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Briefs

Blood drive at SFHS

Residents in the southern part of Floyd County are urged to donate blood next Wednesday — May 19 — when the Central Kentucky Blood Center holds a blood drive at South Floyd High School. The drive will take place from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Band Room. Donors, of course, get a gift, as well as a good feeling. For information, call drive chairperson Bobbie Lynn Moore, 606/452-9600.

Locals perform for safety

Students and faculty from throughout the Floyd County School System will perform in the "Safe Schools Concert" on May 21 at 7 p.m. at the Mountain Arts Center. Proceeds will go toward improving safety in local schools, according to coordinator Karen Allen of Betsy Layne Elementary School. Tickets, which are available at the MAC, are \$20. For information, call Allen at 606/478-9751.

Blackey store to host historian

Dr. Thomas D. Clark, Kentucky's Historian Laureate, will speak at the C.B. Caudill Store in Blackey Saturday at 2 p.m. He will use the setting of the former general store to talk about the role of such establishments as community gathering places, centers of commerce and political clearinghouses. Community members are working to turn the store, which opened in 1933 in the Letcher County community, into a history center and regional museum. Dr. Clark's address is free. For information, contact Mimi Pickering at Appalshop, 606/633-0108.

Search is on

If you want to take part in the search process for a new superintendent for Floyd County Schools, you can attend the meeting today of the screening committee. The meeting is at 4 p.m. at the central office on

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Reno's burglarized; juvenile in custody

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

A local business was burglarized early Friday morning, and one juvenile was placed in custody in connection with the incident.

About \$900 worth of beer and liquor were taken from Reno's Restaurant in Prestonsburg.

Prestonsburg Police Chief Darrell Conley inventoried beer and liquor Tuesday police confiscated Sunday. The items were taken from Reno's restaurant in an early morning burglary Friday. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Investigating Prestonsburg Police Officer George Tussey said Monday that the burglary occurred sometime between 1 a.m. and 5 a.m. Friday. Employees locked the doors to the restaurant about a half an hour after midnight, Tussey said.

"We're still looking at how they entered the building," the police officer said. "There was no sign of forced entry." Burglars tried to break into a

safe by knocking off the front tumblers and handles, Tussey said.

A manager at Reno's discovered the burglary early Friday morning when he came to work, Tussey said.

"The burglars left the cabinets open." Tussey began investigating and, by Sunday, had a 17-year-old juvenile in custody.

Prestonsburg Police officers Bryan Hall and Thomas Gearheart and officers with the sheriff's department assisted in locating the juvenile, Tussey said.

Tussey confiscated nine cases of beer and 39 bottles of liquor, whiskey and champagne in his investigation.

In looking through the items, Prestonsburg Police Chief Darrell Conley pulled such brands as Wild Turkey and Corona out of a storage cooler that also had been stolen in the incident.

"This is the elite of alcoholic beverages," Chief Conley said.

Tussey said the investigation is continuing and he thinks more juveniles are involved in the incident. Adjudication for the teen is set for May 20.

Fiscal Court rescinds hiring resolutions

PRIDE grants to be contracted

by Pam Shingler
Editor

Sometimes, speed and attempts at efficiency don't fit well with government.

The Floyd County Fiscal Court has hustled in the last month or so to hire temporary workers to carry

out the cleanup of several creeks and dumps. Funding for the projects comes from federal PRIDE grants.

Reading a little more closely, the county leaders learned that PRIDE guidelines require them to contract the work out rather than put workers on the public payroll.

More than 30 persons had been approved to work for \$6.50 an hour with no benefits, until the five creek projects and one large dump cleanup were done this summer. Of those hired, only one, Herman

Conn, is being retained, as a crew leader.

At a special meeting last Friday, the county commissioners had to rescind the hirings and accept bids for the contracted labor. The decisions were easy since only one bid was received for each of the projects. Each bid was for \$20,000, the amount of each PRIDE grant.

Hapco Enterprises won the bid to clean up a massive, illegal dump on David Mountain, which is included in the one-mile project

from David to the Magoffin County line. Volunteers worked on the site closest to the road earlier this year, but much garbage remains over the hillside and at the mouth of an old logging road at the dumpsite.

Clayton Holland Jr. was the lone bidder on the other five PRIDE projects, which involve cleaning up debris, clearing away scrub trees and brush and removing obstacles to water flow on the creeks.

The creek projects include

- Turkey Creek (with Maytown

Volunteer Fire Department), from KY 680 to the mouth of Right Beaver at Maytown;

- Right Beaver, from Estill Bottom to Stone Coal;

- Arkansas Creek (with Allen Volunteer Fire Department), from the head of Arkansas Creek to the mouth, including Pickle Bean Hollow;

- Mud Creek 1, from Mink Branch to Tackett Fork; and

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Physical condition of schools worries planning committee

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

The Floyd County Local Planning Committee (LPC) has reached a consensus, at least in principle: If new schools can't be built, the system should make the schools with most pressing problems "livable."

The committee met Monday to discuss school visits and other

items, but after 90 minutes the group had spent most of the time discussing problems at specific schools. The other items will be placed on the agenda for the next meeting in June.

Joe Nance, from Ross, Sinclair & Associates bonding company, explained to the group how money is allocated and how bonding potential is determined.

Nance told the group that Floyd

County has a bonding potential of about \$7.2 million (a drop from \$8 million in the last few months due to a decrease in average daily attendance). Nance told the committee that he knew the system had needs well in excess of the \$7.2 million, but until the bonding potential improves the system will be limited in what it could do.

Committee chairman Jody Sword and Interim Superintendent/State Manager Woody Carter said it is important for parents to see the connection between sending students to school on a regular basis and the ability to fund building projects, as well as purchase instructional supplies.

Carter said the district lost 275 students last year and anticipates the loss of 240 for the coming year. He said nothing can be done about those lost students, but better attendance on the part of the remaining students will mean more money across the board.

Based on needs, the committee selected the following schools as needing most immediate attention: Allen Central High, Allen Central Middle, South Floyd Middle, and Osborne Elementary, Prestonsburg Elementary, Betsy Layne High,

(See Schools, page two)

City lets bid for trails

by Pam Shingler
Editor

The Prestonsburg City Council let a bid to construct hiking trails and lit into the federal government over the newly-relocated post office during its Monday night meeting.

C & C Construction submitted the low bid of \$39,400 for constructing two recreational trails for the city. The bid was \$600 under the amount the city has to spend for the project — \$40,000 from a grant. The other bid was from High Tech Construction for more than \$40,000.

The Jenny Wiley Trail will start at Stratton Branch and follow the

ridge to the sky lift at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. The Garfield Trail, named for the former president and Civil War general who led Union forces in this area, will follow the hillside from West Prestonsburg to the mouth of Abbott Creek.

The council also approved the single bid of \$5,400 from Bill Bottoms to perform the city's audit and approved the second reading of an ordinance to annex property owned by Michael and Linda Spradlin at Abbott near Stephens Branch.

Mayor Jerry Fannin informed the council that the contractor has

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Misty Dotson gave her mom, Rhonda Clay, a hug before graduation ceremonies for Prestonsburg Community College students Friday. Dotson graduated last year; her mother graduated Friday. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Floyd County Chamber of Commerce to host 'dynamic duo'

by Rebecca Derossert
Special to the Times

The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce will present two well-known public figures at the annual awards banquet on May 20 in Prestonsburg. The duo has been seen together many times at groundbreaking, dedications, and even at some unsightly locations such as illegal trash heaps in creekbeds and hillsides. Since 1996 the two gentlemen have worked together to clean up Kentucky and create a New Appalachia.

Shortly after his inauguration in

December 1995, Gov. Paul Patton called Gen. James Bickford out of retirement and appointed him Secretary of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet. Little did the governor know that the Harlan Countian would change the face of eastern Kentucky.

Gen. Bickford, with the full support of the governor, took a strong stand on enforcing litter laws in Kentucky. He upset the status quo by emphasizing that littering is a crime, punishable by law.

Bickford formed a close alliance with Patton, Congressman Hal

Rogers and local government officials across the eastern part of the state to promote the PRIDE Program. He espouses the theory that a clean Kentucky enhances business growth and creates a healthy economy.

Patton has commended Bickford's dedication to cleaning up the environment and has stated that such efforts will result in tourism development, especially eco-tourism, and will help bring about a New Appalachia.

"Secretary Bickford and I understand that if Kentucky is to be all it can be, then eastern Kentucky must

be a full contributing partner. That means creating a clean environment, a growing economy, and educational opportunities," says Patton.

Patton has recently begun to point out that eastern Kentuckians are experiencing a subtle change in the economy, education, and the environment. He avows that the mountain people are on the verge of a New Appalachia—a unique circumstance where the quality of life is considered very desirable.

The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce will host the pair at the

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Governor Paul Patton



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Trails

brought in the equipment to begin work on the city's Mountaintop Project, a complex of recreational, residential and industrial development.

He warned that motorcycles and all-terrain vehicles are prohibited from using the flattened hilltop and that city police will begin regular patrols of the area this week. Police Chief Darrel Conley added later that these types of vehicles will be confiscated if found on the construction site.

Council members voted to ask the Ordinance Committee to draft an ordinance requiring that rate changes proposed by the Prestonsburg City Utilities Commission be brought before the council for approval before being put into effect. They also gave necessary approval for the

Paintsville/Prestonsburg Airport Authority to borrow \$12,000 to help pay for replacement gas tanks.

With business completed, Councilman Billy Ray Collins announced he had comments to make about the relocation of the Prestonsburg Post Office. "Of all the good things this administration has done, that's not one of them," he said, referring to the post office's move from downtown to the intersection of US 23 and KY 114.

The mayor reminded that the city could not stop the move.

"It's another federal government dummy idea," Collins said, "and we didn't fight hard enough."

"They (US Postal Service) took the higher of two prices (for land)," Fannin said. "The cheaper was the site downtown. They've done the same thing in other communities."

Collins called the road in and out of the new post office site "ill-conceived," complained of higher postal box rates, and added that the "taxpayers are paying" for the rent on the new building. "It's a nutty situation," he said.

Councilman Danny Hamilton added, "I'll agree with you, and I don't usually agree with you."

The council also heard from some residents of Stumbo Hollow who are interested in having their area annexed into the city.

When questioned about the advantages of living within the city limits, Fannin said homeowners insurance in the city is less than half what it is outside the city. He also said that savings on water and sewer are significant.

He pointed out that city taxes amount to about a quarter of county

taxes and are in addition to the county bill, but he said a homeowner could save more on his or her water bill than the city tax would be.

Billy Ray Collins reminded that the city has a fully-enhanced 911 system and city residents have 24-hour fire and police protection.

Fannin advised the Stumbo Hollow residents that to mark the area they want to be annexed on a county map and bring it in, so that the council can determine if annexation is possible. He said the area has to adjoin current city property.

Then, he said, they have to determine how many residents are in favor of the annexation. "If some don't want to come into the city, then there would have to be an election (on the issue of annexation)," he said.

Also present at the meeting were

Ralph Davis, Robert Allen, Trent Nairn, and Gorman Collins Jr.

The next regularly scheduled meeting is May 24 at noon.

Schools

Betsy Layne Elementary, and Stumbo Elementary schools.

Three schools, Osborne Elementary, John M. Stumbo Elementary and Prestonsburg Elementary, have roofs that leak. Committee member Paul Hughes told the group, "If we are going to stay at a school — and it looks as if we are — we ought to make them livable." Hughes added that the way things are now, the situation at some of the schools moves them out of the "livable" category.

Kathryn Tackett and Paula Mitchell, president and vice-president of John M. Stumbo PTO, were in attendance to draw attention to the conditions at their school. Mitchell said the building did not have gutters and that some of the water went directly under the building, causing mold and mildew that aggravate her daughter's medical condition.

Carter assured the two parents that Stumbo was in line for repairs but said the committee had to look at the whole system. Freddie Goble suggested that the system might save money by bidding the replacement of the three roofs at the same time.

Carter said it made sense to do any other work connected with roof replacements at the same time. He said that could include asbestos removal or any kind of wiring or conduits.

A similar condition exists at

Prestonsburg Elementary. Principal Gwen Harmon told the committee that the school could have four or five additional classrooms if the basement were renovated. The committee said the renovation of the basement should not be done until the roof is repaired.

Danny O'Quinn pointed out that Allen Central High School is the oldest high school in the county (opened in 1972) and still has the original lockers.

The LPC is learning, as is most every other element in the system, that they must work around the restrictions placed on the system by the construction of the athletic fields at South Floyd and Prestonsburg. The language from the legislation funding the athletic facilities basically prevents the county from undertaking major

building projects until the complexes are completed.

Nance told the group that if any money were left from the construction of the athletic complexes, the money could be used on other projects. But he added the projects could take more money than allocated.

The LPC is looking for ways to correct some of the problems at the schools with money outside the construction funds.

The major problem at Allen Central Middle and South Floyd Middle is space. When the schools were consolidated, the space at both schools simply was not enough to carry out the programs that need to be done at the middle school level.

Sword asked the committee members to think about two items for the next meeting: dressing

rooms for Betsy Layne and Allen Central football fields and five criteria for renovation projects for schools that have needs.

Sword said the dressing rooms were a matter of equity, and the collection and selection of criteria would make the process and order of renovation fair to all schools involved.

Carter said he was pleased that the work of the LPC and the athletic complexes were at about the same point. He said this would be helpful for all projects involved.

To help committee members plan for the summer months, the following meeting dates were set: June 14, July 12 and August 9. All meetings are at 6 p. m. at the Mountain Arts Center unless otherwise noted on the agenda that is sent to each member.

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Fiscal

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• Mud Creek 2, from Mink Branch (in the other direction) to Branham's Creek.

Also at the special meeting, the commissioners authorized Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson to execute the agreement between the county and the Kentucky Department of Juvenile Justice for the operation of the local juvenile detention facility.

The county commissioners also authorized Thompson to advertise for 20 golf carts for the Allen Golf Course to replace those lost in a fire last fall.

A standing order to authorize payment of routine bills during the 1999-2000 fiscal year was approved. The bills include regular payments for payroll, payroll taxes, and other related expenses, as well as telephone and utilities. Passage of such a resolution is required by state law.

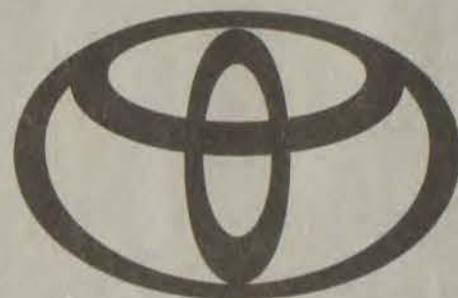
The first readings of two budget amendment resolutions for the current year were approved. One was to accept unbudgeted receipts from the sheriff, county clerk and state Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, totaling \$155,492. The other increased the budget for the Jail Fund by \$40,161 to reflect unbudgeted receipts from other counties, Social Security, circuit clerk, DUI Services and medical allotment.

Approved for payment were claims relating to renovations at Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center — Albon Meade Construction for \$20,865 and Hershell Conn for \$946 — and at Wayland Senior Citizens Center — Roger Hall Construction for \$3,315.

Prior to the meeting, the Fiscal Court sponsored a public hearing for citizen input on the use of County Road Aid (CRA) and Local Government Economic Assistance (LGEA) funds. No one appeared to comment.

Funds projected to be available from LGEA include coal severance and mineral receipts, totaling \$1,139,948, and \$870,000 from CRA.

Commissioners Gerald DeRossett, Larry Foster Stumbo and Ernal Tackett were all present. The next regularly scheduled meeting of the court is Friday, May 21 at 10 a.m.



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PCC class visits youth academy

by Scott Williamson
PCC student

Academy at Ashcamp in Pike County.

Law enforcement coordinator Michael Dixon and students from the class were treated to a tour of the facility by the academy's chief executive officer, Rocky Hall. The

academy provided a lunch for the law enforcement students.

The Kentucky Youth Academy is an institution designed to house male teenagers who have had difficulty in the past functioning in a regular school environment.

The academy emphasizes discipline, hard work and a devotion to God as keys for the students to overcome the troubles of their past.

While touring the academy, the law enforcement students were able to observe the sleeping quarters, classrooms, recreational facilities and cafeteria.

The law enforcement students were impressed by the cleanliness of the academy's grounds and the politeness and respect shown to them by the teenagers.

The law enforcement students learned about the school's curriculum and how a day begins and ends for the academy teenagers. In addition to the class work and normal school activities, the teenagers also participate in community improvement projects.

This past Christmas, the students helped to set up the Mountain Festival of Lights at Fishtap Dam in Pike County. Festival of Lights is a public display of unique and artistic light decorations.

Students also participate and fellowship with teams in the church softball league. This gives the students an opportunity to use their athletic abilities and associate with Christian players from the other teams.

The law enforcement students who are planning a career in corrections were exposed to alternative methods of treating problem teenagers, other than having them committed to a juvenile detention facility.

The academy personnel insist that the students pose no danger to residents near the facility, as the students are closely supervised while they are at the academy.



Students in the Juvenile Delinquency Class of the PCC law enforcement program pose in front of the Youth Academy. They recently toured the facility at Ashcamp in Pike County.

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MSU celebration in top 20

Morehead State University's Appalachian Celebration has been selected as one of the Southeast Tourism Society's Top 20 Events for the month of June for the third consecutive year.

The Celebration is organized by Georgia Sammons Grigsby, marketing coordinator for the Kentucky Folk Art Center (KFAC), who is planning the annual event for her fifth time. "It is truly an honor to receive this award," she said. "We were fortunate to win, especially when the competition included all events in our region."

Based in Atlanta, Georgia, the Southeast Tourism Society is not-profit organization whose goals are to develop, market and promote travel to and within the Southeastern states of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia.

Society members include state travel offices, convention and visitors bureaus, chambers of commerce, hotels and resorts, advertising agencies and members of the news media.

More than 400 newspapers, magazines, radio and television stations, AAA's and others receive the Top 20 listings.

"Kentucky Quilt Week" will be the theme for the University's 23rd annual Celebration which will run, June 20-26. An exhibit, "Rowan Treasures" will be on display at the KFAC from June 20 through September, and will feature quilts from the Rowan County area.

Additional information on the Appalachian Celebration's activities is available from Grigsby at 606/783-2204.

Briefs

North Arnold Avenue in Prestonsburg.

Two killed at Dorton

A 39-year-old man from Wise, Virginia, died Saturday evening when he lost control of his motorcycle on US 23 at Dorton. According to Kentucky State Police, William Dean Rife was pronounced dead at the scene after the motorcycle overturned several times. KSP Trooper Greg Roberts is investigating. On Friday morning, also on US 23 at Dorton, Gary Blaine Akers, 38, of Dorton was killed when he walked in front of a vehicle driven by Joyce Ratliff. Trooper Eddie Crum is the investigating officer.

Get involved

The Kentucky Humanities Council is looking for three new board members to serve six-year terms, beginning next January. Guaranteed are "hard work, no pay, lots of satisfaction." The council is involved in a variety of activities designed to enrich

the state's community life while fostering greater understanding of history, literature and human values. Letters of nomination are due June 1. For information, call the council at 606/257-5932.

Public meetings

- Prestonsburg Tourism Commission, Thursday, 3 p.m., MAC
- 911 Executive Board, Thursday, 6 p.m., Old Tourism Building
- Honey Branch Industrial

Development Corp., Monday, 9 a.m., Big Sandy Area Development District conference room

- Prestonsburg City Utilities Commission, Tuesday, 7 p.m., PCUC
- Wheelwright City Commission, Thursday, May 20, 6 p.m., City Hall
- Wayland City Commission, Thursday, May 20, 7 p.m., City Hall
- Floyd County Fiscal Court, Friday, May 21, 10 a.m., Fiscal Courtroom, Courthouse



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Annual Awards Banquet on May 20, at the Wilkinson-Stumbo Convention Center, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park.

A reception is at 6 p.m., sponsored by First Commonwealth Bank. Admission is \$30 for members, \$50 for non-members, or a table for eight can be reserved for \$300. Call the Chamber office at 606/886-0364.

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Viewpoint

QUOTE OF THE WEEK...

Half of our mistakes in life arise from feelings where we ought to think, and thinking where we ought to feel.
—John Churton Collins.

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Editorial

The welfare challenge

Nobody thought moving families from welfare to work would be easy, especially in Kentucky's 49 Appalachian counties. A Courier-Journal investigation shows how big the challenges really are. It also shows that progress is being made. The state, communities and individuals are doing more than ever before to help welfare recipients get jobs.

They may not be great jobs — most pay low wages and provide no benefits. And certainly, in this mountainous region where economic development lags way behind other places, there aren't enough of even the bad jobs to go around.

But welfare rolls in eastern Kentucky have dropped 35 percent since 1996, which means many people (mostly single mothers) are working who did not work before.

They may still need government help in the way of food stamps, housing assistance or Medicaid, but they need less than before. They are being treated as people with capabilities, and they are lifting themselves up. Even more important, they are creating new patterns and expectations for future generations.

"We're delighted that we've accomplished what we've accomplished," says a top administrator in the Cabinet for Families and Children. They should be. It's only two and a half years since welfare reform was enacted, and the economic problems of eastern Kentucky reach back many generations.

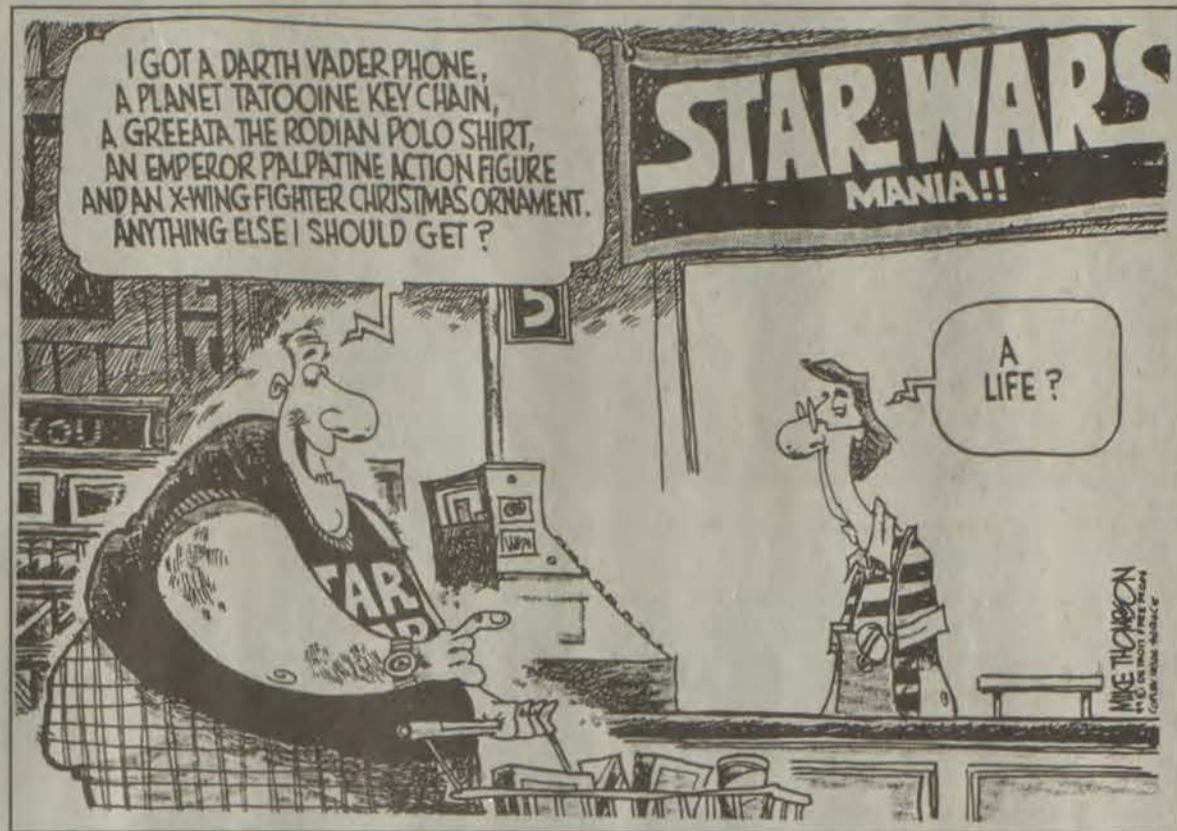
But there is so much more to do. There are many components in any realistic plan to make welfare recipients self-sufficient. A big one is devoting more resources to the problem of uncollected child support.

The law requires that mothers take care of their children and go to work, but it has been shockingly lax about fathers' participation.

It isn't realistic to think that a five-year limit on welfare benefits will work in a place like eastern Kentucky.

Even today's robust economy can't compensate for the list of disadvantages there: the lack of jobs; a geography that makes basic infrastructure like bus service and child care problematic; a low education level; and a reluctance among some of the poorest folks, who live in the most devastating conditions, to leave their communities and families for low-paying jobs.

Eastern Kentucky is probably welfare reform's greatest challenge — it won't work without inflicting a lot of trauma on individual families and social institutions. Progress, however, is being made. We can all be grateful for that. — *The Courier-Journal*



Letters to the Editor

LEARN MORE ABOUT ARTHRITIS

Editor:
Recently, the Arthritis Foundation unveiled its findings regarding the state of arthritis knowledge and treatment in our country. Arthritis in America: A National Report Card was released to the general public and the results are clear. Americans do not understand the severity of arthritis, do not receive comprehensive care and do not have access to appropriate medical care, in many cases, to treat arthritis.

On Tuesday, May 18, the Arthritis Foundation, Kentucky Chapter, urges America to take action against arthritis by participating in Arthritis Action Day.

Arthritis Action Day, a new annual event, was developed by the Arthritis Foundation as a bold new initiative to increase awareness about arthritis and to coincide with National Arthritis Month (May). Arthritis Action Day is a universal day of public action to unify America against arthritis.

The Arthritis Foundation's national chapter network, including more than 150 service points, will simultaneously offer local activities and free information in order to educate people about the severity of arthritis and educate them regarding actions they can take to lessen its impact. While the overall month continues to represent an important time to become informed and take action, Action Day is designed to motivate people to do something immediately—that day—about their arthritis or on behalf of someone with arthritis.

