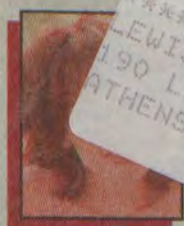


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School, health officials try to deal with fears

by **Randell Reno**
Staff Writer

Parents gathered Thursday at Betsy Layne and John M. Stumbo elementary schools to have questions answered from state health officials about the recent scare

concerning meningitis in the schools. Their fears resulted in the continued closure of Betsy Layne High School and the two elementaries. The schools were closed early on Wednesday and all day Thursday after the majority of parents at the schools kept their children home after

a Betsy Layne Elementary student reportedly contracted bacterial meningitis. Jessica Bentley was sent to the University of Kentucky Medical Center earlier this week and diagnosed with *Neisseria meningitidis*, a bacterial meningitis.

Reportedly, a teacher at Betsy Layne Elementary found Bentley sitting on the school sidewalk and with a high fever. She reportedly was given Tylenol by the teacher and put inside until her parents could come to get her.

Parents were concerned that Bentley contracted the illness just a short time after Clifford Daniels, 14-year-old boy who died with meningitis in early August. Daniels had graduated from John M. Stumbo earlier this year.

Parents also expressed concern about reports of three more cases of viral meningitis at Betsy Layne High School. Thursday night in a telephone interview, Jane Bond, Rapid Response Director at the Floyd County Health Department, said the health department has received lab confirmation on one case of strep meningitis, a viral

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Cliff Daniels, whose son died of bacterial meningitis in early August, before Floyd County Schools opened, spoke emotionally to parents at Betsy Layne Elementary yesterday morning. He was critical of local schools and health authorities because he thought they did not take the death of his son, 14-year-old Clifford Dexter "Cliff" Daniels, seriously enough. He spoke later at John M. Stumbo Elementary, where a group of parents joined hands in prayer before the 1 p.m. meeting. (photos by Randell Reno)



Area schools get new incentives to interest students in reading

by **Randell Reno**
Staff Writer

Six schools in eastern Kentucky — including Osborne and McDowell elementary schools — have been chosen to take part in a pilot program for reading improvement. Called Clothes For Curriculum, it's described as a fresh way for schools to implement the Project Read program.

The program was announced Tuesday afternoon at McDowell by Attorney General Ben Chandler.

Created by the AG's office, the Kentucky Department of Education, and Region 8 Service Center in Prestonsburg, Clothes For Curriculum employs a parent volunteer from each school and charges that parent with building relationships among teachers and other parents.

According to Nancy Price, Region 8 coordinator, the reason for the creation of Clothes For Curriculum is that reading scores need to be improved in the schools. "We want the parents to be involved to improve that score. We

want to work to get other parents involved in reading activities at their schools and to interact with teachers to improve relations," said Price.

Chandler, who admitted that his office rarely has good news to report, beamed about the Clothes For Curriculum program, saying, "I am very excited about what we are about to undertake."

Chandler described the goal of the program is "to dramatically raise reading abilities in grades K through 2 and to involve the parents. Though there have been improvements, Kentucky still needs to improve reading skills."

The "Clothes" in the title of the program reflects the incentive being used to spur parents to help their children learn to read.

"The Attorney General gave us \$550,000 worth of clothes for the program. The first time parents come in (to a conference), we give them a t-shirt, next time maybe a sweatshirt. Maybe next time, we tell them we are giving a coat as a door prize," said Price, who co-authored the program.

The clothes, said Chandler, were confiscated in raids on counterfeit clothing makers.

"We asked the manufacturers, can we take these clothes for this program, because we had burned them before, and, to their great credit they said yes," Chandler said.

The schools involved in the two-year program, besides Osborne and McDowell, are Rousseau and Marie Roberts-Caney Elementary in Breathitt County, and Jones Fork and Beaver Creek Elementary in Knott County.

These schools were identified by the Prichard Committee to be "fertile ground" for such a program, according to Chandler. "There was a lot of willingness and room to grow," he said.

Statistically, each school's reading scores have dropped in the last three years.

In addition, these schools were chosen, according to Price, because they had implemented Project Read.

