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Briefs

ACHS student breaks glass

An Allen Central High School student caused a ruckus yesterday when he reportedly broke the glass in an entry door. But Principal Patty Maynard said the incident is deemed an accident because the student did not intend to break the panel. She said the student, a senior, was angry with his parent who was at the school with him. As they were leaving the school, the student apparently slammed against the door to open it, breaking the glass. Maynard said the damage was not enough to warrant an insurance claim and the family has agreed to pay for the glass replacement. She added that the student will receive in-school suspension. The Floyd County Sheriff's Department responded to the incident, which occurred about 12:30 p.m.

Spring break

Morehead State University will be closed for spring break next week, March 15-19. Office hours and classes resume March 22 at 8 a.m. Included in the closing is the Big Sandy campus in Prestonsburg. Also on spring break will be Prestonsburg Community College students; however, administrative offices will remain open.

JWT award offered

Jenny Wiley Theatre is accepting applications for its \$500 Henry A. Campbell Memorial Scholarship. The winner, who must demonstrate a commitment to study in the performing arts, will be announced at the opening of the theatre's 35th season. Application deadline is 5 p.m., Friday, March 26, followed by auditions on March 29. The application packet must include a letter from the applicant, personal essay, three letters of recommendations, resume/portfolio, and a photograph. Students from Floyd and 10 other area counties are eligible for the award which honors the late theatre patron and college president. For information, call 606/886-9274.

Cleanup alert

In cooperation with the PRIDE and Floyd County Spring Cleanup, Prestonsburg Community College will sponsor a riverbank cleanup on Monday, March 22, from 2 to 4 p.m. Gov. Paul Patton, US Congressman Hal Rogers and state Natural Resources Cabinet Secretary James Bickford, along with faculty, students and Dr. Deborah Floyd, president, are expected to participate. Call Jean Dorton or Tom Vierheller at 886-3863, ext. 350 and 316, respectively.

Writer to speak at PCC

Fiction writer James Alan Riley will speak tonight at 7 at Prestonsburg Community College.

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Local author has a true sense of place

by Pam Shingler
Editor

He's originally from New York, but he knows more about Kentucky than probably anyone else in the state.

In fact, when it comes to Kentucky communities, past and present, Robert Rennick wrote the book — literally. He's the author of the popular *Kentucky Place Names*, first published by the University Press of Kentucky in 1984 and in continuous print since.

Rennick, who has lived in a modest home on Riverside Drive in Prestonsburg for almost three decades, is also the author of a dozen or so other books and countless articles in scholarly, historical and popular journals.

He's also been interviewed and written about by a fair number of other writers, and, this Saturday, he'll be featured on Byron Crawford's "Kentucky Life" on Kentucky Educational Television (KET). The segment, filmed at Mousie, is part of a two-hour program to promote KET's fund-raising season.

Crawford, no doubt, chose Mousie because the community with the colorful name is one of the thousands mentioned in Rennick's book of place names, each entry giving a pronunciation guide, the precise location, and facts or theories about the origin of the name.

Rennick's interest in place names goes back at least to 1960 when he was teaching at Berea College. It continued while he taught in Indiana and then at Prestonsburg Community College in the late 1960s and early '70s. The interest was buoyed when the sociologist went to work for the state in what was then called the Cabinet for Human Resources, traveling throughout the state to license and regulate child care and other health agencies.

Overnight stays with evenings free gave him the opportunity to do research in libraries and to interview local residents about how communities got their names. The *Kentucky Place Names* book, along with *From Red Hot to Monkey's Eyebrow*, is the result of a couple decades

of traveling up hollows, over rutted, dirt roads and beside creeks and rivers. "I chose to spend the money on traveling that others would spend on booze and women," says Rennick with a closed-mouth, impish grin. He retired from the public service job in 1997 and has found his time even more filled than before, as he devotes nearly all of his time to research and writing. He's doing a series of books on post offices, going by development districts. He's on the Big Sandy now, with the FIVCO region, north of here, at press.

Soon to be published is a book on personal names, another object of the author's curiosity. Rennick points out that, in the Middle Ages, people commonly gave the same name to several of their children.

Rennick has made some curious finds in his research. Of more than 100,000 communities that exist or have existed in Kentucky, only about 15 have names that are unique to this state.

For instance, you'll find a Rabbit Hash (Boone County) in half the other states, he says. Something as strange as Tyewhoppety (Todd County) can also be found in Missouri and Ohio.

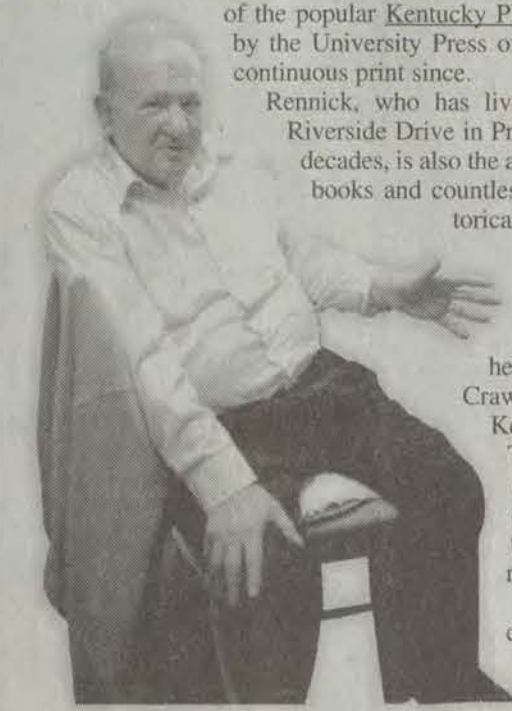
Rennick has found a Mousie in no other state, nor has he found a Thealka (Johnson County) anywhere else, nor a Thousandsticks (Leslie County), nor a Black Gnat (Taylor County).

He has not found another community called Eighty-eight (Barren County), but he says more than 250 places in Kentucky have number names, usually denoting how many miles from another place.

Rennick says Kentucky and more than a dozen other states have communities named Sodom after the Biblical sin city. Half as many also have places named Gomorrah, the evil twin city.

He says he's always been interested in maps, but to do the type of research he does, he must go to a community and talk with the people there.

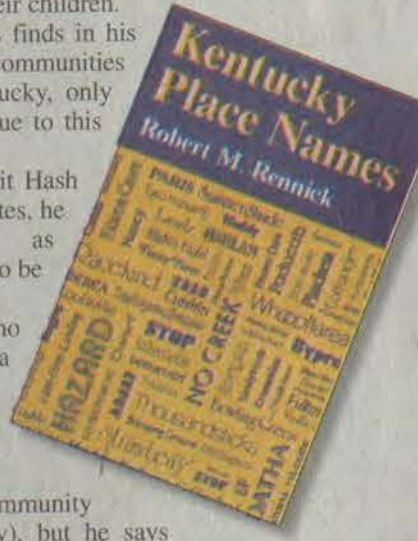
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Mousie (Knott): mow/see. This village with po is centered ... at the mouth of Ball Branch of Jones Fork of Right Beaver Creek, 6-1/2 mi ne of Hindman... po est July 31, 1916, some 2 mi up the fork with Ollie M. Gibson, pm, and named for Mousie (Mrs. Mart) Gibson, the daughter of Clay Martin, a large landowner of that area. The po was later moved ... but retained the name. According to Mrs. Gibson, ... her own name was suggested by her grandfather, W.J. Martin, since she had an older sister named Kitty.

Brandy Keg ... According to tradition, some early traveler lost a keg of brandy somewhere in the vicinity. The name was recorded on old maps as "Cag," suggestive of the old pronunciation.

Emma ... The rr station was originally known as Woods Station, probably for a Cow Creek family, and was at one time nicknamed Wild Hog Station as a resident is alleged to have been accused of stealing hogs from his neighbors.



Cleaning up on 404



Students on spring break from five colleges helped students of The David School and community members clean up this week along KY 404. They cleared materials from the old school and picked up roadside garbage for road crews to transport to the Garth Hollow transfer station. The group hoped to remove 100 tons of trash from David to the top of David Hill at the Magoffin County line. The volunteers — about 75 in all — are from Notre Dame University in Indiana, St. Ambrose University in Iowa, Edgewood and Viterbo colleges in Wisconsin, and Virginia Tech. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Jail expansion examined

by Pam Shingler
Editor

Floyd County may be getting out of the juvenile detention business. Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson is "looking into" shutting down the local juvenile facility and using the space to expand the county jail capacity. The move would save the county an estimated \$400,000 a year.

The change would allow the jail to house up to 90 more inmates, bringing the maximum total population to between 240 and 250, according to Jailer Roger Webb.

The juvenile detention center is approved for 22 detainees, all of whom are under 18 years of age, according to a center employee.

Both the jail and the juvenile center accept state referrals. Webb said about 35 percent of the adult inmates are from Floyd County or are imprisoned as a result of action by local courts. On Wednesday of this week, only one of the juveniles at the center was from Floyd County.

Webb said the state pays the county \$25.62 per day to house inmates from other counties. This and assorted other fees bring about \$1 million into the county each year, he said. The county, however, has to absorb the cost of housing adults sentenced in district court, as well as local juveniles.

Thompson said the county has to come up with between \$600,000 and \$700,000 to cover the rest of

the jail operational costs. If the changeover occurs, the additional inmates could bring an estimated \$900,000 more into the county from the state corrections operation. Thompson said the county stands to net around \$400,000 from the expansion, which could cut the county's jail expenses substantially and re-direct the savings to water and sewer projects and roads.

Webb said that although some inmates are being held temporarily until they are transferred to state prisons, the local jail can hold minimum security state prisoners up to five years.

The jail and the juvenile deten-

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In special session...

Commission votes to give away pool

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

The Wheelwright City Commission met in special session Wednesday night to handle two time-sensitive items: a police ordinance and the status of the Wheelwright swimming pool.

Wheelwright, as well as other cities in Kentucky that are getting money from the Kentucky Law Enforcement Program (KLEP) and other grants, is being asked to

provide an ordinance officially creating a police department with its grant applications.

Many cities, including Wheelwright, do not have such an ordinance and have to prepare one.

The commission used the ordinance from Inez, a Martin County city comparable in size to Wheelwright, as a model to prepare its ordinance. Basically, the ordinance creates a police department that will be managed by the city commission.

In adopting a resolution to turn the operation of the city swimming

pool over to the county, the commission could possibly have saved itself more than \$6,000. The city lost that much last year operating the pool.

Commission member Don Hall said the resolution should ensure that the pool would continue to be operated. Hall said that any time the fiscal court does not operate the pool, ownership should return to the city. He asked that clause be put in the resolution.

Mayor Marlee Samons said such

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Bus barely misses crash

On Tuesday, an 18-wheel tractor-trailer ran a Floyd County school bus off the road at Price as it was on its way to South Floyd and Osborne Elementary schools.

According to Osborne Elementary teacher Jeff Castle, who was following the bus, the tractor-trailer was taking most of the road as it entered the steep Cephus Moore curve just below Tackett's BP station at Hi Hat.

John Stumbo, the bus driver, left the road and went into a ditch to avoid contact. Castle then tried to stop, but slick roads caused his car to crash into the bus.

Castle said Stumbo did a good job of avoiding a collision. No students were injured, and the bus suffered minimal damage.

Castle, who said he has temporarily parked his car, estimates damage at about \$300.

The incident is being investigated by Kentucky State Police.



The tables were turned yesterday as Floyd County Sheriff John K. Blackburn was calling friends and associates to bail him out of jail during the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) Lock-Up. He makes calls as WYMT-TV reporter Abby Miller films him. Miller quipped earlier, "I shot the sheriff." Sharon and Tim Johnson organized the event to raise money to be used in the fight against the disease. Sharon and her two children suffer from one of the 40 diseases that MDA covers. Next to Blackburn is Aleshia Salisbury who raised enough money to be released from jail. (photo by Willie Elliott)



Fire Marshal Larry Adams of the Prestonsburg Fire Department discusses techniques in determining the origin and extent of damage of a fire at Prestonsburg Community College criminal investigation students listen and take notes. The students used the recent accidental fire at the city garage to practice their arson investigation skills. (photo by Willie Elliott)

PCC class investigates arson

by Scott Williamson
Student Writer

The criminal investigation class at Prestonsburg Community College recently completed a unit in arson investigation, in which students studied methods of conducting a criminal arson investigation, as well as effective techniques used by law enforcement agencies to apprehend suspects.

Students also became familiar with equipment and procedures used to obtain evidence at the scene of arson.

Corrections:

The University of Kentucky instructor named in the photograph with Lem Meade of the Mud Creek Senior Citizens Center was listed as Trina Bentley. The name should have read Trina Rogers. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

The John D. Click, 29, son of Kay and Monroe Click of Prestonsburg, is not the John D. Click, 21, listed in a recent edition of the Floyd County Times as being charged with driving under the influence.

Michael Dixon, coordinator of PCC's Law Enforcement Technology Program, instructed the class about the importance of crime scene preservation, communication between investigating agencies, and creating an effective, accurate, concise police report.

Dixon is former chief of the Saint Andrews University Police Department in Laurinberg, North Carolina.

The class also heard from Barry McKenzie, retired Kentucky State Police arson investigator, and Larry Adams, fire marshal for the City of Prestonsburg.

Adams and McKenzie provided information about determining a fire's point of origin, burn patterns at the fire scene, forensic analysis of arson evidence, witness interrogation, and crime scene photography.

Adams also invited the students to visit the city's compacting facility which recently suffered acciden-

tal fire damage.

With Adams' assistance, the students treated the scene as arson, and students were able to observe the structure's burn patterns, determine the fire's point of origin, and collect evidence at the scene. Adams explained how he would have investigated if the fire had been a criminal arson.

McKenzie and Adams both spoke about opportunities for employment as an arson investigator in law enforcement and in the private sector. Jobs exist within the state police and with county and municipal agencies, they said, as well as in state and federal agencies.

Many insurance agencies employ fire investigators to examine the circumstances of a fire in relation to insurance claims, and private investigation companies use trained investigators to aid in their examinations of fire scenes, the speakers added.

Briefs

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Professor of English at Pikeville College, Riley recently won an Al Smith Fellowship Award, offered by the Kentucky Arts Council. The program will be in the Pike

Auditorium and is free and open to the public.

Public meetings

- 911 Executive Board, 10 a.m., Tourism Building
- Floyd County Board of Education, special meeting, Monday, 6 p.m., Adams Middle School. Agenda items: superintendent search, architect approval, honor choir trip, van bids, girls volleyball, postage meter lease, shortened school day for student, executive session
- Floyd County Conservation District, Tuesday, 1 p.m., District Office
- Prestonsburg City Utilities, Tuesday, 7 p.m., PCUC office (corrected date)
- Wheelwright City Commission, Thursday, 6 p.m., City Hall
- Wayland City Commission, Thursday, 7 p.m., City Hall
- Floyd County Fiscal Court, Friday, March 19, 10 a.m., Fiscal Courtroom



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Commission

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a clause would be included. Samons said the move to turn the pool over to the fiscal court was "one of the best moves we have made."

The terms of the resolution must be accepted by the fiscal court, which meets next Friday.

The subject of gas prices was discussed again. Hall asked that the city be included on a Wheelwright Utilities Commission agenda on Tuesday. Hall said he had received several calls about increases in gas prices.

Samons reminded Hall and the commission that there would not be an increase in prices. The commission would simply be asking customers to pay the same price the city pays for the gas. As it is now, the commission loses money on all gas used because it charges customers less than it pays.

Samons reminded everyone that Gov. Paul Patton will be in Prestonsburg on Monday. One of the projects Patton will announce is a \$300,000 water grant for Wheelwright, Samons said.

The regular commission meeting will be March 18.