Why we need action. Arthritis is our country's leading cause of disability, affecting one in six people, which is equal to 15 percent of the population or nearly 43 million individuals...61,700 men, women and children in Kentuckiana. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention predict this number will surge to one in five by the year 2020, equal to 20 percent of the population.

Arthritis also takes a financial as well as personal toll on America, costing our country \$65 billion a year, equal to a moderate recession.

Unfortunately, many people don't seek care because of the myths associated with the disease, including nothing can be done about arthritis, so you must learn to live with it; arthritis is just minor aches and pains; and only older people have arthritis

(21,000 children in Kentuckiana have arthritis).
In fact, a 1998 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention study showed that 40 percent of those saying they have chronic joint symptoms have not been diagnosed by a doctor. In addition, up to 57 percent of those who are doctor diagnosed are not receiving treatment, and up to 55 percent of those who are doctor diagnosed still don't know the type of arthritis they have, illustrating a poor level of patient education.

It is imperative that people know what arthritis is, can recognize the signs and symptoms, and where to go for unbiased information to empower and motivate them to get help. Research proves that the majority of joint damage occurs within the first two years, making early diagnosis and aggressive treatment the critical steps to lessening the negative impact of the disease.

We urge people to take action on National Arthritis Actions Day, May 18, by participating in events, lectures and workshops, which will teach methods for living with and controlling rheumatic diseases. The Arthritis Foundation encourages you to take action by:

- Attending a public forum, self-help class of support groups.
- Attending AFYAP/AFAP (warm-water) and PACE (land) exercise programs
- Visiting your doctor, if you have persistent joint pain.
- Completing a self-assessment to see if you exhibit the signs and symptoms of arthritis.
- Learning about arthritis by calling the expert—the Arthritis Foundation.
- Educating others with arthritis or undiagnosed joint pain.
- Writing to government representatives to demand more action against arthritis.

For more information, contact the Arthritis Foundation, Kentucky Chapter, by calling 502/585-1866 or 800/633-5335. The Arthritis Foundation is the largest non-government organization dedicated to finding the care for and prevention of arthritis.

Jim Wesp
Chair, Board of Directors
Arthritis Foundation, Kentucky Chapter

FACTS AVAILABLE ON FATAL DISEASE

Editor:
Urea cycle disorders are a fatal, frequently-overlooked illness in children. It is estimated that one in every 25,000 children will be affected.

Usually, symptoms occur within the first 24-48 hours of life. Physicians are now discovering that these illnesses can be "late-onset," and children may not begin to show symptoms until later.

These symptoms include confusion and seizures. There are many causes of seizures, as well as differ-

ent forms of treatment.

If you or someone you know suffers from seizures, or what has been labeled as epilepsy, get more information on seizures and urea cycle disorders by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Endure, PO Box 100, Louisa, KY 41230, or visit the "links" page on our website at www.2Endure.com.

George and Angela Kidd
Louisa

MANY HELPED MAKE DAY A SUCCESS

Editor:
On behalf of the Associates and Management at the Prestonsburg Wal-Mart, I would like to take this opportunity to express appreciation to the Community for making our second annual Floyd County Environmental Day a huge success.

Our belief is that the children are the ones who will make the difference in the future of our envi-

ronment. If we touched one child with this event, we have made the difference in our future.

A special thank-you goes out to the following agencies for their support in sponsoring the environmental day: Mayor Jerry Fannin and the City Council of Prestonsburg, Mark McLemore and staff at

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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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Mountain Voices

by Willie Elliott
Staff writer



As Mark Twain once cabled from Europe to the United States, "The news of my death was an exaggeration."

Let me say up front that while I make light of some of the things that happened to me and some of my characteristics, I have the utmost concern and respect for the feelings of the Willie James Elliott family and extend my condolences to them. I mean no disrespect whatsoever.

A few weeks ago a gentleman by the name of Willie James Elliott from Harold passed away, and some people heard only the Willie Elliott part and assumed (or hoped) it was I.

People called Linda and said, "Willie's not dead, is he?"

Linda would reply, "Deadbeat, yes, dead no."

When people would ask her what was wrong with me, she would say, "Well, he's egotistical, lazy and won't help a bit around the house."

(She really thinks I'm the greatest thing since sliced bread. If you don't believe me, just call her and ask.)

Anna Sue Stumbo saw me at a meeting and said, "Have you been sick?"

I told her that I did not mean it literally when I said, "These allergies are killing me." She went on to tell me that someone had mentioned at church that I was very ill. Of course, the church people were discussing the health and offering prayer for the gentleman from Harold.

It was a sobering experience to see (almost) my name in the obituary column because it could easily have been my own.

The matter was cleared up and half the people were glad I was not dead, and the other half were somewhat disappointed. Put me in that first half.

Then last Saturday, I was taking Linda out for her birthday shopping trip (didn't get herself a thing, but many things for Ryan and me) and dinner, when we stopped to get the mail on the way out.

(Oh, I can't tell you which birthday Linda is having, but it has a five in it.)

Back to the letter that was in the mail. The letter had my address, but was sent to Mrs. Sylvia Elliott, my mother who has been dead over 20 years. The letter was from McCray Press (Plastic Laminating). The late Mr. Willie James Elliott's wife's name is Sylvia, so I see the connection, but I can't understand why it was sent to McDowell and not Harold.

Naturally, I was curious so I told Linda to read the letter to me as I drove.

She read: "Dear Friend, Kindly permit us to extend our most sincere sympathy in your recent bereavement." Here again was this "it-really-could-be-you" feeling.

It turns out the company wants to sell laminated copies of the obituary. If someone from the Willie James Elliott family will come by the office or send an address, you can have the lovely laminated memorial obituary that appeared in the Ashland Daily Independent and the literature that came with it.

The letter should have gone directly to Mrs. Elliott at her address in Harold. The company has somehow made a connection between the name Sylvia Elliott and me. I would just like to know how, and I bet the connection was made through some computer program.

Did you read Paul Prather's column on Friday? Find your paper and read it. Telling our kids that we love them and they count for something will go a long way in preventing a lot of the violence we see in our schools. You just know that John (Prather's son) feels secure and loved. It is my feeling that secure and loved kids don't often shoot people—they have other ways to get our attention.

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Floyd County Schools get cash for achievement

Times Staff Report

Teachers (and sometimes classified staff) from 12 Floyd County schools will share in \$26.4 million that will be given to Kentucky school personnel who met or exceeded their test score goal on the latest round of KIRIS testing.

Floyd County Schools that were contacted had not met with their Site Based Decision Making (SBDM) to iron out all the specifics on the distribution of reward money on Monday.

Schools that improved their scores since 1996 will receive one share, or \$555 for every teacher, and are marked R1. Schools that

exceeded their test scores will receive two shares of rewards, or \$1,110, per teacher and are marked R2.

The number of teachers who share in the reward money can be found by dividing 555 into the total amount of money for R1 schools and 1,110 into the total amount for R2 schools.

Allen Elementary, an R1 school, received a total of \$18,071. Dividing 18,071 by 555 gives 32.56. The numbers will probably not be a whole number at any given school because most schools have teachers who do one half day or less at the school. Allen will be paid enough money to give rewards to

just over 32 and one-half teachers.

The R2 schools and their reward amounts include Allen Central Middle, \$37,041; Allen Central High, \$31,779; and Prestonsburg Elementary, \$37,041.

The R1 schools and their amount include Allen Elementary, \$9,346; Opportunities Unlimited, \$2,220; Betsy Layne High, \$19,730; South Floyd High, \$14,791; Clark Elementary, \$12,526; Harold Elementary, \$7,842; Adams Middle School, \$13,742; Prater Elementary, \$6,405; Prestonsburg High, \$22,267; and Osborne Elementary, \$12,848.

The rewards checks were mailed to the districts in late April.

Even though Harold and Prater have consolidated with Betsy Layne Elementary, the teachers who taught at those schools last year will be receiving reward money.

Kentucky's public school students in fourth, fifth, seventh, eighth and 11th grades participated in the last round of KIRIS tests. Scores from those tests, portfolios and factors such as retention rates and dropout rates determine if a school is successful in educating its students.

Two years' worth of test scores and data from other factors are compared with the previous two years' performance within an accountability cycle.

Letters

Jenny Wiley State Park, Carla Coburn and staff at Jenny Wiley Theatre, Store Manager Greg Salyer and assistant managers at the Prestonsburg Wal-Mart, Vivian Rudd and Liaisons at Southern Appalachian Recycling, and Floyd County Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson.

A special thank-you goes out to the following exhibitors who participated: Frog Loggers Inc., National Weather Service, Floyd County Conservation District, Hindman Extension Service (Agriculture Department), Floyd County Solid Waste, Floyd County Disaster and Emergency Service, Floyd County 911 Coordinator, Kentucky Wildlife Line, the Eyrle, Buckley Wildlife Sanctuary, Mayo Technical College, Big Sandy Family Abuse Center, Floyd County Health Department (Environmental Division).

Also PRIDE, Breaks Interstate Park, Magoffin County High School Recycling Club, Southern Appalachian Recycling, American Red Cross, Kentucky Department of Surface Mining, Daniel Boone National Park, Kentucky Department of Wildlife (Floyd County), Kentucky Geological Survey, Cypress Amax (David Schindler), Kentucky Division of Energy, Prestonsburg Community College (Big Sandy Natural Science Center), Appalachian Clean Water Partners, Pikeville Methodist Hospital, Wal-Mart, Kentucky Pollution Prevention Center.

Also Kentucky Division of Waste Management, East Kentucky Center for Science and Mathematics, CEDAR Program and Floyd County Chamber of Commerce, Kentucky Reptile Zoo, Floyd County Extension Service (4-H and Children Youth and Family Service), Raptors Rehabilitation, Big Sandy RECC, Kentucky Department of Fisheries (Floyd County), Tirus Joist MacMillian, Kentucky Division of air quality, (McLean County High School students) Perils of Pollution puppet show, Jenny Wiley State Park Interpretive Center, Bob Scott, McDonald's and Kentucky displays were fantastic, I really appreciate it.

To the following volunteers who helped out, I thank you ever so much: 40 cadets from the Allen Central ROTC Squad, Nina Ratliff, Pam Stumbo, Corinna Bailey, Misty Merion, Shaunda Whittaker, Avonell Patrick, Sirena Akers, Garnis Akers, Brooksie Akers, Connie G. Thompson, Nyoka Slone, Park Rangers and maintenance staff from Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. We couldn't have done it without you.

To all the schools that participated from Floyd, Johnson, Martin, Pike, Lawrence, Magoffin and Martin counties, I hope you had a fantastic day and plan to come back next year.

To WYMT, WSIP, Q95, The Double X, Floyd County Times, and any other station that published the Environmental Day, either before, during or after, I thank you ever so much.

See you in the spring of 2000 for the Third Annual Floyd County Environmental Day.

Cindy L. Hackworth
Green Coordinator
Prestonsburg Wal-Mart

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POSITIVE CHANGES

Editor:

For many years, we, the parents and staff of Betsy Layne Elementary School, have struggled in our efforts to obtain improvements for our school.

When our new building was under construction, many so-called luxuries, including canopies to protect our students from inclement weather, were stripped in order to save money. When cuts were made, gymnasium renovations were at the top of the list.

In the absence of funding, the gym roof continued to leak, the bleachers were declared unsafe, and our students were exposed to the rain as they traveled between buildings.

Well, thanks to Arnold W. Carter, state manager of the Floyd County School System, our situation is undergoing drastic change.

During spring break, the playing floor of the dome gym was completely stripped, painted, and resealed. It is truly a beautiful sight and a great source of pride for our students. And there is more to come. Recently, we learned that new bleachers will be installed as soon as possible.

Other improvements to our campus include heat and air conditioning for our auditorium and our long-awaited canopies. We have a large campus, including three classroom buildings and the gym, and, with an enrollment of almost 900 students, we utilize every available inch of space. It just makes sense to properly maintain our facilities.

Thanks to Mr. Carter, appropriate measures are being taken to make our school as safe and attractive as possible. A pretty, well-maintained school goes a long way toward fostering pride and school spirit among students. And at Betsy Layne Elementary, we have a lot to be proud of.

There is another matter that has been a recent source of concern for parents everywhere. This issue is school safety.

Realizing the level of anxiety among parents and students, Mr. Carter arranged for Floyd County principals to be trained in school safety and provided necessary support so that safety plans could be implemented.

I want to express my appreciation to Mr. Carter for his efforts to provide for the needs of our students. I would also like to thank Betsy Layne Elementary Principal, Karen Allen, for her unwavering dedication to her students and her school.

Ann Blackburn
Stanville

'KIDS CAN DO MARVELOUS THINGS'

Editor:

The "Save Black Mountain Project" began with one seventh grade science class at Wallins School, and quickly spread to the sixth and eighth grade science classes. The challenge was to connect science classes with real world learning based in the extended community. Black Mountain was the perfect thing to study and connect to science.

Students from Rosenwald-Dunbar in Jessamine County decided to join in studying the issues that surrounded Black Mountain as the state's highest peak. Students from Everts High School also became involved in the effort to bring the public's attention to what was going on with Black Mountain. College students from Southeast Community College, Union College, Berea College and the University of Kentucky also became involved.

The goal of the students has always been about preserving the highest elevations of Black Mountain, and never against mining in general.

Students have participated in public hearings, appeared in an Appalshop video documentary, written and recorded public service announcements, taped a radio program, designed a t-shirt, appeared in television news and in newspapers, appeared before the Legislative Research Commission in Frankfort, made two press releases and a wide variety of presentations in public about Black Mountain.

The agreement that has been reached would not have happened without the help of adults. In December, Kentuckians for the Commonwealth filed a Lands

Unsuitable for Mining Petition. This helped bring more national attention to the issue and placed the legal procedures for negotiations in the hands of concerned adults.

We would like to express our thanks to all of the adults: teachers, parents, Kentuckians for the Commonwealth, attorneys, and representatives from the coal and timber industries who worked together to reach this agreement. We also want to thank our governor and the Kentucky Heritage Council for working toward getting the money to purchase the land and preserve it.

We have learned many things through this process. We can get more done than people thought we could. We've learned that our opinions do count, even when some people tell us they don't. We've learned that kids can make a difference. We've learned that kids can do marvelous things when they combine their efforts and pull

together.

We hope you will print our letter. Maybe it will cause other parents to listen to their children, teachers to listen to their students, and adults to listen to each other.

Students of Wallins Elementary
Students of Rosenwald-Dunbar
Students of Everts High School

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Local students inducted into honor society

Seven Floyd County residents were among the 44 Morehead State University students initiated into the honor society of Phi Kappa Phi. The society celebrated its 25th anniversary on the MSU campus at its annual spring banquet.

The initiates included:

- Annette Biery, Prestonsburg senior industrial education major. The daughter of Warnie and Madge Spurgeon of Hager Hill, she is a member of the Health Occupations Students of America (OSHA) and a registered nurse.

- Sandra Jane Griffith, Banner senior Spanish and history major. She is the wife of Eddie Griffith and the daughter of Leeman Bevins Jr. of West Liberty, and Mary Bevins of Banner.
- Marie Roberta Miller, Drift senior elementary education major. The wife of Estill Miller, she is a member of the Service Learning Program.
- Pamela Kay Montgomery, Prestonsburg, senior art major. She plans to further her education in art. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

- Roy C. Montgomery, Prestonsburg senior history major. The wife of Dale Mullins and the daughter of Harold Hays of Greensburg and Gene and Shelby Branham of Dwale, she is a member of the Organization of American Historians.
- Kevin M. Shelton, McDowell graduate student in business administration. The son of Clark Shelton, he is a member of Sigma Phi fraternity and the Masonic Lodge No. 950 in Martin.
- Barbara Jean Spradlin, Prestonsburg senior paralegal studies major. She is the wife of Elmon Spradlin.

prepare us for a job; it is to prepare us for life."

To be eligible to join Phi Kappa Phi, initiates must have been enrolled at MSU for at least one year, be of sound character and ranked in the top five percent of the junior class, the top 10 percent of the senior class or be a graduate student with an outstanding academic record.



MSU students initiated into honor society

Four Floyd County residents were among the 44 students recently initiated into the honor society of Phi Kappa Phi at Morehead State University. Initiates included, from left: Tylina Jo Mullins, Prestonsburg; Sandra Jean Griffith, Banner; Kevin M. Shelton, McDowell; and Barbara Jean Spradlin, Prestonsburg. (MSU photo by Tim Holbrook)

New website provides 'bottle bill' information

A new website has been established on the Internet for Kentuckians who want to learn more about proposed container deposit legislation set for consideration in the 2000 General Assembly.

The address is www.iglou.com/kentuckybottlebill and information includes details of the currently pending "bottle bill" legislation, arguments of the opponents which include Kentucky retailers and bottlers and successful statistics from other states that have had the container deposit legislation for several years.

The website also includes a petition where supporters of the legislation can directly e-mail their own state legislator to let them know of their support.

The website author, Russell Miller, a waste management coordinator in Wolfe County, said a container deposit law is one sure way to eliminate roadside litter

and reduction of waste going into the landfills.

A container deposit law would require consumers to pay a deposit on styrofoam, aluminum, plastic and glass containers which would be refunded to them when the item is recycled.

The sponsor and long time supporter of container deposit legislation, Gregory D. Stumbo, the Majority Floor Leader of the state House of Representatives, said he is excited about the website.

"It indicates to me there is a growing surge of support for this kind of legislation at the grassroots level of our citizenry."

"The grassroots support is necessary to get past the big dollars opposing lobbying groups will spend to defeat the bill," he added.

The website and the electronic petition are available now. For additional information regarding the website, contact Stumbo's legislative office at 502/564-7460 or Russell Miller at 606/668-0345.



May was proclaimed Community Action Month Wednesday by Floyd County Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson and Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin. The Community Action Program services residents in the Big Sandy Region. They will hold an open house Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the Courthouse Annex and a Staff Appreciation Day May 24 at Dewey Dam Spillway. Pictured with Fannin and Thompson are, from left, Mike Howell, director of the agency; Eula Hall, board member; Irene Cooley Hester, board member; Loretta Newsome, program coordinator; and Pete Wilson, board member. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

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Also recognized for academic achievement were 21 freshmen, including Jennifer Nashae McKinney, daughter of Annalene and Clinton McKinney of Harold. She is a nursing major and member of the Leadership Development Program.

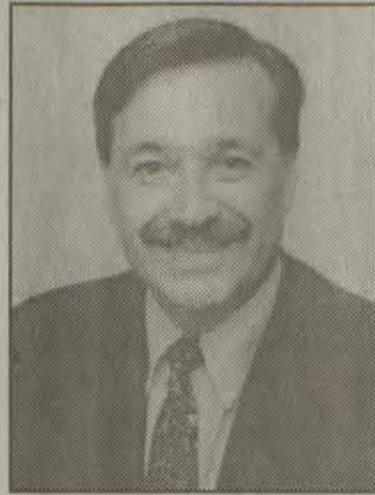
As the guest speaker at the banquet, Dr. Agatha Burnet, northcentral regional vice president of Phi Kappa Phi, emphasized the importance of the pursuit of excellence. "We have allowed our standards to erode in this country," she said.

"It is appropriate, as we enter into this new millennium, to encourage the pursuit of academic excellence to lead us to a higher standard of quality of life for all citizens of the world. Education is not just to

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Jason Mullins, Matt Shortridge and Brandon Mullins selected flowers for their mothers during a Mother's Day Flower Sale at Adams Middle School last week. Proceeds from the sale will go to the AMS Youth Services Center for activities for students.

Camp Shawnee to participate in summer meal program

Christian Appalachian Project will participate in the federally funded Summer Food Service Program for children below the age of nineteen.

The program operates under guidelines similar to those of public school food service programs. Participants in the program enable sponsors to provide lower program

costs. Children who are members of food stamp households or receive K-TAP assistance are automatically eligible to receive free meal benefits.

For more information about the Camp Shawnee program, call Owen Wright, at 606/ 874-2091.



Law day

Each year in honor of Law Day in early May the Floyd County Bar Association recognizes a non-lawyer for contributions to the legal profession. This year's award went to Elmo Allen, right, bailiff for Floyd County Circuit Courts. The presentation was made May 7 by Stacy Marshall in the Circuit Courtroom of Judge Danny Caudill in the Justice Center. Allen, who said he has spent 41 years in law enforcement, teasingly recalled the two circuit judges in earlier roles. He said Danny Caudill once washed his windshields and Judge John David Caudill used to carry out his groceries. (photo by Pam Shingler)

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The sale, focusing on "old memories" will feature leftover items from Parsons Department Store, along with donations from friends of the museum.

Among items up for grabs are antique maple and modern office furniture; dishes from crystal to crockery; Jean Thomas memorabilia and local advertising items; books from McGuffey readers to Naomi Judd's latest cookbook; toys; tools and miscellaneous items.

Two antique vehicles will be auctioned at 12:30 p.m.: a 1959 Chrysler Windsor and 1947 Hudson pickup truck.

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Joan White Parker Girz

Joan White Parker Girz, 64, of Toler, died Sunday, May 9, 1999, in Huntington, West Virginia.

Born May 21, 1935, in Freeburn, she was the daughter of the late Harold and Ressie White Parker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William L. Girz.

She was a retired school teacher and a member of the Moose Lodge of Williamson.

She is survived by one daughter, Elizabeth Ann Sayraf of Ann Arbor, Michigan; foster daughter, Roberta Lotter of Rosamond, California; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, May 13, at noon, under the direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home, Phelps Chapel, with Rev. Dewitt Furrow officiating.

Burial was in the Blair Family Cemetery at Pikeville.

Astor B. Crider

Astor B. Crider, 75, formerly of Salem, Ohio, died Monday, May 10, 1999, at the Essex of Salem I.

Born December 5, 1923, in Germantown, he was the son of the late Francis M. and Dixie (Spears) Crider.

He was a WW II Army veteran and had been employed for Eljers Plumbingware as an enamel inspector for thirty years.

He is survived by his daughter, Jeanette Jean Ball of Rochester, New York, a son, Darrel D. Crider of Rochester, New York; two sisters, Jeanette Fraiser and Nola Stepp, both of Prestonsburg; a brother, Jack Crider of East Point, and two granddaughters.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Norman, John, and Walter. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 15, at the Arbaugh-Pearce-Greenisen Funeral Home, in Salem, Ohio.

Otto Greer

Otto Greer, 79, of Betsy Layne, died Sunday, May 9, 1999, at his residence, following an extended illness.

Born February 1, 1920, in Prestonsburg, he was the son of the late Oscar and Laura Ward Greer. He was a welder with Brandeis.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Jean Wilcox Greer.

Survivors include two sons, James Greer of Phoenix, Arizona, and Greg Greer; one stepson, Charles McKinney of Chicago, Illinois; one stepdaughter, Connie Lynn Bays of Prestonsburg; one brother, Ishmael Greer of Prestonsburg; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, May 12, at 2 p.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial will be in the Home Cemetery at Bays Branch, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Serving as pallbearers will be William Bays, Doug Bays, Jeffery Bays, Kenneth Bays and Tony Bays.

Roland Hunt

Roland Hunt, 75, of Banner, died Friday, May 7, 1999, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, following an extended illness.

Born November 12, 1923, at Ivel, he was the son of the late John B. Hunt and Sarah Lewis Hunt. He was a retired coal miner and member of the Boldman Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Helen "Beatrice" Lewis Hunt; one son, Robert Hunt of Stanville; one daughter, Helene Spradlin of Marion, Ohio; two brothers, George Hunt of Stanville and Harvey Hunt of Tram; five sisters, Laura Akers and Eulavine Gunnels, both of Stanville, Callie Cecil of Spring Hill, Florida, Ruby Hunt of Westland, Michigan, Ocie Peffery of Holiday, Florida; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, May 10, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Clergymen Belmont Johnson and James Harmon officiating.

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

Serving as pallbearers were Walter Spradlin, Brian Conley, John Ogan, Freddie Bush, Dave Bolden, Mark Hunt and Sonny Boyd.

Hershell Lee Pennington

Hershell Lee Pennington, 77, of Beaver, died Sunday, May 9, 1999, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following an extended illness.

Born March 1, 1922, in Lashmeet, West Virginia, he was the son of the late Wiley and Bessie Honaker Pennington. He was a disabled coal miner and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Beulah Beatrice Stewart Pennington; four sons, Hershell Lee Pennington Jr. of Garden City, Michigan, Danny Ray Pennington of Bevinville, Gary Dean Pennington of Brownville, Tennessee, and Dwight Pennington of Melvin; three daughters, Cheryl Johnson of Weeksbury, and Judy Blankenship and Connie Platkus, both of Ligon; four brothers, Elza Pennington and Clarence Pennington, both of Romulus, Michigan, and Donald Pennington and Milford Pennington, both of Ohio; three sisters, Ethel Littleton of Columbus, Ohio, Francis Stanley of Hilliard, Ohio, and Thelma McCown of Romulus, Michigan; 28 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, May 12, at noon, at the Upper Burton Free Pentecostal Church of God at Bypro, with Louis Sandlin, David Pack and Don Fraley Jr. officiating.

DAV services will be conducted by Chapter 128, Garrett.

Burial will be in the Newman Cemetery at Hi Hat, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

David B. Skeans

David B. Skeans, 55, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, formerly of Martin, died Friday, May 7, 1999, at his residence, following a sudden illness.

Born July 15, 1943, in Martin, he was the son of the late Sammie Ray and Rebecca DeRossett Skeans. He was a gas company employee.

Survivors include his wife, Ginny Skeans; three sons, Gary Cooper of Georgia, Jimmy Cooper of Marquette, Michigan, and David Skeans of Canton, Michigan; two daughters, Becca Collins Kehrl of Dallas, Texas, and Louise Rubel of Milan, Michigan; two brothers, Kenneth Skeans of Morehead and Frank Skeans of Georgetown; one sister, Virginia Martin of Martin; and ten grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, May 10, at 11 a.m., at the Stark Funeral Service Moore Memorial Chapel in Ypsilanti, Michigan, with Rev. Ron Stewart officiating.

Information provided by Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Carl Adkins

Carl Adkins, 91, of Highland Terrace, Prestonsburg, died Friday, May 7, 1999, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, following an extended illness.

Born November 16, 1907, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Bud and Cora Spears Adkins. He was a disabled coal miner.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Byrd Kidd Adkins.

