Tyrone Lamont Mullins; a daughter, Lauren Grace, to Abigail Lee Little.

February 26: A son, Joseph Connor, to Tammie Ann and Bobby Gene Hurt.

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February 23: A daughter, Alexis Renae, to James and Wanda Preece of Inez.

February 24: A daughter, Kendra Kalynn, to Heather and Kennell Slone of Drift.

February 25: A son, Kyle Nichalas, to Elizabeth and Joel Jenson of Auxier; a son, Roger Lee Maynard III, to Roger Lee and Kathy Marie Maynard of Inez; a daughter, Shelby Lynn, to Tonya and Lance Combs of Flat Gap.

February 26: A daughter, Hallaner McKenna, to Deidre Renae and Kennith Lawson of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Mackenzie Raine, to Charles and Stacy LeMaster of Swamp Branch.

February 27: A daughter, Fallon Rayshel, to Jennifer Lynn and Shelby Ray Slone of Hindman; a son, Zachary Ryan Patrick, to Amanda Jane Young of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Mikka Chyanne Baily, to Tonya Sizemore of Salyersville.

February 28: A son, Thomas Wisley, to Frank and Sharon Lynn Whitt of Johnson.

March 2: A daughter, Hailey Breanne, to Amanda and Gary Pennington of Falcon; a son, Grant Alexander, to Rebecca and Jamie Burkett of Paintsville.

March 3: A son, Arnold Lee Adams Jr., to Arnold Lee and Amy Adams of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Robyn Elizabeth, to Tracey Lynn and Timmy G. Bremer of Van Lear.

Birth announced

John and Laura Brackett Thrasher announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, named Claire Violet Brackett Thrasher, born February 6, at Columbus, Ohio.

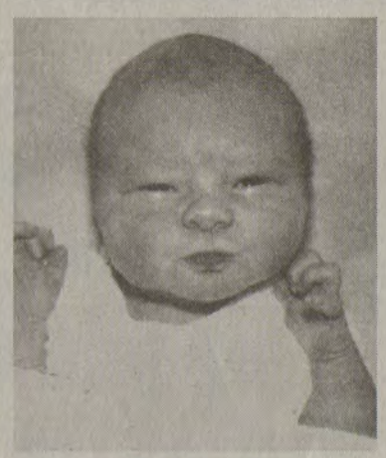
Maternal grandparents are Ray and Frances Preston Burchett of Allen. Paternal grandparents are Cecil and Mary Anne Hamilton Thrasher of Henderson.

Both sets of grandparents spent the past week visiting the new granddaughter and parents and grandson, Eli, at Mansville, Ohio.

It's a boy

Dalton Michael Parker was born Sunday, December 28. His parents are Stephen and Michelle Parker of Prestonsburg. Dalton weighed 8 lbs. 9 ozs., and was 21 inches long. His grandparents are Sidney and Polly Parker of Prestonsburg, and Linda and Willard Lafferty also of Prestonsburg.

Ethan Clay Vanderpool



Jennifer and Jason Vanderpool
announce the birth of their son, Ethan, on Feb. 10, 1998 at 9:55 a.m. at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington. He weighed 6 lbs. 12 oz. and was 19" long. He is the grandson of Abe and Brenda Vanderpool and Cleve and Janice Shepherd

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ACADEMICS

An Adams Middle School teacher and her students Shane Hatfield, Savannah Collins, and Sam Hale were among those treated to lunch at Reno's in Prestonsburg.

AMS students treated to lunch

by Rita Brock
Contributing writer

Adams Middle School's top selling students for the QSP Company, a subsidiary of The Reader's Digest Association, were treated to lunch at Reno's. They were taken to Reno's in a limousine.

The top school-wide seller was Shane Hatfield, sixth grade student and a son of Ronnie and Barbara Hatfield of Bull Creek.

Other top sellers were Jesse Davis, Kevin Smiley, Kevin Ross, Warnie Allen, Leanna Briggs, Whitney Parsons, Savannah Collins, Ashleigh Ousley, Holly Calhoun, Misty Charles, Leigh Ann Taylor, Teresa Damron, Sabrina Slone, Robert Hale, Daniel Neeley, Heather Spriggs, William Lafferty, Daniel Bentley, Steven Daniels, Brandon Crace, Mike Burke, Shawn Hatfield, Jeff Buchanan, Jason Jarvis, Tiffany Webb, Rachel Baisden, Brian White, Daniel Weddington, Chris Wallen, Zachary McCoy, and Sam Hale.

These students, along with A.M.S. staff members Gaye Hatfield, Sheila Ortega, Carole Bentley, Jennifer West, Gwen Hammonds, Jane Spurlock, Kim Reynolds, Alberta Slone, Anna Kidd, Pat Dye, Evonne Woods and Brenda Minix, were taken by limo to lunch at Reno's on Wednesday, January 14.

The top classroom winners were students from Mrs. Bentley, Mrs. Kidd, Mrs. West and Mrs. Hammond's rooms.

One-hundred and ten students were recognized and received gifts for their selling accomplishments.

Cliff Townsend, area representative for QSP, and Gaye Hatfield of A.M.S. spearheaded the project.

Self-esteem/motivational speaker prevention program

On Tuesday, February 3, Kevin Singleton gave a presentation to the students of Adams Middle School, Duff Elementary and Prestonsburg High, promoting students' self-esteem and motivating them with the message "I believe in You!"

Kevin has dedicated his life to traveling throughout the United States, specifically to work with and encourage young people.

Just like the students he spoke with, Kevin has spent many years training in his own life. He graduated from high school in Lafayette, Louisiana, where he distinguished himself by being a part of the National Honor Society, as well as a member of the elite Who's Who Among American High School Students.

He has also obtained an accounting degree from Union College in Barbourville, Kentucky where he received a scholarship to play basketball. While there, he was again elected to Who's Who, this time among American College Students.

During his college days, Kevin got to compete internationally on teams that traveled to countries of Peru, Bolivia, and Brazil. He has played professional basketball on the island of Cyprus, just off of the coast of Greece.

"Students should think for themselves, not do what everyone else does," Singleton said. "Always try at school, with your studies, set your goals high!"