Jail

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tion center are physically separated, and Webb said they will need to be connected if the center is merged with the jail. "It is my understanding," he said, "that if the juvenile center is turned into an adult facility, the county is going to try to connect it to this building."

He said a rear exit of the jail is about 25 feet from the juvenile center, making it fairly easy to construct an enclosed passageway.

Margie Osborne, director of the juvenile detention center, plans to retire this summer, which would further facilitate the move. About 14 persons work at the center. Webb said the jail has about 27 employees now.

Webb said if the merger is approved, juveniles who are removed from their homes or who must be incarcerated will go to youth facilities in Johnson, Pike or Breathitt counties.

Thompson called the Breathitt County facility "a model facility" and estimated transporting and housing juveniles there would cost the county about \$90,000 a year.

A representative of the state Department of Corrections was at the juvenile detention center this week to see if it could be transformed into an adult facility.



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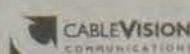
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Author

"I go to places and ask the people what they remember," the soft-spoken, gesturing scholar explains. "I've found a lot of names on maps are not how places are known to the locals."

Rennick estimates that 80 percent of places he's studied have had other names. Every major stream, likewise, has been known by another name. The Big Sandy River, for instance, has had several names given by white men and even more by the native Americans who came through the area.

He says the American Indians never named anything permanently because they didn't believe land should be owned. Further, they often attached names to different parts of streams, based often on something that may have happened there, Rennick says.

HUEYSVILLE (also called *Bosco*) ... named for a Mr. Huey (perhaps Robert S. Huey, a Pennsylvania-born clerk who is listed in the 1850 census of Floyd Co.) From 1887 to 1889, when Mike Staley was pm, the po was known as Mike. A short distance away, another po called *Bosco*, for reasons now unknown, operated from 1902 to 1916 when its papers were transferred to Hueysville. To this point in 1914 the Elk Horn & Beaver Valley (now C&O) Ry extended its line and est the *Bosco* Station.

"Post offices are a good starting point for the type of name research Rennick does. The postal service, he says, maintains records of postmasters, the date of establishment or discontinuance, and site location reports. The latter asked how far a proposed post office was from other post offices, from railroad stations, from the nearest creek or river and so forth.

MSU Spring Fund Drive

WMKY-FM 90.3, Morehead State's public radio in the mountains, will hold its Spring Fund Drive, Monday, March 22, through Sunday, March 28.

Offering an unduplicated public radio service to this rural region allows WMKY to serve as one place where many communities may connect for a lively and diverse array of entertainment, information and music that is educationally and culturally useful.

The listener is the most important connection that keeps the station going, according to Gordon Nichols, WMKY station manager. "The dollar commitment from our listeners and underwriters has a direct bearing on the grants received annually from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting. The CPB looks at the number of listeners and the amount they give each year."

The entire grant amount goes toward the purchase of programs from National Public Radio, Nichols said.

"Morehead State University invests a substantial amount of money into our operation, and support of this station can never be applauded enough," Nichols added. The station is a part of the university's marketing program. Each semester, about 25 students are employed, gaining valuable experience in the field of broadcasting.

Ratings indicate that WMKY listeners have increased the number of hours each week that they tune in, Nichols said. "They depend on the news, information and entertainment that the station provides."

To pledge financial support to WMKY, call 1-800-286-9659 or 606/783-2001; mail a check, payable to WMKY Fund, to Palmer Development House, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY 40351. Credit cards will be accepted.

The location reports, he cautions, are not gospel. "Some of the entries were guesses, roads have changed, communities have withered."

Floyd County, he points out, has had more than 120 post offices, most now extinct.

Rennick is a critic of most map-makers, state and federal. Too often, he says, they don't update, retaining communities that have long ceased to exist, ignoring name changes, and not adding new places.

"I keep making the point that names change, because people change. There's always going to be new things, mines, mills, roads, wharfs, landings, cemeteries, churches, schools," he emphasizes.

The point is graphically made in the fact that Rennick and his wife have had six address changes in the 29 years they've lived at the same residence.

STANVILLE ... originally called *Mare Creek* for the stream... It has been said that the stream was originally *Marrow Creek*, a name alleged to have been applied by the early *Strattons* for the large quantities of cracked bison marrowbones they had seen lying about its banks... When in 1960 residents objected to the rusticity of the name *Mare Creek* for their po, they succeeded in getting it changed to *Stanville*, honoring a local resident and former Floyd Co. sheriff and judge, *Robert E. Stanley*.

The researcher's work in place

names began officially in 1969 when he became involved with the National Committee to Study Place Names. Each state was asked to do a thorough search of its own locations, using volunteers, and Rennick was tapped to lead the Kentucky exploration.

He also serves on the national Board of Geographic Names, a part of the Department of Interior's Geologic Survey, and chairs the Kentucky affiliate, the Committee for Geographic Names. Persons who want to name a place for the record submit a petition to the committee, which researches the proposal to alert for duplicates and to make sure the request is valid and then may or may not recommend the name to the national committee.

Rennick says there are up to seven million place names in the country.

Prestonsburg is the place the Rennicks have opted to stay, even after his travels and study of other places. In fact, he says one of the reasons he chose to retire in 1997 was because he was about to be transferred to Lexington.

Truth is, the idea of moving from the house which disguises a library was probably too daunting. The house is almost literally insulated by books, from a closed-in front porch on back.

Rennick estimates he has more than 40,000 volumes, lined on shelves from floor to ceiling in most of the rooms. Yet, he insists he still falls short of the number of personal volumes amassed by for-

mer University of Kentucky librarian Lawrence Thompson, by whom Rennick was challenged in his own collecting.

WAYLAND ... named for then *US Sen. Clarence Wayland Watson* ... of *West Virginia*, president of *Consolidation Coal Co.* and later president and chairman of the *Elk Horn Coal Co.* ... Within *Wayland's* western city limits lies part of the coal town of *Glo*, named by and for the local *Glogora Coal Co.*, whose names is said to have been coined from those of some of the female relatives of company officials.

Rennick's hours on the road and at his desk have not lessened since his retirement. "I'm working harder now," he says, "more hours, more mental work."

His research, which has turned from avocation to vocation, is his own way of contributing to society. "It helps me to know I'm contributing, giving people information they didn't know before," he says, his hands moving in rhythm with his words.

What he would like to do now, he says, is interest other people in similar research, particularly young people.

KET's *Kentucky Life*, which includes the segment on the Prestonsburg researcher and writer, airs from 8 to 10 p.m. Saturday, March 13.



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Viewpoint

Quote of the week...

The love of money is the mother of all evil.

—Phocylides

Friday, March 12, 1999 A4

Editorial

Sweepstakes backlash

It is no coincidence that one year after American Family Publishers agreed to tone down the language of its sweepstakes letters, as part of a legal settlement with the attorneys general of 32 states, its sales of new magazine subscriptions are down 30 percent.

Also not coincidentally, new subscriptions through Publishers Clearinghouse, American Family Publishers' closest rival, are also down 30 percent over the past year. That indicates the negative publicity that American Family Publishers received for its misleading practices has adversely affected the entire sweepstakes industry.

That is a fitting development. Indeed, the satirical journalist H.L. Mencken could very well have had the sweepstakes industry in mind when he cynically noted that "no one ... has ever lost money by underestimating the intelligence of the great masses of the plain people."

In fact, sweepstakes companies like American Family Publishers and Publishers Clearinghouse actually market-tested the language included in their mailings precisely to induce plain people to buy magazine subscriptions they really did not want, in hopes of winning some prize.

Lamentably, a disproportionate number of these plain people are poor and elderly Americans, whom the sweepstakes industry finds the most susceptible, and who can least afford to pay for so many magazine subscriptions.

Sweepstakes companies argue in their defense that no purchase is required in order to participate in their drawings — as stipulated by federal law.

But it takes a discerning consumer to figure this out from their mailings.

Even though American Family Publishers and other sweepstakes companies say they have toned down their language, their mailings still border on deception. The pitch begins with the envelopes, which almost never plainly state that it's a sweepstakes mailing. Rather, they are marked Registered Documents Enclosed or Personal and Confidential.

Once the unsuspecting consumer has opened the envelope and discovered there really are no registered documents enclosed, they are baited with an enticing pitch that goes something like this: "WE HAVE RESERVED AN \$11,000,000 SUM IN YOUR NAME."

Of course, the recipient of this sweepstakes mailing — one of 200 million that, for instance, American Family Publishers sends out each year — has an infinitesimal chance of ever claiming the prize.

It is encouraging to see that the plain people have gotten wise in the past year, becoming more resistant to the sweepstakes industry's deceptive marketing practices. — Copley News Service



Letters to the Editor

WRITER HAS BEEN UNABLE TO GET OUT

Editor:
I want to apologize to all centers of the Senior Citizens in Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Martin, and Magoffin counties.

Why I have not been out to see all of you is because of my wife. She is very sick with bone, lung and spine cancer. She has spent a great deal of time in the hospital for these types of cancers. She has had 15 radiation treatments and I am having to stay here at the house and take very good care of her.

I would like for all the preachers, wherever you are, to pray for my dear sick wife, Geneva Hunter. And I hope in the future that I can do something for you, also. I hope that my wife will get better to where I can get back out and help others with their many needs.

In 1999, I hope to be able to help Mud Creek se-

nior citizens with their fund raisers. I would like to thank all of the people that supported me with the 1998 fund raiser for the Mud Creek Senior Citizens Center. I hope that you will give me your support for the 1999 fund raiser.

I am hoping to get back out and help more people with getting their homes fixed, helping with glasses, black lung, SSI and many other things. I want to thank the people that helped me to help a family that lost everything that they owned, besides their car. We never know when this could even happen to us.

So let's be thankful for what we have, how much money we've got, which I only have a little of. God bless America and God bless all of you.

Den Hunter
Harold

KNOW THE SIGNS OF AN ABUSIVE PERSONALITY

Editor:
A violent relationship can begin while you are dating. Know the signs of an abusive personality, before you make that commitment of marriage.

Signs include: the person is very jealous and/or possessive; he/she has a history of being abused or witnessed their parents' abusive relationship; he/she has Dr. Jackell/Mr. Hyde personality swings; he/she wants to control your actions and behaviors; he/she has a negative attitude regarding women in general.

If this sounds familiar, don't wait for things to improve, it may only get worse. Call our crisis line and talk to someone about your relationship. Calls remain confidential and you may remain anonymous, if you choose.

Call: 886-6025 or, out of the area: 1-800-649-6605, and remember, Love doesn't have to hurt.

Linda Hutchinson
Program coordinator
Big Sandy Family Abuse Center

Capitol View

by Ira Branham

As I begin my third month as a state representative, I'd like to take this opportunity to write to you about what my fellow members of the General Assembly and I have been doing to prepare for next January's session.

Our state faces several issues that are crucial to our success in the next century. A list of these issues begins with health insurance, education, and economic development and goes on to include electricity restructuring and infrastructure. I intend to cover at least one of these topics in each of my reports.

Over the past decade, the legislature has made several attempts to make health insurance more affordable and accessible. Instead, the majority of companies that offered plans during 1989 no longer compete in 1999. The problem went from bad to worse when health insurance options for thousands of Kentuckians were further limited when it was announced last year that Kentucky Kare, the state-run health insurance program that provided coverage to state employees, school board employees, teachers, and retirees, would no longer be available.

However, we heard some good news at the January meeting of the Banking and Insurance Commit-

tee. Insurance Commissioner George Nichols told the committee that several companies are in the process of returning to the state and others are considering offering policies to Kentuckians. With recent studies showing that the cost of health care is expected to more than double in the next decade, be sure that the issue is a priority for me. I will continue to monitor the issue as a member of the Subcommittee on Health insurance.

The more than 50 different fees and charges that court clerks have to collect were the topic of the February meeting of the Judiciary Committee. Because of the time and effort spent collecting these fees, many feel that court clerks have become collection agents.

Years ago, the fees collected by the clerks' office went to help pay for the court system. Today, portions go to organizations like Crime Stoppers, the spinal cord and head injury fund, and the brain injury trust fund. The committee is studying possible situations to the situation, including using technology to make the collection easier.

Next time you see a tractor-trailer on the interstate you can feel secure that it meets weight and safety requirements. The inspections at the state's

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Focus on insurance, other issues

Letters to the Editor

Letters to the Editor are welcomed by The Floyd County Times. In accordance with our editorial page policy, all letters must include the signature, address and telephone number of the author.

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PostScript

by Pam Shingler
Editor



Monday when I received a check in the mail from my car insurance company, I knew I would have to write about it. Seems I had overpaid with my last payment.

The check was for "zero and 02/100—Dollars." Or, put another way "\$.02." Put still another way: two cents.

Consider the postage, the cost of the check, someone's time to process it, both at the company and at my bank. Think of the smile on the teller's face when I present the check for cashing. Should I mark it "for deposit only?" Should I have it put into my checking account or into savings? Or should I ask the company to apply the overage to my next bill?

Ka-boom Turns out before I could fully develop the ideas, they were preempted.

I read a month or so ago that the top snack food in the country is cheese twists, and I happen to be among those who put them at the top. I go through a couple of bags a week.

On Monday evening, remember, we were facing the likelihood of a major winter storm, according to the weather prognosticators — and I was without cheese twists. On the brink of panic, I revved up the car and drove off to the store.

I found the twists, in my favorite brand, even, and felt good about having accomplished my mission. The diet and impulse gods were yet to have their day, however.

I could have gone the back streets, but, no, I opted to get back on the main street because on the way to the store I thought I had seen something that might be of news interest. I waited at the light and watched a pick-up truck speed through, going at least 50 miles an hour.

In the interest of caution, I paused a few seconds when my light turned green just in case someone else was closely following the guy who had speeded through, and then I pulled out.

Wham! I was broadsided by a young woman who said she didn't even see the traffic light there.

My beautiful, reliable Toyota Tercel was indented like a big paragraph, the image of the woman's car embedded in my door and rear. To get out, I had to climb over the gear shift and open the passenger side door.

In six-and-a-half years, I hadn't had one scratch on the car — a good bit of dirt, but no scratches. Now, it's smashed in with what the policeman called "moderate" damages. The other option, he said curtly, was to call it "totaled," which it wasn't since I could still drive it, despite taking five minutes to get over to the driver's seat.

To her credit, the young woman was very nice, apologizing profusely. Still, I was so angry I could have whipped the abominable snowman. All I could think was, when is this black cloud going to move on to someone else — I'm still totting water to take a bath, for goodness sake, to name just one of my plagues.

To make matters worse, I could not contain my smart tongue and I think I teed off the policeman, who may have been having a bad day anyway. Who knows? At any rate, he became quite sharp with me and treated me almost as if it were my fault I'd gone through a green light and into the path of a person who was running a red one.

I resisted driving to Wal-mart to buy a gun and went home and bawled for 15 minutes. As my animals whined in sympathy, I began the healing by being grateful that this one time I did not take the dogs with me. They quite likely would have

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Tackett to receive Eagle Scout award

Since the age of seven, Jeremy Tackett has been involved in the Scouting program. He began as a Cub Scout in a small scout pack started by his father, Jack Tackett. At age 11, he, along with his father and three other boys, began Troop 805. The Troop is chartered by the Vogel Day United Methodist Church, Harold. On March 20, Jeremy, now 15, will be the first member of this young troop to ever achieve the Eagle Scout award.

Sherry Tackett. He attends school at Betsy Layne High School, where he maintains a 4.0+ gpa. Jeremy is on the academic team and is a member of Mayflower Unity Baptist Church.

Since beginning the trail to Eagle, Jeremy has earned 45 merit badges, the Mile Swim award, his denomination's Religious Award, the World Conservation Award, and various other honors. He has done more than 150 hours of community service as well. Jeremy has served his

troop as assistant patrol leader, patrol leader, and senior patrol leader. He has attended the National Scout Jamboree in Fort A.P. Hill, Virginia, and the National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) in Ames, Iowa.