Survivors include four sons, Bertee Adkins of Richmond, Emmitt Adkins of North Branch, Michigan, Charles Adkins of Harold and Ray Adkins of Van Lear; one daughter, Helen George of Perris, California; two brothers, Sisco Adkins of Allen and Harold Adkins of Albion, Michigan; three sisters, Della Crum, Dakota Crum Conn and Nova Conn, all of Martin; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, May 10, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home Chapel, with Frank Kidd Jr. officiating.

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

Deeve Campbell

Deeve Campbell, 79, of Corn Fork, Prestonsburg, died Monday, May 10, 1999, at his residence following an extended illness.

He was born April 1, 1920, in Floyd County, the son of the late Karl and Thelma Goble Campbell. He was a coal miner and carpenter. He was a member of the Corn Fork Freewill Baptist Church.

His wife, Amy Ratliff Campbell, preceded him in death.

He is survived by three sons: Darrell Campbell and Ray Campbell, both of Prestonsburg, and Bobby Campbell of Tucson, Arizona; two daughters, Judy Prater of Prestonsburg and Alpheda Wilson of Lexington; one brother, Arnold Campbell of Prestonsburg; three sisters, Edna Harris, Amy Spears and Rivia Ousley, all of Prestonsburg; 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, May 14, at 11 a.m. at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Roger Music officiating.

Burial will be in the Campbell-Ratliff Cemetery at Corn Fork, under the direction of the Floyd Funeral Home of Prestonsburg.

Lula Belle Prater

Lula Belle Prater, 86, of Kendallville, Indiana, formerly of Martin, died Sunday, May 9, 1999, at the home of her daughter in Kendallville, after a long illness.

She was born at Louisa, on November 6, 1912, and was the daughter of the late Clayton and Cora Fraley Thompson.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jobie Prater.

She is survived by 10 sons, Gene Prater of Douglasville, Georgia, Don Prater of Allen, Dockie Prater and Sonny Prater, both of Kentucky, Joseph Prater, Ted Prater and Richard Prater all of Kendallville, Indiana, David Prater of Rome City, Indiana, Ron Prater of Corunna, Indiana, and Mike Prater of Garrett, Indiana; six daughters, Barb Sexton, Joyce Reade and Diana Reid all of Kendallville, Indiana, Brenda Ochoa of Butler, Indiana, Janice Simmons of Wolcottville, Indiana and Billie Ann Rowe of Louisville; one brother, Junior Thompson of Kentucky; three sisters, Myrtle Daniels and Corrine Childers of Kentucky, and Lena Robinette of Ohio; 38 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, May 13, at 11 a.m., in the Berhalter and Hutchins Funeral Home Chapel in Kendallville, Indiana, with Ellis Crum officiating. Burial will be in the Lisbon Cemetery in Lisbon, Indiana.

Obituary courtesy of Hall Funeral Home of Martin.

Raleigh K. Rice

Raleigh K. Rice, 97, of Prestonsburg, died Friday, May 7, 1999, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a brief illness.

Born May 11, 1901, at Little Paint, he was the son of the late Samuel G. and Rebecca Leake Rice. He was a former coal miner and was last employed with Princess Elkhorn Coal Company at David. He was a member of the Little Paint First Church of God.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Dialpha Robinson-Rice.

He is survived by three sons, Russell, Montie, and Jack Rice, all of East Point; one daughter, Emma Leah Bullock of Benson, Arizona; 14 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, May 9, at 2:30 p.m., in the Carter Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Wayne Burch officiating. Burial was in the Robinson Cemetery at Little Paint.

Active pallbearers were Tee Watkins, Jeremy Watkins, Jim Rice, Clarence Rice, Steve Rice, and Barry Rice.

Water safety group meets

On April 8, the Dewey Lake Water Safety Council held its monthly meeting. Steve Markham called the meeting to order and thanked everyone for attending.

The first order of business was the discussion of the funding for the trash bags to be placed around the lake. Markham gave a definite price of \$2,300 for 15,000 bags.

There was also some discussion about obtaining an environmental grant from Wal-Mart to purchase the bags. Cindy Hackworth has helped the council obtain the paperwork to apply for the grant.

The council voted to authorize Markham to establish a tax-exempt rating for the council and to establish a bank account with the Bank Josephine in Prestonsburg.

Also in attendance were Jimmy Nichols, Bill J. Dotson, Mike Wells, Martha Music, Don Crawford, Ron Vanover, Suzanne Hyden and Mark McLemore.

Card of Thanks

The family of George H. "Boar" Bentley would like to extend their appreciation to all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the clergymen Wayne Stevens and Sterlin Bolen for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF GEORGE H. "BOAR" BENTLEY

Donna Faye Johnson

Donna Faye Johnson, 62, of North Webster, Indiana, formerly of Floyd County, died Friday, May 7, 1999, at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor, Michigan, following an extended illness.

Born May 16, 1936, in Knott County, she was the daughter of the late Carl and Naomi Osborne Franklin.

Survivors include her husband, Carl Johnson; one son, Randy Carl Johnson of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Sandra Renay Johnson of North Manchester, Indiana; two brothers, Curtis Lee Osborne and Derwin Chandler Osborne of Saint Augustine, Florida; three sisters, Suzetta Tackett of Saint Augustine, Florida, Louetta Johnson of Weeksbury and Noriene Ward of Ashland; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, May 11, at 1 p.m., at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church at Melvin, with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Buckingham Cemetery at Bevinville, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.



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On July 4, 1916, Floyd County's Civil War veterans — Union and Confederate — gathered on the steps of The Bank Josephine in Prestonsburg to have their picture taken with Congressman John W. Langley. Front, from left, Cong. Langley, Lem Johnson, Bee Hatfield, Andy Frasure (holding flag), Bill Osborne, Johnse Osborne, Will Hubbard, Rager Burchett, Jim Banks, and sitting with face and body obscured is Henry Sizemore. Second row, from left, Mack Harmon Sr. (wearing cap), Fannie Archer (behind Bee Hatfield), Emma Booten Diamond, Emma Archer, and three unidentified boys. Third row, from left, unidentified boy leaning against pillar, J.H. Loar, Morgan Turner, Polly Ann Loar, George Stephens, unidentified woman, S.C. "Colley" Allen, Grover Davis, George Archer Sr. (partially obscured by flag), Dr. I.M. Burke, Mr. Halbert, and John Branham. The picture, courtesy of Harry Burke of Prestonsburg, will be in the Floyd County Pictorial History book. Photos may be submitted and orders placed by writing to Floyd County Pictorial History, PO Box 982, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Income limits raised on housing loans

Floyd Countians and others in eastern Kentucky can now earn a little more and still qualify for Guaranteed Rural Housing loans, according to the US Department of Agriculture's Rural Development Area Office in Morehead.

The Guaranteed Rural Housing (GRH) program makes loans through private lenders for the purchase of new and existing homes. Loans are made to eligible appli-

cants, with incomes not exceeding 115 percent of the median income.

There is no required down payment and the loan can be for 100 percent of the appraised value, including fees. Maximum loan amount is determined by what families can afford.

Income limits are
 • households of one person, \$28,800;
 • two persons, \$32,900;

- three persons, \$37,000;
- four persons, \$41,100;
- five persons, \$44,400; and
- six persons, \$47,700.

Limits are adjusted according to the number in the household. The limits listed are based on projected gross income over the next 12 months less eligible deductions.

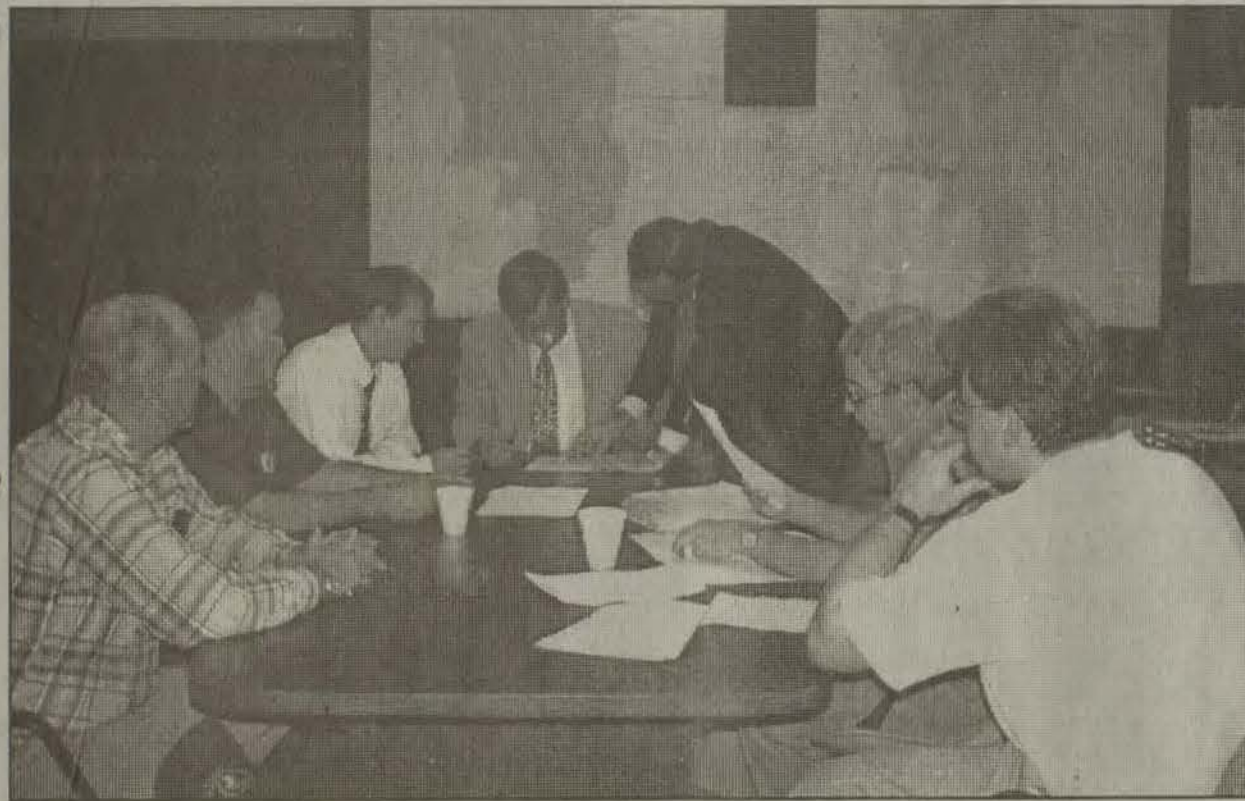
- Eligible deductions include
- \$480 for minor children under 18 years old;

- full-time student 18 years or older;

- child care expenses for children under 12 years old;

- \$400 for elderly/handicapped family member, which could include a portion of the family's medical expenses.

For more information about the program, contact Susan T. Jones in the Morehead area office, 606/784-6447, ext. 114.



Bonding

County officials were on hand Tuesday to sign papers to refinance county bonds. The Floyd County Fiscal Court refinanced bonds for the solid waste, the jail and natural gas at a savings of \$1,149,340. The county will also get back \$190,174 for a total savings of \$1,339,514. The average interest on the old bonds was 6.71 percent, and the new average rate is 4.39 percent which raises the rating of the bonds to AAA. From left are County Commissioners Larry Stumbo and Gerald DeRosett; County Clerk Chris Waugh, Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson, Bondsman Gil Johnson; County Treasurer Robert Allen and Deputy Judge-Executive Brett Davis. (photo by Willie Elliott)

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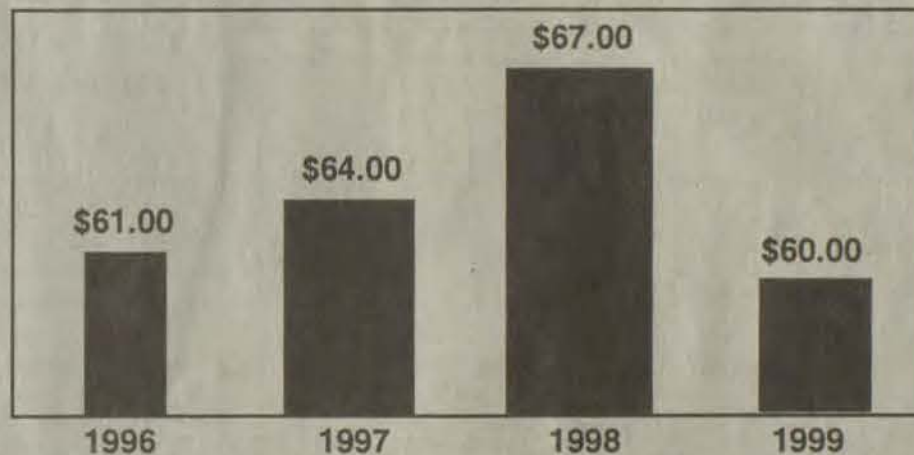
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Law enforcement leads crackdown on unbuckled kids

Across the nation, law enforcement is declaring zero tolerance for drivers who fail to buckle up children during the next Operation ABC Mobilization: America

Buckles Up Children, May 24-31. The success of the 1998 Mobilizations demonstrated that visible, stepped-up enforcement of seat belt and child passenger safety laws is one of the most effective ways to protect children and save lives.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration reports that 1998 Mobilization played a key role in prompting 19 million more Americans—adults and children—to buckle up; the largest single-year increase in eight years. The government estimates that if these Americans continue to wear their seat belts, 1,500 lives will be saved and countless injuries will be prevented this year.

That's why in all 50 states, law enforcement is conducting another crackdown, just six months after the last, and is declaring zero tolerance for drivers with unbuckled children. Drivers who don't buckle up kids will be stopped and enforcement action will be taken.

"As law enforcement officers, we see the tragic effects of unbuckled children every day," said Chief Ronald S. Neubauer, president of the International Association of Chiefs of Police. "How many more broken children do we have to pull from crashes before saying enough is enough? Every state has a law requiring children to be buckled up—we're going to make sure drivers abide by those laws."

Nationwide efforts like the Mobilization are necessary because crashes are the leading cause of death to American children of all races. While driver errors like speeding and running red lights can cause collisions, most children killed in crashes die from another, more lethal form of negligence—six out of 10 are completely unrestrained. Nearly half of these kids would be alive today if drivers had only taken the time to properly buckle them up.

Throughout the week, tens of thousands of officers will be stepping up enforcement of child passenger safety laws by conducting checkpoints, saturation patrols and by focusing on child safety violations. Across the country, in small towns and big cities, law enforcement will be out in record numbers, cracking down on drivers who don't buckle up kids.

Officers will also be stepping up enforcement of adult seat belt laws, because it's proven that most drivers who don't buckle up themselves, don't buckle up kids. According to recent research, adults who wear seat belts are three times more likely to buckle up child passengers.

"Every year, countless children die or suffer crippling injuries in crashes—we know how to prevent these tragedies," said Janet Dewey, executive director of the Air Bag & Seat Belt Safety Campaign, the group sponsoring the Mobilization. "As a nation, it is our duty to our children to say 'no more' by declaring zero tolerance for unbuckled kids—in our state, every day of the year."

The upcoming Operation ABC Mobilization will be conducted during Buckle Up America Week, the week preceding Memorial Day weekend. It is the fourth of five national enforcement waves that take place in the spring and fall. The fifth Mobilization will take place in November of 1999.

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The family of James Lewis Scott wishes to thank everyone who said a prayer, kind word, sent flowers, made phone calls, supported the family at the house, shared their time with us at the funeral home, and attended services.

Thanks to the preachers and singers of the Little Salem Old Regular Baptist Church who brought moments of comfort.

Thanks to Nelson-Frazier Funeral home and all of the staff for their compassion, unlimited time and effort, along with the Floyd County Sheriff's Department.

Special thanks to the Disabled American Veterans and Ladies Auxiliary - Chapter #169, Betsy Layne, for being with us before and after, and your continued support.

During this difficult time we appreciate those who care.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

Clark council to meet
The SBDM council at Clark Elementary School will meet May 18, at 6 p.m. in the school library. Everyone is invited to attend.

Chapters to hold meet
The Big Sandy Chapter SAR and the John Graham Chapter DAR will hold a joint meeting at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, at noon, on May 15. Guest speaker will be Ron Vanover, Jenny Wiley State Park.

1969 class reunion
Prestonsburg class of 1969 will be holding a 30-year class reunion on June 26, at Jenny Wiley State

Ella Ree (Kat) Caudill
Ella Ree (Kat) Caudill, 64, passed away Sunday, April 18, 1999, in Cleveland, Ohio, after a prolonged respiratory illness. She is the daughter of the late Alice and Goble Hall of Bevinville, Ky., and the former wife of the late Edward Caudill. Cherished mother of Jeffrey (Candy) of Albany, Oregon, Gregory and Timothy (Samantha) of Cleveland, Ohio. Beloved grandmother of Jessica, Jason, Timothy Jr., Nicole, Stephanie, Melissa, and Linda. Dear sister of Burnis Hall (deceased), Tempie Waddles (deceased), Susie Harris (deceased), Omeah "Buddy" Hall of Jacks Creek, Ky., Gladys Morgan of Estill, Ky., Cora Lee Tackett of Cleveland, Oh., Jackie Little of Melvin, Ky., and Bill Goble "Buck" Hall of Jefferson, Ohio. Aunt and great aunt of many.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 21, at the Annunciation Church with burial at Holy Cross Cemetery in Cleveland, Ohio. Serving as pallbearers were Timothy Caudill, Timothy Caudill Jr., Frank Bush Jr., George King Jr., Bryan Sheers, and Walter Tomon. (sp. cont.)

Park in the Pines Building (next to campground). All former classmates are urged to attend. Call 886-1456 for more information.

ACHS election
Allen Central High School's election of parent members to the SBDM council will be held Monday, May 17, at 6 p.m. in the school library. Nominations must be submitted in writing to the school office by 3 p.m. on May 10.

BLHS accepting nominations
Betsy Layne High School SBDM council is taking nominations for parent members for the 1999-2000 school year. Applications are available at the school. Voting will be May 14, at the school.

Parent nominations
Site-based parent nominations will be taken accepted from May 10 at 8 a.m. until May 14, at 3 p.m. in the youth service center at Allen Central Middle School. Election will be held May 25, from 4-8 p.m. The site-based meeting will be held May 27, at 6 p.m.

ACHS student wins scholarship

An Allen Central High School student has been awarded a \$500 scholarship through the MAPCO Coal Scholars Program.

LeAnn Turner of Garrett was one of five students in the four states in which MAPCO operates to win the one-time awards.

She is the daughter of William and Billie Turner. Her father works for a MAPCO affiliate at Lovely in Martin County. The awards are restricted to children of employees of MAPCO and its affiliates.

Turner plans to use the scholarship at Morehead State University, where she wants to study to be a physician's assistant.

At Allen Central, she is a member of the Beta Club and Future Homemakers of America, is president of the Future Business Leaders of America and vice president of the Math Club. She is also a member of the academic team, a hospital volunteer and a piano instructor.

Students are selected for the MAPCO scholarships on the basis of their academic record, leadership, participation in school and community activities, honors, work experience, educational and career goals, and teacher recommendation.

Card of Thanks

The family of Ronald Gene Vance wishes to thank all of those who were so kind and considerate during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent flowers and gifts of love. We especially want to thank the Samaria Regular Baptist Church, the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service

THE FAMILY OF RONALD GENE VANCE

Card of Thanks

The family of Goldia Porter Short Williams 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 especially want to thank Dr. French Harmon and Clergyman Arnold Turner Jr., for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF GOLDIA PORTER SHORT WILLIAMS

Card of Thanks

The family of Mary Edna Hall Smiley would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF MARY EDNA HALL SMILEY

Card Of Thanks

The family of Anita Scott Lewis wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, neighbors and relatives in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. We are especially thankful to Clergymen Jim Smith, Terry Conley, Virgil Goble and Lee Music for their comforting words; the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control; the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE SCOTT AND LEWIS FAMILIES

A Tribute to Janet Stambaugh 1934-1999

As most of the congregation knows, Janet was called away last Sunday morning about 11:00 while all of her family were here in service except Susan and Clem W. When we lose any dedicated faithful member as she was, we grieve and we hurt, as we have all done this past week. The Church has lost one of the most faithful members and I have lost one of the best friends I ever had, one who would always encourage me in the Lord's work.

Janet never failed to stand up for the church wherever she went or whoever she met. She loved the preaching, the prayers and the singing. She left this world quoting scriptures she could remember. She always had a smile and kind word for every one, and never criticized anyone. She never failed to show her love for her family, Clem, Susan, Willie, Clem Wells, Scott, Amanda, Onda Lee, and Boyd. No doubt there are members here today because of her influence.

Our thanks, on behalf of the family to the congregation here, the area congregations, and the community of Auxier, for the outpouring of LOVE, Sympathy, Consideration, calls, the flowers, and food, which was overwhelming. The family expressed they just couldn't find words to thank each one for the many acts of kindness, displayed all week.

There was an overflowing crowd both nights at Jones and Preston, also for the funeral which was conducted here at the building at 11:00, Wednesday, April 28, 1999.

A Memorial Scholarship Fund has been set up in memory of Janet for a child to go to college. May we each be a light for our community, as she was.

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PHS students do Jenny Wiley Theatre mural

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

If you plan to attend the plays at Jenny Wiley Theatre this season, take note of the art work done by Prestonsburg High School students at the entrance to the theatre.

Art teacher Ellen Trimble, working with the high school, the theatre and the Floyd County Board of Education, took students to the theatre past week to paint scenes from the four plays that will be presented this year, *The Legend of Jenny Wiley*, *Oklahoma!*, *Grease*, and *Pinocchio*.

Five students worked on the project Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday: Brooke Stinnett, Jay Skeens, Ashley Derossett, James Keathley and Ben Childers.

The project is an activity of the Jenny Wiley Theatre Outreach Program, and Patrick Baldauff, the theatre's activities director, has been instrumental in getting the project off the ground.

Is the project worth missing a day of school? "This helps high school students develop skills that they can use in future creative art projects," said Derossett, a senior who plans to pursue an art major in college.

Skeens said the school had no art classes last year and he appreciated the fact that the Talented and Gifted (TAG) program was meeting some of the needs of students interested in art.

Pat Barnette is coordinating the TAG portion of the project. Asked about missed class work, Skeens said, without much enthusiasm, "I have to make it up when I get back."

Principal Coy Samons paid for a substitute for Trimble, the Floyd County Board provided transportation and Jenny Wiley Theatre provided lunch for the students.

"I think people in the area should see the plays (and the artwork too), and Prestonsburg should have murals at other sites. It makes the place look better," Derossett added.

On opening night (June 18), the students and others will be recognized in a program prior to the play.



Arts Festival

An oil painting by South Floyd High School student Mary Case was among art works displayed at the Mountain Arts Center as part of the recent Floyd County Fine Arts Festival. The top 10 art works were to be judged yesterday and will be on display through May. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Make your mark on Kentucky's quarter

Here's your chance to help design Kentucky's new quarter-dollar. Each state is submitting a design for the back of the coin for the "Fifty States Commemorative Coin Program," established by federal legislation in 1997. Kentucky's quarter will be released by the US Mint in October of 2001.

The portrait of George Washington remains on the front of the quarter, but the tail will reflect something that's uniquely Kentucky, in accordance with Treasury Department guidelines. The rules provide for "enduring representations" of each of the 50 states. "Not allowed" includes anything offensive, controversial, any state seal, state flag, or any portraits of any persons living or dead.

Gov. Paul Patton asked First Lady Judi Patton to take charge of the quarter project, and she is inviting any interested Kentuckian to submit a design appropriate for Kentucky. "We want everyone who has a suggestion to give us a concept, so we can find something that is as gracious, beautiful, and unique as our Commonwealth of Kentucky is," Mrs. Patton said. "We have many talented people of all ages and we would especially encourage our children to participate in this historic process. This quarter will be a legacy for generations to come."

If you have an idea for Kentucky's quarter, draw, design or paste it in black or white only and mail your suggestion to Judi Patton, Executive Mansion, 704 Capitol Ave., Frankfort, KY 40601.

All entries must be postmarked by June 4, 1999, to be eligible for consideration. Don't fold, spindle or otherwise crumple the entry. Mail it flat. Include a one paragraph description of the reason your design is the right symbol for Kentucky.

The Kentucky Quarter Design Suggestion Form is now available on the web at <http://www.state.ky.us/agencies/go>

v/quarter.htm. Entry forms are available at every county courthouse and mayor's office.

Kentucky will submit three to five of the selected designs to the US Mint for consideration by June 21. The Mint will draw up the official artwork to establish the feasibility of translating the designs to the back of the coin. The governor and Mrs. Patton will make the final selection based upon the Mint's artwork.

Kentucky was the 15th state admitted to the United States and its coin will be introduced as the 15th of all the states. Kentucky's liaison to the US Mint for the Kentucky Quarter project is Robert Farmer of Louisville, serving on a volunteer basis. For more information contact Farmer at 502-583-2200.

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Ms. Kitty, 4th grade: 4.0—Wesley Crager, Megan Little, and Richard Vanderpool.

3.0-3.9—Matthew Amburgey, Stephanie Gray, Jordan Hale, David Howard, Trevor Howard, Rebel Lawson, Mary B. Lee, Rachael Paige, Andrew Sazabo and Travis Scott.

Billy O'Quinn, Fifth grade: Honor roll, Billie O'Quinn: Samantha Bailey, Cynthia Bryant, Kristy Burchfield, Katie Collett, Thomas Crum, Amy Wallen, Keshia Goble, Tiffany R. Hall, Brock Kidd, Samantha Nelson, Ashanti Risner and Logan Slone.

C. Martin, Fourth grade: Ariel Robinson, Joshua Martin, Joshua Hoover, Jamie Evans, Shannon Howard, Brittany Frasure, Dagan Bickford, Christy Hall, Elizabeth Slone, Zachary Patton, Andrea Moore, Katie Short, Courtney Martin, Kayla Shepherd, Megan Moore, Khayla Crider, Mike Case, Tiffany Owens, Keith Duncan, Ethan Conley, Amanda Hicks, Melissa Noble and Ashley Vanderpool.

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JOHN BLACKCAT PHENOM Ortega

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Success: Webster tells us the word is descriptive of a satisfactory outcome, satisfactory result or something having such an outcome. Another meaning is simply "a successful person."