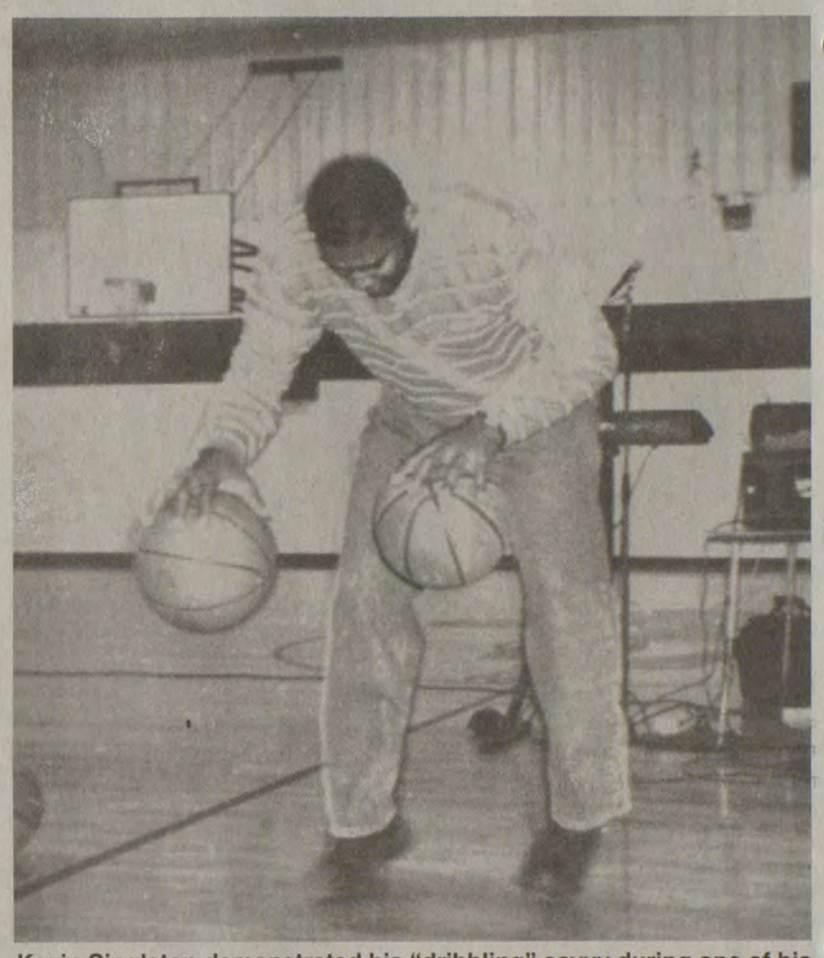
Singleton says young people should care about themselves and try to make the right choices. "I believe successful people always try again when they fail the first time," Singleton maintains.

For the past decade, Kevin has continued to travel, now throughout the United States and Europe, performing an unique program of music and athletics.

Kevin's visit was made possible through the Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist Lola Ratliff, who is with the county board's youth services program. The program is federally-funded, and by Kentucky law, all schools have to have a substance abuse cirriculum.

If you would like more information about the substance abuse prevention services for your child, you can call Ms. Ratliff at 874-0357. *(Times Contributing Writer Rita Brock contributed to this story).*

Zachery Stanley caught a bug for show and tell, and cared for it for three days to keep it alive to share with his classmates in Anna Shepherd's class at May Valley Elementary.



Kevin Singleton demonstrated his "dribbling" savvy during one of his motivational programs he gave in the county. (photo by Rita Brock)

Betsy Layne will be visited by Mr. Wizard

On March 11, the mysteries of science will be explored at Betsy Layne Elementary when ECA Educational Services, in conjunction with the Mr. Wizard Studios, present Mr. Wizard's Supermarket Science.

New guidelines set by the American Academy for the Advancement of Science ask teachers to use hands-on projects in an effort to improve the science programs in our nation's schools. In keeping with these guidelines, Mr. Wizard Science Assembly Programs demonstrate the science of everyday life living using interactive teaching methods.

Don Herbert, better known as "Mr. Wizard" from NBC TV's Watch Mr. Wizard, and Nickelodeon's Mr. Wizard's World, has produced a program to bring this hands-on style of science to Betsy Layne at 12:30 p.m. Although Don Herbert himself will be busy exploring new ways to explain science using everyday items, Christine Lomasney, his official assistant, will present this fast-paced show guaranteed to educate and entertain.

Inspired by Don Hebert's popular book, 'Mr. Wizard's Supermarket Science,' this live school assembly program will challenge the students' creativity. Student helpers from the audience will use common items found on the shelves of a supermarket in uncommon ways to explain science in everyday living. Among other things, students will discover how a baby diaper works, how to crush an egg in their hand (they may not be as strong as they thought!) and how clouds are formed. This show promotes creative thinking by challenging the audience to think in terms of 'functional freedom.'

The students will never think of a supermarket in the same way again.

While working on letter "H", students of Anna Shepherd's K-1 at May Valley Elementary had hat day. Students wore many unique hats, some of which were made by family members.

Honor roll announced at Osborne Elementary

THIRD SIX WEEKS

Miss Little, 4th grade, 4.0—Candice Hall, Brian Hall, Colley Tackett and Felica Johnson.

3.0-3.99—Justin Caudill, Brandon Johnson, Monica Isaac and Vanessa Osborne.

Mrs. Compton, 4th Grade, 4.0—Shana Dorton and Stephanie Slone.

3.0-3.99—Stephen Blanton, Eva Cook, BreAnna Daniels, Tiffany Hamilton, Leslie Holbrook, Joshua Johnson, Matthew Johnson, Ryan Johnson, Sunni Williams, Terry Hall and Dennis Matthews.

Mrs. Hall, 4th and 5th grade, 4.0—Ashley Johnson and Courtney Spears.

3.0-3.99—Patricia Johnson, Shatasha Gilliam, Ryan Spears, Kim Tackett, Morgan Thornsbury, Brandon Light, Ashley Slone, Justin Johnson, Kathy Paige and Bryan Salisbury.

5th grade, Mr. Pack, 4.0—Brittany Smallwood, Kenny Parker, Whitney Johnson, Jason Johnson, Wesley Hall, Tina Hall, Meka Hall, Rebecca Engle and Randi Anderson.

3.0-3.99—Tabitha Trammell, Sabrina Tackett, Gabriel Stewart, Nicholas Miller, Burnett Little, Jordan Johnson, Ryan Hall, Nathaniel Tackett and Adam Taylor.

Mrs. Tackett, 7th and 8th grade, 4.0—Clay Jones and Chad Mullins.

3.0-3.99—Brandi Bowers, Jeremy Burke, Justin Hall, Michael Hall, Tyler Hall, Cynthia Isaac, Jennifer Lackey, Jequetta Parker, Chariti Tackett and Nicole Tackett.

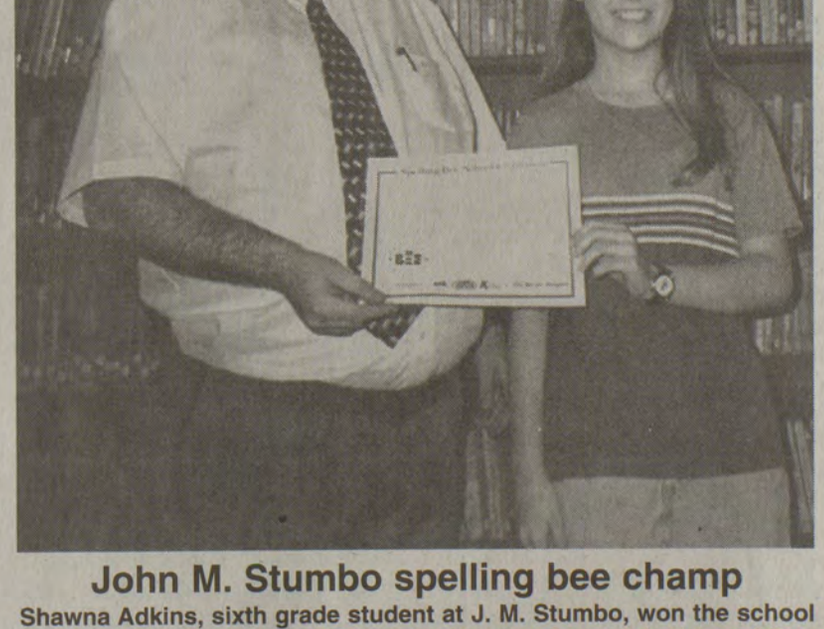
Mrs. Meade, 8th grade, 4.0—Brittany Bailey, Tabitha Berger, Sheena Hall, Becky Isaac, Lekita Johnson, MaryBeth Little, Amy Morgan, Bryan Stewart and Amy Tackett.