For his Eagle project, Jeremy worked with Ron Vanover of the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park and a group of 10 others to build an outdoor classroom in the park. The work took a total of 110 hours to complete, including the time spent getting donations and supplies.

The Eagle Ceremony is an elaborate ceremony and will be held at the Vogel Day United Methodist Church on March 20, at 6:30 p.m. The ceremony is open to the public.



Jeremy Tackett

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Betsy Layne Elementary teacher Sherry Witt gives Patrick Stevens his 8-inch catch and catch game that he purchased for 45 Bobcat bucks during the school auction. Students earn Bobcat bucks for good academic work, good behavior or for other positive actions and then bid on items during the auction that is attended by those students who have earned a certain number of Bobcat bucks. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Forecast for Floyd County, KY

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LOCAL 7-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Sunny and cool. 49	Partly cloudy. 35	A shower in the afternoon. 50/40	Rain, then snow and rain. 51/35	Cloudy with snow and rain. 40/27	Snow and sleet. 37/28	Partly sunny. 54/33	Partly sunny. 55/36

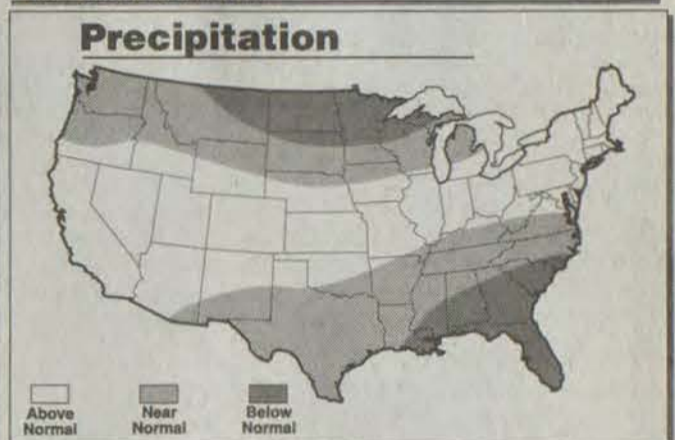
THE WEEK AHEAD...



NATIONAL SUMMARY

Over the period, the storm track will continue to be suppressed to the south. As a result, above-normal precipitation will be accompanied by below-normal temperatures. Across the Canadian border, dry conditions and a lack of snowpack will allow temperatures to rise above normal. The central portions of the country will have normal precipitation and temperatures.

THE WEEK AHEAD...



Hillbilly Days in top 10

Pikeville's Hillbilly Days is listed in the top ten festivals in Kentucky this spring.

The designation comes from the 400-member Kentucky Tourism Council, which names two "Pride of Kentucky" events and a "Top Ten" festival list each season.

The criteria includes attendance, economic impact, uniqueness, creativity and cultural significance.

Cited for Pride of Kentucky distinction are the Chocolate Festival, March 27-28, in the Village of Washington, near Maysville, and the 125th Kentucky Derby, May 1, in Louisville. Information on the Washington event is available by calling 606/759-7423 and the derby, 502/636-4400.

Besides Hillbilly Days, the Top Ten list of festivals and their contact numbers includes

- Kentucky Derby Festival, March 5-May 7, Louisville, 502/584-6383;
- Kentucky Derby Festival Thunder over Louisville, April 17, 502/584-6383;
- Keeneland Spring Meet, April 2-23, Lexington, 606/254-3412;
- Dogwood Trail Celebration, mid-April, Paducah, 800/PADUCAH;
- American Quilters Society National Quilt Show and Contest, April 22-25, Paducah, 502/898-7903;
- Rolex Kentucky Three-Day Event, April 22-25, Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington, 606/233-2362;
- International Bar-B-Q Festival, May 7-8, Owensboro, 502/926-6938;
- Kentucky Guild of Artists and Craftsmen Spring Fair, May 14-16, Berea.

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For more information on Hillbilly Days, slated this year for April 15-17, call 606/432-5063.

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been hurt when the impact occurred. At least I have sense enough to wear seat belts.

And I wasn't hurt, just a little sore from being shaken.

I dread having to get estimates for repair and being without a car while the repairs are being made.

I've heard such horror stories, I literally shudder when I think about it. Thank goodness I live in town now and can walk to work; if I run out of cheese twists, so be it.

About that two-cent check from the insurance company, I suspect they'll get it back in spades.

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commercial monitoring stations, formerly called weigh stations, now use state of the art technology to insure that both the truck and driver meet standards. However, the new program will also prove less of a nuisance for drivers because the methods cut down on the time spent at the commercial monitoring stations.

When I campaigned for this office last year, I made a promise to keep the people of Pike and Floyd counties current on what's going on in the state's capitol. I'm going to keep that promise with monthly reports like this one. If you have

any questions or would like me to discuss any particular issues, let me know.

I can be reached at home in Pikeville at 606/432-2704 or in Frankfort at 800/372-7181. I look forward to representing you in our state's capitol.

Rep. Ira Branham, D-Pikeville, represents the state's 94th House District, which includes portions of Pike and Floyd counties. He is a member of the Transportation and Judiciary Committees. Branham also serves as Vice-Chair of the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

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Auxier United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 6:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! Pastor, Doug Lawson.

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Rd.; Sunday Morning Services, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Garfield Potter.

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

ALLEN
Allen First Baptist Church, Allen; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship at 7 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Arnold Turner.

Christ United Methodist, Allen, Ky.; Sunday School, 9:45; Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth Lemaster.

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

Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner, Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 10:00; Tuesday Bible Study, 6:30; Everyone Welcome, Pastor, David Shepherd.

BEAVER
Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist Church, Beaver, Rt. 979; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Philip T. Smith.

BETSY LAYNE
Betsy Layne United Methodist Church, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Blackburn.

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

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

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

Betsy Layne Church of Christ at Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Minister, Tommy J. Spears.

BEVINSVILLE
Jacks Creek Baptist Church, Bevinsville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday, Women's Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. Pastor, Jeff Barrett.

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

BONANZA
Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbott Creek Road; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jimmy D. Brown.

BUFFALO
Endicott Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

and the first Saturday each month at 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Smith

CORN FORK
Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Corn Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Roger Music.

COW CREEK
Cow Creek Freewill Baptist, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.-11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m., 7:30 p.m.; 3rd Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. to 12 noon; Prayer Meeting and Youth Group, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.; Pastor, Nathon Lafferty.

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

DANA
Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Dana; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Jody Spencer; Assistance Pastor, Terry Hall.

DAVID
Goodloe Pentecostal Church, Rt. 850, David, Ky.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Malcolm Slone.

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

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

Drift Freewill Baptist Church, Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m., Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner.

Drift Presbyterian Church, Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Part-time minister, Mary Alice Murray.

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

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

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

Little Paint First Church of God, East Point, 671 Little Paint Road; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 6:00; Youth Fellowship, Sunday 6:00; Wednesday Night, 7:00; Kings Class (Children Ministry) Wednesday 7:00; Pastor, A Wayne Burch.

EMMA
Emma United Methodist, Emma, Ky.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.; Paul Aiken, Pastor.

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

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

Rock Fork Freewill Baptist Church, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Amburgey.

First Baptist Church, Garrett; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday; Pastor, Randy Osborne.

Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald Bragg.

Garrett Community Christian Church, Route 550, Garrett, Ky.; Service Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10:30

LACKEY
Lackey Freewill Baptist Church, Lackey, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Everyone Welcome, Pastor Johnny J. Collins, of Wayland. "If we meet and you forget me you have lost nothing, but if you meet Jesus and forget him you have lost everything."

LANCER
Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tom Biddle.

Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Lancer-Water gap Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 6 p.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday programs available for children; Pastor, Mark Tackett.

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

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

Martin House of Worship, in Martin on Old Post Office St. Saturday and Sunday at 7 p.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter

a.m. Come and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Donnie Hackworth.

GOBLE ROBERTS ADDITION
Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth E. Prater, Jr.

Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 4th Saturday Night, Regular Service & Business, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Paul D. Coleman.

GRETHEL
Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Junior Church and Morning worship at 11:00; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth meeting Wednesday night 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting and bible study at 6:30.

HAGER HILL
Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill, telephone 789-6433, Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday evening 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m.

HAROLD
Harold Church of Christ, at Harold; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Minister, James H. Harmon

Lower Toler Church of Christ at Harold; Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m.; Minister, Lonie Meade.

Upper Toler Church of Christ 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on right, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Nightly Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Minister, Tommy Dale Bush.

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

United Christian Church, Meade Bottom, Hi Hat, Ky.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m. Brother, Bill Slone, Pastor

HUEYSVILLE
Hueysville Church of Christ, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday morning worship 11 a.m.; Wednesday service, 7 p.m.; Sunday evening, 7 p.m.; Minister, Chester Varney.

United Community Baptist Church, Hwy. 7, Hueysville, Ky. Service each Friday night, 7:00 p.m. and each Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Come worship with us and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Carlos Beverly.

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

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

JACKSONVILLE
Lackey Freewill Baptist Church, Lackey, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Everyone Welcome, Pastor Johnny J. Collins, of Wayland. "If we meet and you forget me you have lost nothing, but if you meet Jesus and forget him you have lost everything."

LANCER
Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tom Biddle.

Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Lancer-Water gap Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 6 p.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday programs available for children; Pastor, Mark Tackett.

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

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

Martin House of Worship, in Martin on Old Post Office St. Saturday and Sunday at 7 p.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter

Day Saints, Sunday; Relief Society/Priesthood/Primary 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Sacramento Meeting 11:40 a.m.; Wednesday; Seminary 6:00 p.m.; Young Women/Young Men/Scouting 7:00 p.m.; Family History, Tuesday 12-8:00 p.m. and Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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

Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness Church, North Main Street, Martin; services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7:00 p.m.; Tuesday worship, 7:00 p.m.; Youth Activity nights, 1st and 3rd Saturday, 6:00 p.m.; Womens Ministries, 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Ministries, 2nd Friday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Bible study Monday evenings, 6:00 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Pastor.

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

Martin Freewill Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Pastor, John L. Blair.

First Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening Worship, 5:00; Wednesday service, 6:00; Pastor: Russ Taylor.

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

Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Group, 7 p.m.; Evangelist, Gary Mitchell.

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

Old Time Holiness Church; 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Brother John W. Patton, Friday Evening, 7:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Sunday School, 11:00; Everyone Welcome.

Full Gospel Community; Main Street, Martin, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Bible Study; Pastor, Lavonne Lafferty.

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

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

MIDDLE CREEK
Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, 2656 West Mt. Parkway Prestonsburg, (across from Clark Elem. School); Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jennings West.

Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal Church, Located at the Floyd and Magoffin County line. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Sunday night, 6:30; Wednesday night, 7:00. A worship center for everyone. Pastor, Mike D. Caldwell welcomes all. 297-6262

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

MOUNTAIN PARKWAY
Free Pentecostal Deliverance Church, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton, Saturday and Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Patricia Crider.

PRESTONSBURG
Community United Methodist Church, 141 Burke Ave. - (off University Drive and Neeley Street). Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.; Classes for adults, youth and children. Wednesday choir practice 8:00 p.m. Pastor, Rev. Ernie Carmicle.

Faith Revelation Ministry, 1/4 mile above WorldWide Equipment, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00; Midweek, Thursday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Randy Hagans.

Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Gary Shepherd, 886-0732.

St. Martha Church, Water Gap; Saturday

evening mass, 5 p.m.; Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Religious Education Classes, Sunday, 9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Pastor: Father John Moriarty.

Community United Methodist Church, 141 Burke Ave., (off University Drive), Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday morning worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer service, 7 p.m.; classes for adults, youth and children; choir practice, Wednesday, 8 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Sam Knox.

The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Manford Fannin.

First Christian Church, 560 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg. No Wednesday evening or Sunday evening services at present. Bible study, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Minister, Kevin G. Jett.

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

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

Praise Assembly, 1 mile South of Prestonsburg, intersection of route 80 and U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise & Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.; nursery provided. Pastor, J.M. Sloce.

Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church, located two miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Price.

First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Rev. George C. Love.

First United Methodist Church, 256 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 10:55; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00. Pastor, Wayne Sayre.

Victory Christian Ministries Church, 1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams.

Parkway Baptist, Rt. 1428, Sugar Loaf, Prestonsburg; Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor.

Church of Christ, South Lake Drive; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.; Evangelist, Benny Blankenship.

St. James Episcopal Church, school starts 9:45; Enquire classes to begin in January. For more information, contact the Rev. Johnnie E. Ross, 886-8046.

Faith Freewill Baptist Church, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment on Rt. 1428. Buddy Jones, Pastor; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Prayer meeting, 7:00; Sunday Night Service at 6:00 p.m.

Prestonsburg Community College Baptist Student Union; meets every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 in J102. Lunch, discussion, travel available to all students, faculty and staff. French B. Harmon, Director; Ella C. Goble, president. For more information, call: 874-9468 or 478-2978.

First Church of God, Prestonsburg; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Kids Bible Club, 7 p.m.

Town Branch Community Baptist, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. Pastor: Tom Nelson.

Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor Clifford Austin.

Benedict Baptist Church, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Gordon Fitch.

PAINTSVILLE
Our Savior Lutheran Church, Sipp Bayes Room Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.; WKLW (600 a.m.) "Chapel Window", 12:05 p.m. every Sunday; Pastor Rev. Rolland Bentrup.

Faith Worship Center, US 460, Paintsville; Sunday morning service 11:00 a.m.; Thursday service 6:00 p.m. Pastor, Buddy and Maude Frye.

PRINTER
Salisbury United Methodist Church, Printer; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby G. Lawson.

SALYERSVILLE
New Bethel Assembly of God, Located on Burging Fork Rd.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday night service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday night Bible Study and Youth Jam, 7:00 p.m. Nursery provided. 1st Monday of each month ladies meeting, 7:00 p.m. 3rd Saturday of each month men's breakfast fellowship 9:00 a.m.; Pastor, Arthur (Sam) Smith

STANVILLE
Mare Creek Church of Christ, at Stanville. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible School, 6:30 p.m.

WATER GAP
Trimble Chapel Free Will Baptist Church, Intersection of U.S. 23 and Ky. 80, Water Gap. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00; Wednesday night and youth service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor Joe Coleman. Everyone Welcome!

WEEKSBURY
Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weeksbury; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Pastor, John "Jay" Patton.

Weeksbury Church of Christ; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hall.

WHEELWRIGHT
Wheelwright United Methodist Church, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 services; Pastor, Bobby Isaac.

Youth Fellowship Center; Youth Meeting, Mon.-Tues., 6:00; Thursday Night Bible study, 7:00 p.m.

Wheelwright Freewill Baptist, Wheelwright junction; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Wednesday evening worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Louis Ferrari.

REGIONAL OBITUARIES

Martin County

Ken Chaffins, 94, of Lovely, died Saturday, March 6. He was a retired coal miner. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 9, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Dorothy York Mays, 79, of Warfield, died Saturday, March 6. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 9, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Mabel Williamson, 79, of Inez, died Tuesday, March 2. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, March 4, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Elizabeth M. Cassady, 75, of Inez, died Thursday, March 4. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 7, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Nancy Jane Sammons, 88, of Inez, died Sunday, March 7. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, March 11, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Lawrence County

Earl Boggs, 88, of Blaine, died Saturday, March 6. He was a retired farmer. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 9, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Edgar Holt, 80, of Louisa, died Sunday, March 7. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Ruth Jones Holt. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 9, under the direction of the Wilson Funeral Home.

Magoffin County

Coralee Howard Robinson, 67, of Morehead, formerly of Magoffin County, died Friday, February 26. Funeral services were conducted Monday, March 1, under the direction of Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Johnson County

Willis Hershel Conley, 81, died Wednesday, March 3. He is survived by his wife, Ruth Conley.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 5, under the direction of Paintsville Funeral Home.