We choose to use the latter in our description of Prestonsburg's John Ortega, for he must have been the one whom Daniel Webster was describing when he wrote his world famous book.

We could have taken the route of saying that John Ortega has been successful in football, for he was. We could describe him as being very successful in the sport of basketball, and that also would be true. His success on the diamond in baseball is well documented. But we like to think of Ortega as just a successful young man, who has learned early in life how to handle success.

A multi-sport star at Prestonsburg High School, some have commented that he could even be a winner in the old, old game of marbles.

We have seen a lot of talented athletes come and go. But we will have to wait a long time before another John Ortega graces our school campuses again. He is a very caring person and everyone speaks in the highest regard for him, even the opposition.

From one practice forum to another, it seems he never quits, never stops running, never stops receiving one award after another.

Even his mother, Shelia Ortega, says it has been a major effort just to make a list of all the recognition he has received in the past four years.

"The University of Kentucky asked for a list of his accomplishments," she said. "It tired me out just to list them."

Shelia said that it was "unreal" the awards Ortega has received over the years.

"He just doesn't pay any attention to it," she said. "He just goes on and never talks about it." Ortega credits others in his life who have helped him keep his priorities straight.

"Mom loves sports as much as I do," he said. "She has helped me a lot just to keep my head. Mom has always told me not to worry about any of the headlines or anything like that. Just play as well as you can."

Ortega's brother, Ryan, was a gifted athlete in his own right, but Ortega credits his influence also in keeping things in the proper perspective.

"Playing with Ryan has helped me a lot," he said. "He is a very competitive person. Then playing against him every day helped me even more."

Ortega said that his uncle, Tracy Patton, who is a minister, has been a positive influence in his life, as well as his

But football, basketball and baseball is not all the success he has managed in his life. Ortega can attend the University of Kentucky with a scholarship in engineering. However, he wants to walk-on and play football and baseball for the Wildcats next season. But according to his mother, others are trying hard to sway him to head their way.

"Centre College really wants him and has offered him a scholarship there," Shelia said. "But John wants to prove he can play there at UK."

"Walking on at UK is still a possibility," said Ortega. "Centre College has a great offer out there and I am still looking at it. UK has offered me an academic scholarship and it has been a dream of mine to play either football or baseball for Kentucky."

Ortega said no final decision has been made but he still holds the dream of playing sports at UK.

Few know that Ortega's career in sports began at Betsy Layne Elementary, where his mother taught. Up till the second grade, he attended Betsy Layne Elementary.

When Junior Pro basketball started to spread through the county, news of the success of the Prestonsburg program grabbed the younger

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Multisport star could walk on at Kentucky

aunt and grandmother.

"Tracy has been like a dad to me when my dad is not at home," Ortega said.

"My grandmother is always watching sports on ESPN," he said. "She will have a hockey game on or baseball."

Wes Samons and Ortega struck up a friendship at Adams Middle School on John's arrival there. Samons influenced Ortega to play Little League baseball in the Allen league where he played for Wilburn Samons.

"He also coached us in basketball as well as Little League," Ortega said. "Wilburn is one of the best coaches that I have played under."

Ortega could have gone to college on a basketball, baseball or football scholarship. Colleges all over coveted his services in one of the major sports. That is success.

Tackett tosses 4-hit shutout at Lady Rebs

Robinette, Clark drive in two each in 8-0 win

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Betsy Layne starting pitcher Kim Tackett had everything going for her this past Monday evening when her Lady Cats softball team pulled out an 8-0 win over a good Allen Central team that was tied with Prestonsburg for the conference lead going into the contest.

Perhaps the biggest thing going for Tackett was the weather. Under blue skies, the temperatures soared in the low 80s at game time, just what Tackett would have ordered.

"The reason she pitched so well was because it was hot," assistant coach Mitsy Collins.

"I like to pitch when it is hot like this," said Tackett. "It helps keep my arm loose."

Coach Ted George is hoping the weather is the same when the girls district tournament is held in two weeks.

"She pitched a good game for us," he said. "I just hope we have this kind of weather when the tournament begins."

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ED TAYLOR
times sports editor

Kenny Rice to move up to ESPN

Just a note, a story will follow in Friday's sports section, about Kenny Rice departing Channel 36 in Lexington for the big time of ESPN sports.

Rice will leave Channel 36 at the end of June and be a big part of ESPN's coverage of Thoroughbred racing.

Floyd County should be very proud of Kenny and I realize some do not know of his humble beginnings here at home in communications.

Kenny called me Tuesday and we talked about his new adventure (well, it may not be brand new, as he has been doing some specials for ESPN). I remember when he used to do beauty pageants, radio, a column in this paper and other stuff. But we will get into that more in the feature story.

Kenny has come a long way and I, for one, am very proud of him.

Be sure to catch the 15th Region Sports Forum tonight on Channel 5 at 8:30 p.m. Former Floyd County Elementary coaches will make a guest appearance. We will talk about how the game has changed since their coaching days. You don't want to miss this one. Sports Forum is a live call-in show.

District tournament time in softball and baseball is upon us

and how to cover both tournaments, being they are in separate locations, will be a big problem for this sports editor. The solution? Take a vacation then!

Allen Central's Nick Samons inked to play basketball with Alice Lloyd College this past Tuesday. We also will have more coverage in Friday's sports on the signing.

Also, Alice Lloyd's softball team will get two dandies from the county in Shelly Greathouse and Brandi Slone. Both will sign today with the Lady Eagles. Greathouse will also play basketball for coach Denise Campbell.

It is good to see our county kids get those scholarships. After the signings this week, the number will have grown to six who have signed already.

I see where both the college and pros are hollering how the early exit of college players are hurting, not only college, but the pros as well. There are only so many jobs available in the NBA and with all the defections this year, you wonder who will not have a job or who will not get one.

Kentucky's Jamal Magloire had better think his decision to turn pro through. Of course, Jamal will have a chance to return to UK if he goes low in the draft in June.

Remember, the lower you go,

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Teams from the Harold-Allen-Prater Little League stood in front of the big scoreboard that graced the Little League field at Stumbo Park. "We would like to thank County Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson for the scoreboard," said Mike Jarrell (photo by Ed Taylor)



Ortega

Ortega's attention — also football at Prestonsburg attracted him.

"Mom taught at Betsy Layne at the time," said Ortega. "I had a lot of friends there that have already graduated because I was held back a year in the fifth grade."

"Athletics at Betsy Layne High School was good, but it seemed that baseball was their best sport. I like

football and wanted to play at Prestonsburg."

"It was then that John wanted to go to Adams Middle School," Shelia said. After inquiring of the league, both John and brother Ryan, enrolled at Adams Middle School.

Once in the Blackcat camp, John Ortega was quickly accepted and embraced by teammates such as Joe

Campbell, Andy Jarvis, Kalen Harris and others. The group remained together and formed one of the top basketball programs at Prestonsburg High School.

"We are great friends even today," Ortega said of his teammates at Adams Middle School. "I played in junior pro with them, and I live next to most of them. We became good friends."

As a sixth grader at Adams, Ortega buried a three-point basket against a very strong Martin Purple Flash team that gave Adams Middle School the county championship.

"After the game I asked him, 'John why did you take the shot, you are only a sixth grader,'" his mother said. "He said, 'I made it didn't I?'"

After middle school, Ortega said he had thoughts of leaving the area and moving to Sarasota, Florida, where his dad lives.

"When I was a freshman dad presented me with a choice of moving to Sarasota and playing baseball and football," Ortega said. "There, they play baseball year 'round. My dad had a lot of success in baseball, and I suppose my ability came from my father's side of the family."

But Ortega said he did not want to leave the many friends he had in Eastern Kentucky.

Ortega reflected back on his years of athletics at Prestonsburg and the coaches he had played for.

"Coach (Jackie) Pack fought it all here at Prestonsburg," Ortega recalled. "He has had a lot of outside interference and did as well as he could under the circumstances. He did a real good job and I loved playing under him."

Ortega said he has been influenced much by football coach John Derossett. "Coach Derossett is a real intense person. He gets the best out of his players. He can fire you up for a game no matter if it is Breathitt County or Morgan County."

"He has a real good weight training program. He does his job in the off season to get you ready to play. He has been a big influence in my playing sports."

Russell Shepherd had coached many great baseball players in the 20-plus years he has been there, but Ortega ranks him as one of the "granddaddies" of the coaching ranks.

"I guess he is the wisest and oldest one of them all," he said. "He has had a lot of success but his main objective is to go out and have fun."

The sports achievement list of one John Ortega is a long, long one. In his grade school and high school careers, perhaps fans would have to go back a long way to find a Floyd County student athlete who has accomplished so much in a short career.

With all the awards and accomplishments in life, Ortega said there have been some gratifying moments in his life and he shared them.

"When I was 10-years old, I gave my life to Christ and got saved," he said. "He definitely has been an influence in my life. I have been blessed."

"I have been able to play in some big games in football, basketball and baseball with most success in football. I have a choice of where I can go to school, not many people have that. For that I am very thankful," said Ortega.

Whether he chooses UK or Centre College, down the road there will be more awards waiting for a young man who has won the hearts of fans throughout eastern Kentucky, 15th Region and Floyd County. And what

success lies ahead for Ortega, rest assured he knows how to handle it all.

Sports

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there is no guarantee contract. You have to make the team — therefore, less money.

Next season? UK will be fine. No championship but an entertaining year.

I look for girls volleyball in the county to increase in numbers this year. Practice begins in July and the season will get the nod in August. When I talked with some of the coaches there seemed to be more interest in the sport.

Picking an all-conference team in girls softball will be one of the hardest teams to pick. I mean we have so many good players who are very deserving of the vote. Boy, I am glad I don't have to make that decision.

I have never seen so many good players as we have on all the teams this season. Some are just freshmen, eighth-graders and they may have to wait another year because we have a boat-load of very good sophomores, juniors and seniors. The flux of top players in the county are juniors.

Baseball will not be as difficult but that doesn't mean we don't have good players. I think the talent level is down somewhat in baseball but give it another year and all that will change.

With the Little Leagues underway, it really appears that summer (or spring) is officially here. But don't put the sweaters away yet. I have been covering the district baseball tournaments for the past 11 seasons and I have never seen the weather not cool off around district tournament time.

The county track and field meet is scheduled for next week (Wednesday and Thursday) at Allen Central. South Floyd will be the host school for the meet as well as the two district tournaments.

Listen, when they ask for your money at the gate for the tournaments, don't make a fuss, just pay the one or two dollars and enjoy some good softball or baseball.

Allen Park will be the site of the baseball tournament. The Minnie Park will play host to girls softball.

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports!

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John Ortega Prestonsburg High School

Football

- 1994-95 Big Sandy Middle School Conference Champions Varsity - 4 years
- 1995 Prestonsburg Football Team Awards - Receiver Award
- 1996 Appalachian Bowl - Offensive MVP
- 1996 Prestonsburg Football Team Awards - Leading Rusher - 1,313 yds Most All-Purpose Yards 1,422; Scoring Award 82 points; Leading Scorer - 192 points;
- 1997 Pride of the Mountains Gridiron Classic - Offensive MVP
- 1997 All State Honorable Mention
- 1997 WYMT All Mountain 2nd team Running Back, Honorable Mention - Defensive Back
- 1998 Lexington Herald Pre-Season Top 50 Players
- 1998 Lexington Catholic Bluegrass Bowl - Offensive MVP
- 1998 Jenny Wiley Pioneer Bowl - Defensive MVP
- 1998 Floyd County Times - Offensive Player of the Month
- 1998 WYMT Player of the Week
- 1998 Prestonsburg Football Team Awards - Leading Scorer - 180 points; Leading Receiver - 748 yards, Leading Rusher - 1421 yds;
- 1998 KHSAA Record Holder - 530 points - 5th All Time
- 1998 All State Honorable Mention
- 1998 WYMT All Mountain 1st team Defensive End, 2nd team All Purpose Back, Honorable Mention Running Back
- 1998 Gridiron Greats - Southeast Region
- 1998 Big Dipper All-Mountain Senior Football Team
- 1998 National Football Foundation/Hall of Fame Scholarship Award

Basketball

- 1993 Floyd County Grade School Champions
- 1994 Floyd County Grade School Champions
- 1994 RAX Pikeville College Tournament Champions
- 1994 RAX Pikeville College - All Tournament Team
- 1995 Floyd County Grade School Champions
- 1995 Floyd County - All Tournament Team
- 1995 RAX/Pikeville College Tournament Champions
- 1995 RAX/Pikeville College - All Tournament Team - Most Valuable Player
- Varsity 4 years
- 1996 Kentucky Sophomore Nike All Star Team
- 1996 Las Vegas Nike Tournament - 4th Place
- 1996 58th District Conference Champions
- 1996 58th District Tournament Champions
- 1997 58th District Conference Champions
- 1997 58th District Tournament Champions
- 1997 58th District - All Conference Team
- 1997 58th District - All Tournament Team
- 1997 15th Region Tournament Runner-up
- 1997 Prestonsburg Basketball - Team Award - Best Defensive Player
- 1997 WYMT Mountain Basketball Classic - All Tournament Team
- 1998 58th District Conference Champions
- 1998 58th District Tournament Champions
- 1998 58th District - All Conference Team
- 1998 58th District - All Tournament Team
- 1998 Toyota Classic - All Tournament Team
- 1998 Floyd County Times Player of the Month - December
- 1999 58th District - All Conference Team - Co MVP
- 1999 58th District - All Tournament Team
- 1999 15th Region - All Tournament Team
- 1999 Prestonsburg Basketball - Team Awards

Best Defensive Player, Most Assists, Most Steals/Deflections, Academic Award, Most Valuable Player

- 1999 All State Honorable Mention - Basketball
- 1999 Q-95 FM James E. Allen - Player of the Year


Baseball

- 1996 58th District Conference Team
- 1996 58th District All Tournament Team
- 1997 58th District Conference Team
- 1997 58th District All Tournament Team
- 1998 58th District All Conference Team
- 1998 58th District All Tournament Team
- 1998 58th District Tournament Runner-up
- 1998 KY East-West All Star Team - Juniors

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Lady Rebs

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Tradition has been that tournament time always brings the cooler temperatures because of the blackberry winter. Fans may have to pull on the sweatshirts.

Another thing going for Tackett was the defense behind her as she had the Lady Rebels bouncing the ball on the ground. She had five grounders hit back to her and picked up five assists. Shortstop Devon Reynolds was nothing short of sensational on the infield.

A third thing going for Tackett was the game, which was rained out last Friday, had to start from the beginning and that was a break for Betsy Layne. Allen Central led 5-1 when the game was called.

Shanna Howell suffered the setback for the Lady Rebels, but hurling

the softball is something new for her.

"I just started working with it this year," she said. "It is something different. I like to pitch."

It is hard to win from the mound when your team fails to put runs on the scoreboard. Allen Central only collected four hits in the game as they dropped to 4-2 in the Floyd County Conference.

Kim Clark and Mindy Robinette drove in two runs each for the Lady Cats. Kristal Newsome collected two hits in the win.

"This is probably the best game we have played all year," said Betsy Layne coach Ted George. "The key for us was getting the first batter out in each inning."

No Allen Central lead-off batter reached base to start any inning.

Shannon Sizemore had a one-out single in the first and Terri Mullins singled with two out in the second. Jennifer Risner had a two-out single in the third and Natalie Cooley singled with one out in the sixth.

Betsy Layne improved to 13-6 on the season and Coach George said his team was ready.

"This team is definitely tournament ready," he said. "We are playing good right now."

Betsy Layne took a 2-0 lead in the first inning with the help of an error in left field. Devon Reynolds singled with one out and came home when Robinette's fly ball was dropped in left field. Robinette scored on Denise Jones' RBI single.

The Lady Cats added two runs in the top of the second on Robinette's

two-run double to lead 4-0.

Howell settled down after the second inning and pitched strong third and fourth innings. But Betsy Layne dented the plate three times in the fifth inning to go up 7-0. Robinette knew the meaning of the old adage, "you were robbed" when Terri Mullins went to her left in left field and picked off a drive to rob Robinette of extra bases. Kim Clark doubled in two runs in the fifth inning.

The final Betsy Layne run came in the sixth inning on a walk to Heather Hamilton, who scored late on a wild pitch.

Allen Central never could get their bats going against Tackett. The only real threat for the Lady Rebels was in the fifth inning when they put runners at second and third but were left stranded.

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Bunt attempt

Allen Central's Natalie Cooley set to put down a bunt against the Betsy Layne Lady Cats Monday evening at the Garrett field. Betsy Layne posted an 8-0 win over the Lady Rebels. (photo by Ed Taylor)



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SPORTS IN KENTUCKY



In the real world: 'OK, Jamaal, here's your best offer, take it and sign!'

If words "practical" and "reality" had a full share in college basketball today, and if All-Wise administrators had courage and a grip, then the following scene would be as normal as coffee shop talk about: "So, what JUCO is UK recruiting this week?"

Consider...
"OK, Jamaal Magloire, we've checked records and apparently you're a student still in good standing at our university. So, we've decided to renew your year-at-a-time scholarship. Sign right here and get on back to your pick-up game."

Magloire might blink and balk, then mumble something about "...I'm still weighing my options."

"Options? Say what?"
When the laughing dies down, the AD or coach might lean forward, looks straight into Magloire's eyes and with unbridled emphasis: "Look, this is your free ride to education, social skills, tutoring, training table, weight training, a posh place to hang out, skill development, television celebrity, Vitale and print media baloney for another year. And that's the short term."

"Next spring you get another trip to The Show, followed by a steering to the best hustler, uh, agent, money can buy. Then, while your barnacle, uh, agent, arranges an NBA contract, one of our university's hangers-on sets you a few autograph signings where fans can kiss your ring, followed by the obligatory barnstorming tour from which inflated ticket prices will get you pin money."

"Oh, and we give you a diploma too if you want it."

"Otherwise, your luggage is on the sidewalk. And starting tomorrow our coaches are out there finding your replacement. Now sign!"

Instead, Magloire, who must be listening to Nazr Mohammed's pal Antoine Walker, is "...studying his options."

College sports, specifically basketball, have become a surreal landscape where wearing the right insignia is politically correct, the word transfer is in and parents say things like "My kid chose your school because of the coach." (Never mind that all-time wins and seven NCAA championships stuff) To discuss earning a degree in the same meeting with "playing time" and "draft placement" is comical and elicits the retort, "Get real."

Meanwhile, All-Wise administrators spin silliness about legislation to curtail kids transferring to other schools, while coaches routinely play contract hopscotch.

C.M. Newton tampered with Vanderbilt's recruitment of Kentucky Mr. Basketball Rick Jones. In a clever turn of words that tiptoed around NCAA rules against mentioning an unsigned high school recruit in the media, UK's AD let it be known Wildcat recruiters might have been more inclined to recruit "closer to home," if they had known about Ryan Hogan and Michael Bradley's defections.

Meaning, of course, Jones at nearby Scott County High School may have been offered a scholarship after all. Barely three days later, Jones balked on a verbal commitment to Coach Kevin Stallings and Vandy.

Did Newton remember spring-times past? In 1982 Kentucky Mr. Basketball Todd May was all but signed and delivered to Vandy where Newton was coaching, but a last minute call from Joe B. Hall changed the Virgie all-stater's mind. Five years later, Mr. Basketball John Pelphrey was ready to become a Commodore when pressure convinced Eddie Sutton to offer the Paintsville star a scholarship.

Also last week, Temple University officials complained publicly that an invitation for the Owls to play in the Sugar Bowl Classic in New Orleans in December had been scuttled because UK did not want to face John Chaney's team. Embarrassment risk was too great what with four returning starters, including Lamont Barnes from Hopkinsville. A UK official denied any veto.

And Sugar Bowl officials would neither confirm or deny Temple charges. Logic spoke out however. Tournament officials had no interest in rocking this bonanza money-maker boat. So, UK will play rebuilding Oklahoma.

In fact, given its prolific non-league card already, plus a power-packed SEC schedule next winter, UK's reluctance to face another top 10 foe next December is understandable.

But why not skip the denials and just say so? Four months ago Tubby Smith vowed the Wildcats' non-conference schedule next season would be less demanding than 1998. UK is already signed for the preseason NIT and contracted for trips to Indiana, Miami, Fla., and Maryland. These to go with visits from Michigan State, Georgia Tech and Louisville. The game with Denny Crum's UofL Cardinals looms crucial given the last two meetings.

SI ZINGS UK'S NEWTON?

C.M. Newton drew fire from Sports Illustrated last week after UK's director of athletics grumbled about transfers and absence of loyalty from student-athletes. SI placed Newton among what it called High-handed Hoopocrites.

Also, Michael Bradley's father's lasting fixation with Rick Pitino surfaced again in a suggestion that UK's AD do more to hold college coaches to their contracts. A lament that falls on deaf ears at UK where Newton demonstrated again his way of dealing with the possibility of a coach's transfer is throw cash. Increase salary and extend a coach's contract as he did with Hal Mumme even as UK was still paying off Bill Curry's buy-out.

READERS (RIGHT) WRITE

• About declining shooting percentages in college basketball... Rick Bentley, Pikeville (E-Mail): "... shooting percentages, perhaps even more telling than shot selection and rough play is practice time. Kids are more concerned with being able to break somebody down (off the dribble) and dunk than the basic fundamentals of the game. Kids try to 'Be Like Mike' and forget about being able to dribble, pass and shoot. Says here if more players wanted to be like Kyle (as in Macy), the game would be better off."

• About college basketball "things" ...

Carl Bible III, Milford, Oh: "... I don't think Wayne Turner improved one iota since he stepped on the UK campus. ... Good to see Billy Donovan enjoy some recruiting success at Florida. My question is why didn't he recruit like that when he was an assistant at UK?"

COMMENT:

Because Kentucky's basic recruiting pitch in the '90s became "come play for Pitino" instead of "come be part of a program that has won more games and been to more NCAA tournaments than any other school."

BITS 'N PEOPLE

WTVQ-Television sportscaster Kenny Rice is leaving the Lexington station to work for ESPN. The Prestonsburg native is one of the best at his craft and certainly one of the most personable, will be a good fit at the cable sports network if he gets a break here or there. Former UK football coach Bill Curry, now a football analyst for ESPN, is being consid-

ered for the same post at CBS Sports replacing Terry Donahue.

Just wondering: What does Kentucky Wesleyan do for an encore? And will the Panthers do it before Coach Ray Harper jumps to a new job? Darrin Horn, assistant to Kyle Macy at Morehead State, has moved to Marquette, joining new head coach Tom Crean. Prediction: Someday there will be these young turk headlines: Horn candidate for Western Kentucky job; Pelphrey among candidates to succeed Tubby Smith at UK.

Worth repeating Department, Tim Couch fans: Did you know the Dallas Cowboys gave up their third round draft pick in 1979 to Seattle who passed it to San Francisco who picked Joe Montana?

JUST WONDERING?

Whatever happened to UofL basketball player John Prudhoe (1955)? Whatever happened to UK football tight-end Ray Barga (1973)?

PARTING SHOT

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar on LA Lakers' Kobe Bryant's lack of maturity: "He makes bad choices a lot in games that hurt the team. That is an element of not playing college ball."

And so it goes.

If you have a point of view you would like to share, write to Bob Watkins, Sports In Ky, PO Box 124, Glendale, Ky. 42740, or e-mail Sptsinky@aol.com

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NASCAR Connection

The future is now

Much already has been made about Dale Earnhardt Jr. moving up to Winston Cup next year. It seems everyone wants to think that the future of the sport rests with a healthy rivalry that could develop between the younger Earnhardt and Jeff Gordon.

Every sport needs rivalries not only to increase fan enthusiasm but to also make sure that the competition level remains as high as possible. Throughout NASCAR's history there has always been a rivalry that has taken the sport to another level.

When the modern era of the sport began in 1972, Richard Petty, Cale Yarborough, David Pearson and Bobby Allison had already taken their competitive level of racing to the rivalry stage. The shows that these four drivers put on during race day began getting noticed outside of the Southeast. It was exactly what the sport needed to move into the '80s.

The '80s saw maybe the most intense rivalry of all time develop both on and off the track. Dale Earnhardt and Darrell Waltrip's fierce track battles began drawing more and more people to the track. By now the sport was no longer the sole property of the South; word of

Winston Cup was now beginning to attract the attention of the national media thanks to the battles that Earnhardt and Waltrip were staging both on and off the track.

As we look back on the this decade, it can actually be split into a couple of halves. The first half of the '90s was the property of Earnhardt, and Gordon took ownership of the latter half of the decade. You would think that as the torch was being passed that there would be a natural rivalry arise between the two.

Jeff Gordon brought to the series something that it just wasn't accustomed to. Earnhardt's following was what you would call the veteran race fan, those who had followed the sport for several years. Gordon brought to the sport new race fans who didn't really identify as much with the sport as they did with the age and brashness of Gordon.

Gordon came in at what you would say was the right time when Earnhardt's trips to victory lane were becoming farther and farther apart. Gordon's skill and a well-funded race team took control of the series and never looked back.

During this time Mark Martin, Dale Jarrett, and Rusty Wallace were all still winning races, but

could never grab the championship away from Gordon. His teammate, Terry Labonte, did win the title once, but it was clear that the premier driver on the circuit was Gordon and that there wasn't a suitable driver ready to start up a rivalry that could carry the series into the future.

Last Sunday's top four finishers at California just may have given us a glimpse at which drivers might step up to become the rival driver that the sport needs for the future. Gordon took the checkered flag, but following him were Jeff Burton, Bobby Labonte, and Tony Stewart.

Labonte is the "old man" of the group at 34, but in this sport that is an age where you are just beginning to reach your prime. Jeff Burton is only 31 and Stewart is the same age as the 27-year-old Gordon.

All four of these drivers are presently in the top 10 in the point standings with all of them just beginning to approach the age that is considered the prime for Winston Cup drivers. A driver's best years in

Winston Cup appear to be when he is in his early 30s to mid-40s.

With Martin, Jarrett, Wallace, and Earnhardt all in the twilight of their careers, it will be up to Burton, Labonte, and Stewart to step forward and become the rival that Gordon needs. All three have shown this year that they have what it takes to become that fan favorite to battle Gordon each week.