3.0-3.99—Jared Allen, Brittany Boyd, Kermit Dailey, Justin Engle, Josh Johnson, Lana Lackey, Michael Little, Randall Matthews, Chasity Mitchell, Wendell Tackett and Kandice Mitchell.

Miss Bradford, 6th grade, 4.0—Joel Allen, Adam Hicks, Josh Johnson, Amanda S. Johnson, Melissa Meyers, Lesley Mullins, Clarissa Parker and Natasha Slone.

3.0-3.99—Brandy Anderson, Brittany Bates, Landon Hall, Katrina Isaacs, Amanda Jo Johnson, Logan Johnson, Shelly Mathews, Loren May, Brandon Meyers, Justin Smallwood, Angel Tackett and Ashley Tackett.

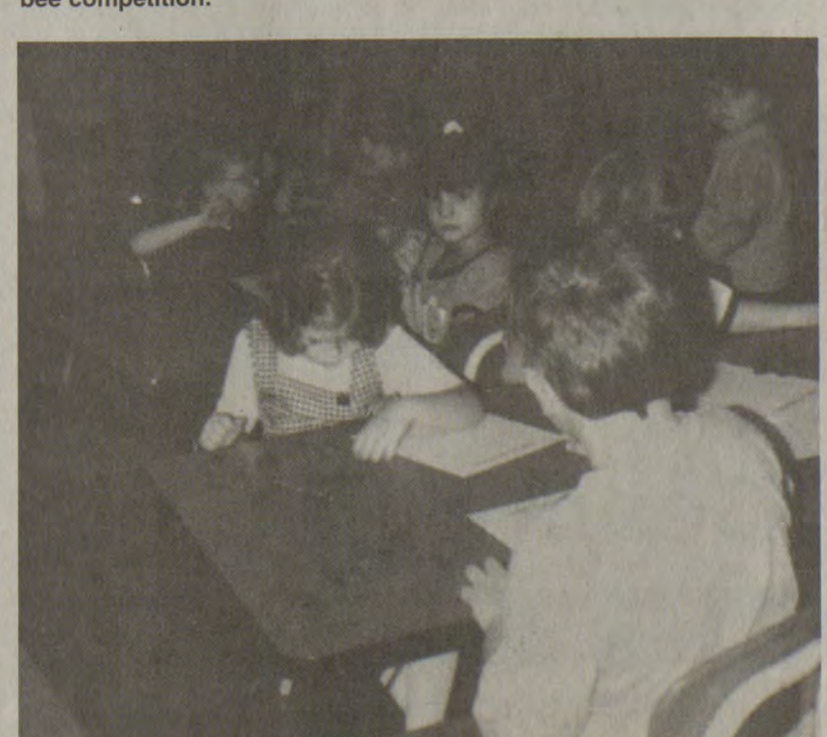
Mr. Castle, 6th and 7th grade, 3.0-3.99—Kayla Meyers, Dustin Stanley, Amanda Bowers and Megan Tackett.



John M. Stumbo spelling bee champ

Shawna Adkins, sixth grade student at J. M. Stumbo, won the school spelling bee competition. Shawna is the daughter of Joetta and Ben Adkins. She is also a member of the Stumbo Academic team and Lady Mustangs basketball team. Shawna advanced to the county spelling bee competition.

Eighth grade students from Dr. W. D. Osborne Elementary School recently visited Mayo State Vocational School.



Students of Anna Shepherd's K-1 class at May Valley Elementary graphed teddy grahams during a math activity.

BUSINESS/REAL ESTATE

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Mandates turn small business blue

Government mandates and the paperwork, red tape and regulations that come with them have many American small-business owners feeling blue—"carnation blue" as one small Virginia florist recently explained to the U.S. Senate Budget Committee. Here's his story.

John Nicholson is the owner of Company Flowers, a family-owned business that has been serving the Arlington area for eight years. Nicholson is responsible for everything from hiring employees, to ordering supplies, to signing weekly paychecks—all of which comes with the territory when you're in business for yourself.

He is also responsible for complying with the heap of government mandates that are passed on by Congress to businesses. While coping with "necessities," like obtaining government-required flood insurance and paying unemployment taxes, Nicholson says that some mandates simply "defy common sense."

In his business of flowers, the blue in a blue carnation does not come naturally. It is a spray-painted flower, designed to match local high school colors. These carnations are ordered occasionally and only a minute or so of spraying is ever involved. However, federal law, undoubtedly aimed at industrial sites where spray painting takes place all day, every day, requires the creation of a separate spray booth, ventilated to the outdoors with a fan, and the wearing of goggles, gloves and inhalers. Is this necessary for one or two bunches of carnations a month? Nicholson wants to know.

In 1995, with the passage of the Unfunded Mandates Act, Congress acknowledged the significant problem that federal mandates have on the operation of states and local governments. Government mandates create equally burdensome problems for the private sector and especially for small employers. These federal mandates discourage small business start-ups, growth and job creation. Because the 1995 law focused on intergovernmental matters, it did not apply to private sector mandates.

Now, a new bill has been proposed to benefit consumers, employees and small businesses. The Mandate Information Act, as it's called, addresses the problem of federal mandates on the private sector by applying the reforms already put in place for state and local governments. The measure would require Congress to weigh more carefully the impact of proposed legislation on small businesses and their employees before passing it on.

The 600,000 members of the National Federation of Independent Business have consistently rated unfunded federal mandates as a top concern and with good reason. Consumers, employees and small businesses bear most of the cost of these mandates, and those costs have become truly staggering.

The Mandates Information Act of 1998, sponsored by Sen. Spencer Abraham, R-Mich., and Rep. Gary Condit, D-Calif., will provide Congress with more complete information about the effect of proposed mandates on consumers, employees and small businesses. It will also force Congress to consider this information before reaching a judgement about whether to impose a new mandate.

Should this bill become law, John Nicholson and many of the nation's other small businessmen and women could worry less about the blue carnation and focus more on the rosy red future of their businesses.

Jack Faris is president of the National Federation of Independent Business, the nation's largest small business advocacy organization. For information call 1-800-NFIB-NOW.