Bonnie Belle Manns Hensley, 79, died Monday, March 1. She is survived by her husband, David Young Hensley. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, March 4, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Pike County

Burel Bartley, 75, of Lookout, died Tuesday, March 2. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Florence Bowling Bartley. Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 5, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Gene Wolford, 71, of Stopover, died Tuesday, March 2. He was a retired coal miner. Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 5, under the direction of Phelps Funeral Services.

Lula Ratliff, 77, of Hellier, died Wednesday, March 3. She is survived by her husband, Elster Ratliff. Funeral services were conducted

Friday, March 5, under the direction of Justice Funeral Services.

Phillip Blackburn, 67, of Virgie, died Tuesday, March 2. He was an X-ray technician employed by McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Billie Johnson Blackburn. Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 5, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Lillian Smith, 75, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, March 3. She was a cook at Pikeville High School. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, March 6, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Lowell Thomas Robinson, 63, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, March

3. He was a retired coal mine motorman. He is survived by his wife, Willa Jo Cantrell Robinson. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 7, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Ersie Ramey Anderson, 82, of Raceland, formerly of Phyllis, died Thursday, March 4. She was a seamstress. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, March 6, under the direction of J. W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Knott County

Phyllis Teen Mosley Abner, 47, of Leburn, died Wednesday, March 3. She is survived by her husband, Ted Abner. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 7, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Avil "Cat" Campbell, 43, of Rowdy, died Wednesday, March 3. He is survived by his wife, Pamela Sue Campbell. Funeral services were conducted Monday, March 8, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Mary Edith Gibson, 55, of Pine Top, died Thursday, March 4. She is survived by her husband, Arlin Gibson. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 7, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Dennis Stacy, 63, of Ary, died February 28. He is survived by his wife, Anita Yearly Stacy. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 3, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

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.

Benefit sing

A special singing benefit will be held at the Family Worship Assembly of God in West Prestonsburg on Saturday, March 13, at 7 p.m., featuring local talent. Everyone welcome.

AARP to meet March 19

Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) will hold its first meeting of the year, Friday, March 19, 5:30 p.m., at the Medical Office Complex of Highlands Regional Medical Center. All members and friends are encouraged to attend.

WWI veterans honored

Two surviving World War One veterans from Kentucky were honored March 11 at a ceremony at Ft. Campbell.

One hundred-year-old Sidney Pritchett of Hopkinsville and 103-year-old Clarence Blakney of Benton received the French government's highest honor for military valor, the French National Order of the Legion of Honor. The award was established in 1802 by Napoleon Bonaparte.

Kentucky Commissioner of Veterans' Affairs, retired Army Brigadier General Leslie E. Beavers, led the ceremony at Fort Campbell. French Consul Jean-Paul Bossuge made the presentation.

Gov. Paul Patton declared March World War One Veterans' Recognition Month. "More than 84,000 Kentuckians served our country during that war effort, 2, 418 Kentuckians died during World War One, and 890 of those were listed as killed in action," the governor said. "It's appropriate to

SBDM council meeting

There will be a SBDM council meeting, Tuesday, March 16, at 6 p.m., at the Osborne Elementary cafeteria. Everyone welcome.

Gospel concert

A gospel concert featuring The Crabb Family, Charles Johnson and the Revivers and The Copleys will be held at the Williamson Fieldhouse in Williamson, West Virginia, on Thursday, March 25th, at 7 p.m. For more information, call (304) 946-4592 or 235-3082.

Revival

The Trinity Chapel I.P.H.C. at Martin, will be holding a revival on March 22-27, 7 p.m. nightly, with Rev. Ondy Wireman presiding. Everyone is welcome.

Duff Elementary kindergarten registration

Kindergarten registration at Duff Elementary will be Tuesday, April 13, beginning at 8:30 a.m. Parents need to bring the following items: birth certificate, shot record and physical exam report.

Gospel Sing

There will be a gospel singing and church services, Saturday,

March 13, at 6 p.m., at the Town Branch Church, Prestonsburg, featuring the Crowder Family from Murphy, North Carolina. The service is being held to honor Mrs. Hamie Warrix, on her 90th birthday.

Couples tournament

The Dream Factory couples tournament will be held at Pin-Zone Bowling Center, Saturday, March 27, at 5 p.m. Entry fee is \$25. Top three finishers receive plaques. All money goes to the Dream Factory.

Basketball fundraiser

The Dream Factory will hold a basketball fundraiser March 13, from 6-10 p.m. at the Pikeville College gym. Tickets are \$5 adults and \$3 for children. The Kentucky State Police will play the Otter Creek guards and Pepsi/Cardinal Country Store will play Prestonsburg Alumnus.

In Loving Memory

of
Mae Bolen Turner (Nannie)

3/15/1919 - 5/5/1998

To everyone, she was known as "Nannie," she was on this earth seventy-nine years. For her family that wasn't enough, but for her, her work here was through. She touched our lives in very special ways. She gave her love, her friendship, and her caringness to everyone she met. Anyone that came to Nannie's house would not leave with an empty stomach. We miss our Sunday dinners with all the family together. The Lord knew her heart needed rest, so He took her in His arms and said, "Come with Me." She will always have a very special place in our hearts, and it puts our hearts at rest to know, by the grace of God, we will see her again someday.

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven. Eccl. 3:1

Sadly missed by:
Her husband, Graham (Cannie), granddaughter, Robin; her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, family & friends

Card of Thanks

The family of Berniece Nickels Salisbury wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, relatives, and neighbors in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to Randy Osborne, and the Hindman Funeral Home and Danny Terry.

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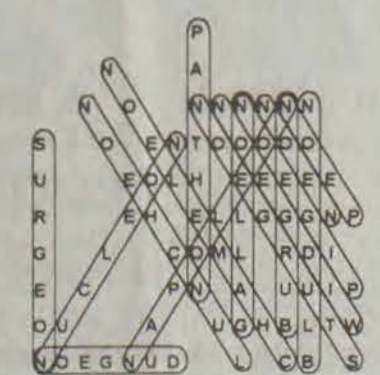
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OBITUARIES

Paul E. Turner

Paul E. Turner, 68, of Wayland, died Wednesday, March 3, 1999, at the VA Medical Center at Huntington, West Virginia.

He was born in Hueysville, on February 17, 1931, the son of Greene Turner and Dora Turner.

He is survived by his wife: Elderee Turner; two sons, Paul Russell Turner of Beaver Creek, Ohio and Brian Douglas Turner of Lafayette, Indiana; one daughter, Marie Alley of Hueysville; one stepson, Clinton Parnell Ratliff of Allen; one stepdaughter, Rita Ratliff of Lowmansville; three brothers, Joe Turner of Ashland, Marcus Turner, of Mt. Vernon, and Milford Turner, of Willard, Ohio; three sisters, Berniece Bailey of Willard, Ohio, Agnes Gayle Bailey of Shiloh, Ohio and Loreda Cochran of Hamilton, Ohio; and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m., Saturday, March 6, at the Hindman Funeral Services Chapel, with Milburn Slone officiating.

Burial was in the Crager Cemetery at Hueysville, under direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Lilly Hicks Inmon

Lilly Hicks Inmon, 87, of Garrett, died March 3, 1999, at Our Lady of The Way Hospital at Martin.

She was born in Knott County, on Dec. 3, 1911, the daughter of Eli Hicks and Mallie Conley Hicks.

She was preceded in death by her husbands: William Inmon and Carter Davis.

She is survived by two sons: Cletis Inmon at New Palestine, Ind. and Bobby Davis of Florida; two daughters, Rose Combs and Betty S. Prater of Hindman; one sister, Elsie Bolen; 13 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, March 6, at the Rock Fork United Christian Church at Garrett, with Sterlin Bolen officiating.

Burial was in the Coburn-Inmon Cemetery at Garrett, under direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Bernice Nickles

Salisbury

Bernice Nickles Salisbury, 67, of Eastern, died March 2, 1999, at her home.

She was born in Knott County on February 7, 1932, the daughter of Austin Nickles and MaGolda Slone Nickles.

She is survived by her husband, Ervin Salisbury; one son, Danny Salisbury of Hunter; six daughters, Tonya Hall of Drift, Nyria Reynolds of Wittensville, Sheylia Porter of Prestonsburg, Tywantha Thornsberry of Hollybush, Leitha Salisbury of Langley, and Donna Willis of Kingsport, Tennessee; two brothers, Bill Nickles and Franklin Delano Nickles, both of Hindman; 20 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m., Friday, March 5, at the Hindman Funeral Services Chapel with Randy Osborne officiating.

Burial was in the Salisbury Family Cemetery at Hunter, under direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Vivian C. Shannon

Vivian C. Shannon, 75, of Prestonsburg, died Tuesday, March 9, 1999, at the Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg.

She was born May 18, 1923, at Hindman, the daughter of the late John W. and Nancy (Waddell) Caudill. She was a registered nurse at Highlands Regional Medical Center and a member of the First Baptist Church of Prestonsburg.

Her husband, George Lee Shannon, preceded her in death.

She is survived by two sons, Kevin Shannon of Prestonsburg and Keith Shannon of Rock Hill, South Carolina; two daughters, Kerry Shannon of Asheville, North Carolina, and Kim Schneider of Chester, Maryland; one sister, Bennie Mae Combs of Pikeville; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, March 11, at 1 p.m., at the First Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, with the Dr. Tom Valentine officiating.

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

Pallbearers were Paul Preston Burchett, Rob Herrick, Allen Marks, John T. Combs, Gene Combs and Charlie Arnett.

Billie Robinson

Billie Robinson, 71, of Martin, died Wednesday, March 10, 1999, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following an extended illness.

Born on September 10, 1927, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Malcom and Ollie Conn Robinson. He was a retired coal miner, a member of UMWA Local 9845, Martin, a member of the Church of Christ, Arkansas Creek, and a member of DAV 128, Garrett.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lucy Crum Robinson.

Survivors include one brother, Oakley Robinson of Martin; one sister, Roxie Crum of Martin.

Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, March 13, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin, with Ronnie Sammons and Roy Robinson officiating.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, Ivel, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Lafferty pallbearers

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Phyllis Ann Lafferty were Don Lafferty, Paul Burton Lafferty, Anthony Lafferty, Buford Lafferty, Dwayne Lafferty, Brian Lafferty and Joe Fehrenbach.

Honorary pallbearers were Gomer Terry, Homer Terry, Jack L. Salyers, Ellis Green, Ricky Green, and Larry Patton.

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MAYO MOMENTS

by Linda Lyon
Mayo Marketing Director

Hello from the campus of Mayo Technical College. Today is the first week of March. Who would think another Winter is almost past. It sure has been a strange one.

Things are swinging into gear for spring around here. We see the hustle and bustle with people coming in to take the entrance exam and file for financial aid. It's not hard to see that we are not far from warm weather and sunshine. A welcome relief I might add.

I want to make you aware of a few things on Mayo's calendar. We will not be testing on Monday, March 22. This is scheduled as Regional VICA Skills contests. Students will be coming from all

Glaeser graduates

Air Force Airman Frank A. Glaeser III has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and customs and received special training in human relations.

Glaeser is the son of Linda L., and stepson of Claud D. Jones of Dana.

He is a 1988 graduate of Prestonsburg High School.

Transy to host science, technology summer camp

Transylvania University is offering a science and technology camp for outstanding high school students in grades 10-12 from June 27-July 2.

The five-day camp will enhance student's knowledge of all fields of science as well as help students learn about the preparation for different careers in the ever-changing world of science. Students will take part in laboratory experiments and field trips.

Transylvania faculty and guest scientists will serve as instructors. The cost is \$300 per camper and enrollment is limited to 50 students. A registration fee of \$100 must accompany the application and is refundable until May 1.

For more information or an application, contact Donna Ellis at 606/233-8228.



A new sign was erected recently at Mt. Christian Academy at Martin. (Photo by H. Allen Bolling)



Student honored
McKenzie Kate McClellan Burke of Somerset, formerly of Wheelwright, was named Star Student at the elementary school where she attends in Somerset. McKenzie was honored with an award of her excellence, Monday night, December 14. McKenzie is the daughter of Randy and Vonda Burke of Somerset, and the granddaughter of Ruth Johnson, and Jean Triplett. She is the sister of Jeremy Burke also of Somerset.

around our five-county area to compete in skill and leadership contests. It is a wonderful time to come visit us and see the best of our area showcase their talents. We will give the test on Tuesday, March 23, however, so if you are interested, be

sure you are here before 8 a.m.

Spring break at Mayo is scheduled for April 5-9. Our students are looking forward to that. Then on April 20-23 our Regional VICA winners will travel to Louisville for the State VICA Conference.

The State PBL Conference for our business students will be held in Louisville on April 8-10. Mayo always has good representation at this conference.

Graduation is set for May 26 and Intersession begins on June 1.

Summer Session will begin June 14.

These are just a few of the things that are going on at Mayo. Check our website regularly for the latest. We can be found at <http://www.mayotech.org>.

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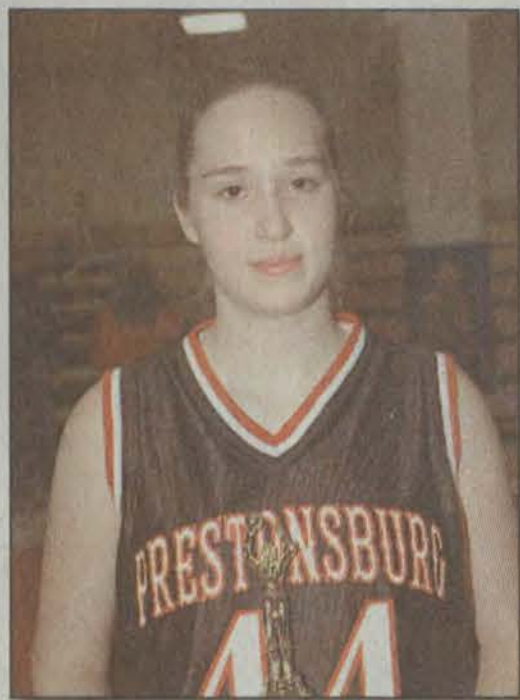


New Boating Laws

The Floyd County Times • Friday, March 12, 1999



Crystal Slone



Amelia Conley



Shelly Greathouse

Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

A Look At Sports

No hanging the heads
for Lady Blackcats;
good luck to Belfry

The girls' 15th Region basketball tournament is over and the Belfry Pirates are headed to Bowling Green for the girls' Sweet 16 state tournament next week. I wish coach Cindy Halbert and the Lady Pirates the best as they quest for a state title. The Lady Pirates played hard and are a well-coached team.

Tonya Francis, what can I say about the way this young lady played basketball during the tournament and rightly deserved the Most Valuable Player award? She is a very talented basketball player, and some college is going to get a good one when they ink her.

Of course, what can we say about our Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats? They did the 58th District proud in the way they performed in the tournament. No one gave them much of a chance of making the final game, but they played hard.

I caught some seniors with tears in their eyes as their basketball careers came to a close. It has been a pleasure to have covered Shelly Greathouse, Crystal Slone and Kimi Nunnery during their grade school and high school careers.

The Prestonsburg players need not hang their heads one bit, for they were outstanding in the tournament. They lost to a very good high school team.

Well, it marked the second straight year a Floyd County team finished second in the tournament. We haven't had a team go to the big dance since Betsy Layne girls did it in 1994. But with the talent that Prestonsburg brings back next year, the returning players at Allen Central, the good young players at Betsy Layne and the influx of good players at South Floyd, that will change in the next two seasons.