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Attorney General Ben Chandler poses with Michael Henson, a student at McDowell Elementary School. Chandler gave Henson a cap if he would promise to read 10 books. The AG inaugurated his Clothes for Curriculum project at McDowell Tuesday afternoon. (photo by Randell Reno)

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Sentenced

Luther Johnson, 62, of Prestonsburg has been sentenced in Floyd Circuit Court, following his guilty plea to nine counts of wanton endangerment and three counts of second-degree assault. Johnson was accused of entering Archer Clinic on January 14, 1998, waving and pointing a gun at doctors and patients and hitting several persons with a cane. Judge John David Caudill gave Johnson a five-year suspended sentence, placed him on 10 years probation, ordered him to take medications prescribed to him by doctors, and prohibited him from consuming any alcoholic beverage. Further Johnson cannot drive onto the clinic parking lot, cannot have any communication with the victims or enter their property. He is also ordered to stay away from any school property, to refrain from directing school traffic and to pay \$20 to the Kentucky Crime Victims Compensation Fund.

Adult education is meet topic

The Kentucky Appalachian Advisory Council will host a public meeting on adult education on September 20, at Southeast Community College in Cumberland. The goal is to gather citizen input on issues related to adult education, including accessibility, effective delivery systems, and culturally-appropriate mechanisms. Another meeting was scheduled for September 14 at Paintsville, but notice was received too late for publication. The Monday meeting is at 6 p.m. in the Appalachian Theatre at Southeast. For information, call the Kentucky Appalachian Commission at 606/435-6129.

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Have a seat

Thieves Wednesday night discovered it was no picnic to get the goods they wanted at the #3 shelter at the Dewey Dam Downstream Recreation Area. They disassembled five picnic tables and took only the table tops and bench seats, leaving the legs behind. They also removed — and stole — seats from two other picnic tables in the park, according to Steve Markham, a ranger with the Army Corps of Engineers. The remaining 10 tables had the majority of the bolts either loose or taken out. The thefts were discovered by Larry Gross,

an employee of Stumbo and Sons Landscaping. "(The thieves) could get cash from the tables through recycling or sell them to be used as ramps for 4-wheelers," Markham said Thursday. Markham and Corps maintenance worker Donald Manard also discovered that the thieves made off with trash bags and toilet paper from #2 shelter and from Picnic Hollow, where vandals also tried unsuccessfully to steal the toilet paper holder, Markham said. Kentucky State Police are investigating the incident.

Wheels don't help for these suspects

by **Pam Shingler**
Editor

If asked what business field they're in, a trio of theft suspects in Prestonsburg might answer "Transportation."

The items they're accused of stealing — a riding lawn mower, jet ski and four-wheeler — can all be used for a getaway, but these three got caught.

Following up on a call that someone was trying to steal a four-wheeler from the Prestonsburg Honda Shop, Prestonsburg Police officers found a man trying to push a crate containing the vehicle into the back of a pickup truck. Inside the truck were a female and another male, according to Officer George Tussey.

Arrested and taken into custody were Jimmy Branham, 20, of

Prestonsburg, Brandy Crabtree, 22, of Tera Lane in Prestonsburg, and an unidentified juvenile.

When the owner of the Honda shop, Wes Blackburn, arrived at the scene, he discovered that a jet ski that had been left for repairs was missing. It was later found on a back road near St. Martha's Catholic Church, where it had apparently been stashed for later pick up.

The four-wheeler is valued at about \$4,000 and the jet ski at \$4,500, said Tussey, who was joined by Officers Sue Blackburn and William Petry.

Upon interrogation, officers also learned that the same three suspects had allegedly taken a riding lawn mower, valued at \$600, from the residence of Edith May on Lancer/Water Gap Road. It is

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ALC/JBS celebrate

Founder's Day will be celebrated at Alice Lloyd College and the June Buchanan School on Tuesday. A convocation, led by ALC President Joe Stepp, is set for 1 p.m. at the Estelle Campbell Center for the Arts. It is open to the public. For details, call 606/368-6136.