COMMERCE CORNER

by Carla Coburn
Executive Director
Chamber of Commerce

This week the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce focused on the upcoming Annual Awards Banquet. The Awards/Nominating Committee will propose nominations for new members for the board of directors to replace those who will complete their three year term this May. That committee will also consider nominations from Chamber Membership for those companies who are to be recognized as award recipients for the banquet. The Annual Banquet is scheduled for May 21, 1998 at the Wilkinson-Stumbo Convention Center at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. The keynote speaker for this year's event will be Cawood Ledford, former University of Kentucky Wildcat commentator.

Carla Coburn

This week the Chamber of Commerce is also preparing for next week's agenda of events. On Monday 16th; Chamber Executive Director, Carla S. Coburn and several representatives from our organization will participate in an informative session regarding Empower Kentucky "Skills Labor Bank." Our Executive Director was asked by Steve Allen, coordinator of the program, to organize the meeting for this pilot project of Floyd and Johnson counties. On Wednesday 18th the Chamber will host their seminar "How the Internet can help Local Business" in cooperation with KIH On-Line at the Mountain Arts Center. The registration fee is $15 for member businesses and $25 for non-members. This seminar is the first in a series of four this year, and will be sponsored in part by Hall & Clark Insurance Agency. On Thursday, the 19th Chamber Members will gather at the place of business of fellow member, WVA Electric on North Lake Drive in Prestonsburg for our March "Business After Hours". This event will give WVA Electric the opportunity to showcase their new business, and will allow our members an opportunity to network in a social setting. On Saturday, the 21st our Executive Director will represent our organization at the first annual Big Sandy River Basin Watershed Management Conference. The meeting will include dignitaries such as Congressman Hal Rogers and Secretary James Bickford. The Chamber of Commerce is proud to represent the 200+ members of our organization at events such as these, and is working to provide a quality service to the business community.

This week we welcome the following members who have dedicated their businesses as a part of our organization: Ousley Veterinary Clinic, McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, Hatton and Allen Insurance Agency. Our business organization is growing, and if your business would like to take advantage of our membership services as these members are doing, contact your Chamber of Commerce today at (606) 886-0364. We are "business helping business."

ARH appoints administrator in WVa

Appalachian Regional Healthcare (ARH) recently announced the appointment of Louis Roe as administrator of Man ARH Hospital in Man, West Virginia, effective April 20.

Roe will succeed Freda Napier, who has elected to take early retirement.

Roe has served as administrator at Wise ARH Hospital in Wise, Virginia, since November of 1996.

Roe, a native of Paintsville, joined ARH in 1992 as an administrative assistant at Middlesboro ARH Hospital in Middlesboro. In 1993 he became the facility's director of patient accounts.

He served as assistant administrator at Middlesboro until his appointment at Wise.

"We're delighted that Louis has accepted the administrator position in Man," said Willis Bultje, ARH's chief operating officer.

"We look forward to the contributions he will make to that facility and the community, building on the quality leadership demonstrated during Freda's administration."

Roe is a graduate of the University of Kentucky, where he earned a bachelor's degree in health care administration and a master's degree in business administration.

Appalachian Regional Healthcare is a private, not-for-profit health care system with hospitals, clinics, and other health services in Kentucky, Virginia, and West Virginia. Visit their Web site at http://www.arh.org.

Trans Financial announced agreement with Banc One Corp

Trans Financial Inc. (NASDAQ: TRFI) announced a signed, definitive agreement to purchase $154 million in deposits and $27 million in loans from Banc One Corp. (NYSE: One). The acquisition includes eight Banc One offices in Hopkins and Christian counties in Western Kentucky.

Terms of the acquisition agreement were not disclosed. The transaction is subject to regulatory approval and is expected to be completed in third quarter 1998.

Cotton states reports increase in earnings, dividends

Cotton States Life Insurance Company recently reported the most profitable year in its history. Earnings for the year were a record $6,304,558 or $.96 per share diluted ($.99 per share basic), a 30 percent increase over the 1996 earnings of $4,832,577, or $.74 per share diluted ($.76 per share basic).

Earnings for the fourth quarter increased 39 percent to $1,692,997, or $.26 per share diluted ($.27 per share basic), compared to $1,221,525, or $.18 per share diluted ($.19 per share basic). All per share amounts have been adjusted for the January 20, 1998 three-for-two stock split.

The Company also announced recently that the board of directors declared a 33 percent increase in the quarterly cash dividend to $.04 per share, payable on April 1, 1998 to stockholders of record on March 13, 1998.

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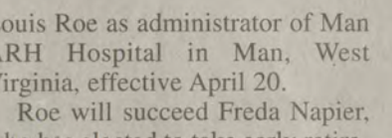
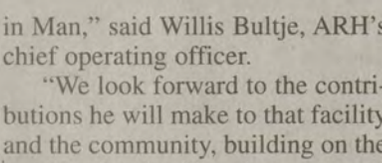
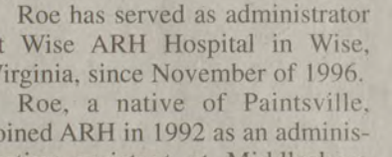

PRESTONSBURG—$91,120.00. 3-bedroom brick ranch with family room, equipped kitchen, carport, city conveniences, blacktop drive, chain-link fencing and a nice riverbank lot. PT-00112


BEE FORK (Abbott)—Reduced to $85,500.00. 3-bedroom split-level home with Wenco windows, garage convertible into family room, heated and cooled with a heat pump. 100±x100± lot. Call Shirley for more details or your appt. to see. RH-100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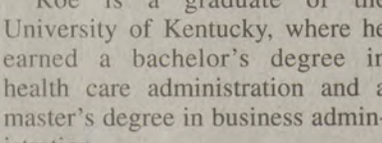
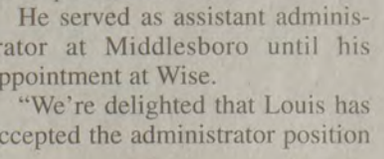
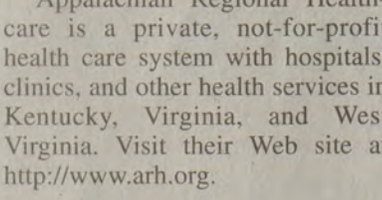

ARKANSAS CREEK—3-bedroom, 2-bath with equipped kitchen, central heat & air, vinyl siding and carport. Lots of updates on this property. Call for details. DC-0031


ALLEN INTERSECTION—$69,900.00. Nice 2-bedroom home with central heat & air, dining-kitchen combo, new shingle roof, masonite siding. Also, 29±x62± metal building. L-00101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PUBLIC INVITED!

The Big Sandy Area Development District Area Agency on Aging is submitting our area plan to the state and we would like to invite the public to a hearing to preview and discuss it. Meeting times are scheduled, March 24, 1998.

Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church	10:30 a.m.
Virgie/Douglas Senior Citizens Center	10:00 a.m.
Magoffin Co. Senior Citizens Center	10:00 a.m.
Prestonsburg Senior Citizens Center	7:00 p.m.