Last year, Ramanda Music was on the Allen Central side of things and helped the Lady Rebels reach the final game last year. This year the Floyd County standout is playing for the Lady Pirates and is a big reason they are headed for the Sweet Sixteen. Here is a young lady who has already played in an All "A" state tournament and will now play in the Sweet 16. She is only a freshman. I hope she returns home next year!

The folks at Pike County Central

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Belfry's inside game too much for Cats

Lady Pirates advance to girls Sweet Sixteen

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

What a season it has been for the Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats and coach Jackie Day Crisp. A team that wasn't supposed to go anywhere this basketball season fought its way to the

championship game of the girls' 15th Region basketball tournament but found the Belfry Lady Pirates a little too much inside, in dropping a 74-53 decision Tuesday night at Pike County Central.

It was a tearful ending for seniors Shelly Greathouse, Crystal Slone and

Kimi Nunnery who played their final high school basketball game. Nunnery led the Lady Blackcats with 12 points while Greathouse netted 10. Slone finished with eight points, while sophomore Amelia Conley tossed in nine.

The loss closed the season on Prestonsburg at 22-11. This became

the first Prestonsburg team to advance beyond the a first round regional game and the first to reach the tournament finals.

Sam Hackney, a sophomore, played a strong floor game for the Lady Pirates and led the scoring for Belfry with 17 points. Tonya Francis,

chosen as the tournament's Most Valuable Player, scored 13 points as did freshman Ramanda Music. Music was a workhorse around the basket, finishing with 12 rebounds (unofficially).

Unlike the night before when the Lady Blackcats opened cold against Shelby Valley, Prestonsburg hit the first two shots they took and took a 6-2 lead. Slone scored two early baskets and Greathouse had a rebound basket for the four-point lead. The Lady Pirates' first lead came at 7-6 on a 5-0 run. Music's rebound basket gave the Lady Pirates a 10-point advantage, 18-8.

Belfry led 22-10 after the first period. Ashley Rosen got involved in the offense and controlled, along with Music, the offensive boards for the Lady Pirates. In the second period, Belfry was beating Prestonsburg to every missed shot and taking, at times,

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1998-99 All-Regional Tournament Team

Most Valuable Player
(Tonya Francis, Belfry)

Ramanda Music, Belfry
Fran Daugherty, Pike Central
Summer Jones, Shelby Valley
Jamie Blair, Johnson Central
Crystal Slone, Prestonsburg
Ashley Rosen, Belfry
Shelly Greathouse, Prestonsburg
Renee Maynard, Phelps
Megan Salyer, Johnson Central
Amanda Collins, Pike Central
Amelia Conley, Prestonsburg
Mandy Harmon, Sheldon Clark



Regional runners-up

The Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats completed a successful season finishing second in the just completed 15th Region tournament at Pike Central. The Lady Blackcats fell to Belfry in the championship game. They finished the season at 22-11 (photo by Ed Taylor)

Gibson leads Pikeville into regional semifinals

Sophomore forward scores 21 in 59-55 Panther win

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Pikeville sophomore forward Chase Gibson didn't do much offensively in the first three quarters, but he saved his best for last by pouring in 17 points in the second half and finished with 21 points to lead the Panthers to a 59-55 edging of the Magoffin County Hornets.

The two teams met in first round of the boys' 15th Regional basketball tournament at Johnson Central Thursday night.

The Panthers improved to 26-6 on the season while Magoffin County finished the year at 11-11.

It was a typical Magoffin County team that refused to go away to the top-ranked Panthers. Coach Danny Adams' team held a four-point lead, 53-49, when they completed a 9-2 run. Following a basket by John Mims, the Panthers went to full court pressure and scored six points in 14 seconds to take a 55-53 lead. They never trailed after that, although Magoffin County did tie the score at 55. A Mims' layup and free throws by Matt Walls

and Mims put the game in the win column.

Gibson failed to score in the first period and picked up four points in period number two. The Panthers led 12-7 after the first stop, but Magoffin County battled the Panthers to a 21-21 standoff as both teams went to the locker room at the half.

Magoffin County opened the game very cold, missing their first seven shots from the outside. Three of their first seven points came when Nicholas Arnett was fouled at the three-point arc and connected on three free throws.

Jeremy Akers got the Panthers off to a quick start by hitting consecutive three-point baskets and Mims' long jumper made it an 8-2 game. Magoffin pulled to within one, but the Panthers turned two Hornet turnovers into points and led by five at the first stop.

An 11-2 run by the Hornets netted them their first lead at 18-16 on a basket inside by Arnett. The game was tied at 18 and 21 after two quarters.

Gibson ruled the third period as he scored nine points

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15th All-Tournament team

At the conclusion of the girls' 15th Region basketball tournament at Pike Central Tuesday night, an All-Regional team was named. Prestonsburg placed three players on the elite squad. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Belfry

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three and four shots at the hoop. Rosen hit four of five free throws and had a rebound basket in scoring eight points in the second period to lead the Lady Pirates to a 39-27 half-time lead. Coach Cindy Halbert's ball club, accustomed to being headed to the Sweet Sixteen, committed only one turnover in the first 16 minutes of play. They found the open lanes in the Prestonsburg zone and picked up some easy baskets.

The Lady Blackcats had cut a 13-point lead to nine just before the half ended but Hackney hit a trey that sent the Lady Pirates to the locker room with a 12-point lead at the half.

Rosen picked up where she left off at the onset of the third period and scored on a put-back and a nice assist from Music to open up a 16-point lead, 43-27. Greathouse hit a three-point basket early in the third period and Nunery followed with a short jumper to make it an 11-point game. A lay-in by Music and Francis' 12-foot jumper extended the Belfry lead back to 15 points.

Coleman hit a trey, but three consecutive turnovers by the Lady

Blackcats saw Belfry put further distance between the two clubs. Belfry led 61-37 after three periods.

A rebound basket by Francis late in the fourth quarter gave Belfry its biggest lead, 67-44. Prestonsburg could get no closer than 19 points in falling to the Lady Pirates.

Belfry's taller inside players proved too much for the Lady Blackcats. Eighteen baskets for Belfry were second chance baskets.

"I wish we could have played better, but we played hard," said Coach Crisp of his team's effort. "They never gave up. From the start of the game until the final buzzer, I thought they played hard."

"We made a little run at them in the third quarter then had three turnovers. I thought that broke our backs. Without that, I don't know, we had a chance to cut it to single digits."

Coach Crisp said matching up with Belfry was "a tough matchup for us." "They are so big underneath," he said. "We are not the biggest team in the world. I knew it was going to be tough. We played as hard as we could. I have nothing but good things to say about

my girls. They played hard.

"They got a lot of offensive rebounds and put-backs. This Rosen kid, she is a big girl and hard to do anything with. We didn't have anybody to match up with her. I think Belfry will do well in the state tournament."

The Lady Blackcats started to come together as a team in January and became the "giant killer" as they rolled to a district championship and the regional finals.

Coach Halbert's Lady Pirates got some revenge from last year's tournament when they were eliminated in the second round by Allen Central. The Lady Pirates are a balanced team and with good inside strength that could take them through the state tournament next week.

Jessica Lovell finished with eight points for Belfry. McCoy added five. Brook Coleman scored five points for Prestonsburg while Megan Hyden tossed in four. Ashleigh Ousley and Brittany Hites finished with two apiece. Stephanie Adams scored one point. Belfry improved to 26-5 on the season.

Sports

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were very courteous to us and we appreciate the job they did with the tournament. What a great facility!

If you get a chance to catch the Freddie Goble and Al Gunner Show over CableVision, tune them in. They will have you rolling in the floor with laughter. I know what you are going to say: "Are these two for real?" Yes,

they are! When they mention Plain and Simple, they think that's the first names of the referees. Sportscasting will never be the same with these two behind the mike.

Well, it is now state tournament time and I will be at Rupp Arena for the boys' Sweet 16 as of this publication.

Gibson

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in the period. Pikeville led 39-37 after three periods. Nick Lynch hit a three-point basket from the right corner just ahead of the buzzer to give the Panthers the two-point advantage.

There were five ties in the fourth period.

Mims finished with 13 points for the game but had nine assists. Akers

netted 10 points, while Matt Branham came off the bench and scored seven.

Eric Robbins closed out a stellar career at Magoffin County by scoring 15 points to lead the Hornets scoring. Wes Bailey, also a senior, finished with 13 points and Jason Back tossed in 12. Arnett, who had two treys, scored 11 points.

New boating laws in effect

Some new laws regarding boating safety are in effect. Here's a few:

1. A person under 12 years old shall not operate a personal watercraft or motorboat over 10 horsepower on the public waters of Kentucky
- Personal watercraft used to tow individuals engaged in water-skiing or other similar activities shall have adequate seating and an observer aboard to watch the person being towed, or shall be equipped with a mounted rearview mirror with a field of vision at least 160 degrees.
- All persons operating or riding on a personal watercraft in public waters shall wear a U.S. Coast Guard-approved personal flotation device.
- Personal watercraft without self-circling capability shall not be operated on public waters in Kentucky unless equipped with a lanyard-type engine kill switch which shall be attached to the person, clothing or personal flotation device of the operator.
- Persons operating a personal watercraft or motorboat shall not endanger human life, human physical safety or property by:
 - Weaving through congested traffic,
 - Following watercraft that is towing an individual on water skis, a surfboard, or a water sport device,
 - Jumping the wake of another watercraft or cutting between a boat and the individual(s) being towed by the boat,
 - Crossing paths with another watercraft when visibility around the other watercraft is obstructed,
 - Steering toward an object or

individual in the water and turning sharply at close range.

Persons shall not operate a personal watercraft on public waters at any time between sunset and the following sunrise.

Persons shall not operate a motorboat or personal watercraft within 50 feet of a commercial motor vessel and its tow which is in operation on a waterway, except if the operator of the commercial vessel has given his or her consent.

EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 1999

A person 12 years old through 17 years old shall not operate a personal watercraft or motorboat over 10 horsepower on public waters in Kentucky unless that person is in possession of a safe boating certificate or is accompanied on board by a person 18 years or older or a person in possession of a safe boating certificate.

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For more information, contact the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, #1 Game Farm Rd., Frankfort, KY 40601 or phone 1-800-858-1549.

BOATING TESTS

Boating test are given at the Dewey Lake Fish and Game Club the first Wednesday of each month from 8-5 p.m. For more information on boating test, contact Mark Wallace, Boating and Wildlife Officer, at 606/358-4908.



Although Prestonsburg didn't win the game, some of the squad's players came out a winner and received trophies for their outstanding performance in the tournament.

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

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3. Bobby Labonte, 423	Mark Martin, 411	Joe Ruttman, 3,874
4. Jeff Gordon, 413	Matt Kenseth, 408	Jay Sauter, 3,872
5. Jeff Gordon, 401	Mike McLaughlin, 379	Tony Roper, 3,866
6. Mark Martin, 389	Kevin Lepage, 339	Jimmy Hensley, 3,870
7. Ken Schrader, 389	Dale Earnhardt Jr., 334	Stacy Compton, 3,542
8. Jeremy Mayfield, 380	Elliott Swayner, 331	Greg Biffle, 3,278
9. Wally Dallenbach, 363	Jeff Green, 317	Ron Barfield, 3,227
10. Chad Little, 359	Chuck Brown, 314	Mike Bickle, 3,210

- ### TOP TEN
- Weekly rankings by NASCAR This Week writer Monte Dutton. Last week's ranking is in parentheses.
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|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. (1) Jeff Gordon | Third place ain't bad |
| 2. (2) Mark Martin | Won the Busch race |
| 3. (5) Jeff Burton | Next superstar |
| 4. (6) Mike Skinner | Up front every week |
| 5. (3) Dale Jarrett | Ran out of gas |
| 6. (8) Jeremy Mayfield | Has the horses |
| 7. (4) Rusty Wallace | Just so-so at Vegas |
| 8. (7) Bobby Labonte | Headed to HIS track |
| 9. (9) Dale Earnhardt | Fierce competitor |
| 10. (-) Ward Burton | Beaten by baby bro |

FROM LAST WEEK

Winston Cup
 Brothers may not have fought each other so fiercely since the Civil War ended.
 In the barren desert north of Vegas, Jeff and Ward Burton fought a historic battle, with Jeff, 31, holding off Ward, 37, by 1.074 seconds.
 "It was awful stressful," said the winner. "I'm a big fan of Ward Burton. I want him to win races. We've always wanted to settle a big race like this between us. I was able to beat him. Next time he'll get me."
 The Burton brothers engaged in a spectacular battle that cooled with seven laps to go. Laps 25-4-258 were classics, with the cars side-by-side all the way around Las Vegas Motor Speedway, alternating the lead by inches as they crossed the start-finish line. Jeff's No. 99 cleared Ward's No. 22 in turn two of lap 258, and gradually pulled away over the final nine laps.

Busch Grand National
 The Sam's Town 300, Las Vegas Motor Speedway's Busch Grand National undercard, was a race fraught with possibilities, none of which materialized.
 The race could have been a rock 'em, sock 'em duel between Mark Martin and Jeff Gordon, the men most likely to settle the outcome of the following day's Las Vegas 400.
 It could have been the first of many titanic struggles between Gordon and Dale Earnhardt Jr.
 It could have been a battle of wits between the best stock car drivers in the world, since 17 of the 43 starters were from Winston Cup.
 But it was none of those things. It was a textbook scorched-earth job administered as only Martin can do. He and his black Taurus torched Gordon, incinerated little Earnhardt and nuked everybody else.

1999 WINSTON CUP SCHEDULE

Date	Track	Location
March 14	Atlanta Motor Speedway	Hampton, Ga.
March 21	Darlington Raceway	Darlington, S.C.
March 28	Texas Motor Speedway	Fort Worth, Texas
April 11	Bristol Motor Speedway	Bristol, Tenn.
April 18	Martinsville Speedway	Martinsville, Va.
April 25	Talladega Superspeedway	Talladega, Ala.
May 2	California Speedway	Fontana, Calif.
May 15	Richmond International Raceway	Richmond, Va.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

Jeff Burton vs. Ward Burton

There is no bad will here, but it's no secret that older brother Ward aspires to Jeff's status as a consistent front-runner on the Winston Cup Series. "There's nothing Jeff can do in a race car that I can't," says Ward, who finished second to his brother at Las Vegas.

NASCAR This Week's Monte Dutton gives his opinion: "Everyone knows that Ward Burton is a talented driver. The challenge, and it's been in place for several years, is for Ward and owner Bill Davis to find the week-to-week consistency that has eluded them."

FROM THE ARCHIVES

Once upon a time, NASCAR held 500-mile races on road courses, and in January 1965, Dan Gurney drove a Wood Brothers Ford to victory at Riverside, one of five such victories for the native Californian. The race took nearly five hours to complete, which is one of the reasons Winston Cup road races are now measured in kilometers.

Officials considering changes to Las Vegas Motor Speedway

By Monte Dutton
 NASCAR This Week
 LAS VEGAS — Don't be surprised to see some changes at Las Vegas Motor Speedway.

Bruton Smith's operatives have been going over the 1.5-mile track with a fine-tooth comb searching for possible improvements, and quizzing drivers, teams and media about likes and dislikes.

Among possible changes being pondered are razing the two-story building behind pit row because it blocks the view of the back stretch for many fans, extending the pits farther out to reduce the mammoth grassy space in the track's tri-oval, and increasing the banking in the turns from 12 degrees to 18 to 24 degrees.

test them at this (BGN) level and not put them in the pressure of Winston Cup. This is a way for them to get comfortable and for us to evaluate them later on."

"It's more than a farm team, but that's just one aspect of it that I think is a plus," said the three-time Winston champion.

"You've got to think long-term. You've got to think future. We're not going to be able to have the dominance we've had the past few years if we just stay the same."