Pikeville police uncover booty

Following an investigation, Pikeville police officers have recovered more than \$5,000 worth of sound, music and computer equipment that had allegedly been stolen from two churches in the city, Third Street Church of Christ and First Baptist Church. The equipment was found at the Second Street residence of Joshua Adams, 21. Some items reported missing have not been recovered and are still being sought. Anyone with information on the theft is asked to contact Det. Keith Justice or Det. Ray Akers at 606/437-5111. Justice and Akers were assisted by Patrolman Aaron Thompson.

Billy Ray can't make it

Alas, achy-breaky hearts, the concert by Billy Ray Cyrus, scheduled for October 17, at the Mountain Arts Center, has been canceled. Cyrus' agent cited "personal matters that have just surfaced" as the reason for the cancellation, but he said the singer/songwriter might be available next spring.

Public meetings

- Floyd County Fiscal Court, today, 10 a.m., Fiscal Courtroom, Courthouse
- Wheelwright Utilities Commission, special meeting, today, 11 a.m., office. Agenda: employment.
- Floyd County Conservation District, Tuesday, 1 p.m., Office
- Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission, Tuesday, 6 p.m., PCUC

Fun tip: This weekend you can take in the Sorghum Festival in West Liberty, Black Gold Festival in Hazard, or Poage's Landing Days in Ashland — all within a little more than an hour's drive.

Wheels

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thought to have been loaded on the pickup and sold on Dotson Branch (formerly Mine Branch).

The three young people were each charged with three counts of theft by unlawful taking, all felonies since the stolen items were valued at more than \$300. They were also charged with one count each of possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

After spending one night in the Floyd County Detention Center, the two adults were released on bond yesterday, according to jail records.

The officers said other items may have been stolen by the suspects and possibly sold. They ask persons in the area who may have knowledge of similar thefts or who have been missing similar items recently to call them at 886-1010. The investigation is continuing.

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Health

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form of the illness, that is a secondary infection contracted from an individual's own viral illness, such as strep throat.

"Because it is a viral form and is a secondary infection, we don't treat anyone who has been in contact with the patient," Bond said.

The health department has some "suspected" cases of viral and bacterial meningitis, but has not received lab confirmations on those incidents.

One suspected case of viral meningitis recently came back clear from the lab, Bond said.

Dr. Glyn Caldwell, state epidemiologist, and local health officials tried to alleviate the fears of parents at yesterday's meeting but, after numerous outbursts from the parents, deemed it best to close the three schools until Monday.

Caldwell said that although it is safe to return to school, the delay will give parents time to update themselves on the illness. Handouts were distributed to parents at the meeting.

On Wednesday, attendance for Betsy Layne High School was at 50 percent, John M. Stumbo was at 25 percent, while Betsy Layne Elementary, the county's largest elementary school, was at nine percent.

Yesterday, parents were vocal about their anxiety regarding the safety of their children.

"I want to find out what they're (school and health officials) going to do about this. I am concerned," Willa McDaniels of Harold said. "It's scary."

McDaniels has children at Betsy Layne Elementary and at Betsy Layne High School. She added her voice to the members of the audience asking for an early fall semester break to calm the concern.

Betty Hall of Prater Creek, a grandparent of three of the students, said before the meeting, "We need to know more about this situation and what's going on and what they're doing to correct it. We don't know where to turn or what to do for the kids, and it's got us in a panic."

Gerald Harvey of Little Mud Creek said he took his child, who is an eighth grade student at Betsy Layne Elementary to the Martin Hospital Wednesday and had him vaccinated.

"Unless someone can give me some assurances that he is not going to contract this disease, he will not be returning to school," Harvey said. "Unless someone can give me their personal assurance in writing, yes, he will stay home tomorrow (Friday)."

Many of the parents expressed apprehension in returning their children to school because of their fears regarding the spread of the disease.

One lady stood up and said she was denied treatment for her children at the health department because the children had to have been in direct contact with Bentley.

Another person at the meeting asked if school officials were planning to bring in people in "monkey suits" to sterilize the school.

Some members of the audience suggested calling school off for the weekend, while others demanded dismissal early for the fall break to calm the fears.