If you have any questions, please call, 606-886-2374. If you are unable to attend but would like to submit written comments, our address is 100 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

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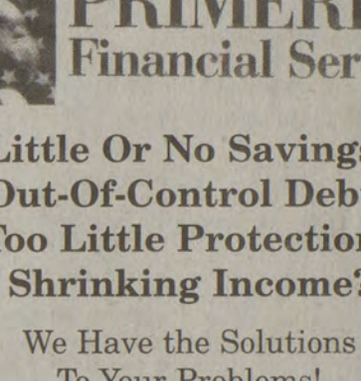

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Prestonsburg business is in need of an experienced person to fill an accountant position in its accounting department. Position requires a four - year accounting degree, hands -on experience with automated spreadsheets, automated general ledger systems and journal entries. Position also requires a proven work record in accuracy, the ability to work independently and detail/multi-task oriented. Interested applicants are requested to forward their resume, which should include education, salary, and work history, prior to Monday, March 16 to Assistant Controller, Accounting Dept., PO Box 271, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

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Legals

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5325, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Branham & Baker Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 271, 148 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 0.57 miles West of Wayland in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 3.87 surface acres and will underlie 739.85 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 743.72 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.61 miles West from KY Rt. 1086's junction with KY Rt. 7. The nearest stream is the Right Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37º 26' 46" and the longitude is 82º 49' 03."

The proposed operation is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by CONSOL of KENTUCKY, INC. The operation will underlie land owned by Ranson and Mary Marcum, Junior Martin, Jerome Messer, Tom Martin, Knott Floyd Land Company, Inc., and CONSOL of KENTUCKY, INC.

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. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following items will be offered at public sale on March 20, 1998 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed August 31, 1995:

1991 Buick Park Avenue, S/N 0319.

All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093 notice is hereby given that Blue Cat Sand Company, Inc., 427 Meadows Branch Road, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has applied for a Phase I bond release on Permit Number 836-8008 which was last issued on January 8, 1997. The application covers an area of approximately 2.29 surface acres, located on the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River, 0.6 mile southeast of State Route 1428's intersection in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.6 mile southeast of KY Route 1428's intersection with KY Route 3. The latitude is 37 degrees 40 minutes and 10 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 43 minutes and 29 seconds. And is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute Quadrangle map.

The bond now in effect for this permit is $10,000.00. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond in the amount of $6,000 is to be included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: establishment of vegetation and the approved post-mining land use plan.

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 Complex, Frankfort, KY 40601, by May 1, 1998, which is 30 days of the final advertisement of this application for bond release.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for May 4, 1998, at 1:00 p.m., at the Department for Surface Mining and Enforcement's Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by May 3, 1998.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This notice of intention on the part of Speedway SuperAmerica LLC, 3460 Blazer Parkway, Lexington, KY 40509 with officers: R.N. Yammine, 4100 Navajo Trail, Jamestown, OH, President; John F. Pettus, 2249 Abbeywood Road, Lexington, KY 40515, Vice President; Ralph B. Williams, 1441 Clear Springs Ct., Dayton, OH 45458, Secretary; Anthony R. Kenney, 1176 Quiet Brook Trail, Dayton, OH 45448, Treasurer; James Mills, HC 72 Box 167A, East Point, KY 41216, Area Manager, d.b.a. SuperAmerica #5588, Rt. 80, Martin, KY 41649, to apply for a retail beer license under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This notice of intention on the part of Ashland, Inc., 3499 Dabney Drive, Lexington, KY 40509 with officers: John F. Pettus, 2249 Abbeywood Road, Lexington, KY, President SuperAmerica Group, Senior Vice President, Ashland, Inc.; Thomas Feazell, 902 Edgewood Ave., Ashland, KY, Secretary; Paul W. Chellgren, 121 Stoneybrooke Drive, Ashland, KY, President; John W. Dansby, 280 Bellefonte Circle, Ashland, KY, Treasurer, James Mills, HC 72 Box 167A, East Point, KY 41216, Area Manager d.b.a. SuperAmerica #5566, 419 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, to apply for a retail beer license under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Douglas Coal Corporation, Route 1 Box 7, McDowell, Kentucky 41647, has applied for Phase III bond release on Permit Number 636-5023 which was last issued on January 15, 1997. The application covers an area of approximately 563.11 acres located 1.60 miles north of Ligon in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.25 mile west from KY 979's junction with Buckhorn Branch Road and located 0.01 mile north of Buckhorn Branch. The latitude is 37º 23' 32" and the longitude is 82º 40' 13."

The bond now in effect for this permit is a certificate of deposit in the amount of three thousand eight hundred dollars ($3,800.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of $14,300 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in October 1994.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by May 1, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Monday, May 4, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. This hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by May 1, 1998.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5259, Amendment #2

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 add 1.9 acres of surface disturbance making a total area of 451.90 acres within the amendment 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 miles north of Hoods Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees 26' 15" and 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 surface area is owned by David Akers.

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. 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.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Peter Fork Mining Company, P.O. Box 2666, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502 has applied for Phase I bond release on Increment No. 11 of Permit No. 898-0042 which was last issued on June 2, 1992. The application covers an area of approximately 9.61 acres located 0.3 miles south of Osborne in Floyd County.

The permit is approximately 0.4 miles south from KY 1426's junction with Cager Road and located 0.1 miles east of the Left Fork of Toler Creek. The latitude is 37º 28' 05". The longitude is 82º 35' 08".

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 11 is a Certificate of Deposit in the amount of twenty nine thousand two hundred dollars ($29,200.00). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of twenty nine thousand two hundred dollars ($29,200.00) is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Fall of 1995.

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 April 9th, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for April 14th, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office located at 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by April 9th, 1998.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5276, Renewal

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828, has applied for renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 0.78 miles southwest of Weeksbury in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 1.80 surface acres and will underlie 575.00 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 576.80 acres.

The proposed operation is located approximately 2.20 miles southwest from KY Route 466's junction with KY Route 122 and located 0.02 miles west of Left Fork of Left Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37º 19' 09" and the longitude is 82º 41' 56."

The proposed operation is located approximately 2.20 miles southwest from KY Route 466's junction with KY Route 122 and located 0.02 miles west of Left Fork of Left Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37º 19' 09" and the longitude is 82º 41' 56."

The proposed operation is located on the Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Clifford Tackett. The operation will underlie land owned by Progress Capital Holdings, Inc., Hobert Burke, Earl Johnson, C.L. Tackett, Willie Johnson, Clarence Johnson, Bertha Tackett, Della Cole, Albert Johnson, Billy Johnson, Frank Johnson, Earnest Burke, Causby Branham, Sage Vanderpool, R. Mullins and Clifford Tackett. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road KY Route 466. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road. The operation will involve relocation of a stream, the Left Fork of Beaver Creek.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5369

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, KY 41828, has applied for a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 0.8 mile northwest of Halo in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 2.18 surface acres and will overlie 409.72 acres and the total area within the permit boundary will be 411.90 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 2.4 miles northeast of the junction of Kentucky Highway 1498 and Kentucky Highway 7, and 0.2 miles east of Jacks Creek. The latitude is 37º 19' 05" and the longitude is 82º 44' 28."