"We've got to be able to bring in new, young, talented guys who have experience and who can get the job done. This is a way for us to

ON THE SCHEDULE

THE WINSTON CUP SERIES
 WHAT: Cracker Barrel 500
 WHERE: Atlanta Motor Speedway, Hampton, Ga.
 WHEN: Sunday, March 14
DEFENDING CHAMPION: Bobby Labonte
TRACK QUALIFYING RECORD: Geoff Bodine, Ford, 197.478 mph, Nov. 15, 1997.

RACE RECORD: Dale Earnhardt, Chevrolet, 161.298 mph, March 10, 1996.
NOTABLE: Three of Bobby Labonte's seven career victories have come on this track. ... Jeff Gordon won the 1998 season finale here. ... Earnhardt has won eight races here, more than any driver.

BUSCH GRAND NATIONAL
 WHAT: Yellow Freight 300
 WHERE: Atlanta Motor Speedway, Hampton, Ga.
 WHEN: Saturday, March 13
DEFENDING CHAMPION: Mark Martin
TRACK QUALIFYING RECORD: Dick Trickle, Chevrolet, 186.673 mph, Nov. 6, 1998.
RACE RECORD: Mark Martin, Ford, 151.751 mph, March 8, 1997.
NOTABLE: Martin has won the last two BGN races at Atlanta. Other former winners include Terry Labonte, Johnny Benson, Harry Gant, Ward Burton and Jeff Gordon.

Wally Dallenbach

PROFILE

Atlanta, pole (none), win (none).
CAREER STATISTICS: 164 starts, 0 poles, 0 wins, 5 top-five finishes, 18 top-10s, almost \$3.5 million in career earnings.

WHAT DO YOU EXPECT FROM THE 1999 SEASON? "We're looking for a much better season. I know the guys have worked extremely hard over the winter. We found some things that were wrong and learned some things that are going to make it better. We're pretty optimistic about a strong season this year."

WHAT DID YOU LEARN FROM YOUR FIRST RACES WITH HENDRICK MOTORSPORTS LAST YEAR? "We had the potential to win at least two races last year, but it just didn't work out. We had a bunch of opportunities to finish in the top five. It's all there, but we've got to make it happen. At the end of the day, you look at the results. We've got to finish races, and we've got to be consistent."

WHAT WILL IT TAKE TO WIN RACES? "When I got in the car and ran good, it wasn't any big surprise. There's no magic to this stuff. The car's either right or wrong. If it's right, we'll be up front. I have a lot of confidence in these guys, and I have a lot of confidence in myself. I believe we'll win a race this year."

HOMETOWN: Born in Brunswick, N.J., raised in Basalt, Colo.; lives in Mooresville, N.C.
AGE: 35
WIFE: Robin
CHILDREN: Jacob (9), Wyatt (8), Kate (2).
CAR: No. 25 Budweiser Chevrolet Monte Carlo, owned by "Papa Joe" Hendrick.
FIRSTS: Start (March 18, 1991), at

Trackside Trivia

1. How many Winston Cup races did Mario Andretti win?
 2. Who is the current president of NASCAR?
 3. What make of car was used in the first IROC series?

ANSWERS
 1) One, 1967 Dodge 500; 2) William C. France; 3) Porsche Carrera

CREW OF THE WEEK

Crew chief Frank Stoddard put together a dominant performance for the second time in as many races, but this time driver Jeff Burton had the car to beat at the end, and the result was an exciting victory in the Las Vegas 400.

"The win at Las Vegas was real special. I don't play up hardly anything, ever, but that was an incredible racetrack to drive on, and it was an incredible win for us."

Your Turn

Letters From Our Readers

Dear NASCAR This Week,
 Could you please send me information on Texas Motor Speedway and its March 28 race? Where can I write for tickets?
 David Goode
 Findlay, Ohio

Write to Texas Motor Speedway, PO Box 300, Fort Worth, Texas 76101.

Dear NASCAR This Week,
 I would like to know what NASCAR amateur series are in my general region, and where I could inquire on sign-up to race for those?
 Wes Rutherford
 Hamilton, Ohio

Strictly speaking, NASCAR does not sanction "amateur" racing because, even at weekly short tracks, drivers race for money. Perhaps a better term would be "beginner series." At each Winston Racing Series, competitors race each week during the season in a variety of classes. The Ohio tracks are Columbus Motor Speedway and Kil-Kare Speedway, outside Dayton.

Dear NASCAR This Week,
 Sometime in the late '50s or '60s, there was a newspaper article linking a B.A. Pless to NASCAR. What was his connection?
 Was he associated with Buck Baker? Wasn't Buck Baker the "Richard Petty of the '50s"?
 Kathleen Mitchell
 Atlanta

In 1952, Buck Baker drove 10 races in a car owned by B.A. Pless. During the 1952-53 seasons, Pless-owned cars competed in a total of 19 races. Baker and the late Buddy Shuman each won once in cars owned by Pless. As for Baker, his half-off-fame driver with 46 races in a career that began in 1949 and ended in 1976. He won 14 races in 1956 and 10 in '57, winning championships both years.

Big Sandy Briefs

The Numbers Game

Wednesday's Results	March 10, 1999
LOTTO KENTUCKY 11-13-17-21-23-28 Next Estimated Jackpot \$2.6 million	POWERBALL 01-14-26-34-49 (15) Next Estimated Jackpot \$40 million

New elementary construction project getting off the ground

The Magoffin County Board of Education has voted to approve the initial step to constructing a new facility by making major renovations to the current Magoffin Elementary.

The project will cost the system an estimated \$7,412,608 to complete.

These funds are available through bond sales and investment earnings.

The existing Magoffin Elementary is located beside the Herald Whitaker Middle School and consists of 10 classrooms, with a total capacity of 195 students. — *The Salyersville Independent*



Udick was flying the plane from Murfreesboro, Tennessee, to Beckley, West Virginia, when he apparently lost the use of all communications and navigational equipment.

Udick informed emergency personnel that he was also running out of fuel which prompted him to attempt an emergency landing in the open field.

The plane hit power lines while attempting the landing. These electrical lines were main transmission lines that carried 64,000 volts of electricity each.

Reportedly 4,000 customers experienced an interruption in electrical power.

The plan came to rest inverted in the field. Udick received only minor cuts to his legs and did not require medical attention. — *The Salyersville Independent*

Residents flock to Cessna crash site; lucky pilot escapes injury

Residents clamored to get to the scene of the first plane crash in Magoffin County since 1949. The crash occurred on Shafter Arnett Road of Oakley Creek on the evening of February 27.

Lines of traffic attempted to navigate the one lane road when the call was received by Emergency 911 shortly before 7 p.m.

Members of the District 3 Volunteer Fire Department were first on the scene where they found the Cessna 152 upside down in a field.

Only the 18-year-old pilot, Steven J. Udick, was aboard the small plane.

House fire forces mother and two children to jump to safety

A woman and her two children were forced to jump from a second story window when their home became engulfed in flames during the early morning hours of Thursday, February 25.

Leona Salyer and her two children were in bed when the fire woke them around 5 a.m. When Salyer discovered the fire, she and her children escaped the only way they could, through a second story window. — *The Salyersville Independent*

Transfer of property for prison should be soon

With only 12 days remaining until the Bureau of Prisons Contracting Department opens the bids for the design and build phase of the United States Penitentiary — Big Sandy, there still has not been a transfer of the property. Honey Branch Development Authority Administrator Ann Chaney is trying to schedule a meeting with authority members, hopefully, within the next week to have the property turned over to the Bureau of Prisons.

The Bureau of Prisons must have the entire parcel of property in its possession before the second stage of work begins. According to Big Sandy Area Development District Executive Director Roger Reckenwald, there is still ongoing discussion regarding exactly how much acreage the Honey Branch Authority will receive for the industrial park.

It was first thought that the authority would receive all the property behind the mineral cut-off line but, in addition, they will get all the acreage below the surface as well. — *The Mountain Citizen*

financial penalties, which at the least, could cause severe financial hardship with a daily fine of \$45,000 for EPA violations, and at worse, could bankrupt the county, for its failure to comply with environmental guidelines at its three transfer stations.

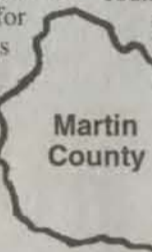
Because the county is in non-compliance, it could lose Community Development Block Grants (CDBG), according to Kathy Guess, with the state Department of Natural Resources.

Loss of the grants could mean no prison in Martin County because money for water line extension to the site will come from the CDBG.

One solution to the county's garbage woes is to initiate a mandatory garbage pickup program, Magistrate John Harmon told members of the fiscal court Friday. Martin County treasurer Franklin Fletcher said the county will run out of money to pay landfill costs in May, adding that the county will have paid \$342,000 by this point. — *The Mountain Citizen*

County's garbage woes could spell doom for prison project

The Martin County Fiscal Court is facing some stiff



Murder suspect arrested in Colorado

A man wanted in connection with a murder case surrounding a set of skeletal remains discovered in December was apprehended by authorities in Steamboat Springs, Colorado, last week.

James Grimm, 28, of River in Johnson County was wanted in connection with the murder of Phillip Michael Wagner, 31, of River in Johnson County.

Grimm was arrested by Colorado police on other charges, when authorities realized that he was wanted in Lawrence County. Authorities think Wagner's murder is in connection with a "chop shop" ring operating in the area. — *The Big Sandy News*

donate a monument bearing the name of the Vietnam soldier Charles S. Jones, as well as the name of any other veteran who died while serving the country. — *The Big Sandy News*

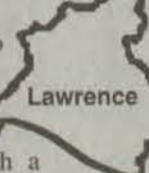
Ethics board rules judge falls under code

Lawrence County's ethics commission made a definite opinion Monday night that the county judge-executive was not exempt from the ethics code.

When the group met last month, they were faced with a dilemma of whether the ethics code, passed in 1994, applied to personnel in the county-judge's office. Officials with the judge's office cited a state law that said the judge has "the express authority to appoint a deputy county-judge executive and a reasonable number of other clerical workers and assistants." The law says the fiscal court can limit the number of such personnel and provide for a salary.

Deputy Judge-Executive interpreted the statute to give the judge authority to appoint whomever he wanted, regardless of the ethics code.

The ethics board said the judge could both appoint his office staff and follow the ethics code. — *The Big Sandy News*



Group offers to donate monument with Jones' name

The statewide attention a debate over adding a soldier's name to the courthouse war memorial received may have paid off for Lawrence County as a group from Louisville has offered to donate a new monument.

The Louisville Black Chamber of Commerce and Muldoon Monuments of Louisville has offered to

Knott County judge to hear Morgan cases

Chief Regional District Judge Susan M. Johnson has appointed Knott County District Judge Terry Jacobs to take care of suspended Judge William R. Woods' caseload in Morgan District Court. Judge Jacobs was scheduled to hold his first court session in West Liberty as special judge on Wednesday.

Judge Woods, of Grayson, was suspended from his duties for 60 days, effective March 1, by the Judicial Conduct Commission, on grounds that he acted in ways "in which his impartiality might reasonably be questioned."

The commission ruled unanimously that Woods had violated the state code of judicial conduct by referring court-related business to a home incarceration company that employed his wife and to a company owned by his cousin and his cousin's wife.

Alternatives, a company owned by Mike and Marie McCoy, is being sued by Woods for allegedly defaulting on bank loans he co-signed to boost their now-defunct ambulance service business. The McCoy's, who are facing criminal charges related to the bank loans, have filed a countersuit against Woods, claiming he wanted to put them out of business and had refused to send defendants on probation to Alternatives. — *The Licking Valley*



County and city reach accord; sign pact for new water plant

After months of discussion, most of the differences appear to have been settled between the county and city over proposed construction and operation of a new city water treatment plant which the county wants to help finance.

On Tuesday, County Judge-Executive Sid Stewart and West Liberty Mayor Robert Nickell signed a memorandum of agreement that will allow the project to proceed, and it appears that some progress already has been made toward resolving the final sticking point in the negotiations — the rate the county is to be charged for water it buys from the new plant.

The county wants to purchase the water in order to continue expansion of its rural water system, and last Thursday, around 100 mostly rural residents who attended a meeting of the Morgan County Water District Board made it clear they were anxious for the two governmental bodies to reach an agreement on the matter in hopes that it will hasten construction of the new plant and the extension of water lines into their communities.

The agreement inked Tuesday by the judge-executive and mayor frees \$1 million in state budget surplus funds to build the plant. — *The Licking Valley Courier*

Rebecca Gayheart continues role as major film star

Pinetop native Rebecca Gayheart has established herself as a well-known and versatile actress in the Hollywood community.

She is continuing to have great success in the movie industry, barely finishing acting in one movie until she is called to a new location to begin another film.

The movie "Urban Legend," released last year, received rave reviews and now her latest movie, "Jawbreaker," has movie critic Robert Ebert complimenting her photogenic appearance and acting skills.

Jawbreaker is a dark comedy about the cruel politics of high school. It is showing at Hillside Theatre in Hazard by special request of Gayheart's mother, Flo Gayheart. — *Troublesome Creek Times*



Hospital wants to keep business, board separate from Methodists

Pikeville Methodist Hospital is going to court to clarify its relationship with the United Methodist Church.

Last Tuesday, the hospital filed a "verified complaint for declaratory and other relief" against the United Methodist Church seeking a declaratory judgment that two of its amended articles of incorporation are invalid and that the hospital may be allowed to amend them to "exclude or prevent any further interference with the business or operations of the hospital by the Methodist Conference."

Among other things, the suits asks for an injunction restraining the Methodist Conference from "impeding, interfering with, or otherwise obstructing the proper operation and administration of the hospital including, but not limited to, the appointment of members of the board of directors or the amendment of the hospital's bylaws or articles of incorporation." — *Appalachian News-Express*



Pike man jailed for shooting wife

A Virgie man who allegedly shot his wife late

Tuesday night is being held in the Pike County Detention Center on a \$100,000 full-cash bond.

According to an arrest citation, George W. Johnson, 73, of Right Fork of Long Fork, shot and seriously injured his wife when he fired several rounds from a handgun during a domestic dispute.

Neveille Joy Johnson was admitted to Pikeville Methodist Hospital after the shooting. — *Appalachian News-Express*

Mother, son indicted for intimidation

A Sidney man and his mother were indicted this past week for intimidating a witness.

According to grand jury charges, Kenneth Totten, 31, and Edna Totten, 72, "committed the offense of intimidating a witness by threatening ... a person they believe may be called as a witness in an official proceeding in an attempt to influence her testimony or through complicity with each other in so doing."

The alleged intimidation occurred January 25, three days after Kenneth Totten was indicted on 12 counts of first-degree rape for, according to the true bills, "engaging in sexual intercourse with ... a person less than 12 years of age."

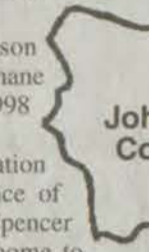
The victim, now 25, is also the alleged victim of intimidation. — *Appalachian News-Express*

Jury says shooting justifiable homicide

A Johnson County jury ruled Tuesday that a Chestnut man acted in self-defense when he fatally shot an Inez man last May.

An eight-woman, four-man Johnson County Circuit Court jury found Sheffrey Shane Dutton, 24, not guilty in the May 12, 1998 death of Gary Wayne Litton, 30.

Litton was shot during a verbal altercation with Dutton at the Whitehouse residence of Virginia Price. Defense attorney Ed Spencer contended that Litton had gone to the home to cause trouble and that Dutton was trying to protect himself from the victim, whom, witnesses testified, had threatened to kill Dutton. — *The Paintsville Herald*



Near-miss encounter leads to nearly-forgotten warrant

A near collision Monday at the intersection of routes 460 and 321 may have been a blessing in disguise for a

Sitka woman, but she's far from being ready to count herself fortunate.