"The people are the cause of the disease rather than the school," Dr. Caldwell told the parents. He could not give the parents a guarantee that when their children returned to the schools, they could not contract the disease.

Caldwell said there are no 100 percent guarantees with biological medicine, but he added that it is likely the disease is under control and that it is highly unlikely that the disease could be passed on from school to school.

Caldwell said there is no identified carrier in the area of the disease, and there is no team searching for a definite source of the disease.

The panel tried to assure parents that the school building was safe and that if their children have been vaccinated they would be very unlikely to spread or contract the disease.

Members of the panel also explained that there is no one cure-all for every person who contracts the illness because the prescribed drugs have side effects that some patients may be able to cope with while others cannot.

A parent said that her son was on the medication and that the side effects he was experiencing would not allow him to participate in a learning situation at the school, therefore he would be staying home.

Carol Holbrook, director of the Floyd County Health Department, said that the children who were in direct contact with Bentley at Betsy Layne have been contacted and brought in to the health department to be treated. Holbrook told the parents to make sure their children know not to eat or drink after one another when they return to school.

Bacterial meningitis has an incubation period of two to 10 days according to Jane Bond, at the Floyd County Health Department, but after this period, the disease is virulent and the symptoms will appear in a short burst of time.

Questions about the Daniels case in the Mud Creek area had folks questioning if the meningitis could have been spread from Daniels to Bentley. But Bond said the incubation period was far too long for the cases to be related or for the first

case to cause the second.

On Wednesday morning, hundreds of staff members and faculty from the three schools gathered at Betsy Layne Elementary to pose questions to the health department and to Woodrow Carter, state manager of Floyd County School.

Jennifer Martin, Floyd County health coordinator at the board of education, said some of the problems, even with colds, can be prevented.

"We need for the children to start washing their hands," said Martin.

Parents whose children have been in contact with Bentley are very concerned with her condition not only because of their concerns for her, but for their children also. Her condition has reportedly not improved since going to UK. But she has been stabilized.

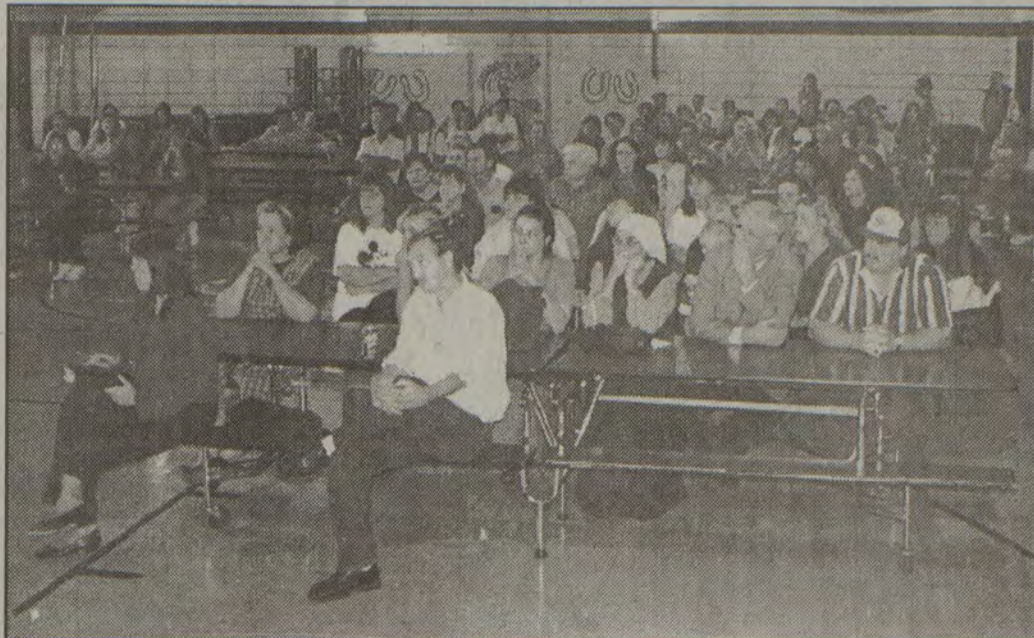
As far as is known, all of the kids that were in close contact with her have been treated. They received a high powered antibiotic to kill the bacteria.