The proposed operation is located on the Wheelwright and Kite U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Progress Land Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by Progress Land Corporation, Tilden Jones, Kathern Lea Johnson, Ova & Ann Johnson, Margie Hall, Carmel & Allene Hall, Margie Hall, Walter Burke, Burl J. Johnson, Olive Johnson, Fess & Minnie Hall, Foster Caudill, Patricia & Ethel Acosta, Edgel Scott, David Johnson, Ellis & Essif Hall, Virnus & Mae Isaacs, Fess & Minnie Hall, Jula Isaacs, Geneva Nadasdi, Uleyses S. Collins. The permit area is within 0' feet of State Route 1498.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093 notice is hereby given that Pen Coal Corporation, 415 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 (606-886-2330) intends to apply for Phase I Bond Releases for Increments No. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 on Permit No. 836-0241 which was last issued on June 23, 1997. The Increments cover surface areas, and underground areas as follows:

Increment No. 1: 18.52 surface acres, 0 underground acres; Increment No. 2: 8.77 surface acres, 0 underground acres; Increment No. 3: 26.17 surface acres, 0 underground acres; Increment No. 4: 48.39 surface acres, 4.53 underground acres; Increment No. 5: 26.44 surface acres, 0 underground acres.

The operation is located 0.5 mile north of Martin in Floyd County, and is approximately 0.15 mile east of Jarrell Fork and KY 80.

The latitude is 37º 35' 20" and the longitude is 82º 45' 00" and is located on the Martin and Harold 7 1/2 minute USGS quadrangle maps.

The performance bond (Surety) now in affect for the operation on each Increment is as follows:

Increment No. 1, $26,700; Increment No. 2, $20,600; Increment No. 3, $96,300; Increment No. 4, $172,100; Increment No. 5, $76,700.

Approximately 60% of these amounts is to be included in this application for release.

Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling and grading, sampling and testing, liming, fertilizing, seeding and mulching, and was completed in Spring 1995. Results thus far achieved include: initial establishment of vegetation in accordance with the approved post mining land use plan.

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 Complex, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by April 17, 1998.

A hearing date for this bond release request has been set for April 21, 1998 at 9:00 a.m., at the Department for Surface Mining and Enforcement's Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a hearing must be filed with the Director of the Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by April 17, 1998.

The scheduled public hearing will be canceled if the cabinet does not receive a request for the public hearing within thirty (30) days of the final advertisement, which is April 17, 1998.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828 has applied for Phase III Bond Release on Permit Number 836-5313 which was last issued on February 14, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 352.66 acres located 0.8 mile southeast of Abe's Fork of Left Fork of Beaver Creek near Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 0.8 mile southeast of the junction of KY 466 and Abe's Fork Road. The latitude is 37 degrees, 17 minutes, 23 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 42 minutes, 37 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5313 is a surety of $2,800. One hundred percent (100%) of the remainder of the original bond amount of $10,000 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Summer of 1992. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to revegetation plan.

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 April 24, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for April 27, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 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 April 24, 1998.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828 has applied for Phase III Bond Release on Permit Number 836-9018 which was last issued on December 20, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 4.84 acres located 0.7 mile southeast of Weeksbury in Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit are is approximately 0.7 mile southeast of the junction of KY 466 and Caleb Fork on Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 19 minutes, 17 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 40 minutes, 52 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-9018 is a surety of $1,800. One hundred percent of the remainder of the original bond amount of $16,500 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to revegetation plan.

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 April 24, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for April 27, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 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 April 24, 1998.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093 notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 415 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606-886-2330) intends to apply for a Phase II Bond Release on Increment No. 2 of Permit Number 836-5254 which was last issued on November 17, 1994. The Increment covers approximately 2.86 acres located 1.4 miles north of Teaberry in Floyd County.

The permit area is 0.40 mile south from KY 979's junction with the Akers Branch Road. The latitude is 37º 28' 34" and the longitude is 82º 38' 31" and is located on the McDowell 7 1/2 minute USGS quadrangle map.

The performance bond (Surety) now in effect for the Increment is $9,500.00. Approximately 80% of the original bond amount is to be included in this application for release.

Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling and grading, sampling and testing, liming, fertilizing, seeding and mulching, and was completed in Fall 1993. Results thus far achieved include: establishment of vegetation in accordance with the approved post mining land use plan.

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 Complex, Frankfort, KY 40601 by April 24, 1998.

A hearing date for this bond release has been set for April 27, 1998 at 1:00 p.m., at the Department for Surface Mining and Enforcement's Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by April 24, 1998.

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The following items will be offered at public sale on March 20, 1998 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed October 20, 1997:

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The "Facts on Saving and Investing Campaign" will kick-off with a week-long series of educational events in communities and schools from March 29 to April 4, including an Investors' Town Meeting to be held in Louisville on April 3, at the Galt House. Information about the campaign is available on the Internet at www.dfi.state.ky.us, <www.sec.gov.> and from a toll-free number at the SEC: 800-SEC-0330 and the DFI: 800 223-2579.

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As part of the campaign, securities regulators released a report recently that details how and why many Americans need to know about saving and investing. The report, Facts on Savings and Investing, is available on the internet at www.sec.gov. and can be ordered by calling 800-SEC-0330. The report highlights the following findings:

- Only 4 percent of investors believe they know "everything" they need to know to make good investment decisions. (Securities Industry Association poll)
- Approximately 65 million households in America will fail to realize one or more of their major life goals because they've failed to develop a comprehensive financial plan. (Consumer Federation of America/Nationsbank poll)
- Roughly three-quarters of all current workers have no idea regarding how much they need to save and accumulate for retirement. (Employee Benefit Research Institute poll)

The Kentucky effort is part of an international campaign that was detailed at a Washington, D.C., news conference recently by U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Chairman Arthur Levitt, North American Securities Administration Association President Denise Voigt-Crawford, Labor Department Assistant Secretary Olena Berg, and a broad-based coalition of government and financial service industry leaders, and consumer advocates.