Some believe that Dale Jr. will be able to move up next year and start what his famous father was never able to really establish, an on track rivalry with Gordon.

It may be that Gordon's rival is already there! In fact it may be that his RIVALS (Burton, Labonte, Stewart) have already started laying the groundwork for what will take the sport into the next century.

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Awkward delivery

Allen Central's Shanna Howell may have a strange looking windup but she gets the job done from the mound. Allen Central will be the second seed in the upcoming district tournament next week. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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In extra innings...

Paintsville edges Betsy Layne Bobcats, 10-9

Bradley homers, collects 3 hits

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Chas Harmon gave Paintsville coach Charlie Adkins just what he wanted when he was inserted on the mound in the top of the fifth inning, four strong innings against the hard-hitting Betsy Layne Bobcats.

The two regional powers met this past Thursday at the Allen Park with the Tigers pulling out an eight-inning 10-9 win over the Bobcats.

Harmon allowed but one run and it was a game-tying solo home run off the bat of catcher Bradley Brooks, leading off the Bobcats' seventh inning. The round tripper tied the game at 9-9.

Dustin Elkins, on in relief of starter Jake Carroll, suffered the loss, even though he pitched well. Elkins came on with one out in the top of the sixth inning, Paintsville

reached him for the game winning run in the top of the eighth inning.

Bradley Brooks collected three hits for the Bobcats, including a seventh inning home run. Adam Tackett, the designated hitter, also had three safeties and two RBIs. Aaron Swiger drove in three runs with two hits. Adam Collins singled twice in the game.

The Tigers' eighth unfolded with Elkins retiring Danny Scott on a fly ball to center and striking out Kinner. But he walked Hall and gave up a base hit to Cox. With runners in scoring position, Joe Mitchell laced a base hit up the middle to score Hall with what turned out to be the winning run.

Harmon got the Bobcats in order in the bottom of the eighth.

Betsy Layne had to play catch up ball in the early innings, with Paintsville taking a 5-0 lead in their half of the first inning. Seth Lauffer provided the early power with a

three-run home run. Matt Brown, who walked and Mark Grim, who singled, scored ahead of Lauffer.

Some early wildness by Carroll loaded the bases for the Tigers, and starting pitcher Parker Diabo singled home two runs as 10 batters went to the plate for Paintsville.

Betsy Layne came back with three runs in their half of the first for a 5-3 game. Swiger had a two-run double and Brooks doubled home Swiger. Carroll and Tackett had safeties in the inning.

Carroll settled down after the drastic first and held the Tigers off the scoreboard in the second and third innings. Betsy Layne plated a run in the third for a 5-4 game. Tackett legged out an infield hit and scored on Justin Kidd's long sacrifice fly to center field.

David Castle and Danny Scott accounted for the two runs Paintsville scored in the top of the fourth. Castle had a sacrifice fly

and Scott doubled home a run to make it a 7-4 game.

Betsy Layne took their only lead of the game with four runs in the fourth inning to make it an 8-7 affair. Adam Tackett had a two-run single up the middle and Swiger drove in his third run of the game with an RBI single.

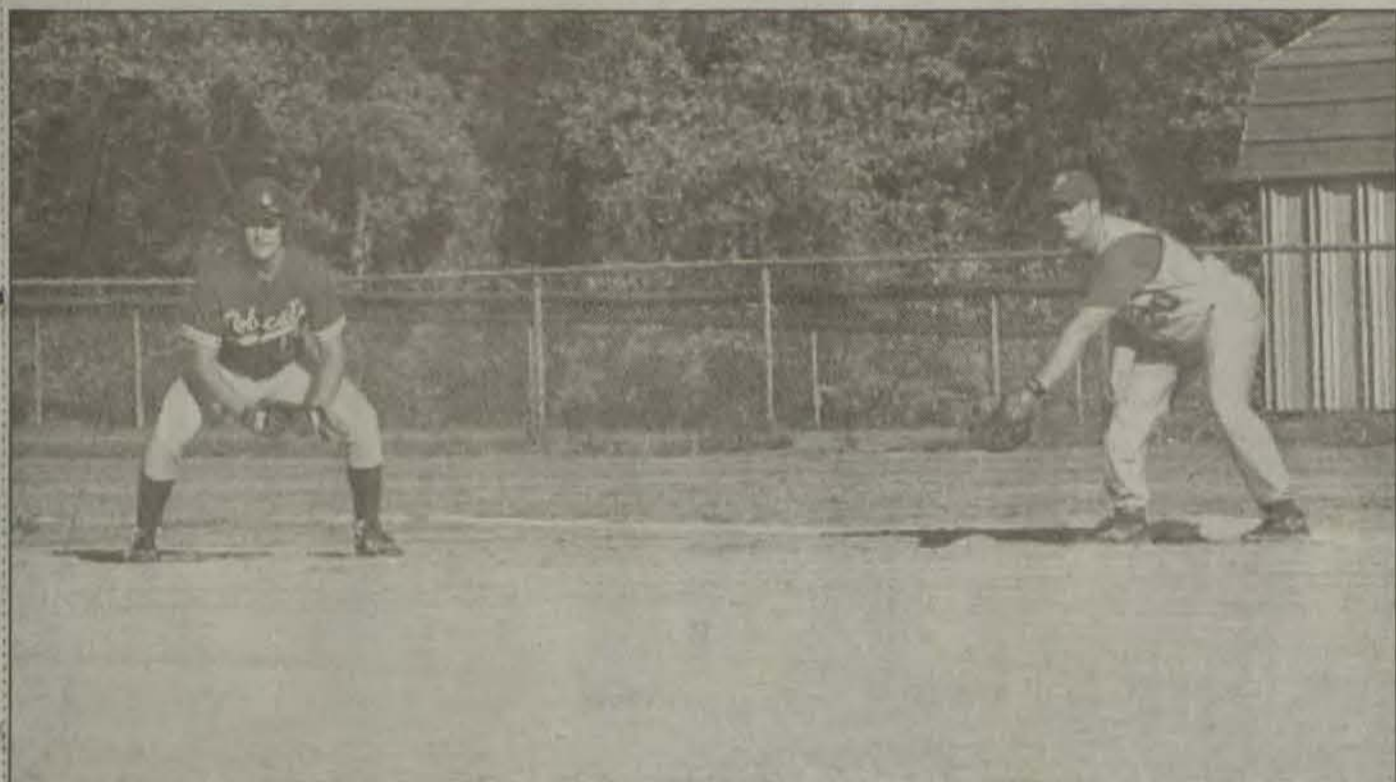
The lead was short-lived as Paintsville scored twice in the top of the fifth to reclaim a 9-8 lead. A single by Diabo and Matt Brown's ground rule double accounted for both runs. Grim singled home two runs also.

Brooks led off the Bobcat seventh trailing 9-8. His blast tied the game at 9-9. After the home run, Harmon retired the last six Bobcat batters he faced.

Carroll hurled five and a third innings, allowing nine runs on 10 hits. He struck out three. Elkins gave up the one run on four hits, and he struck out two batters.

Diabo started for Paintsville and worked the first four innings. He allowed eight runs on 11 hits, walking two and striking out four.

Harmon surrendered one run on just one hit, the Brooks home run. He fanned four and did not walk a batter.



Baseball will wind down the regular season next week in preparation for district tournament time. The boys 58th District will be held at the Allen Park beginning May 24. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Combs, Harris big winners at Thunder Ridge

by James Trimble
Track Writer
and
Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

In the final weekend of tune-ups for late models and modifieds just before the running of the STARS series at Thunder Ridge Speedway this coming Saturday night, drivers from the area will take to the oval track, envisioning being one of the fortunate finishers and receivers of part of the rich purse that will be given away.

Modifieds and late model drivers from all over the country will converge on the local facility, with the purse worth \$35,000.

This past Saturday night saw tradition continue as veteran driver Paul Harris continued to dominate The Ridge. Also, popular driver Brandon Kinzer made his season debut, running for the first time this season.

Kinzer is in the running for Rookie of the Year honors in the touring Hav-A-Tampa Series (a national touring series that covers the USA).

Shannon Thomsbury set fast time in the late model qualifying run, blistering the track with a time of 17.75. Thomsbury took the inside pole position in the feature late model race with Paul Harris on the outside pole position. Once the green flag dropped, Thomsbury fell behind the rest of the field quickly with handling problems while Harris moved ahead of the pack.

Halfway through the 25-lap feature, Thomsbury began to make his move, finding a groove he could run in. As the laps clicked off, Thomsbury moved back to the front of the field, giving chase to Harris. But Harris held off the

late challenge of Thomsbury and took the checker flag and his second consecutive win at The Ridge this season. Henry Homsby finished third behind Thomsbury, Bobby Barley placed fourth and Jim Lemaster ran fifth.

Kinzer experienced mechanical problems in his No. 18 car and had to exit the field early.

It was a big night for veteran modified driver Gary Combs as he drove his familiar No. 10c to the winner's circle in winning the modified feature race.

Combs' car was in excellent running order as he led the 20-car field to the green in the feature race. There were plenty of cautions to keep the field tight and side-by-side racing resulted because of the flags.

However, Combs' car was the top of the field.

"It just took us time to get the car straightened out," said Amy Combs, wife of the No. 10 car driver. "Gary drove a good race and the car performed real well."

Combs led from the green to the checkered and crossed the finish line four car-lengths ahead of the rest of the field. Combs also won his heat race as well as setting fast time in the qualifying run.

Timmy Moore, who battled Combs in the heat races, finished second in his No. 69 car. Greg Ison, in his first season of running in the modifieds, placed third. Jason Johnson took fourth place.

Danny Lowe set fast time in his No. 44 bomber during the bomber qualify-

ing round, but he was not as fortunate in the feature, as he had to settle for second place behind Joel Jensen, who challenged Lowe in their heat race.

In the heat race, Jensen and Lowe were side-by-side as the white flag dropped signifying the final lap. At the finish line it was Jensen who managed to get the nose of his car across the line before Lowe.

Kevin Hall won the second heat of the Super Bombers heat runs and was able to hold off the challenges of Brandon Mason and Jason Stone in winning the feature race.

Hall and Mason led the field to the green flag but it would be Hall who would take the checker flag ahead of Mason. Stone finished third followed by Barton Ratliff. Scott Hall placed fifth.

Mason won the first heat race with Hall winning over Steve Stollings in heat number two.

John Henson drove his 18K road hog to victory lane in the road hog feature. Henson had the inside pole position while Keith Branham set outside. Jimmy Arnett placed second with Brandon Johnson finishing third.

Henson had to come from his eighth position to win his heat race and the inside pole position.

Racing continues this week as the STARS arrive in town for one of the biggest races of the year. A purse of \$8,000 will go to the winner of the 50-lap event. In his rookie season with the STARS is Eddie Carrier Jr., a fan favorite at the Thunder Ridge Speedway. Carrier is leading for Rookie of the Year honors.



Gary Combs

Allen Elementary School

Allen Elementary will hold their election for SBDM Council parent members on Thursday, May 27, at 6:00 p.m., in the school library. Nominations must be submitted in writing to the school office by 3:00 p.m., on Tuesday, May 18, 1999. Parents may nominate themselves or another parent.

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- A parent council member shall be a parent or legal guardian of a student to be enrolled in the school during the parent's term of council service. A parent council member shall not be a District employee at John M. Stumbo Elementary, the relative of a District employee at John M. Stumbo Elementary, a local Board member or spouse of a local Board member. Relative shall mean father, mother, brother, sister, husband, wife, son, daughter, aunt, uncle, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, niece, nephew, father-in-law, or mother-in-law.
- Any parent of a child enrolled at John M. Stumbo Elementary school or a parent of an incoming student may vote to elect the parent council members.

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May 21, 1999	Stumbo Elementary	8:30-11:00
	McDowell Elementary	8:30-11:00
	Betsy Layne Elementary	12:00-2:30
	Osborne Elementary	12:00-2:30
May 28, 1999	May Valley Elementary	8:30-11:00
	Prestonsburg Elementary	8:30-11:00
	Allen Elementary	12:00-2:30
	Clark Elementary	12:00-2:30
	Duff Elementary	12:00-2:30

Health Requirement Information for enrollment will be given out.
For further information, contact Vivian McGarey at 886-1986 or Jennifer Martin at 886-2354

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Prestonsburg Elementary

Prestonsburg Elementary will be accepting nominations for two parent members, May 12th - June 7th, 1999, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m., at the school office. The term will expire June 30, 2000. Nominations need to be submitted in writing to Gwen Harmon, Principal. Prestonsburg Elementary School Council parent election will be held on Tuesday, June 8th, at 7 p.m. in the auditorium. This will also be the regular monthly meeting for PTA.

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National attention has been focused on Oklahoma and Kansas as a result of the massive destruction and terrible loss of life caused by the May 3 tornadoes. Along with the beauty and newness of spring, these states have experienced the darker side of nature.

Unfortunately, we can never predict when our homes and businesses, friends and family will be placed in harms way from the adverse effects of weather, be it floods, snow storms, hurricanes or tornadoes.

The newspaper you are reading is part of Community Newspaper Holdings, Inc., which also owns 53 papers in the state of Oklahoma. We are relieved that no loss of life occurred among our newspaper staffs, although some family members were among those killed, and so very many have experienced personal loss.

Whatever the tragedy and whatever the cause, the American Red Cross is there to provide aid and comfort, bringing to the people victimized by these events the food, shelter and a sense of caring they so desperately need.

The Floyd County Times is asking for your help in restoring calm to those who are suffering from these devastating storms. No contribution is too small in helping put lives back together. Skip lunch one day this week. Hold off on buying that new piece of clothing. Then, write a check for the money you saved and send it to:

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PIG ROAST

Dream Factory will host a pig roast on Saturday, May 15th, from 1p.m. to 9p.m. at Archer Park.

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Briefs

Family reunion

The Scott-Patton-Dye family reunion will be held May 15 at 10 a.m. at the Dewey Dam recreation area. Families planning to attend should bring a covered dish meal and drinks.

Traditional music focus of Berea program

Homer Ledford and the Cabin Creek Band will be featured at the 25th annual Celebration of Traditional Music, May 14-16 at Berea College. The festival begins Friday evening with a concert of various musicians at 7:30 in the Phelps Stokes Chapel.

Saturday's agenda includes instrumental workshops from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Presser Hall Music Building. At 2 p.m., Carl Smith of Kentucky State University will present a symposium on "Lined hymns in African-American churches in Eastern Kentucky," also in Presser Hall.

Festival musicians will perform again at 7:30 p.m. in the Phelps Stokes Chapel, followed by square dancing, led by Susan Spalding and Friends, at 10 p.m. Other musicians scheduled to perform are Jerry Adams and the Sim Top Ramblers, Carl and Buzzy Leming, Rob Mashburn, Eddie Pennington, Jim Trantham and Family, and the Ware Brothers. The celebration ends with a concert of religious music on Sunday at 9 a.m. in Presser Hall.

Evening performances cost \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for youth, 10-17 years of age. Other events are free. For information, call the Berea College Appalachian Center at 606/986-9341, ext. 5140.

Appalachian Regional Healthcare announces new leadership

Appalachian Regional Healthcare Inc. announced on Friday, April 30, that Willis Bultje has been named interim chief executive officer. Barbara Hooper, chair of the ARH Board of Trustees, said the change in leadership was decided at a board meeting on Thursday, April 29.

Bultje has been vice president

(See BRIEFS, page five)



Pageant winner

MaKenzi Rhalyn Turner was a participant in the Dreams of Hearts Beauty Pageant that was held on March 14. MaKenzi won Most Beautiful and came in first place in her age group, 2-3 year olds.

MaKenzi is the daughter of Vincent and Amy Turner of Garrett. She is the sister of Zachary David Lee Turner of Garrett. Her grandparents are Denzil and Peggy Turner of Garrett, Brenda Turner of Garrett and the late Garrie C. Turner. Her great-grandparents are Charles and Ailene Howard of Garrett and Harriet Lawson of Garrett.

Expo takes students 'out of the box' to discover employment opportunities

Businesses and organizations from around the Big Sandy area let local students know last week that there are career choices in the region.

The fourth Annual Regional Career Expo was held Tuesday, May 4, at the Wilkinson-Stumbo Convention Center. About 916 people attended the event, which was held to expose local high school juniors and seniors, college and vocational students, unemployed/underemployed individuals and the public to the many career choices in the region, according to Tammy Collinsworth



Nakeva Thornton won a 7-Up basketball from the Pepsi Cola Company. Pictured with him is Courtney Hall. Both are students at the Carl D. Perkins Job Corps Center. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

with the Big Sandy Area Development District.

Collinsworth said that at least 466 high school students were among the attendees. Exhibitors reported to Collinsworth that this is the biggest they have attended yet and that they had given away more items this year than in years

past.

The expo featured businesses, industries, vocational/technical schools and colleges from various counties in the area. Representatives of those groups manned 70 booths.

Exhibiting businesses distributed informational brochures, as well as free gifts to the students.

Exhibitors included the Pepsi Company, World Wide Equipment, R & S Body, Ward Engineering, the United State Post Office, WYMT, Johnson and Floyd County health departments, Appalachian Regional Hospitals, military organizations, home health agencies, and state offices.

In addition to getting students and job seekers "out of the box of education and to think of other ways" of finding jobs, the expo's goal is to promote area businesses, according to Collinsworth.

Students from Jenkins, Hazard, Sheldon Clark, Shelby Valley, Allen Central, South Floyd and the Carl D. Perkins Job Corps were among those visiting the expo booths.

Prizes were awarded almost continually during the event to students and exhibitors throughout the event, which began around 9 a.m. and ended around 1 p.m. Prizes included basketballs from the Pepsi Company, Home Interior products, a Bible, a crock pot, gift certificates from Sam An Tonio's and Wal-Mart, Thunder Ridge tickets, a picnic cooler, and postal service items — just to name a few.

Exhibitors and attendees expressed favorable comments about the expo, Collinsworth said. Those comments include: "More are needed in the region" and "I will attend (next year) only if I have a job."

"That's a good thing," she said. "We're trying to show them that



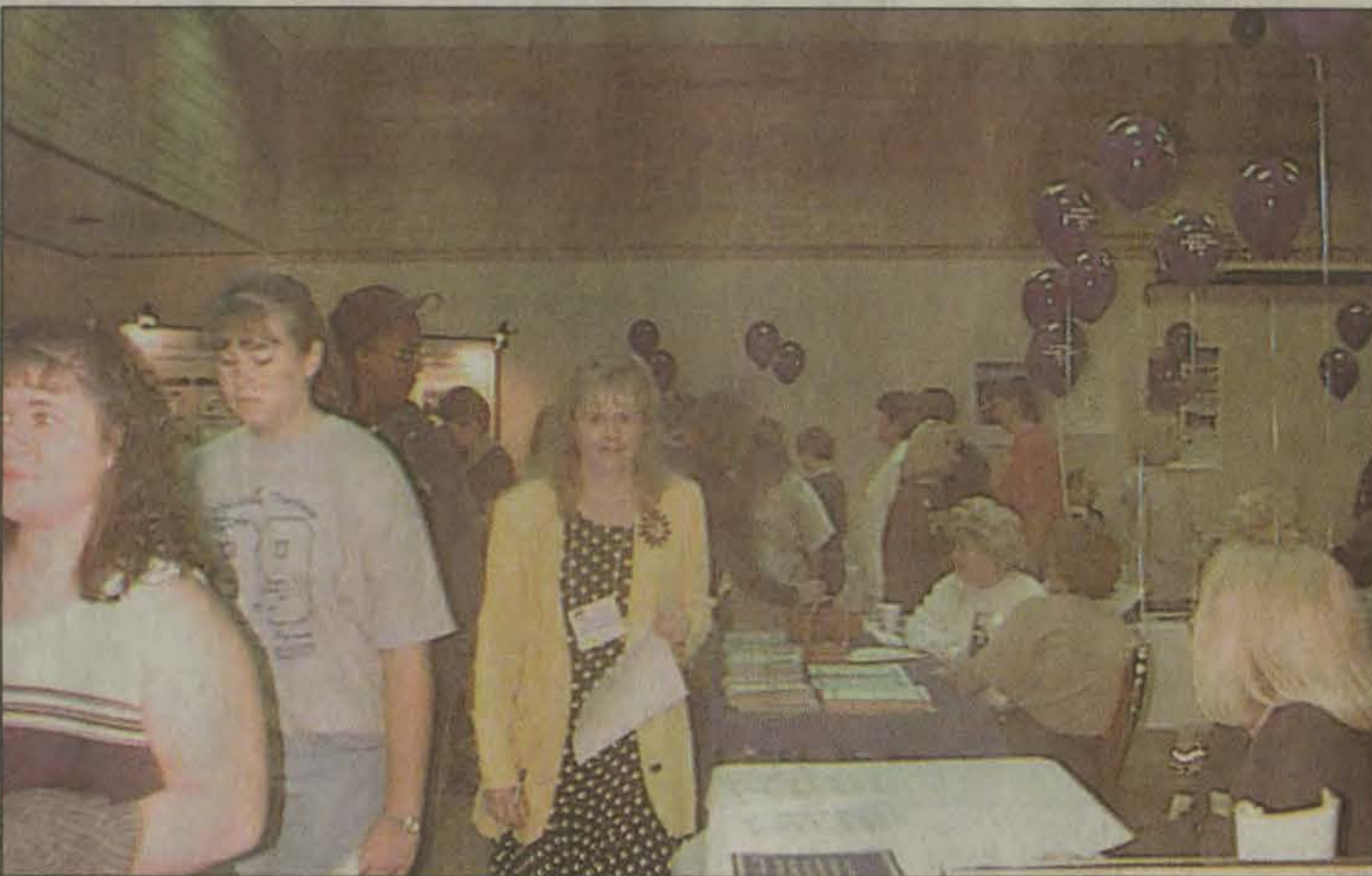
Several students took a break from visiting the various booths during the Career Expo held Tuesday at the Wilkinson/Stumbo Convention Center at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

there are jobs they can get."

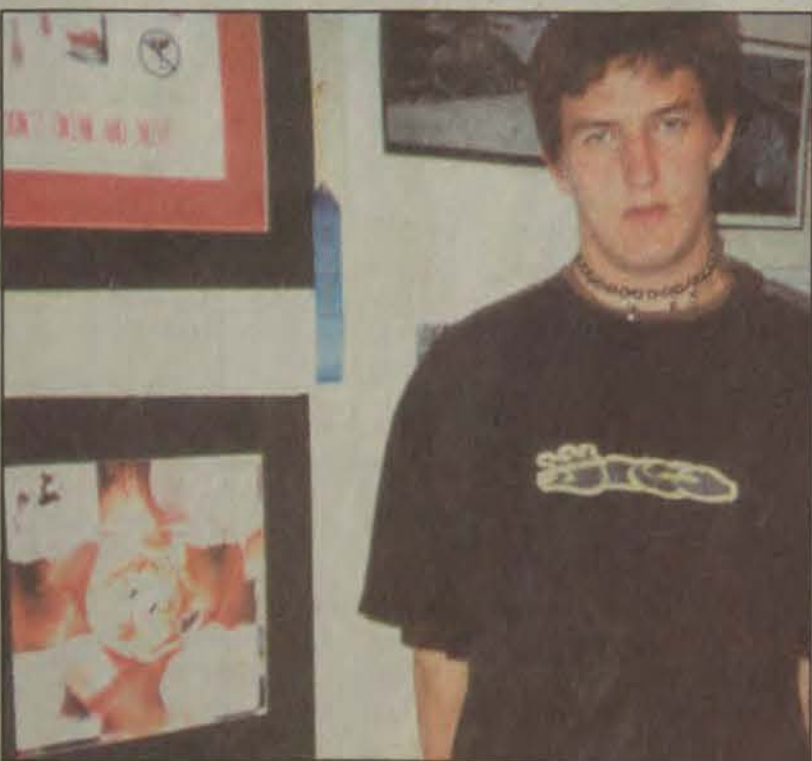
She said some businesses brought applications to the expo and distributed them to potential employees.

"This helped exhibitors who are looking for employees find a good employment field. It was good PR. For those who were here for the first time, it just gets the word out about who they are," she said.

The event was sponsored by the Cabinet for Families & Children, the Department for Community Based Services/Division of Family Support, the Big Sandy Area Development District, the AmeriCorps Appalachian Self-Sufficiency Program, Jenny Wiley State Park and the Department for Employment Services.



Tammy Collinsworth (in center of photo), with the Big Sandy Area Development District, was one of the organizers of the event. Collinsworth said local businesses and organizations manned around 70 booths at the event. At the booth near the right side of the photo were representatives of the Floyd County Health Department. (photo by Janice Shepherd)



Drew Petry

Allen Central art student in state competition

Drew Petry, a junior at Allen Central High School, won first place in the Kentucky All-State High School Art Exhibit. This show is held at Morehead State University and is sponsored by the Kentucky Art Education Association.

It is juried by members selected by the Art Department at MSU. His

computer art drawing was part of the All-State Exhibit shown in Maysville.

Drew is the son of Randy and Tina Petry of Prestonsburg. He is a member of the Advanced Art class at Allen Central.

His art was submitted for competition by Mrs. Caralita O'Quinn.

POISON OAK

by Clyde Pack

Nothing to crow about

As a kid growing up in Eastern Kentucky, I would hear what sounded like hundreds of them chattering and quarreling in the tops of trees back on top of the hills.

Of course, I'm talking about crows.

When I'd tag along behind Dad to the garden, sometimes we'd surprise a dozen or so of them and they'd take wing in a heartbeat, scurrying loudly to the shelter of the thicket that surrounded his fenced-in-garden spot. This usually prompted Dad to construct a large cross out of old two-by-fours, hang a five-pound lard bucket on top for a head and one of his old shirts on the cross arms, and firmly plant a scarecrow in the middle of his corn patch. Unless the wind blew it over, or the corn eventually grew high enough to obscure it, the crows usually stayed away.

In those days, crows even seemed a bit mysterious to me, an idea perhaps planted by Edgar Allan Poe's, "The Raven," which I then thought was the same thing as a crow but have since learned differently.

But even when Poe had the raven chanting "nevermore" instead of the typical "caw, caw, caw," it was totally acceptable, because I'd always heard that if you caught a crow and split its tongue, you could teach it to talk.