Lisa Burchett said Tuesday that her former boyfriend Elbert Williamson Jr., "intentionally" tried to ram her car at the intersection, setting off a chain of events that led to the discovery of a glitch in Johnson County's justice system.

After the near-miss, Burchett said her current boyfriend, Thomas Fairchild, went to the Johnson County Sheriff's Office to complain, asking why Williamson was not in jail on a warrant that had been issued for his arrest in early February for allegedly sexually abusing a 10-year-old girl.

Fairchild said he was told by Sheriff Bill Witten that the charges had been dismissed and the warrant had been returned to the Johnson County Circuit Clerk's Office. Burchett said she located the unserved warrant in the clerk's office and the warrant had a hand-written note attached saying "Do Not Serve."

Confusion apparently arose from the dismissal of an EPO order — not the arrest warrant — against Williamson. — *The Paintsville Herald*

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97 HONDA ACCORD, 16,000 miles	SAVE	12990	SAVE
97 HONDA ACCORD LX	16025	14090	1045
98 HONDA ACCORD, 2,000 miles	18000	16990	1020

COMPACTS			
95 FORD ESCORT LX	6000	4990	1020
94 MERCURY TRACER LTS	5500	4990	1520
97 FORD ESCORT LX WAGON	9975	6990	2995
95 GEO PRIZM	SAVE \$\$\$	6990	SAVE
96 GEO PRIZM	8700	7990	720
96 PONTIAC SUNFIRE SE	12300	9990	2320
98 FORD ESCORT LX, 12,000 miles, 4 door	SAVE \$\$\$	9990	SAVE
98 PLYMOUTH BREEZE	12700	10990	1720

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97 OLDS ACHIEVA, 20,000 miles	SAVE \$\$\$	8990	SAVE
98 OLDS ACHIEVA	SAVE \$\$\$	9990	SAVE
98 OLDS ACHIEVA	SAVE \$\$\$	9990	SAVE
98 CHEVY MALIBU	15025	11990	3045
95 OLDS 98 REGENCY, Leather	15500	11990	3070
98 CHEVY LUMINA	15650	11990	3070
97 OLDS DELTA 88 LS	15950	11990	3070
96 OLDS 98 REGENCY	18050	12990	5070
96 BUICK PARK AVE	18400	12990	5420
98 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM	17150	13990	3170
98 OLDS CUTLASS	17790	13990	3770
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97 OLDS AURORA	24650	16990	7070

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98 OLDS 98 REGENCY	15925	13990	3245
96 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL	20600	13990	9620
96 LINCOLN TOWN CAR	20625	14990	5845
97 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL	23850	15990	7870

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95 BUICK CENTURY	8250	5990	2270
96 CHEVY BERETTA	8275	6990	1295
97 FORD CONTOUR GL	10275	7990	2295
96 FORD T-BIRD LX	11450	7990	3470
95 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE	9725	7990	1745
95 CHEVY CAVALIER 2.4	9300	7990	1320
97 PONTIAC GRAND AM SE	11300	7990	3320
96 SATURN SL1	10100	7990	2120

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97 FORD AEROSTAR XLT	14375	9990	4395
95 PONTIAC TRANSPORT	14425	9990	4445
98 FORD RANGER XLT FLAIRSIDE	14000	9990	4020
98 NISSAN FRONTIER	SAVE \$\$\$	9990	SAVE
98 NISSAN FRONTIER	SAVE \$\$\$	9990	SAVE
97 DODGE CARAVAN, 4 door	15400	10990	4420
98 FORD WINDSTAR GL	18025	14990	3045
97 FORD F150 XCAB XLT, 3 door	21025	15990	5045
98 PONTIAC TRANSPORT	21600	16990	4620
98 FORD F150 XLT X-CAB, 3 door, 18,000 miles	21400	16990	4620

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95 JEEP WRANGLER 4x4, Hard top	10500	8990	1520
97 GEO TRACKER 4x4	10950	8990	1970
95 JEEP CHEROKEE SPORT 4x4	13400	10990	2420
96 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4	SAVE	11990	SAVE
95 ISUZU RODEO LS 4x4	19050	12990	6070
97 JEEP WRANGLER 4x4	14400	12990	1420
97 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4	14100	12990	3245
95 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LAREDO 4x4	16800	14990	1820
96 GMC S15 JIMMY 4x4, Leather	21275	15990	5295
97 FORD EXPLORER XLT 4x4	23350	16990	6370
96 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE 4x4	19375	16990	2395
97 HONDA PASSPORT 4x4	20150	16990	3170
97 JEEP BLAZER LS 4x4	21775	16990	4795
97 FORD EXPLORER 4x4, Leather, moonroof	24575	17990	6595
97 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE 4x4	21225	17990	3245
97 MERCURY MOUNTAINEER AWD	23800	18990	4820
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98 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4, 7,000 miles	SAVE \$\$\$	18990	SAVE
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LOST AND FOUND

Lost

BRITTANY BIRD DOG. Lost Feb. 28th, 3 miles above German Bridge on John's Creek. Brown & White male with docked tail. Reward \$100 for return 886-8065.

PERSONAL

When responding to Personal ads that have reference numbers, please indicate that entire reference number on the outside of your envelope. Reference numbers are used to help us direct your letter to the correct individual.

INCARCERATED CHRISTIAN, white male. Non-violent. Age 46, height 6'2", 200 lbs., hazel eyes and easy on your eyes. A real easy going personality, crazy about life, love and laughter, country to the bone, farm & home owner, guitar picker, country song writer seeking country woman to rock my world. Picture exchange. Reference # 9800-4, P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

MISC.

Miscellaneous

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FREE PALETTES: Can be picked up behind The Floyd County Times.

Legals

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has been made by Harold D.Meade of the Floyd County Courthouse, 2nd Floor in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge/Executive shall hear evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit.

Hon. Keith Bartley
Floyd County Attorney

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operation of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permits shall file with the County Clerk no later than April 15,1999, in writing allegations that show cause as to why the

application shall not be granted. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said person providing the information.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled for April 15,1999, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as same can be heard before the Floyd County Judge/Executive at the Floyd County Courthouse, 2nd Floor in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge/Executive shall hear evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit.

Hon. Keith Bartley
Floyd County Attorney

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has been made by Shawn Johnson of P.O. Box 172, East Point, Floyd County, Kentucky 41216, the name of the proposed business of entertainment is Wizard's Game Room at McDowell, Kentucky. The nature of the business will be Pool Tables, Arcade Games, Soft Drinks, Chips, Candy and Juice Box.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operation of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permits shall file with the County Clerk no later than April 15,1999, in writing, allegations that show cause as to why the application shall not be granted. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said person providing the information.

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Hon. Keith Bartley
Floyd County Attorney

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Floyd County Schools are requesting bids for the following services for the 1999-2000 school year.

Blacktopping, security services, fire extinguisher service and supplies, fencing, carpeting, paint, elevator service, roofing supplies, waste water disposal, electrical and heating supplies, carpentry supplies, glass, plumbing supplies, replacement parts for sewage treatment plants, fire alarm panels, accessories, and service, refrigeration supplies, and water treatment for heating and cool-

ing systems, custodial supplies and equipment.

Bids will be accepted at the Maintenance Department until 10:00 a.m. on March 31,1999, for bid opening.

For specifications or further information, call Gregory Adams, Director of Facilities, at 606-874-2049.

The Floyd County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Floyd County Schools are requesting sealed bids for Grass Cutting. Bid specifications may be obtained in the Director of Facilities office located at the Maintenance Department, old Allen Elementary School, 23 Martin Street, Allen KY 41601.

Bids will be accepted at the Maintenance Department until 10:00 a.m., March 31, 1999 for bid opening.

For further information please contact Gregory Adams at (606) 874-2049.

The Floyd County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0281

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Addington Mining, Inc., 1500 North Big Run Road, Ashland Kentucky 41102, has applied for a permit for an amendment to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 1 mile northwest of Hennon in Floyd County. The amendment will add 17.34 acres of surface disturbance making a total area of 811.09 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed operation is approximately 2.93 miles northeast from U.G. 23's junction with CR-1026 (Mare Creek Road) and is located along Shop Branch of Mare

Creek. The latitude is 37°35'05". The longitude is 82°36'04".

The proposed operation is located on the Broad Bottom and Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by the Hatcher Trimble Trust and Buffalo Development.

The operation will use the contour, auger, and area methods of surface mining.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0261, Major Revision No. 5

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for a major revision to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 0.75 miles north of Prestonsburg in Floyd County. The major revision will delete 10.20 acres of surface disturbance and 8.30 acres of underground mining making a total of 1081.26 within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.75 miles northwest from KY 3's junction with KY 1428 and located

0.1 miles east of Levisa Fork of Big Sandy River. The latitude is 37°41'44". The longitude is 82°46'01".

The proposed major revision is located on the Prestonsburg and Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected by the major revision is owned by the City of Prestonsburg.

The major revision proposes to change the postmining land use of portions of the permit area from fish and wildlife to industrial, residential and recreational postmining land use.

The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

All comments must be received within 30 days of today's date.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Steve Clark, mailing address P.O. Box 8 Bevinville, KY 41650, hereby declares his intention to apply for a retail beer by the package license no later than March 30, 1999. The business to be licensed will be located at Rt. 122 Melvin, KY 41650 doing business as Clark's beer, wine & liquor.

Owner, Steve Clark, P.O. Box 8 Bevinville, KY 41650. Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 1003 Twilight Tr. A-2 Frankfort, KY 40601, within 30 days of the date of this legal publication.

ADVERTISEMENT

FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Fiscal Court is accepting bids for a 1999 Four-(4) wheel drive Crew Cab Chassis Cab. Bid specifications can be picked up at the office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive during the regular hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope to the office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive, Second Floor, Floyd County Courthouse, 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 no later than 4:00 p.m., March 17,1999. Bids will be opened at the regular Floyd County Fiscal Court meeting to be held on February 19,1999 at 10:00 a.m. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids and will award to the lowest and/or best bidder.

Floyd County Fiscal Court
Paul Hunt Thompson
County Judge/Executive

PUBLIC NOTICE ORDINANCE #98-015

AMENDMENT #12
Second reading of a proposed ordinance amending the Floyd County Budget for Fiscal Year 1998-1999, to include unanticipated receipts from FEMA in the amount of \$34,584.00 and increasing the expenditures in the area of LGEA Fund will be held on March 19,1999 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. in the County Courtroom of the Floyd County Courthouse, Second Floor. A copy of the proposed ordinance with full text is available for public inspection at the office of the County Judge/Executive during normal business hours.

ing normal business hours.
Paul Hunt Thompson
Floyd County Judge/Executive

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on Friday March 26, 1999 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment con-

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held on March 30, 1999 at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, at the offices of the Kentucky Public Service Commission, 730 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses of Kentucky Power and intervenors in Case No. 98-624-An Examination by the Public Service Commission of the Environmental Surcharge Mechanism of Kentucky Power Company d/b/a American Electric Power as billed from January 1, 1998 to June 30, 1998.

Errol K. Wagner,
Director of Regulatory Affairs
Kentucky Power Company
d/b/a American Electric Power

Independent Auditor's Report

Chairman & Commissioners
Wheelwright Utility Commission
Wheelwright, Kentucky 41669

We have audited the accompanying component unit financial statements of the Wheelwright Utility Commission of the City of Wheelwright, Kentucky, as of June 30, 1998 and for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Wheelwright Utility Commission's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Governmental Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatements. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statements presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As discussed in Note A, the financial statements present only the Wheelwright Utility Commission and are not intended to present fairly the financial position of the City of Wheelwright, Kentucky, and the results of its operations are cash flows of its proprietary and similar trust fund types in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to in the first paragraph present fairly, in all material respects the financial position of the Wheelwright Utility Commission of the City of Wheelwright, Kentucky, as of June 30, 1998, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The financial information listed as supporting schedules in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements of the Wheelwright Utility Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

William E. Bottoms, PSC
January 29, 1999
Prestonsburg, Kentucky

WHEELWRIGHT UTILITY COMMISSION BALANCE SHEET June 30, 1998

ASSETS	
CURRENT ASSETS	
CASH	\$ 62,708
RESTRICTED CASH, ESCROW ACCOUNTS (NOTE B)	33,081
RESTRICTED CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT (NOTE B)	47,604
CUSTOMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	26,335
DUE FROM CITY OF WHEELWRIGHT	11,912
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	181,640
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	
BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT	34,044
LAND	5,000
UTILITY SYSTEM & EQUIPMENT	2,599,913
OFFICE EQUIPMENT	3,262
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	(700,003)
TOTAL PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT	1,942,216
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 2,123,856
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	\$ 2,278
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	8,179
CURRENT PORTION—NOTES PAYABLE	34,445
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	44,902
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	
NOTES PAYABLE TRANSFINANCIAL BANK	16,298
NOTES PAYABLE RECD	282,173
NOTES PAYABLE DLG	163,299
NOTES PAYABLE KIA	300,291
NOTES PAYABLE KY WVA GAS	42,880
LESS: CURRENT PORTION	(34,445)
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	770,496
TOTAL LIABILITIES	815,398
EQUITY	
RESERVE FOR REPLACEMENT	75,553
CONTRIBUTED CAPITAL	1,418,712
RETAINED EARNINGS	(185,807)
TOTAL EQUITY	1,308,458
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$ 2,123,856

Independent Auditor's Report

Mayor and Commission Members
City of Wheelwright, Kentucky

We have audited the accompanying component unit financial statements of the City of Wheelwright, primary government as of and for the year ended June 30, 1998. These component unit financial statements are the responsibility of City of Wheelwright Kentucky's primary government's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these component unit financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the component unit financial statements are free of material misstatements. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statements presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The component unit financial statements referred to above include only the financial activities of the primary government. Financial activities of other component units that form the reporting entity are not included.

In our opinion, the component unit financial statements referred to in the first paragraph present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the City of Wheelwright, Kentucky's primary government as of June 30, 1998, and the results of its operations and the cash flows of its proprietary fund types for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

William E. Bottoms, PSC, CPA

CITY OF WHEELWRIGHT COMBINED BALANCE SHEET — ALL FUND TYPES As of June 30, 1998

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund
ASSETS		
Cash	\$13,298	\$6,572
Accounts Receivable		0
Taxes	211	0
TOTAL ASSETS	13,509	6,572
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Accounts Payable	1,373	0
Note Payable	2,641	0
Due to Utility Commission	11,912	0
TOTAL Liabilities	15,926	0
FUND EQUITY		
Fund balance	(2,417)	6,572
Total Fund Equity	(2,417)	6,572
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	\$13,509	\$6,572

tract signed 4/14/98.
1998 Chevrolet S-10 Pickup S/N 1457.

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.

Call Mike Haney for location, 606-886-2321.

First Commonwealth Bank
169 North Arnold Avenue
Prestonsburg, KY 41653

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on Friday March 26, 1999 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 2/20/98.

1996 Nissan 4x4 Pickup S/N 9478.

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 PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on Friday March 26, 1999 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 9/25/98.

1996 Pontiac Sunfire S/N 4634.

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.

Call Mike Haney for location, 606-886-2321.

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PUBLIC NOTICE ORDINANCE #98-016

Second reading of a proposed ordinance of the Fiscal Court of the County of Floyd, Kentucky, authorizing and approving the issuance of General obligation Bonds, Series 1999 in the approximate amount of \$9,475,000 (which amount may be increased or decreased by up to \$975,000); Authorizing the levy of a direct annual tax on all taxable property within the County, in addition to all other taxes, in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the series 1999 Bonds when and as the same become due; Authorizing the establishment of certain funds to provide for the collection of revenues from the projects and, to the extent required, the proceeds of the tax, Authorizing the pub-

licly advertised, competitive sale of said Bonds and the disbursement of the proceeds thereof, and Authorizing certain other actions with regard to the refinancing and the acquisition, construction, and equipping of the projects generally.