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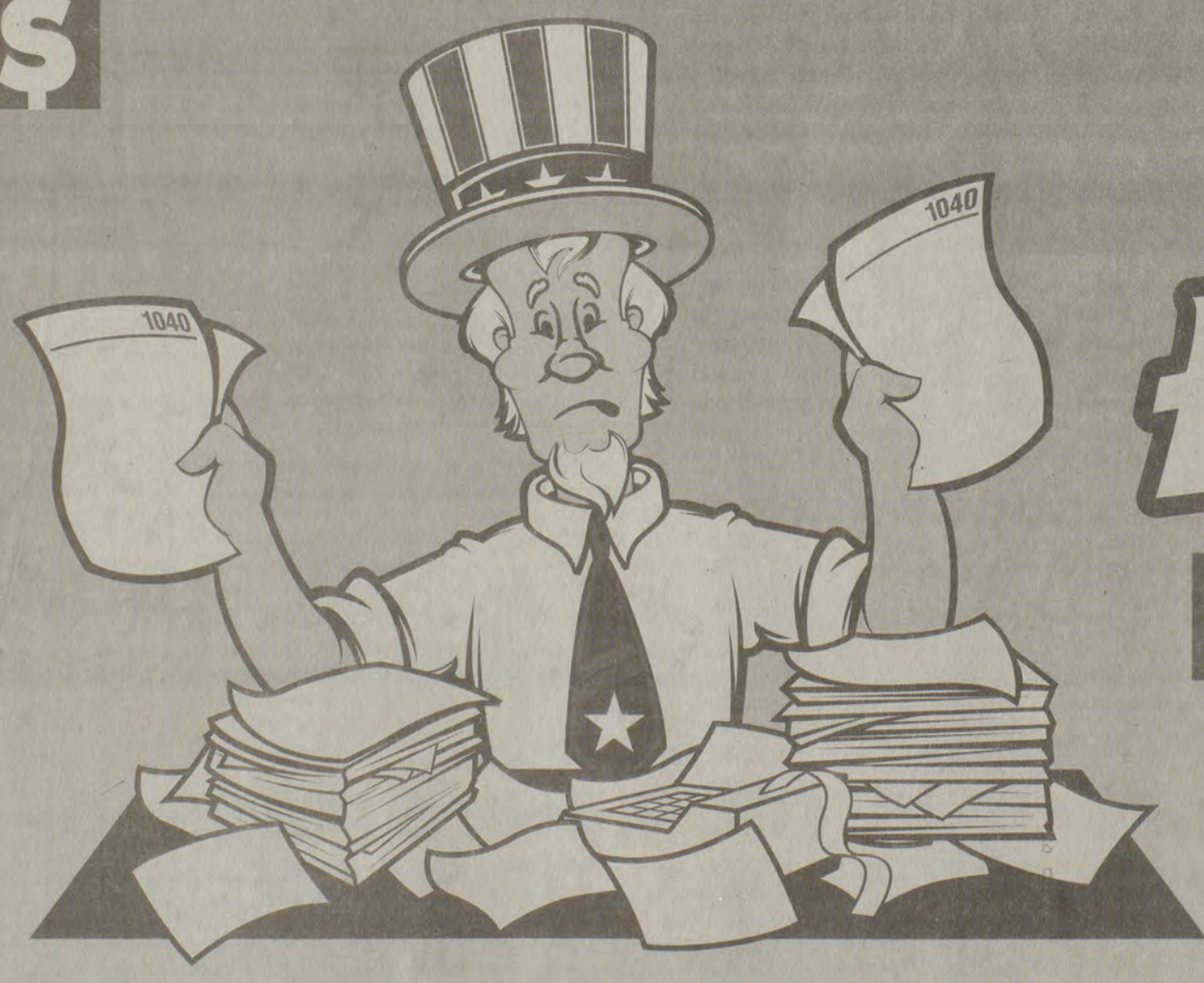

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'97 Mercury Sable - stk. #H106
'94 Oldsmobile Cutlass - stk. #H100
'94 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #H096
'95 GEO Tracker - stk. #HT090
'95 Chevy S10 - stk. #HT091

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'95 Dodge Intrepid - stk. #H092
'93 Chevy Camaro - stk. #H093
'95 Chevy Cavalier - stk. #H094
'92 BMW 325i - stk. #HT048A
'95 Toyota Tacoma - stk. #4859P
'95 Toyota 4x2 X-Cab Pickup - stk. #4860P
'96 Ford Taurus - stk. #4861P
'94 Toyota Camry - stk. #4845T
'94 Ford F-150 - stk. #4841T
'95 Chevy Lumina - stk. #H086
'96 Chevy Corsica - stk. #H087
'94 Geo Tracker - stk. #HT079
'97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #T1560B
'94 Chevy Blazer - stk. #T1519B
'96 Chevy Corsica - stk. #H072
'95 Mercury Mystique - stk. #H073
'97 Ford Mustang - stk. #H074
'97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #H077
'96 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #H070
'92 Toyota Pickup - stk. #GT677A
'94 Toyota Pickup - stk. #T1483A
'95 Ford Windstar - stk. #4812P
'92 Toyota 4x4 Pickup - stk. #4789T
'94 Chevy Camaro - stk. #4785T
'91 Ford F-150 - stk. #HT062
'95 Dodge Intrepid - stk. #H064
'96 Nissan - stk. #HT066
'97 Dodge Intrepid - stk. #H067'
'97 Dodge Intrepid - stk. #H068
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #H054
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #H055
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #H056
'97 Mercury Cougar - stk. #H052
'96 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #T1337A
'95 Pontiac Trans Sport - stk. #4775P
'95 Olds Acheiva - stk. #4776P
'95 Dodge Caravan - stk. #4771P
'96 Toyota 4x2 - stk. #4772P
'94 Nissan 4x4 pickup - stk. #4767P
'96 Dodge Caravan - stk. #HT036
'97 Chevy Monte Carlo - stk. #H037
'93 Mazda MX6 - stk. #H040
'95 Mazda 626 - stk. #H041
'95 Pontiac Grand AM - stk. #H033
'96 Ford F150 - stk. #H034A
'93 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #HT028
'95 Ford Ranger - stk. #T1534A
'97 Mazda 626 - stk. #GT682A
'96 Chevy Monte Carlo - stk. #H025
'97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #H021
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #H022
'97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #H023
'96 Mazda 626 - stk. #H014
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #H017
'95 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #H003
'97 Mitsubishi Mirage - stk. #H005
'97 Mitsubishi Mirage - stk. #H006
'97 Mitsubishi Mirage - stk. #H007
'97 Mazda 626 - stk. #T1480A
'96 Plymouth Breeze - stk. #4733P
'94 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #4726P
'96 Ford Ranger 4x2 XLT - stk. #4727P
'96 Chevy S-10 x-cab - stk. #4698T
'94 Toyota Tacoma 4x4 - stk. #4693T
'94 Chrysler Town & Country - stk. #T1532A
'94 Olds Cutlass - stk. #4673T
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G685
'94 Chevy Z34 - stk. #M1099A
'97 Toyota Tercel - stk. #4665P
'94 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #4647P
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G678
'91 Ford X-Cab 4x4 - stk. #GT676
'93 Ford Aerostar - stk. #GT670
'92 Ford F-150 - stk. #GT498B
'97 Mazda B2300 - stk. #JO263A
'97 Nissan Sentra - stk. #G656
'97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #G657
'97 Olds Cutlass - stk. #G653
'94 Chevy S-10 - stk. #4605P
'93 Dodge Dakota - stk. #GT641
'94 Mercury Grand Marquis - stk. #G643
'95 Dodge Dakota - stk. #GT645
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G634
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G635