So, although it's nothing to crow about, I've always been familiar with crows. But it hasn't been until lately that I've noticed they've been getting a little too familiar with me. It's gotten to the point where I wouldn't be surprised if these once shy birds, that seemed to fear people, just rang the doorbell and asked for a handout.

As a matter of fact, last week one almost did.

I always set out my garbage to be picked up on Tuesday mornings by plopping the bags high on the tall, flat-topped hedge in front of my house so the neighborhood dogs can't get to it. Last Tuesday when I went out to go to work, there sat a crow, in all his bluegreen blackness, picking at the garbage, tossing it hither and yon. And, he sat right there until I was no more than five or six feet from him as I rushed the hedge, arms waving, attempting to shoo him away. He left and I went on to work, so I don't know if he returned, or found more easy pickings on down the street.

That's not the worst of it, either.

Last summer, as two or three crows hopped around in a nearby neighbor's yard. I sat on a little retaining wall at the back of my house prying a small can of paint open with one of my car keys. I left the keys, along with the paint, long enough to go into the house and get a paint brush. When I returned, the crows were gone... and so were my set of shiny keys.

I've not seen the keys since, but the crows, who become braver and braver all the time, are making themselves right at home in my neighborhood.

SOCIETY NEWS

Former KRTA president addresses FCRTA

by Alice Martin
The Floyd County Retired Teachers Association met in regular session, May 6, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. Presiding at the meeting was Danny Branson, first vice-president of FCRTA.

The invocation was given by Danny Branson, and Alice O. Martin led the pledge to the flag and the group singing of "Dixie."

Roberta Fugate then introduced Frances Miller, former president of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association and the speaker for the day.

Miller's address concerned measures senior citizens can take to insure a safer, more comfortable living environment. She emphasized the importance of exercise, and recommended homes be modified to accommodate problems brought on by aging. She warned that certain information, such as social security and bank account numbers, should never be given out over the phone unless the call is self-initiated.

The secretary and treasurer's reports were not available.

Danny Branson gave the legislative report. He cited figures on revenues and expenses. He noted that 20,000 in membership is the goal for KRTA by the year 2000.

Branson also mentioned the KRTA workshop schedule which, for the Big Sandy District, will be September 16, at May Lodge. The contact person for this workshop is Delphia Hicks, whose telephone number is 606/886-3108.

Two retired teachers complained about health insurance problems. Frances Miller said she would inquire into the matter.

Branson has been elected to the legislative committee. He will be going to Frankfort four times a

year to serve his organization there.

Alice Martin reported on notification. She said that the usual telephone and media contacts were made relative to today's meeting.

Betty Porter gave the AARP update. She said that a "55 Alive" driving course would be offered soon. She mentioned that an exercise program is currently offered at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Reports were given by the KRTA delegates to the convention in Louisville in April. The most detailed account was read by Imogene Caldwell who takes meticulous notes on all the convention activities. Other delegates added pertinent comments. Roberta Fugate was praised for her report to the assembly as chairperson of the Resolutions Committee.

A memorial meeting honoring deceased Floyd County retired teachers for the past year was set for Thursday, June 3. It will be held at the Josie Harkins Schoolhouse at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park and will be open to the public.

Fugate announced a Triad meeting that was to be held at Mud Creek Clinic Tuesday, May 11, at 10 a.m. Retired teachers were invited to attend.

Fugate also announced that the last week in May is officially Retired Teachers Appreciation Week. She will give us more information on this when it is available.

In keeping with the May 9 observation of Mother's Day, Fugate read a special poem she had written in memory of her mother entitled, "You Sat Alone." She presented each of the members present with a fresh yellow rose and wished all present—including the men—a "Happy

Mother's Day."

The door prizes drawing was held by Judith Music. Winning two tickets to an honor choir presentation was Bessie Conley. Danny Branson won a voucher for some candy at Country at Heart.

A closing prayer was delivered by Elmer Martin.

Members and guests in attendance at the meeting were Carmel Akers, Danny Branson, Pat Branson, Roberta Fugate, Alice O. Martin, Judy Burchell, Frances Miller, Bessie R. Conley, Gladys Shepherd, Louise Howard, Delphia J. Hicks, Don Hicks, June Stephens, Ruby Akers, Lloyd Wells, Judith P. Music, L. B. Price, Andrew J. Crider, Bert Layne, Earl D. Ousley, Eileen Martin, Elmer Martin, Betty H. Porter, and Imogene Caldwell.

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OUR YESTERDAYS

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

Ten Years Ago (May 10, 1989)

Citing the academic bankruptcy law, which includes a provision for removing board members and the superintendent from office as a last resort, state Superintendent of Public Instruction John Brock warned Floyd County Board of Education members that state officials expect the local district to present a balanced budget for the coming fiscal year ... Carol Stumbo, a Floyd County teacher, is among the five outstanding teachers and two teaching teams sharing \$35,000 as recipients of Ashland Oil's Teacher Achievement Awards in Kentucky ... The Wayland City council has passed an animal bill to license dogs in the city limits ... Two ordinances, one of the 1989-90 budget and the other on regulations on burning, were introduced and had their first reading at Monday night's Prestonsburg City Council meeting ... A potential hazard from the mountainside above Big Lots store in Prestonsburg Village has prompted a temporary closure of the store ... Six Japanese business executives and university instructors were in Prestonsburg this week as part of Rotary International's group study exchange program ... There died: Maggie Bailey, 92, of Garrett, May 6 at Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Paula J. Conn, 27, of Rockledge, Florida, April 29, in a car accident in Florida; Flora Belle Slone Gayheart, 90, of Prestonsburg, May 8, at the Riverview Manor Nursing Home; Herbert Gordon Gunnell, 59, of Columbus, Ohio, April 14, at Riverside Methodist Hospital; James Nelson Hale Sr., 69, of Manton, May 5, at St. Joseph's Hospital; Verlie Jarrell, 69, of Dana, May 4, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital; David Hamilton, 24, of River Rouge, Michigan, May 6 at his residence; Vergie Hamilton, 80, of Berline Heights, Ohio, May 2, at her residence; Floyd Tivis Harris, 78, of Prestonsburg, May 9, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Sylvia Loew, 92, of Cincinnati, May 3, at a nursing home there; Garnet Renee McCoy, 15, of Watergap, May 4, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Cynthia Ousley, 85, of Warsaw, Indiana, May 2, at a nursing home there; Alvin Patrick, 93, of Pearisburg, Virginia, May 3, at the home of his daughter; Cleetis Setser, 67, of Prestonsburg, May 2, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Sally Helen Sutton Snoddy, 66, of Clearwater, Florida, May 8, at nursing

home there; and Lucy Smith, 78, of Prestonsburg, May 2, at the Paul B. Hall Hospital.

Twenty Years Ago (May 9, 1979)

Directors of People for Better Schools file protest on school 'clutter'...Major fire, worst in several years, destroyed Pelphey office building on North Lake Drive...A grant of \$115,000 has been made by the State Development Cabinet toward construction later of a mini-convention center at the recreation center near Allen...There died: Columbus Wright, 90, of Brainard, at Riverview Manor Nursing Home; Mary Ellen Little, 88, of Printer, at home; Viola Bingham, 78, of Auxier, at Saint Mary's Hospital, Huntington, W. Va.; John Martin, 55, formerly of the Left Beaver Creek, at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington; William Huff, 59, formerly of Betsy Layne, in Albion, Mich.; Delbert Castle, 54, of Wayland, at the Methodist Hospital; Alvin Lewis, 43, of Betsy Layne, at his home; Azana Short Slone, 63, of Mallie, at Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital; Dan Slone, 65, of Wayland, in a traffic accident; Leonard M. Steffy, 84, of Tram, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Thirty Years Ago (May 8, 1969)

State Police and other authorities are baffled as they seek to unravel elements of mystery surrounding the gunshot death on Arkansas Creek, near Martin. Sunday morning, of James M. Chaffins, 27...The fourth annual commencement of Prestonsburg Community College will be held Saturday...Dianne Crisp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Crisp, of McDowell, was crowned Music Festival Queen last Saturday...Floyd County Board of Education approved Saturday the purchase of between 160 and 170 television sets for reception of educational TV...Season ticket sales opened this week for the 1969 season of the Jenny Wiley Summer Music Theatre. Productions include "Carnival," "Bye, Bye Birdie" and "Anything Goes"...Ballard F. Connors, Jr., formerly of Estill was flight engineer aboard the four-engine EC-121 Navy radar plane shot down over the Sea of Japan last

month...The Drift Woman's Club won first place in the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs Traffic Safety Contest...There died: William Hackworth, 67, of Garrett; Dr. Vernon Maggard, 51, in Lexington; Chat Tackett, 81, at Harold; Andrew Mitchell, 83, of Teaberry; Dave Hale, 69, at Martin; William Gray, 71, of Prestonsburg; Virgie Ann Mike, 81, in Indiana; Garland Hamilton, 44, at McDowell; Mary H. Gearheart, 88, of Bonanza; Dora L. Porter, 81, in Huntington; Hazel Campbell, 47, formerly of Weeksbury; Katherine Martin, 76, of Wayland.

Forty Years Ago (May 14, 1959)

Fewer men producing coal per man and the best fall accident record in 45 years—this was the picture of Kentucky coal mining that was painted in a report made this week by James H. Phalan, chief of the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals. In 1948 mines had 75,750 employees turning out 82,579,453 tons of coal. Last year 38,755 miners produced 67,846,070 tons...The average Prestonsburg dwelling is in better condition today and contains more of the comforts of modern living than do houses in more parts of the United States...The Pure Oil Company distributorship here has been sold by H. B. Patrick of Prestonsburg to Harvey K. Lester of Paintsville. The distributorship was founded here by Patrick and R.V. May in 1931...A "plan for Increasing Farm Income and Improving Family Living in Floyd County" upon which groups have been working for months, was released...There died: Denny Howell, 44, of Betsy Layne, Gypsy Vinson, 77, of Wayland, at Oakalona, Miss.; P. C. Hayes, 68, of Martin, at McDowell Hospital; Lidy Setser 60, of Lancer at Prestonsburg Hospital; Geraldine Patton, 36, of North Bend, Ohio, native of Prestonsburg; Mary Burchett Taylor, 83, of Gulnare, formerly of Johns Creek; Odas Burchett, 28, of Banner, at the home of his father.

Fifty Years Ago (May 12, 1949)

Floyd County ranked 75th and the Prestonsburg independent district 78th among the state's 246 school units last year in the matter of teacher pay. In ranking 75th

this county paid its 326 teachers a \$625,343.35 during the school year for an average of \$1,802.05 per teacher...The Floyd County Board of Education last week awarded contracts for the removal from the Dewey reservoir area two school buildings and their location elsewhere. Alex and Ralph Clark were awarded the contracts on their low bid of \$1,295...State Senator Doug Hayes declared the bridge at Allen as dangerous, and said "introduce, if I live, at the next legislature, a resolution which will cost the state more, for the injury of one boy on the highway bridge, that walk way needed for the bridge, would have cost"...The Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company urged the Public Service Commission, Tuesday, to approve a \$306,000-a-year rate increase...There died: Dr. H.H. Mayo, 62, at Veterans Hospital, Lexington; Anderson Roop, 75, of Wayland.

Sixty Years Ago (May 11, 1939)

Approximately 6000 Floyd County miners base their hopes of receiving employment compensation upon the appeal submitted to Hall, Lexington attorney, after Paul W. Buckner denied the miners jobless benefits...Three WPA road-building projects and one sewing project in Floyd County, involving approximately 150 persons have been discontinued, the certifying agents office reported this week...There are still about 1,350 workers on the 18 projects in the county...W.D. Patton, Prestonsburg contractor, Saturday was awarded contract construction of a school building at Maytown to supplant the structure destroyed by fire last March. His bid of \$43,454 was lowest of five submitted...As one of its first activities as a civic body, the Prestonsburg Co-operative Business Association this week planned to throw all of its resources behind a protest against any proposed increase in the gas rate for Prestonsburg...There died: Victoria Huff, 27, of Lackey, at the home of a neighbor; Charles Huff Jr., 18, of Wayland, at the Paintsville Hospital; Oscar Vanderpool, of Omar, W. Va., formerly of West Prestonsburg, at General Hospital, Logan; Joseph Newton Allen, 94, former Floyd official, at Maytown; Bud Turner, 84, Laynesville, at home; Greenberry Tackett, 46, Melvin, at Methodist Hospital, Pikeville; Averie Bush, 25, of Amba, at Gearheart Hospital, Martin.

FOR THE RECORD

Police Dispatch Logs

APRIL 8

10:12 911 hang-up at Highland Heights
 1:25 motorist locked keys in vehicle at Food Stamp Office
 1:36 alarm activated at the Justice Center
 1:37 motorist locked keys in vehicle at post office lot
 2:34 car broke down at Glenview Plaza
 3:10 motorist locked keys in vehicle at the May Lodge
 3:30 disturbance on South Lake Dr
 5:08 caller advises that there is a copperhead in the back of a pickup at Q95
 6:26 shoplifter at Wal-Mart
 6:31 harassing phone calls on Roberts Dr
 7:09 alarm activated at Ralph's Run
 7:38 suspicious vehicle at Cliffside Apts.
 11:23 loud music at Wendy's

APRIL 9

0:24 DUI on RT 302
 9:10 motorist locked keys in vehicle
 12:20 motorist locked keys in vehicle at the Community Trust Bank
 1:07 alarm activated at Bank Josephine's ATM
 2:07 motorist locked keys in vehicle at the Justice Center
 2:41 suspicious person at Kentucky Fried Chicken
 3:54 motorist locked keys in vehicle at Wal-Mart
 4:02 DUI on RT 114
 5:59 alarm activated at Ralph's Run
 7:41 alarm activated at Ralph's Run
 7:48 911 hang-up from Davis St
 8:00 cleared lot at Wendy's
 8:47 motorist locked keys in vehicle at Holiday Inn

APRIL 10

0:06 fight in progress at Cliffside Apts
 3:48 disturbance at Highland Heights
 12:38 alarm activated on N Arnold Ave
 1:56 accident without injuries at the Honda Shop
 1:58 domestic call reported at the station
 2:01 motorist locked keys in vehicle at Big Lots
 3:25 vandalism reported on Half St
 3:53 disturbance on University Dr
 5:32 DUI on RT 302
 7:17 disturbance on Westminister
 8:04 clear lot at Thunder Ridge
 8:45 motorist locked keys in vehicle at Winn Dixie
 9:13 clear lot at Wendy's
 11:02 fight in progress on University Dr
 11:43 domestic call from Highland Heights

APRIL 11

0:04 drive-off without pay at Tiger Mart
 0:20 DUI on RT 80/302
 0:31 motorist locked keys at Food City
 0:58 theft related at Thunder Ridge
 5:09 DUI at Hardee's
 11:58 fight in progress on KY114/Archer Park entrance
 12:40 theft related at Thunder Ridge
 1:36 debris in road on KY 1428
 4:09 DUI on 23 N/114
 4:29 drug related call at Cliffside Apts
 4:49 DUI
 7:38 alarm activated at the Kent Rose Citco
 7:42 disturbance at Highland Heights
 10:26 possible shots fired on Holiday Inn Hill
 10:47 DUI on US 23 S

APRIL 12

9:33 accident with injuries near Prestonsburg Elementary
 11:04 alarm activated at Hardee's
 12:15 motorist locked keys in vehicle at PCC
 4:21 shoplifter at Family Dollar
 4:49 motorist locked keys in vehicle at the health department
 6:55 reckless driver at Cliffside Apts
 7:38 male subject possibly harassing someone at Highland Heights
 10:41 domestic call at Q95

APRIL 13

9:52 motorist locked keys in vehicle on Court St

9:47 theft related on S Lake Dr
 10:12 suspicious person at JW Video
 10:21 suspicious person at Dairy Queen
 11:04 suspicious person at N Highland

Marriage Licenses

Christine R Salisbury, 24, Ivel and Gregory O Thacker, 23, Ivel
 Amy D Kyler, 22, Kendallville, IN and Ronnie J Howard Jr., Kendallville, IN
 Inez S Lafferty, 44, Prestonsburg and Rufus M Clemons, 41, Prestonsburg
 Stephanie Blair, 28, Auxier and Randy J Blair, 30, Inez
 Sabrina J Collins, 21, Blue River and Byran A Bates, 22, Blue River
 Mable C Jarrell, 30, Allen and Ricky D Littleton, 35, Allen
 Lillie Mae Wright, 58, Lincoln Park, MI and Larry Lynn Stapleton, 52, Lincoln Park, MI
 Kimberly R Robinson, 19, Martin and Jonathan K Burchett, 20, Allen
 Keisha L Spencer, 20, Eastern and Eddie J Holbrook, 24, Prestonsburg
 Angela L Tackett, 21, Weeksbury and Earnie Johnson, 31, Bevinville
 Miranda Lynn Click, 18, Banner and Tommy William Hicks, 22, Drift
 Debra L Lewis, 42, Banner and Charles B Conn, 36, Banner
 Ashley K Stephens, 17, Prestonsburg and Jason C Akers, 18, Banner
 Gloria L Conway, 28, Allen and Dorris G Endicott, 38, Allen
 Nanna Lee Allen, 21, Prestonsburg and Timothy Jason Fannin, 23, Paintsville
 April L Hall, 21, Printer and Stacy Johnson, 28, Beaver
 Brenda J King, 45, Melvin and Stanley M King, 46, Melvin
 Tanya R Honeycutt, 18, Auxier and Carl A Smith, 19, Banner
 Thursa L Smith, 56, Emma and Landon C Justice, 56, Emma
 Racheal A Salyer, 21, Prestonsburg and Nathan Hall, 23, Prestonsburg

Restaurant, School, and Mobile Home Park Inspections

Editor's Note: All inspections are made by Floyd County Health Department environmentalists Russell Wallace, Mark Johnson, and Janet Conley.

• Long John Silver's, not rated: Investigation made due to complaint that restrooms were soiled and the commode was not working. The investigation revealed that the commode leaks in the back, the towel dispenser needs minor repair. Facilities were clean. The men's restroom appeared to be functioning properly. Facilities were clean.
 • Midtown Market, 96 in deli and 98 in retail: Not clean inside of microwave in preparation area. Retail area inside chest-type preparation cooler and shelving throughout establishment soiled with dust. Cooking range has no hood vented to outside.
 • Super America, Martin, not rated: Inspection made due to complaint that the restrooms were extremely soiled and improperly maintained. Investigation revealed that the men's restroom was functioning properly, but floors were somewhat soiled. Garbage can was uncovered.
 • Burchett Grocery, 95: Bottle in kitchen area has no label. Not all freezer units and refrigeration units have conspicuous thermometers. Debris build-up in bottom of cooler unit. Restroom doors not self-closing.
 • Burger King Express, 85: Critical violation found. Hamburger patties' internal temperatures after cooking less than minimum requirement of 155°. Also, birds observed entering openings around drainage pipes located on back of building. Owner given 10 days to correct critical violation.
 Other violations: Ice scoop holder soiled. Drink dispensers soiled. Ice machine drain leaking onto floor. Wall in men's restroom in disrepair. Ventilation filter panel absent over cooking surface, resulting in excess grease. Mop head stored on floor.
 • Heritage Pizza, Martin, 89: Critical violation found. Front door propped open. Repeat violation. Owner given 10 days to correct critical violation. Food stored on floor of walk-in cooler. Microwave soiled. Floors in slight disrepair.

Mop head stored on floor.
 • Hobart's Pizzeria, 91: Food grade brushes not being used for butter application. Glasses improperly stored on an absorbent material. Microwave soiled. No self-closing door on restroom or towels at handwash sink. Ceilings throughout establishment in disrepair. Mop head stored on floor.
 • Jenny Wiley Resort Park, 98: Inside of microwave not clean.
 • Food City, 89 in deli and 96 in retail: Potentially hazardous food. Improper temperature for hot holding (whole baked chicken), approximately 122°F. Must maintain 140°F or more. Managers given 10 minutes to correct.
 Chicken was destroyed. Score in deli raised to 93.
 Other violations in deli: Bad repair on cabinet doors next to hot food display. Floors not clean in preparation area under equipment. Ceiling not clean in preparation area. Vents and tile soiled. Improper storage of food dispensing utensils. (Scoop) handle touching food, flour, meal, sugar, and biscuit mix in bulk containers. Cookies (oatmeal and chocolate) uncovered below first wire rack shelf in walk-in cooler.
 Violations in storage: Floors not clean. Water outside of meat room doors drain into storage area. Floors not clean around double doors near walk-in freezer. Floors not clean near dairy walk-in.
 Violations in meat room department: Floor in cutting room not properly constructed. Exit door leading to storage area allows wastewater to escape to this area. Shelving of poultry in retail display not maintained. Paint is peeling.
 Violations in retail: Dairy display shelving in bad repair. Paint is peeling. Ceiling tile shows signs of leaking evidence. Shelving near cereal soiled with dust.
 Violations in produce area: Floors in walk-in cooler not clean.

Property Transfers

Michael Jarrell and Lisa Jarrell to Jackie Endicott Jr. and Jheri Endicott, property location not listed.
 Olive Rose Neeley, Lonnie Neeley, Gertrude Neeley Pack and Russell Pack, Margie Neeley Osborne and James M Osborne, and Amanda Neeley Hall and Lloyd Hall to Kent Rose, property location not listed.
 Madgie Johnson to Mary Ann Newsome, Clear Creek.
 Madgie Johnson to Bobbie Lynn Newsome Adkins, property at Hi Hat.
 Gary W Rose and Yulanda Rose to Jerry and Barbara Hall, property location not listed.
 John L Estep and Jean Estep to Rex and Sharon Craft, Abbott Creek.
 The Bank Josephine to Virgil R and Donna F Johnson, property at Bull Creek.
 Deborah and Steve Hayward and McIntire and Loretta Risner to Danita Rowe, property location not listed.
 Bobbie and Edith Risner and McIntire and Loretta Risner to Danita Rowe, property location not listed.
 Bethel Click to Roger Dale and Pauline Barnette, property location not listed.
 Bobby and Bobbie June Hoover to David Brian and Reva Kidd, property on Raccoon Creek of Salt Lick on Right Beaver.
 William R. and Irene Spradlin to John and Tracy Click, property at Spradlin Branch.
 Roger Dale and Linda Conley to Ronald and Brenda Conley, property at Right Beaver Creek.
 Kimberly Kelly and William Chaffee, Timothy Kelly and Paula Kelly and Paul E Bewley Jr. to William Smith Kelly, property location not listed.
 James W Stewart to James R and Rita Allen, lots # 27 and 28 of Garfield Addition.
 Alanell Hall to Linda Tackett, property location not listed.
 Elizabeth Hale to Bessie and Charles E Maynard, property location not listed.
 Isom Poe to Thomas A Poe, property location not listed.
 Betty Minix and Melanie Minix to Terry Wright Jr., lot # 15 Dewey Lake View.
 Elizabeth and Thomas Burton to Donna and David Bates, Left Beaver Creek.
 Elizabeth and Thomas Burton to Donna and David Bates, property location not listed.
 Pauline Honaker and David Honaker to Sidney G Justice, property location not listed.
 Lola Conn to Steve Conn, prop-

erty location not listed.
 Donald and Patricia Stambaugh to Donnie R Barnett, property on Abbott Creek.
 Betty L Kirkland and James A Kirkland to Nancy C Newsome and Clyde Newsome, property on Middle Creek.
 Henry and Ethel J McKenzie to James C and Freda K Watkins, property location not listed.
 Mecca Carol Webb to Gregory R Trusty, property on Right Fork of Bull Creek.
 Linda Sue DeRossett to Frank DeRossett, property at Auxier.
 Amba and Earl Murphy, Loretta Adkins, Sandra and Marvin Leslie and Vanessa and John Townes to Linda and Rondal Miller, property location not listed.
 Donald Martin to Doris Clark, property location not listed.
 Rose Davis Maggard to Ricky and Vonda Lee Brown, property on Middle Creek-Brush Creek Gap.
 Nell Samons to Myrl T Samons and Monroe Samons, four tracts of land on Prater Creek.
 Scotty Dean Watson to Tristan Cody Hamilton, property at Betsy Layne Branch of the Levisa Fork.
 James D and Helen C Baisden to Gold and Betty Slone, lots # 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 of Richmond Subdivision.
 James D and Helen C Baisden to Gold and Betty Slone, lots # 15, 16 and 22 of Richmond Sub division.
 Larry and Amy Bailey to Lowell and Mitchell Prater, lots # 73, 74, and 17 feet of lot# 75 of May Addition.
 Teddy Joe Blackburn to Steve Kendrick, Mare Creek.
 Melvin and Dorothy Robinson to Phillip and Rhonda Whit, property location not listed.
 Eddie Evans to Burius and Bonnie Evans, property location not listed.
 Fred Conn to Edwin Blake and Malinda D Walker, Prater Creek.
 Jerald F Combs to Pauline M Mullins, Right Fork of Bull Creek.
 Nancy Joan Roberts to Matthew Roberts, property location not listed.

Suits Filed

Commonwealth of KY VS David Johnson of Bevinville, petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS James Sellards of Betsy Layne, petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Randal Vance of Beaver, petition for health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Jeffrey Tackett of McDowell, petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Keith Edward Coleman of Endicott VS Debra Lynn Craft Coleman of Warsaw, IN, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Susannah Elste of Prestonsburg, petition for health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Richard Bevins of Banner, petition for health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Kenny Greer of Printer, petition for child care support and health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Timmy Walker of Jenkins, petition for health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Charles Allen of Craynor, petition for health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Elvis Crum of Allen, petition for health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Darla Bradley of Linefork, petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Star Bank, NA of Owensville VS Glen Slone of Langley, collection of debts.
 Audrey Hamilton of Bypro VS Stephen F Martin Jr. of Martin, compensation for injuries received resulting from an accident that occurred on June 23, 1997.
 Steve Buckley of Prestonsburg VS Robin Buckley of Wayland, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Lois Ann Akers of Beaver VS Billy Lee Akers of McDowell, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Tony R Conley of Garrett VS Melissa T. Conley of Jeff, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Kevin R Hutchinson of Teaberry VS Melinda G Hutchinson of Teaberry, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Wayne Hunt of Prestonsburg, petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Earleena Hunt of Prestonsburg, petition for child support and health

care insurance.
 Christopher Wayne Hall of Prestonsburg VS Kimberly Hall of Prestonsburg, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Erin Caudill of Allen, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Alvin Newsome of Teaberry, petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS O C Hall of Ivel, petition for health care insurance.
 Commonwealth of KY VS Everett Vanderpool of Garrett, petition for child support and health care insurance.