The second reading of the proposed ordinance will be held on March 19, 1999 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. in the County Courtroom of the Floyd County Courthouse, Second Floor. A copy of the proposed ordinance with full text is available for public inspection at the office of the County Judge/Executive during normal business hours.

Paul Hunt Thompson
Floyd County Judge/Executive

NOTICE OF BOND SALE

The Judge-Executive of Floyd County, Kentucky, will until 11:00 a.m., Eastern Time, March 30, 1999, receive at the offices of the County Judge/Executive Floyd County Courthouse, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, sealed, competitive bids for the purchase of \$9,475,000 principal amount of "County of Floyd, Kentucky, General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 1999" dated April 1, 1999 (the Bonds) being fully registered Bonds of \$5,000 at any integral multiple of \$5,000, maturing on March 1, 2000 and each March 1 thereafter, including March 1, 2019. Bonds maturing on or after March 1, 2010 are subject to optional redemption on any date on and after September 1, 2009. Successful purchaser of the bonds may, within one-half hour of the sale, specify that any Bonds may be combined with immediately succeeding sequential maturities into a term Bond or term Bonds bearing a single rate of interest. The bid may be accepted for as little as \$8,975,000 of Bonds or as much as \$9,975,000 of Bonds, at the same price per \$5,000 Bond, with the variation in such amount occurring in any maturity or all maturities which will be determined by the Judge/Executive of Floyd County at the time of the acceptance of the best bid. Bids must be on official bid form contained in the Preliminary Official Statement, available from the undersigned or Ross, Sinclair & Associates, Inc., 315 N. Broadway, Lexington, Kentucky 40508 or 36 E. Seventh Street, Suite 1550, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202, which has been deemed "final" by the County within the meaning of Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15C-15c2-12. Reference is made to the official terms and conditions of Bond Sale contained in the Preliminary Official Statement for details and bidding conditions. Bids may be telephoned to (606) 886-9193 at the offices of the County Judge/Executive of Floyd County Kentucky or by telephonic transfer to (606) 886-1083. Sale on tax exempt basis is, subject to approving legal opinion of Wilsonson Sowards, Bowling & Costanzo,

Bond Counsel, Lexington, Kentucky. Right to reject the bids or waive informality is reserved.
Paul Hunt Thompson
Floyd County, Kentucky Judge/Executive

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS WHEELWRIGHT WATER/SEWER PROJECT CITY OF WHEELWRIGHT WHEELWRIGHT, KENTUCKY

Separate sealed bids for the Wheelwright Water/Sewer Project will be received at the City Building, P.O. Box 353, Wheelwright, Kentucky 41669 until 11:00 local time, March 24, 1999, and then at said Office publicly opened and

read aloud.
The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:
City of Wheelwright, P.O. Box 449, Wheelwright, Kentucky, 41669
Kenvirons, Inc., 452 Versailles Road, Frankfort, KY 40602
F.W. Dodge/ABC Planroom, 132 Venture Court, Suite #12, Lexington, Kentucky 40509
F.W. Dodge Corp., 303 Hurstbourne Lane, Louisville, KY 40207
Associated General Contractors, 2321 Fortune Drive, Lexington, Kentucky 40509
Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at Kenvirons, Inc., 452 Versailles Road, Frankfort, KY 40601, upon payment to Kenvirons, Inc. of

\$50.00, non-refundable set.
Each bidder must accompany his bid with a Bid Bond in amount of not less than five (5) percent of the base bid. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 90 days. The Bidder awarded the contract shall execute a 100% Performance Bond and a 100% Payment bond and shall furnish insurance as required, in the General Conditions. The contract shall be completed within 120 calendar days after the date of authorization to start work. Liquidated damages will be \$300 per calendar day.
Bidders must comply with the President's Executive Order Nos. 11246 and 11375, which prohibit discrimination in employment regarding race,

creed color, sex, or national origin. Bidders must comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Anti-Kickback Act and the contract Work Hours Standard Act. Bidders must certify that they do not, and will not, maintain or provide for their employees any facilities that are segregated on a basis of race, color, creed, or national origin.
Any bid that is obviously unbalanced may be rejected. The City of Wheelwright reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive informalities.
Small, minority and woman's businesses and labor surplus area firms are encouraged to bid this project.
City of Wheelwright

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The Cats Page
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LET THE MADNESS BEGIN!



The Kentucky Wildcats will begin their defense of their NCAA crown by playing New Mexico State in the Midwest Regional as the number 3 seed - this Friday night at 10:30.



The Cats Prowl

UK Men in the First Round
Opponent: New Mexico State
When: Friday (time TBA)
Where: Louisiana Superdome in New Orleans
Records: UK 25-8; New Mexico State 23-9
New Mexico State
Location: Las Cruces, N.M.
Record: 23-9
Nickname: Aggies
Coach: Lou Henson
Region: Midwest
Seed: No. 14
Bjd: Big West champion
Tourney Record: 10-17, 15 appearances
Last NCAA appearance: 1994
Conference: Big West Conference
Top scores: Charles Gosa 14.5; William Keys 13.2; Eric Channing 10.2.
Top rebounders: Charles Gosa 7.8; Aaron Brodt 5.0.
Top assists: William Keys 4.7; Brad Bestor 1.7.
Three-point threats: Eric Channing 66; Brad Bestor 63; William Keys 42.
Last 10 games: 8-2

UK Women in the First Round
Opponent: Nebraska
When: 9:15 p.m., Saturday
Where: Pauley Pavilion in Los Angeles
Records: nebraska 21-11; UK 20-10
Kentucky, which finished 20-10, will be the regions' No. 6 seed and face No. 11 seed Nebraska (21-11) at UCLA's Pauley Pavilion at 9:15 p.m., EST Saturday. UCLA (23-7), the No. 3 seed, will play Wisconsin-Green Bay at midnight.

And not to be out-done by the Dick Vitales of the hoops world - the Cats Page will take its shot at predicting their own bracket.
This week the first round regional site in New Orleans: As we follow the Cats through the brackets. Look for the Cats to struggle with New Mexico State early, but prevail with their defense



Cat Profile

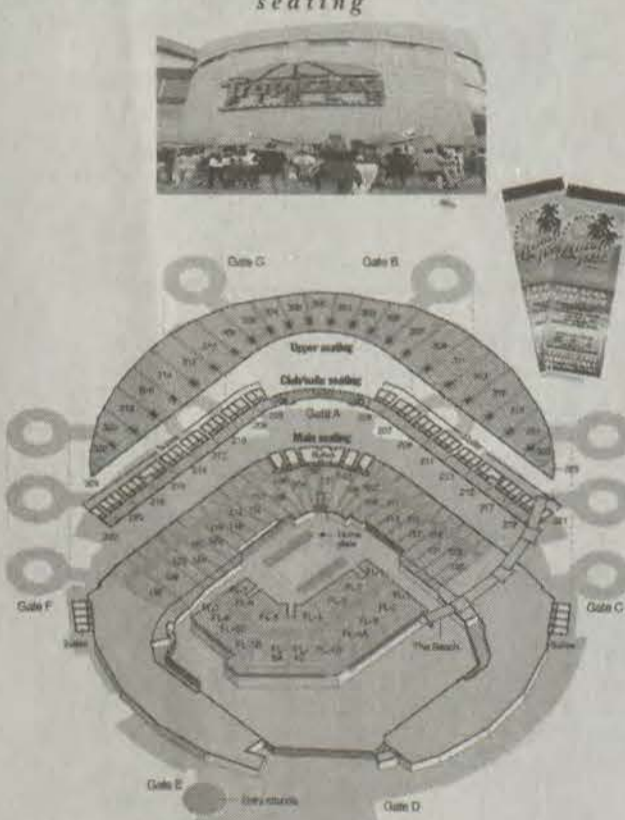
The veteran bench coach has a rare distinction. He's been an assistant to Tubby Smith at both the high school and college level. Smith hired him at Hoke County High in North Carolina, but left for a college job before the season began.
Sutton and Smith have crossed paths five times. They also served together at Virginia Commonwealth as assistants, then Sutton worked for Smith at Tulsa, Georgia and now UK.

Mike Sutton
In another distinction, Sutton's won a state championship in high school, the 1993-94 Virginia class 3-A title at Richmond Meadowbrook, and the NCAA championship with UK last season.
Sutton's role at UK is basically on-campus. He handles some recruiting, but plays a heavy role in practice and administration. He has 25 years of coaching experience, second only to Smith's 26 years.

Cat Scratch

UK Football on the surface
UK announced that it will play its annual spring football game April 24 at Georgetown College, with kickoff scheduled for 3:30 p.m.
Georgetown beat out Centre College, which also was considered as a site after Kentucky officials decided that construction to expand Commonwealth Stadium would force the game to be moved.
Rawlings Stadium seats approximately 5,000 and serves as training camp facility for the Cincinnati Bengals. It's the home of Georgetown College's Tigers.
"The playing surface at Georgetown is really good, and having the best possible surface was my main concern," UK Coach Hal Mumme said.

Final Four



Say What?
"We're the Wildcats, Baby!" The Wildcats logo chant, according to Senior Wayne Turner. "That's how we want to play."

Trivia Answers

Answer to Cat Trivia Question - Week 27
The last time the Wildcats lost in the SEC tournament was 1996. Mississippi State 84 UK 73

Cat Rewind

Cats Hit Lucky 13 in Atlanta
The Kentucky Wildcats may want to consider building any new future arena - not on campus as has been discussed, but much further south. In fact, why even build - just play all future home games in Atlanta (Atlanta to the rest of the SEC) and watch as undefeated season over undefeated season passes.
The Cats ran their record in "Rupp South" to 13-0 as they rushed through the tournament to take the SEC tourney with victories over Mississippi, Auburn, and Arkansas.
UK 83 Mississippi 73
Senior Guard Wayne Turner again showed why his middle name must be "March" as he led the Cats with 24 points - including 4 of 5 from the three-point area. UK seniors Scott Padgett and Hesihmu Evans also contributed 10 and 16 points respectively as the Cats road a second half run to pull open a close battle and out-last the Rebels.
Key Stat: Ole Miss shoots only 36.1% from the field.
UK 69 Auburn 57
The Wildcats used the "defense" part of "defend" - ing SEC Champ as they stopped the regular season champ and No. #1 tourney seed Auburn Tigers - 69-57. Limiting SEC player of the year, Chris Porter, to 12 points and the Tigers to a team shooting percentage of just 30%.
"They were everywhere," said Auburn guard Scott Pohlman of UK defenders.
Key Stat: Kentucky rebounded with the strong Auburn inside game at 45 boards each.
UK 76 Arkansas 63
Tourney MVP Scott Padgett 20 points, 5 rebounds and 2 assists led the Wildcats past the Razorbacks for their 3rd straight SEC tourney championship and seventh in the last eight years. Cat seniors Turner and Evans also helped the Cats with a 2nd half run that erased a point halftime deficit. Again, defense was the key as the Cats held the Hogs to 34.8% shooting and 1 for 9 from the 3 point line after halftime.
Key to the Game: Cats switch from man-to-man defense to 2-3 and 3-2 zones that limited the Hogs effectiveness.

If you've got a question, comment, write:
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MORE MADNESS!
WATCH FOR The New UK Basketball Museum REVIEW IN A UPCOMING ISSUE

The Friday Comics

GEORGE by MARK SZORADY



R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND



OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS



BRINGING UP FATHER



THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING



MAMA'S BOYZ by JERRY CRAFT



BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL



Super Crossword

ACROSS	1 Author of "The Divine Comedy"	6 Indecent talk	10 Playwright Connelly	14 Gruel of maize meal	19 Part of T.S.E.	20 "To — His Dulcinea"	21 Inland sea of Asia	22 Jeopardy	23 Novel by Danielle Steel	25 Shirley MacLaine opus	27 Logan or Fitzgerald	28 Spanish seaport	30 High tableland	31 Gray wolf	32 Actor/dancer Bolger	33 It might be red	34 Goddess of harvests	36 Weights of India	38 Women's org.	39 John O'Hara's "A — to Live"	40 Spain's — del Sol	42 Noted	courier	44 Money, in Mexico	47 Organized	49 He wrote "Berlin Diary"	53 Word before sult or shop	54 Sketch	55 Epochal	57 — Culp Hobby	58 Dozes off	59 Larlat	60 Made public	62 Nipa palm	63 Chemical suffix	64 Of greater height	65 He wrote "On Wings of Eagles"	67 Desert in Asia	68 "On Your —" (musical)	69 She created Heidi	75 Rachel Carson's "Silent —"	78 Little boy	81 Actor Ray	82 "The — and Daniel Webster"	83 House or field follower	84 Diva's forte	85 Zeppelin's cousin	87 Actress	Moreno	88 Gal Fri.?	89 Elmore Leonard novel	90 Glossy fabric	92 Young hare	94 Peace of mind	95 Plod	97 Splinter groups	98 Calligrapher's supply	99 Fri. follower	102 In good condition	104 Adage	105 Enameled metalware	106 Aries	109 Caesar's fatal date	111 Bar or house follower	113 Easy to manage	115 Soccer great	118 Belonging to the author of "Red Storm Rising"	119 Book by John Naisbitt	121 Hungarian national hero	122 Source of the Blue Nile	123 "East of —"	124 Made of cereal grass	125 Donna and Robert	126 Outbuilding	127 Dweeb's pal	128 Cara of "Fame"	(1976 movie)	37 District of London	39 Classic cars	40 Packing case	41 Eagle's home	43 Competitors	44 Frank Herbert novel	45 Privy to	46 Nest of pheasants	47 Evangelist	48 Mend socks	50 Plexus	51 French state	52 Engrossed	54 Distribute the mail	56 Radical or liberal	59 Fanatical in opinions	61 "Lorna —"	64 High, craggy hill	66 Stage of a journey	67 Folklore creatures	69 Pokes	70 Spicy stew	71 Access to a mine	72 Wicked	73 Religious ceremonies	74 Drudges	75 Judy Blume novel	76 Works as a	77 Reddish-brown color	78 Peter, Paul and Mary, a.g.	79 River islands	80 Bewilder	84 Heidi's home	86 Pound heavily	89 Hackman of Hollywood	91 "— Rae"	93 Habitat plant form	94 Lease again	96 San Francisco team	98 James Michener novel	99 Hindu guitar	100 Worship	101 Arizona city	103 Hebrew prophet	105 Detroit player	106 French security	107 Priscilla's husband	108 Middle, in law	110 Atlantic fish	112 Unit of force	114 Yield	115 Pome fruit	117 Brit. nobleman	118 "The Ballad of the — Cafe"	120 French king
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MAGIC MAZE

WORDS ENDING IN "EON"

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 A X V S Q N K P I F D A X V T
 Q O F N M J H A F C A Y W U R
 P N N R O L J N N N N N N H F
 S D B O E E N T O O O O O Z X
 U V T R E O L H Q E E E E E O
 R M K I E H N E L L G G G N P
 G H F L D B C O M L Z R D I Y
 E W C V T R P N Q A O U I P
 O U N L K A I H U G H B L T W
 N O E G N U D F D L C C B A S

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

- Blurgeon
- Burgeon
- Chameleon
- Dungeon
- Galleon
- Luncheon
- Napoleon
- Neon
- Nucleon
- Pantheon
- Peonion
- Pigeon
- Sturgeon
- Surgeon
- Widgeon

HOCUS-FOCUS by HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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Differences: 1. Boy is missing. 2. Plant is different. 3. Flowers are added. 4. Girl's shoe has changed. 5. Tree is missing. 6. Flowers are different.

Answers to Crossword Puzzle and Magic Maze can be found on page A7