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'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G637
'94 Nissan - stk. #4170PA
'94 Ford Ranger - stk. #GT628
'96 Olds Cutlass - stk. #G627
'95 Toyota Corolla - stk. #G624
'97 Olds Achieva - stk. #G625
'93 Ford Ranger - stk. #GT620
'97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G614
'98 Mercury Mystique - stk. #G606
'96 Chevy S10 - stk. #GT602
'96 Chevy Beretta - stk. #G599
'96 Mitsubishi Galant - stk. #G591
'93 Chevy Lumina Z34 - stk. #G592
'95 Pontiac Grand Prix - stk. #G593
'96 Ford Ranger 4x2 - stk. #4541P
'96 Toyota 4x2 - stk. #4542P
'92 Chevy Blazer - stk. #GT552A
'97 Toyota T-4x2 X-cab - stk. #4491P
'94 Mercury Cougar - stk. #4489P
'92 Chevy Blazer - stk. #GT319A
'92 Ford F-150 - stk. #G428B
'95 Toyota T-100 Pickup - stk. #T377
'94 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1255A
'94 Ford Taurus - stk. #435
'97 Plymouth Breeze - stk. #4474P
'94 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #S476
'95 Chevy Camaro - stk. #483
'95 Ford Ranger - stk. #T1447A
'92 Ford Mustang - stk. #T1345A
'97 Ford Contour - stk. #G533
'97 Ford Contour - stk. #G540
'95 Ford Mustang - stk. #3905T
'96 Ford Windstar - stk. #4150P
'95 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #4164P
'95 Chrysler Cirrus - stk. #4179P
'94 Honda Accord - stk. #4222P
'96 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #4250P
'96 Olds Ciera - stk. #4316P
'93 Toyota T-100 4x4 - stk. #4470P
'95 Pontiac Sunfire - stk. #4471P
'93 GMC G1500 Sierra 4x2 - stk. #4361T
'95 Toyota Ts 4x4 - stk. #4378T
'94 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #4398T
'95 Olds Achieva - stk. #4400P
'96 Chevy Corsica - stk. #4401P
'96 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #4403P
'95 Ford Taurus - stk. #4408P
'97 Mercury Cougar - stk. #H044

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'94 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #4917T
'96 Pontiac Grand Prix - stk. #H140
'96 Ford F-150 - stk. #HT138
'96 Jeep Cherokee - stk. #HT129
'95 Nissan Pathfinder - stk. #HT130
'95 Chevy S-10 Blazer - stk. #4897P
'97 Chevy Monte Carlo - stk. #4890P
'97 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4884P
'97 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4885P
'97 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4886P
'97 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4887P
'97 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4882P
'97 KIA Sportage - stk. #G240A
'94 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1540A
'95 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1574A
'96 Chevy Camaro - stk. #H101
'95 GMC Jimmy - stk. #HT095
'95 Toyota Avalon - stk. #4844T
'96 Chevy S-10 Blazer - stk. #4837P
'94 Toyota 4x2 X-Cab - stk. #4824P
'95 Buick Park Avenue - stk. #H084
'95 Jeep Grand Cherokee - stk. #4814P
'96 Ford F-150 - stk. #HT058
'97 Ford Crown Victoria - stk. #H060
'94 Ford Explorer - stk. #J0349A
'97 Pontiac Firebird - stk. #4759P
'95 Jeep Cherokee - stk. #HT049
'96 Ford F150 - stk. #HT043
'98 Ford Windstar - stk. #HT031
'94 Jeep Cherokee - stk. #G379A
'94 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1490A
'97 Ford Crown Vic - stk. #H020
'95 Toyota Pickup 4x4 - stk. #4697T

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'94 Chevy X-cab - stk. #GT687
'95 Toyota Tacoma 4x4 - stk. #4679T
'95 Jeep Grand Cherokee - stk. #GT683
'94 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #4668P
'97 Toyota Camry - stk. #4661P
'97 Toyota Camry - stk. #4663P
'94 Toyota 4-Runner - stk. #4645T
'94 GMC 4x4 - stk. #GT675
'96 Ford Explorer - stk. #GT666
'98 Ford Windstar - stk. #GT662
'96 Toyota Tacoma - stk. #4589T
'98 Ford Windstar - stk. #GT638
'94 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1303A
'96 Pontiac Grand Prix - stk. #G600
'95 Mazda Millenia - stk. #G595
'96 Jeep - stk. #GT590
'94 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #4544P
'96 Ford F-150 4x4 - stk. #4539P
'95 Dodge Ram Van Conv. - stk. #4529T
'95 Nissan Truck - stk. #GT470A
'96 Mazda B4000 - stk. #4397TA
'94 GMC Jimmy - stk. #GT583
'95 Ford Mustang - stk. #G365
'96 Mercury Marquis - stk. #381
'95 Ford Explorer - stk. #GT495
'95 Ford F150 - stk. #GT508
'96 Toyota Camry - stk. #G52
'97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #3896P
'96 Dodge Intrepid 4dr. - stk. #4476P
'94 Toyota T-100 4x4 - stk. #4472P
'95 Jeep Cherokee - stk. #T1397A
'97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #4105P
'97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #4107P
'97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #4108P
'93 Ford E140 Conversion Van - stk. #4133P
'96 Toyota Camry LE - stk. #4288P
'94 Toyota T 4x4 RC DLX - stk. #4334T
'96 Ford Mustang GT - stk. #4354P
'95 Chevy Blazer LS - stk. #4431T

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'97 Chevy Blazer - stk. #HT132
'97 Pontiac Grand Prix - stk. #4895T
'96 Cadillac - stk. #H123
'96 Ford Mustang Cobra - stk. #H108
'97 Ford F-150 - stk. #T1517A
'97 Ford F-150 - stk. #T1556A
'96 Lincoln Mark VIII - stk. #H057
'96 Chevy 4x4 - stk. #HT032
'95 Toyota 4-Runner - stk. #4744T
'95 Mitsubishi 3000GT - stk. #H010
'97 Mitsubishi Diamante - stk. #H011
'97 Mitsubishi Montero - stk. #HT012
'95 Chevy Tahoe - stk. #GT686
'96 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1459A
'97 Toyota Camry - stk. #4456P
'97 Toyota Camry - stk. #4457P
'97 Toyota Camry - stk. #4460P
'97 Toyota Camry - stk. #4468P
'97 Toyota Avalon - stk. #4469P
'96 Ford F-150 - stk. #GT395
'96 Chevy C1500 - stk. #GT475
'95 Olds Aurora - stk. #G501
'95 Chevy C1500 4x4 - stk. #4420P
'95 Chevy C1500 4x4 - stk. #G2516

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'96 Toyota 4-Runner - stk. #4932P
'97 Toyota 4-Runner - stk. #4888P
'97 Lincoln Town Car - stk. #H118
'97 Toyota 4-Runner - stk. #4866P
'94 Lexus 400LS - stk. #739A
'97 Lincoln Town Car - stk. #H053
'97 Chevy C1500 - stk. #632A1
'96 Ford Explorer - stk. #GT669
'96 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1491A
'96 Ford Explorer - stk. #GT659
'97 Ford Expedition - stk. #GT649
'97 Toyota Avalon XL - stk. #4255P
'97 Ford F-150 - stk. #GT478

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