District Court

Harvey J Poston, 26, Lexington, failure to wear a seatbelt, failure to use a child restraint, \$143.50 in fines.
 Steven Douglas Shell, 35, Endicott, operation of a motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicant, failure to wear a seatbelt, 2 days public service, alcohol drug education, 7 days in jail, \$525.50 in fines.
 Arthur E Salyers, 26, Thealka, operation of a motor vehicle under the influence 2nd, alcohol drug education, jail 1 day, \$661 in fines.
 Renee Brown, 25, Betsy Layne, operation of a motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicant, amended to alcohol intoxication, \$173.50 in fines.
 Willis Sparks, 45, Hueysville, operation of a motor vehicle under the influence of an intoxicant, 2

days public service, alcohol drug education, \$500.50 in fines.
 Molly Slone, 40, Banner, assault 4th, minor injuries, 14 days in county jail on the condition that defendant has no contact with the complaining witness, \$83.50 in fines.
 Leroy Prater, 18, assault 4th, 30 days in jail probated on the condition that the defendant has no contact with the complaining witness.
 James Lafferty, 21, Dwale, operation of a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs 1st, alcohol drug education, loss of license 90 days \$200 in fines.
 Jeremy Pennington, 19, Ligon, alcohol intoxication 1st/2nd, amended to 3rd, drug paraphernalia use/possession 1st, \$108.50 in fines
 Felicia L Vanderpool, 22, Garrett, no operator's license, \$178.50 in fines.
 Charles Stephens, 32, Estlands, West Virginia, alcohol intoxication 3rd, 14 days in jail, \$83.50 in fines.
 Danny Akers, 18, Galveston, operation of a motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicant amended to under 21, lost license 30 days, \$168.50 in fines.
 Gregory C Slone, 38, Hollybush, alcohol intoxication 1st/2nd, disorderly conduct, 5 days in jail, \$108.50 in fines.
 Mickey R Parsons, 26, alcohol intoxication, disorderly conduct, \$118.50 in fines.
 Michael Taylor, 20, Wayland, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, 10 days in jail, \$93.50 in fines.
 Bob Hall Jr., 26, Weeksbury, alcohol intoxication 1st/2nd, disorderly conduct, 5 days in jail, \$118.50 in fines.

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<p>2 Eggs Bacon or Sausage Biscuit or Toast w/Jelly Only \$1.99 Add Hashbrowns - 69¢ or Grits, Orange Juice - 69¢</p>	<p>Oatmeal & Toast 1/2 Grapefruit Only \$1.99</p>

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SMALL WORLD

by Aileen Hall
THE CB RADIO

Many vehicles on the road today have cellular phones installed. They're a great convenience for busy people who make important contacts while on the go and, in some cases, they're considered to be a form of insurance. Knowing that, if you have a problem on the road, you can call for help from someone you know gives some peace of mind.

But the cell phone has come into its own in the last few years. Some 25 or 30 years ago, it was the CB radio that we relied on to help us in our travel. I like to have whatever aids are available in driving, and at least once the CB kept me from having an accident.

Anna Hayes and I had spent a day shopping in Lexington and started home just after dark. It was November 11, I remember, but there was a sudden drop in temperature. I kept the radio on just to monitor road conditions and suddenly there was a message; "Watch out at the 86 mile marker. The road is solid ice." We were almost ready to head up the Mountain Parkway, and I pulled off the road and contacted a couple of vehicles that just came that way. Their message was the same, "Solid ice." Then we saw two vehicles hit the ice and one went off the road on the right side while the other went left. We'd had the warning just in time.

We were near the Holiday Inn in Winchester but they had just let their last room go. They found us a place at a small motel that evidently wasn't expecting any customers. They turned some heat on but it would have taken two days to warm that room up. We slept in most of our clothes and used every blanket available. We had no tooth brush and no cosmetics, but we felt lucky to have a place to lay our heads and be thankful for a CB radio.

THE CONVERSATION

In buying a CB radio, you looked for one that had the least static and that reached out the farthest for making contact. My husband had installed one in my car and tried to show me how to oper-

ate it, but somehow I was always trying to adjust it to do better.

It was getting near Christmas and I had taken my boxes of greeting cards and address book to the dining room table where I enjoyed addressing the cards and remembering family and friends. It was a little difficult to concentrate though for, just inside the kitchen, Walter and our daughter Rhonda were sipping coffee and making small talk, unaware that I could hear.

After a while I heard him say, "Sometimes I have a little trouble understanding your mother." She didn't register any surprise but casually asked, "What, in particular, don't you understand?"

"Well," he hedged as if he wasn't sure he wanted to continue. "You remember how a few weeks ago she kept saying she'd like to have a CB radio installed in her car? She was driving the Mountain Parkway alone fairly often and thought she'd feel safer if she had a CB. I looked around quite a bit trying to decide on one that would suit her. I finally found one I liked and had it installed for her."

There was silence in the kitchen and I could imagine two grins as Rhonda asked questions with her eyes. Then he continued, "I thought it a little strange that she never said much about it, but you know we don't have to be praised for everything we do. I just took for granted she was pleased."...Another little pause.

"Then last week I said I believed I'd put a CB in my car, and she said she'd be glad if I'd take hers and get her another. 'I got you the best one I could find,' I told her. 'What don't you like about it?'"

"What didn't she like?" "She never did tell me," he continued. "She just said she believed another company made one she'd like better."

"There must have been some reason," Rhonda ventured. "Did you show her how to adjust the squelch and the distance?"

"I showed her all that," he said, "and it works fine. But we talked about it again yesterday and she says she thinks it reaches out too far."

We never know the love of our parents for us till we have become parents.—Henry Ward Beecher

MAY VALLEY ELEMENTARY ELECTION OF PARENTS TO SITE BASED COUNCIL

The May Valley Elementary election to select two parents to the School Based Council will be held from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. on May 25th. Any parent of a student who is pre-registered to attend May Valley in the 1999-2000 school year may vote to elect parent council members. A parent council member shall be a parent, step-parent, or foster parent of a student at May Valley for the term. The parent member shall not be an employee of that school or the District Central Office, the relative of an employee of that school or a District Central Office employee, a local Board member or spouse of a local Board member. *Relative* shall mean father, mother, brother, sister, husband, wife, son, daughter, aunt, uncle, son-in-law or daughter-in-law. Nominations in writing will be accepted in the Principal's office from May 18th until May 25th at 2:00 p.m. All eligible parents are encouraged to come out to vote.

HIGHLANDS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

April 21: A son, Joshua Nathan Brown, to Wilma Gipson of Salyersville; a daughter, Sierra Frances, to Chad and Shannon Reinthaler of Hager Hill.

April 23: A daughter, Amber Lee, to Amanda and Arthue Shepherd of David.

April 24: A daughter, Bethany Jean, to Helen Mae Sizemore of

BIRTHDAYS



MaKenzi Turner

Turns four

MaKenzi Rhalyn Turner turned four years old on March 18. MaKenzi celebrated her birthday with a trip to Lexington to watch WCW wrestling, a party at school with her classmates, and a party at home with family and friends. She is in Ms. Patty's and Ms. Mona's Headstart class at McDowell Elementary.

MaKenzi is the daughter of Vincent and Amy Turner of Garrett. She is the sister of Zachary David Lee Turner of Garrett. Her grandparents are Denzil and Peggy Turner of Garrett, Brenda Turner of Garrett and the late Garrie C. Turner. Her great-grandparents are Charles and Ailene Howard of Garrett and Harriett Lawson of Garrett.



Fourth birthday

Kaitlyn Nicole Williamson celebrated her fourth birthday at the Dairy Queen, Saturday, February 13. Those celebrating with her were her parents, Kevin and Jane Williamson; her sister, Kristen Danielle Williamson; and David and Patty Mollette, David Mollette, Dannie and Lois Williamson, Dorothy Ratliff, Tish and Nick Lafferty, and Christie Slone. The theme of her party was, Barbie.



Seventh birthday

Zachary David Lee Turner turned seven years old on February 26. Zachary celebrated his birthday with a birthday dinner with his parents and grandparents, a party at school with his classmates and a party at home with family and friends. He is in Joyce Gore's room at Duff Elementary. Zach is the son of Vincent and Amy Turner of Garrett. His sister is MaKenzi Rhalyn Turner of Garrett. His grandparents are Denzil and Peggy Turner of Garrett. His great-grandparents are Charles and Ailene Howard of Garrett.

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PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL

March 30: A daughter, Amy Madison, to Elizabeth Jean and Johnny Burtran Tibbs.

April 1: A son, Kameron Brady, to Mary Ann Tackett.

April 2: A son, Jacob Daniel, to Shawna Danielle and Craig Allen Carter; a son, Austin Ryan Kendrick, to Tina Marie Cywinski and Hibbard Darrell Kendrick.

April 5: A daughter, Hannah LeShae, to Teresa and Shannon Layne.

April 6: A daughter, Keyla Denise, to Daryl Denise and Ethan Daniel Taylor.

April 8: A daughter, Carlie Alexis, to Tiffany Ann Sword; a daughter, Ashley Brianna Whitt Blackburn, to Kelly Lee Whitt.

April 9: A son, Randy Devan Shepherd, to Shonda Bailey and Randy Shepherd; a daughter, Morgan Marie, to Sandy and Darrell Williams; a son, Daryl Austin Lee Elkins, to Jessica Ann Shell.

April 10: A son, Gage Isaac, to Rebecca and James Mitchell.

April 12: A son, Jake Dalton, to Nancy Lynn and Kelly Taylor Caudill; a daughter, Megan Denise, to Dee Dee and Ronald Allen Bowling.

April 13: A son, William Joseph, to Lisa Ann and William Wallace Thacker; a son, Adam Keith, to Connie Rena and Keith Monroe Howard; a daughter, Abby Ray, to Elizabeth Anne and Bryan Ryan Auxier.

April 14: A daughter, Emily Tenille, to Dena Sue and Anthony Craig Hurley; a daughter, Haylee Paige, to Jondra Sue and Clinton Shane Tucker; a son, Chandler Dale, to Sonya Rae and Larry Dale Richards; a daughter, Tyler Fon, to Sonya Ann and Michael Allen Dotson.

April 15: A daughter, Michaela Danielle, to Pamela Kaye and Ronald Johnson; a son, Connor Alexander, to Tammy Michelle and Jeffrey David Dotson; a daughter, Kaylee Marie, to Misty Marie and Robert Galaway Langel; a daughter, Debra Elaine, to Melissa Lynn and Robert Edward Wike; a son, Austin Michael Reed, to Rashel Rae Vaughn and Sean Michael Reed.

April 16: A daughter, Sydney Blair, to Tammy Lynette and Denny Paul May.

April 17: A son, Ryan Chase, to Stephanie Lynn and Brian Keith Slone.

April 18: A daughter, Ella Kay, to Cathy Lynn Tackett; a son, Jimmy Lee, to Hattie Renee and Carmel Ray Tackett; a son, Johnathan Cody, to Tina Renee and John David Osborne.

April 21: A son, Jamie Kirkland Robinson, to Renee Ray and Tony Robinson.

April 22: A daughter, Margaret Lee, to Tina Louise and David Lee Bowers; a daughter, Jordain Salem Russell, to Tenille Lynn Dameron.

April 28: A daughter, Virginia Lynn, to Amanda Lynn Harrison.

April 29: A son, Dewey Eugene, to Crystal Lea and Dewey Keith Ratliff; a son, Jerry Ralph Ferris Hiram, to Kristy Lee and Jerry Lee

Jacobs; a daughter, Olivia Katarina Cheyenne, to Sherry Renee and James Floyd Stump; a son, Jordan Alan, to Amy Denise and Bradley Vernon Moore; a son, Brandon Lee Chase, to Jean Blankenship.

April 30: A daughter, Ashley Breanne, to Patricia Carol and Clifford Brian Belcher.

May 1: A son, Trey Donovan, to Tammy Renee and George Ray Grant.



Daughter is born

Rob and Kathy Kinman of Morehead, announce the birth of their second daughter, Kathryn Amelia on March 22, at the UK Medical Center, Lexington. She weighed 8 lbs. 14 ozs., and was 19 inches long. Kathryn's big sister is Elizabeth Kay, age 9. Maternal grandparents are Mary Beth and Gene Mullins of Wayland. Her maternal great-grandfather is Fred Fraley of Wayland.

THINGS TO PONDER

by Mable Rowe Lineberger, Ph.D.

"An acorn doesn't fall far from a tree!"

While the addict, most often a male alcoholic in our area, and his primary "enabler," usually his female companion and/or mother, have their on-going, less-than-desirable interactions, a "good guess" is that the acting-out pair fails to accept the impact they are having on their constant observers—their children.

In 1991, a national estimate was that there were 28.6 million children of alcoholics (COAs) with nearly seven million of them under age 18. Another estimate was that, of the under-18 group, almost three million will develop alcoholism, other drug problems, and/or other serious coping problems. About half of COAs marry alcoholics and are likely to recreate the same kinds of highly stressful and unhealthy families in which they grew up.

Since the population of eastern Kentucky reportedly has a higher rate of alcoholism than expected, in comparison to other same-size groups, it is very important that everyone find out what is likely to at least slow down our rate of alcoholism, by helping our children. "The good news is that they (COAs) can be helped to bounce back from the effects of their families' problems." Don't all well-intended citizens want to do what they can to help children?

A most significant factor contributing to COAs being at increased risk for alcoholism is that alcoholism tends to run in families. By the way, did you ever see Mother Nature put an acorn on the ground with hickory nuts? So, when family members (parents, grandparents, aunts/uncles), guardians, or other adults in charge of children are alcoholics, there is strong evidence that children in these families are more likely to develop the disease of alcoholism as well.

Genetic tendencies for alcoholism is about the same as for the inheritance of diabetes and heart disease tendencies. For example, even COAs adopted by non-alcoholics (or do not live with their alcoholic parents for other reasons), may have a genetic predisposition to alcoholism. It is also interesting that alcoholism can skip a generation. Even though some COAs never drink, it is possible that he/she may pass on a genetic vulnerability across to the next generation.

Other most significant contributions to COAs being at high risk for alcoholism are environmental factors. Research has repeatedly shown that children living with alcoholics, whether they be a biological or step-parent, often develop unhealthy living patterns. These

young COAs may not learn how to trust themselves or others, how to handle uncomfortable feelings, or how to build positive relationships.

Children of alcoholics who do not have these skills are also at higher risk for school failure, depression, increased anxiety, and experience problems with coping, as well as trouble with alcohol and other drugs. In addition, even though they may not actually abuse

So, when a child tends to show off, act tough, keep secrets, or avoid interacting with others, stop and think about the possibility of the child being a COA.

alcohol themselves, they are prone to pass on unhealthy living patterns to their own children. Thus a trans-generational issue results from the perspective of "monkey see, monkey do." What message should our children receive?

As has been shown from several projects, COAs can make positive adjustments to their families' alcoholism. Often COAs in high-risk environments with other chronic sources of stress—including poverty, racism, disrupted marriages, serious emotional problems, and histories of abuse and neglect—frequently can overcome distressful beginnings and create healthy, fulfilling lives for themselves. But they need simple demonstrations of kindness and compassion to produce a big difference in their lives. Whether or not the alcoholic stops drinking, a COA can be helped, even without the helper having special training or skills.

You will be helping the young COA just by "being there"; i.e., offer a listening, uncritical ear, allow times to talk about feelings, hear about their mistakes without passing judgment, and make time to share similar interests and activities. It is very important to understand that some COAs survive by creating defenses to avoid the pain, shame, guilt, or loneliness they may feel.

So, when a child tends to show off, act tough, keep secrets, or avoid interacting with others, stop and think about the possibility of the child being a COA. Another valuable approach is for the COA to interact with others who are dependable, so trust can gradually be built and experienced. If you interact with a COA, do so on a regular basis, no matter how frequent it is—weekly, monthly, or several times a year. Get them focused on activities about which they feel good, such as taking care of a pet, have a collection, or be in sports. Most importantly, take your time, go slow, don't push, don't give up. Remember, be consistent and predictable, since that is usually what COAs don't have, which gen-

erally creates the problems in their lives.

It is so important for the COAs to learn that they did not cause alcoholism and cannot cure or control it; are not responsible for solving grown-up problems; can receive positive attention from others; and can ask for help. No matter what the basis of our children's dysfunctional home lives, help them feel connected to nature, art, history, heritage, culture, religion, and community. Help them build a larger picture of their lives and their world than their families' current problems.

Additionally, "remember, it is important not to label or stigmatize COAs or their families. If children identify themselves as COAs, be prepared to refer them to school counselors or professional therapists for additional support." So often, it is the child with its problems that "leads" the family to get help. Do whatever you can to help a child. (A major reference was "The Fact is... Alcoholism Tends to Run in Families.")

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needs your ideas and your thoughts on how we can better address the needs of our community.

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The committee will review all publications of The Floyd County Times and tell us what you like—and what you don't. We're seeking Floyd County Times readers who have an ear for their communities' needs and will relay that information to us. The committee will meet once a month. Meeting date and time will depend on the schedule of the members. If you're interested, fill out the form below and mail to: The Floyd County Times, P.O. Box 390, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

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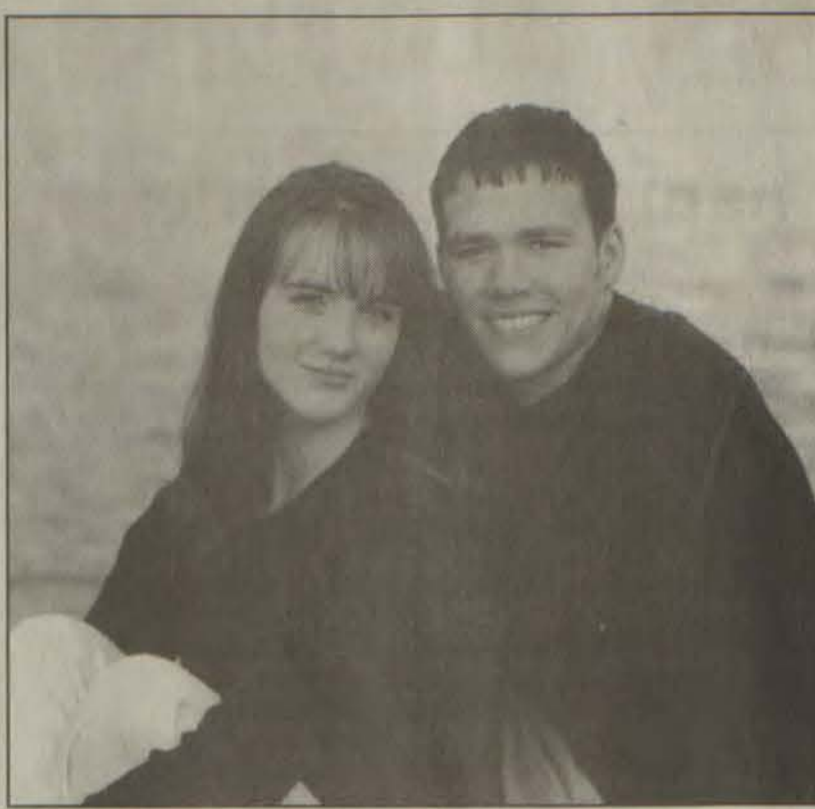
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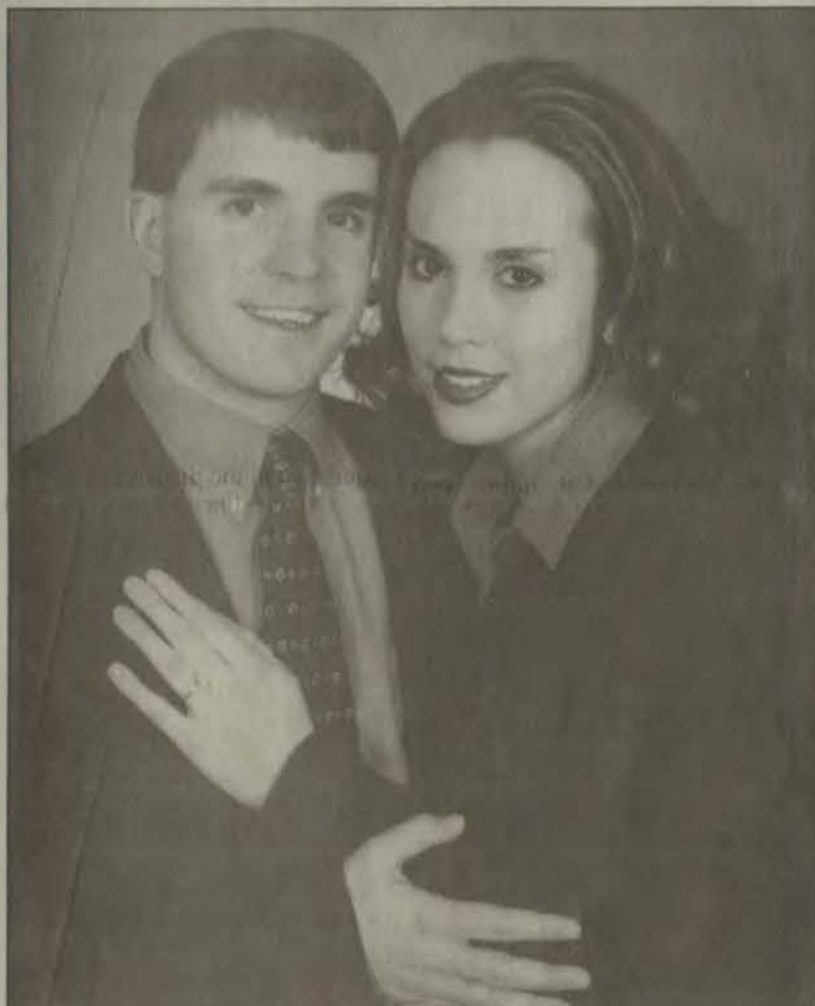
Hayes-Cavins to wed

Betty L. Hayes, of Allen, recently announced the engagement of her daughter, Jennifer O'Neal Hayes, and John Christopher Cavins, son of Daryl Cavins and Betty Cavins of David. The wedding will take place on May 22, at the Parkway Baptist Church, at 1:30 p.m.



Billips-Hicks

Edward and Teresa Billips of Prestonsburg, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Leigh Chantel, and Brian Alexander Hicks, son of William D. and Retha Hicks of Lexington. Brian is a 1998 graduate of the University of Kentucky and currently attends Asbury Theological Seminary. He is employed by St. Paul United Methodist Church as the Director of Youth Ministries. Leigh currently attends the University of Kentucky. The wedding will be held on May 22, at 5:30 p.m., at Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Water Gap. The gracious custom of an open wedding will be observed. The couple will reside in Louisville. (Reprinted due to incorrect wedding date)



April Dawn Patton and Keith Brian Hall

Patton-Hall to exchange vows

Mr. and Mrs. Billy G. Patton of Pikeville, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hall of Harold, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, April Dawn Patton and Keith Brian Hall. The bride-elect is a graduate of Mullins High School and the University of Kentucky, where she received a bachelor's degree in physician assistant studies. Ms. Patton is currently employed as a physician assistant by St. Claire Medical Center in Morehead.

The groom is a graduate of Betsy Layne High School and the University of Kentucky. He will also graduate from the University of Kentucky College of Medicine in late May, and recently was chosen at the Emory University Medical

Center in Atlanta, Georgia, to complete a residency program in Orthopaedic Surgery.

Ms. Patton is the granddaughter of the late Winford "Doc" and Vessie Hunt, and the late Odean and Opal Anglin. Hall is the grandson of Claude and Madeline Clark of Honaker, and the late Lonnie and Gracie Hall.

The wedding will take place on June 5 at 4 p.m., at the Pikeville Freewill Baptist Church on Chloe Road.

A reception will be held at the Green Meadows Country Club, Pikeville. The custom of open church will be observed.

Following a honeymoon in the Caribbean, the couple will reside in Atlanta, Georgia.



Catherine Anne Twiss and John Robert Noakes

Twiss-Noakes to wed

Virginia E. Hall and Frank B. Hall of Langley, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Catherine Anne Twiss and John Robert Noakes of Inez. The groom is the son of John H. Noakes of Prestonsburg, and Peggy Lambert of Inez.

The bride is employed at Cooley Medical Equipment, Prestonsburg, and the groom is employed at Ron Perry's Century Auto Mall in Louisa.

The wedding ceremony will be Saturday, May 15, at 2:30 p.m., at the First Assembly of God Church, Martin, with Lorie Vannucci performing the ceremony.

The soloist and pianist for the

occasion is Lisa England.

The bride will be given in marriage by her father, Frank Hall. The bride's attire is white chiffon over satin, with colors of periwinkle blue and yellow, and flowers of white cala lilies.

Serving as maid of honor will be Greta D. Heintzelman; bridesmaids are Elizabeth Hughes and Mary Connolly; flower girl, Meagan Connolly. Gage Noakes ring bearer and John Robert Noakes II as groomsmen; bestman is Rick Crum; ushers, David Twiss and Greg Hall.

The reception will be held at the First Assembly of God Church.

The couple will reside in Inez.

and chief operating officer at ARH since 1996. Prior to ARH, Bultje was with Quorum Health Resources Inc. for approximately nine years, serving as administrator at hospitals in South Dakota and Arkansas.

Bultje succeeds Forrest W. Calcio, M.D., who has served as president and CEO since 1993. A national search will be implemented for a successor to Dr. Calcio.

Bartley Family Reunion

The 15th annual Bartley Family reunion will be May 30, from 11 to 4, at the G.F. Johnson School at Virgie. Bring a musical instrument if you would like to have a pick and grin session. Bring a covered dish for dinner at 1. Call 606-639-6341 for more information.

History Zone at the Kentucky History Center

May 6, marked the start of History Zone programs at the Kentucky History Center in Frankfort. The programs last approximately two hours and are free and open to the public. Most activities are aimed at children 5-9, and an adult or other caregiver must accompany them. Groups of 10 or more need to register in advance.

Highlights of the 1999 schedule include:

May: Past Play—Celebrate National Fitness and Sports Month by sampling pastimes from 200 years of Kentucky history. Thursday, May 6, 13, 20, and 27, 6-8 p.m.

June: Fan-tastic Summer Fun—See fancy fans from the museum collection and make one to take home. Thursday, June 3, 10, 17, and 24, 6-8 p.m.

July: Patriotic Kentucky—Celebrate your loyalty to Kentucky and America by creating flags, making fireless fireworks and enjoying an evening of patriotism. Thursday, July 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29, 6-8 p.m.

Super Saturday Sampler. Prehistoric Kentucky—Discover the lifeways of Kentuckians before Boone. Saturday, July 10, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

August: Kentucky Film Fest—Four fabulous flicks with connections to the Commonwealth? Come every week and see if it can be "Dunne." Thursday, August 5, 12, 19, and 26, 7 p.m.

September: Family Folklore—Discover folk stories, foods, crafts, and celebrations from Kentucky and share your family's traditions. Thursday, September 2, 9, 23, and 30, 6-8 p.m.

October: Old-Fashioned Fortune Telling Games—Find out what your future holds, in ghostly games from Halloweens past. Thursday, October 7, 14, 21, and 28, 6-8 p.m.

November: School of the Soldier—Observe Veteran's Day by enlisting in the School of the Soldier and experiencing "basic training" from the Civil War era. Thursday, November 4, 11, and 18, 6-8 p.m.

December: Old-Fashioned Presents—Make gifts given by Kentuckians in the past—a new one every week. Thursday, December 2, 9, 16, and 30, 6-8 p.m.

Super Saturday Sampler: Kentucky Holiday Traditions—Discover Hanukkah Kwanzaa, and Christmas past through stories, games, and crafts. Saturday, December 11, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

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The Floyd County Times BUSINESS/REAL ESTATE

Deskins Motor Company named five star dealer

by DaimlerChrysler Motors Corporation

DaimlerChrysler has announced that Deskins Motor Company has earned the Five Star designation by successfully establishing a rigorous set of processes designed to ensure the highest level of customer satisfaction. The new Five Star performance processes, quite possibly the most comprehensive in the industry,

are designed to make dealerships displaying the Five Star sign the most desirable places to buy or service a vehicle.

The new Five Star program is designed so dealers continually examine and reevaluate the way they do business. To maintain their Five Star status, dealers are encouraged to think of ways to constantly improve the way they conduct busi-

ness and to put the customer first in every interaction with the dealership.

"This is an all-new Five Star program," said M. John MacDonald, DaimlerChrysler's vice president of sales and service. "Superior satisfaction is just part of the process."

Five Star dealerships have dedicated themselves to perpetuating

the Five Star ideals of constant development and improvement. Five Star dealers must prove themselves year after year. It begins with taking a revolutionary new approach to measuring the Five Star commitment to customers. The criteria are strict and uncompromising."

Deskins Motor Company is located in Pikeville.

Chamber Notes Business helping business

by Rebecca DeRossett, Executive Director

Floyd County Chamber of Commerce
May's calendar is full of wonderful events and opportunities for Chamber members and others. You will want to set aside the biggest event of the month on the 20th. Beginning at 6 p.m. with a reception sponsored by First Commonwealth Bank, the Annual Awards Banquet will feature not one, but two, widely-renowned public figures.

General James Bickford, secretary of the Natural Resources Cabinet, will be preaching his favorite sermon on cleaning up eastern Kentucky, followed by

Gov. Paul Patton sharing his views about the New Appalachia.

Your business can reserve a table for eight at \$300; admission is \$30 for members and \$50 for non-members. Call the office, 886-0364, to reserve your space at this exciting event.

The Education Committee will meet for lunch at Jerry's Restaurant on Monday, May 24, at noon. Dr. Fred Meece, chairman, says Floyd County high school counselors and the Piastri School counselor will join the committee for this special meeting.

The chamber is attempting to put together a two-part workshop to teach and assist high school juniors in applying for scholarships. In

addition to Meece, other members of the committee are Rebecca Derossett, Carl Hall, Kathy Friend, Gary Bailey, and volunteer Brenda Music, former Dean of Students at Prestonsburg Community College.

The Chamber Show will be filmed on Wednesday, May 26, at 2 p.m., in the Chamber Board Room. Guests are Dennie Dorton. The Bank Josephine; Gary Frazier, Country at Heart; and Attorney Will Kendrick on The Legal Minute.

We hope you are catching the show on Cablevision Channel 7 or WPRG Channel 5. If you want to schedule an appearance on a later show, call the office.

Business after Hours should be a

real humdinger this month. The Mountain Arts Center will host the function on May 27, from 5 until 7 p.m. Bob Meyer and the technical crew will be showcasing the MAC's teleconferencing system with a direct line to the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce. A tour of the facility will follow. Refreshments will be served. RSVP to 889-9125, by May 25.

Don't forget to mark your calendar six months in advance for our regular meetings, which are always held on the first Monday of every month, always at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, at noon. Spend your lunch hour with the Chamber.

See you, same place, same time, next week. Stay in touch!



Brenda Davenport of WYMT-TV presented a check recently to Carla Coburn, CEO of Jenny Wiley Theatre. The check for \$10,000 will be for half the sponsorship of the World Premiere production of Pinocchio. The Theatre will celebrate its 35th anniversary this season.

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Dr. Vanan joins medical practice in Pikeville

Dr. S. A. Vanan, M.D., has joined the medical practice of Dr. vis Thompson in Pikeville. Dr. Vanan is board eligible in otolaryngology, specializing in the care of the ears, nose and throat for adults and children. He has staff privileges at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

A graduate of Madras Medical College in India, Dr. Vanan continued his otolaryngology training by completing residencies in both England and Canada. He also completed a surgery residency at ET State University and JHQ College of Medicine in Johnson City, Tennessee. While in Memphis, Tennessee, he obtained a research fellowship in pediatric otolaryngology.

Dr. Vanan and his wife, Santhosh, have two daughters, Madhumitha and Bhauna. The family resides in Pikeville.

Dr. Vanan's office is located in the Professional Associates Building in Pikeville and is accepting new patients. He may be reached by calling (606) 432-0111.

Business Briefs

Nordin named as trustee

The Kentucky Optometric Association held its Annual Spring Conference, April 22-25, at the Regency Hotel, in Louisville. During this meeting, Dr. Richard Allingford, a member of the Board of Trustees of the American Optometric Association, installed Mark Nordin, O.D. as a member of the KOA Board of Trustees. Dr. Nordin was named Eastern Kentucky Optometric Society trustee.

2,091 shares of Firststar common stock for each share of Mercantile common stock owned. Based on Firststar's closing stock price on April 29, (the date the exchange rate was finalized) this represents a price of \$66.00 for each Mercantile share, a premium of 29 percent over Mercantile's closing price of \$51.25 per share on that date, and a multiple of 21.6 times Mercantile's 1999 estimated earnings per share.

Business seminar at MSU

"Starting your own business" is a seminar to be offered by the Morehead State University East Kentucky Small Business Development Center. This seminar will be presented on Tuesday, May 18, from 1 p.m.-3:30 p.m. and will be instructed by Mike Morley, director of the Morehead State University Small Business Development Center. This seminar will be presented at the Morehead State University Big Sandy Extended Campus Center, 719 University Drive in Prestonsburg.

Topics to be covered at this seminar will include; Making The Big Decision, Choosing The Right Structure, Building The Business Plan and Licenses, Taxes, Loans & Records.

The number of people who can attend this free seminar will be limited only by available space. For additional information or to pre-register, contact Linda or Mike at the East Kentucky Small Business Development Center at (606) 432-5848.

Carter Funeral Home renews membership in program

Carter Funeral Home of Prestonsburg, has renewed its affiliation with Lofty Oaks Association, New Hampshire organization dedicated to reforestation and conservation efforts in Kentucky. The firm arranges to have a tree planted for each service that they perform to provide a living memorial in honor of the deceased and to new the forest life of Kentucky.

Firststar agrees to acquire mercantile

Firststar Corporation has announced that it has signed a definitive agreement to acquire Mercantile Bancorporation Inc. (NYSE:MTL) through an exchange of shares valued at approximately 10.6 billion.

Under the terms of the agreement, Mercantile shareholders will receive a tax-free exchange of

Dr. Galen Gearheart certified

The Commission for Certificate in Geriatric Pharmacy (CCGP) recently announced that Dr. Galen Gearheart of Ashland has been accredited as a Certified Geriatric Pharmacist (CGP).

The CCGP is an autonomous organization dedicated to promoting excellence in geriatric health care through credentialing activities in the United States and

abroad. CCGP conducted its third Certification Examination in Geriatric Pharmacy on October 17. Eighty-seven U.S. and Canadian pharmacists sat for the exam.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5203 Renewal
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., 452 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, KY 41501, has applied for a renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 1 1/2 miles Southeast of Martin in Floyd county. The proposed operation will disturb 7.37 surface acres and will underlie 507.45 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 514.82 acres. The proposed operation is approximately 1.0 mile Southeast from KY 1428's junction

with Arkansas Creek Road and located 1.1 miles East of Arkansas Creek. The latitude is 37°34'03". The longitude is 82°43'02". The proposed operation is located on the Harold USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Turner Elkhorn Mining Company, James Sammons, and Thurman Akers. The operation will underlie land owned by Norman and Mae Martin, James Johnson, Mexico & Lizzie Spears, Thurman Akers, Emmitt and Clara Conn, J. W. and Emily Allen, Opal M. Boyd, Bradley Akers, Omery Bentley, Fair Bentley Estate, Claude and Mae Ryane, Leonard and Susan Akers, Hexzie Sammons, T.F. Hamilton, Jr., John DeLong, Lum Click, Tina Meade, Harry and Nadine Stephens, Leonard Conn, and Turner Elkhorn Mining Company.

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, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. 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.

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY DIVISION NO. II CIVIL ACTION NO. 99-CI-00006

Star Bank, NA (Successor by Merger to Trans Financial Bank, NA) Plaintiff Vs. NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE Larry Collins, Alva Lynn D. Collins, Fifth Third Bank and General Motors Acceptance Corp. Defendants

By virtue of Summary Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered on the 26th day of April, 1999 in the above styled cause, for principal amount of said indebtedness, plus accrued interest through April 23, 1998, in an amount equal to \$8,958.87, plus all advances by Plaintiff of real estate taxes, assessments, insurance, premiums, maintenance and costs, escrow fees and all other advances which Plaintiff must pay to preserve the real estate involved herein, and the Plaintiff's interests and rights therein, along with late penalties thereon at the rate of \$8.18 per month, beginning with April 23, 1998, until date of complaint, plus costs expended herein, including a reasonable attorney fee in the amount of \$1,000.00 pursuant to KRS 411.195 and/or KRS 294.110(4), plus interest on the entire balance at the rate of 10.5% per annum beginning April 23, 1998, until satisfied in full, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, 3rd Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County

Justice Center) to the highest bidder, at public auction on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1999, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek; containing 5 acres, more or less, and being more particularly described as follows:

Boundary as follows: Starts at the ditch-line east to the top of the hill to orange stake runs along side Eddie Ousley's line. Runs center to the ridge south to orange stake marked (X) following Johnny Justice line down the hill west following drain line to the bottom of the hill. Follows along Spurlock Road north to the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to the first parties from Steve Ousley and Cathy Ousley, his wife, by deed bearing date October 26, 1989, and recorded in Deed Book 332, page 025, in the Office of the Floyd County Court Clerk.

And Being the same property conveyed to Larry G. Collins, a single person, by deed dated October 26, 1989, of record in Deed Book 332, at page 25, in the Office of the Floyd County Clerk.

The property hereinabove described cannot be divided without materially impairing its value, or the value of the Plaintiff's interest therein, and therefore will be sold as a whole by the Master Commissioner of the Court with the proceeds therefrom distributed to the parties as set out hereinbelow.

The property hereinabove described shall be sold by the Master Commissioner as more particularly set forth in order to satisfy the debt owed Plaintiff, interest, costs and attorney fees owed by the Collins Defendants, jointly and severally.

The liens herein adjudged shall attach to the proceeds of said sale of the real estate in priority as follows:

Star Bank, NA is adjudged to have a first and superior mortgage lien (subject only to any appropriate liens of Floyd County) upon the hereinabove described real property.

Terms of Sale: (a) At the time of said sale, the successful bidder, if other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or make a cash deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such right if redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C.

2410 or KRS 426.530. (d) The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all real property taxes for the current tax year 1999. Any preceding year delinquent taxes shall be satisfied from the foreclosure sale proceeds.

(e) In the event the Plaintiff is the purchaser of the above described property for an amount equal to, or less than, its first lien, it shall take credit against said lien for the amount of the bid and no bond shall be required of the Plaintiff.

Any announcements made on date of sale takes precedence over printed matter contained herein. This is the 5th Day of May, 1999.

William S. Kendrick Master Commissioner P.O. Box 268 Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 (606)886-2812

Certificate of Service This is to certify that the original was forwarded to Floyd Circuit Court Clerk, with true and correct copies of the foregoing duly mailed, postage prepaid, this the 5th day of May, 1999 to:

Hon. Septimious Taylor 3211B Frederica Street Owensboro, KY 42301

Fifth Third Bank c/o MAPOTHER & MAPOTHER 801 West Jefferson Street Louisville, KY 40202

Hon. Steven B. Mulrooney 801 West Jefferson Street Louisville, KY 40202

Larry Collins Alva Lynn Collins 3815 Spurlock Creek Road Prestonsburg, KY 41653

General Motors Acceptance Corp. c/o MAPOTHER & MAPOTHER 801 West Jefferson Street Louisville, Ky 40202

William S. Kendrick Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY DIVISION NO. II CIVIL ACTION NO. 91-CI-038

Pikeville National Bank and Trust Company Plaintiff

vs. NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Berman Newman and Teresa Newman, Husband and Wife; Commonwealth of Kentucky, Revenue Cabinet; United States of America, Internal Revenue Service; and Floyd County, Kentucky Defendants

By Virtue of Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered on the 2nd day of March, 1999, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled cause, for the principle sum of \$28,846.07, plus interest of \$15,377.46 and late charges of \$275.00 plus fees in the amount of \$7,942.74 plus interest at \$8.31 per day from January 14, 1990 plus court costs and a reasonable attorney fee to be approved by the court at a later date, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, 3rd Avenue, Prestonsburg,

Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center) to the highest bidder, at public auction on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1999, at the hour of 9:15 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, to-wit:

Tract No. 1
Being all of that property more particularly described in Deed Book 223, Page 187, of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Being the same property conveyed to Berman Newman herein by Oliver Meade and Connie Meade, his wife, by deed dated the 25th day of September, 1975, and duly recorded in Deed Book 223, Page 187, of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Tract No. 2
Being all of that property more particularly described in Deed Book 231, Page 379, of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Being the same property conveyed to Berman Newman and Teresa Newman herein by George Newman and Flora Newman, his wife, by deed dated the 23rd of June, 1977, and duly recorded in Deed Book 231, Page 379, of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

And this being the same property conveyed to Teresa Newman and Berman Newman by deed dated the 29th day of June, 1982, recorded in deed book 267, Page 420, of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Lot Description
Located on Dog Branch (Muley Branch) of Jack's Creek in Floyd County, Kentucky.

Beginning at a 3/4-inch steel pipe (set) with an orange plastic cap bearing the marking "KY LS 1893", located 4 feet West of the West side of the residence presently or previously occupied by Berman and Teresa Newman and on the line of the Berman and Teresa Berman property (D.B. 231, Pg. 379) located to the South and on the line of the Berman and Teresa Newman property (No deed reference was found) located to the North, thence leaving the Newman property (D.B. 231, pg. 379) and running parallel with the West wall of the residential structure and approximately 4 feet from said West wall North 15-47-00 West, 32.08 feet to a 3/4-inch steel pipe (set) with an orange plastic cap bearing the marking "KY LS 1893". Thence running parallel with and approximately 4 feet North of the North wall of said residence, North 74-13-00 East, 41.98 feet to a 3/4-inch steel pipe (set) bearing the marking "KY LS 1893". Thence running parallel with and approximately 4 feet East of the East wall of said residence, South 15-47-00 East, 49.01 feet to a 3/4-inch steel pipe (set) bearing the marking "KY LS 1893" located at the Northeast edge of the concrete slab driveway. Thence South 15-47-00 east, 3.32 feet to an unmonumented point in the concrete slab driveway on the line of the Berman and Teresa Newman property (D.B. 231, Pg. 379). Thence running with the Newman property (D.B. 231, Pg. 379) so as to dis-

sect the residence, North 80-01-55 West, 46.61 feet to the Beginning, containing 0.0407 acres as shown on Nesbitt Engineering, Inc. drawing no. 3656. The foregoing lot was surveyed so as to include the Northerly portion of the subject residential structure which is situated on the Newman tract, a deed for which could not be found. It is assumed that Berman and Theresa Newman own the tract to the North of property described in D.B. 231, Pg. 379. Bearings are based on true North by virtue of solar observation. This description was prepared by H. L. Baldrige, LS 1893, on November 12, 1998.

For reference see deed of conveyance from Oliver Meade which is recorded at Deed Book 145, Page 491 and conveyance from Myra Johnson to George Newman as recorded in Deed Book 195, Page 354 in the office of the Floyd County Clerk.

The property hereinabove described cannot be divided without materially impairing its value or the interest of the parties, and it shall, therefore, be sold by the Master Commissioner as a whole.

The property hereinabove described shall be sold by the Master Commissioner as more particularly set forth in order to satisfy the debt owed Plaintiff, interest, costs and attorney fees owed by the Newman Defendants, jointly and severally.

The liens herein adjudged shall attach to the proceeds of said sale of the real estate in priority as follows:

(a) Floyd County, Kentucky for unpaid tax ticket plus penalties and interest as may be determined by the Floyd County Clerk for the following years:

1995 and 1995
(b) The Plaintiff in the principle sum of \$28,846.07 plus interest of \$15,377.46 and late charges of \$275.00 plus fees in the amount of \$7,942.74 plus interest at \$8.31 per day from January 14, 1999 plus court costs and a reasonable attorney fee to be approved by the court at a later date.

(c) United States of America, Internal Revenue Service as their interest may appear.

(d) Commonwealth of Kentucky, Revenue Cabinet as their interest may appear.

Terms of Sale:
(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or make a cash deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for sixty (60) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the Untied States of America and/or the record

owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 2410 or KRS 426.530.

(d) The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all unpaid real property taxes for the tax year 1998 and all subsequent years.

(e) In the event the successful bidder is a party to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on the particular tract or parcel of real property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond. In the event said party is a junior lienholder other than the plaintiff, then at the end of thirty (30) days, the said party shall pay the full purchase price.

Any announcements made on date of sale takes precedence over printed matter contained herein.

This the 5th day of May, 1999.

William S. Kendrick
Master Commissioner
P.O. Box 268
Prestonsburg,
Kentucky 41653
(606) 886-2812

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This is to certify that the original was forwarded to Floyd Circuit Court Clerk, with true and correct copies of the foregoing duly mailed, postage prepaid, this the 5th day of May, 1999 to:

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Somerset Coal Company, Inc., 400 Eagle Mountain Road, Charleston, WV 25311 has applied for Phase II and Phase III bond release on permit number 836-5017 which was last issued on 6 November 1989. The application covers an area approximately 218.19 acres located 1.7 miles Southwest of Betsy Layne in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 1.7 miles Southwest from US. 23's junction with Betsy Layne Road and located adjacent Betsy Layne Branch. The latitude is 37°32'58". The longitude is 82°39'27".

The bonds now in effect for the permit include a cash bond of \$300.00 and a surety in the amount

of \$4,800.00. Approximately 40% of the original bond amount of \$16,760.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, and seeding & mulching. This work was completed on 30 September 1989. Results to date include the establishment of vegetation per the Revegetation Plan, with a postmining land use of Forestland.

This is the final advertisement if the application. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by 7 June 1999.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 8 June 1999, at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no requests for a hearing or informal conference is received by 7 June 1999.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 436-5121 Amendment No. 4

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for an amendment to an existing underground and surface coal mining operation located 1.0 mile northwest of Beaver in Floyd County. The amendment will add 29.37 acres of surface disturbance, and 15.15 acres of underground (auger) disturbance for a new total of 1818.07 acres within the permit boundary.

The proposed amendment is approximately 0.75 mile west of the junction of the Mitchell Branch Road and KY 979, and is west of Mud Creek. The latitude is 37°24'37", the longitude is 82°39'55".

The proposed amendment is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be affected by the amendment is owned by Crit Mitchell, Heirs. The mineral is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation. This amendment proposes contour method of surface mining and underground mining (auger).

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow complex, Frankfort, KY 40601.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting sealed bids on the installation of a Waste Water Treatment Plant at Osborne Elementary.

Bid Specifications and requirements may be mailed per request or picked up at the Floyd County Schools Maintenance Department located at 23 Martin Street, Allen KY.

Sealed bids will be opened at the Floyd County Schools Maintenance Department on May 20, 1999 at 10:00 a.m.

For further information contact Gregory Adams, Director of Facilities at (606) 874-2049.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting sealed bids on the razing and removal of the Prestonsburg High School Football Field Bleachers.

Sealed bids will be accepted until May 20, 1999 at 10:00 a.m. and will be opened at the Floyd County Schools Maintenance Department located at 23 Martin Street, Allen KY at this time.

For further information contact Gregory Adams, Director of Facilities at (606) 874-2049.

The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Housing Authority of Martin is accepting proposals from interested professionals to perform architectural or engineering services for a modernization project funded by a Comprehensive Improvement Assistance Program (CIAP) Grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The amount of the construction is \$79,000 for building/foundation stabilization/repair.

Services are to be provided in accordance with the current HUD handbooks and publications which will be made available by the Housing Authority. You will be required to be registered for practice (licensed) in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

If you are interested please contact Bruce Coleman, Housing Authority of Martin, PO Box 806, Martin, KY 41649, or call 606-285-3681 by May 10, 1999, for more information and/or documents for proposal preparation.

The final date for receiving proposals shall be 2 p.m. local time May 14, 1999, at Housing authority office.

INVITATION TO BID

The Floyd County Board of Education request sealed bids on a mechanic truck, see specifications below.

Bid Specifications:
One 1999 Chevy or equal to 4 wheel drive, regular cab and chassis, 131.5" WB, one ton, dual rear wheels, power steering, power brakes, air-conditioned, AM-FM radio, color white, gray interior, vinyl bench seat, floor mats, 350 Vortec Engine, 5-speed man-

ual transmission, also included a tool bed with a tommy lift, and a front mounted ten ton winch, rear axle ratio 410 with a locking differential, 12,000 lbs. GVW, with a 8 ft. snow blade with attachment with inside controls.

Bids will be accepted at the Transportation Department, P.O. Box 1059, Martin, KY 41659 until 10:00 a.m. May 25, 1999.

Then bids will be opened. The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

If we may be of further assistance on information, please feel free to contact Marvin Jarvis, at 606-285-9443 ext. 14.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Floyd County Board of Education Department of Pupil Transportation is accepting bids for 89 Octane gasoline and #2 diesel fuel (low sulfur diesel) to be delivered to our sites.

Plans and specifications may be obtained between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday from Jody Sword, Director of Pupil Transportation.

Sealed bids should be received by mail or delivered to Jerry A. Lyons, 183 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 prior to the opening of bids on Monday, May 17, 1999 at 2:00 p.m.

Contracts will be awarded at the regularly scheduled Board meeting on Monday, May 24, 1999.

All bids prices must be firm through June 30, 2000.

All bids must be sealed and the envelope marked "Transportation Bid-Diesel Fuel and Gas." Bids must be F.O.B. Floyd County Board

of Education or their designated places.

The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Jody Sword
Director of Pupil Transportation

INVITATION TO BID

The Floyd County Board of Education is accepting "Sealed Bids" for the following items: Athletic supplies and equipment, concession items, office supplies, printing and school picture package for the 1999-2000 school year.

Copies of bid forms and detailed specifications may be obtained from Jerry A. Lyons, Director of finance, Floyd County Board of Education, 183 N. Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Telephone 606-886-2354.

Bids must have been received by mail or delivered to Jerry A. Lyons prior to the time bids are opened at the Floyd County Board of Education on Monday, May 17, 1999 at 2:00 p.m. Contents will be awarded at the regularly scheduled board meeting on Monday, May 24, 1999.

LEGAL NOTICE PROPOSED USE HEARING

A public hearing will be held by the City of Prestonsburg at City Hall on May 27th at 3:00 p.m. for the purpose of obtaining written and oral comments of citizens regarding possible use of LGEA Funds. The City will be receiving \$45,143 during fiscal year 1999-2000 for a total of \$46,290.

All interested persons and organiza-

tions in Prestonsburg are invited to the public hearing to submit oral or written comments on the possible use of Municipal Road Aid Funds. These funds will be used for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance or repair of city street, or other development projects. Any person(s) (especially senior citizens) who cannot submit comments, should call City Hall at 606-886-2335 so that arrangements can be made to secure their comments.

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A public hearing will be held by the City of Prestonsburg at City Hall on May 27th at 3:00 p.m. for the purpose of obtaining written and oral comments of citizens regarding possible use of LGEA Funds. The City will be receiving \$81,000 during fiscal year 1999-2000 for a total of \$111,700.

All interested persons and organizations in Prestonsburg are invited to the public hearing to submit oral or written comments on the possible use of LGEA Funds. These funds will be used for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance or repair of city street, or other development projects. Any person(s) (especially senior citizens) who cannot submit comments, should call City Hall at 606-886-2335 so that arrangements can be made to secure their comments.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-8032, Renewal

In accordance with


the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Progress Land corporation, HC 82 Box 1045, 1937 Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828 has filed an application for Renewal of an existing combination surface, auger mine, underground mine, preparation plant and refuse disposal facility. The proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 149.76 acres and will underlie an additional 125.56 acres for a total proposed permit acreage of 275.32 acres located 0.5 mile south of Price, in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.9 miles north of State Route 12's junction with State Route 979 and located 0.01 mile East of Left Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37°24'08". The longitude is 82°44'28".

The operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Progress Land Corporation.

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, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. 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.

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