Signs and symptoms of bacterial meningitis include fever, chills and sweating, headache, irritability, eyes sensitive to light, stiff neck, vomiting, red or purple skin rash, confusion, lethargy, drowsiness, or unconsciousness, sore throat or other signs of respiratory illness.

Persons who suspect they or one of their children have any of these symptoms are encouraged to seek care from the family physician.

Full recovery is likely in two to three weeks with treatment, if complications do not arise.

According to the Centers for Disease Control, there are about 20,000 to 25,000 cases of bacterial meningitis reported in the US every year.



Parents from Mud Creek turned out en masse with questions of their own at Stumbo Elementary.



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Angry and confused

This parent was more than angry because she thought information was not adequately made public even after the death of meningitis victim Cliff Daniels.



Still questioning

Cliff and Deedra Daniels made it known that there were too many unanswered questions about meningitis and their son's death at the "town" meeting in Betsy Layne Elementary.

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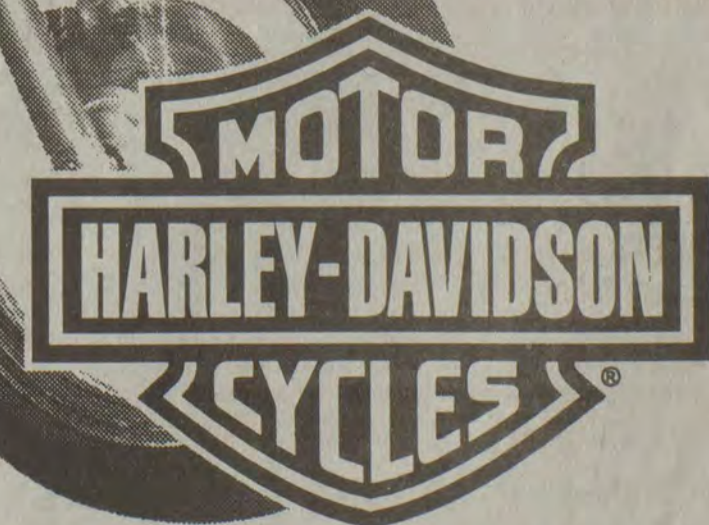
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Viewpoint

QUOTE OF THE WEEK...

Lying, a telling of beautiful untrue things, this is the proper aim of art.

— Oscar Wilde

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Editorial

TRAFFIC LIGHTS NEEDED AT SCHOOL INTERSECTIONS

Along US 23 and other area throughways, you will find schools that have exits and entrances to and from a highway, and at 3 p.m. these intersections become very busy. There are a number of reasons why commuters would experience frustration or even road rage in these areas.

First, cautious drivers do not readily jump into oncoming traffic — particularly with children on board. This holds up the line and begins to frustrate the drivers at the back of the line.

Secondly, there is a deplorable lack of driver courtesy in these heavy traffic-laden areas. Most of the traffic traveling south past Betsy Layne High School, for instance, remains in the right side lane. This narrows the chances for a motorist to get into the northbound flow.

Some parents have even said that the presence of the Floyd County Sheriff's Deputies has magnified the problem because the oncoming cars slow, grouping more of the vehicles together. This, in turn, makes it nearly impossible to enter the highway. And with US 23 traffic growing, the situation will only get worse.

As one mother put it, there needs to be a traffic light at the exit/entrance to Betsy Layne Elementary. Sometimes, a car will sit waiting to get back onto 23 for several minutes. This agonizing wait results in the loss of tempers by some.

The same holds true on KY 114 and Clark Elementary. Parents who pick up their children, as well as bus drivers, sit parked in long lines for extended periods of time waiting to get out into the flow of traffic. Problems on KY 114 are compounded because it is a two-lane road.

With the world getting more fast-paced, drivers seem to lose what little humanity they have when caught in a traffic jam. A traffic light would solve some of these problems. Just like the flashing lights near the schools, the traffic light can be set on a timer so that it works only during the beginning of school and after.

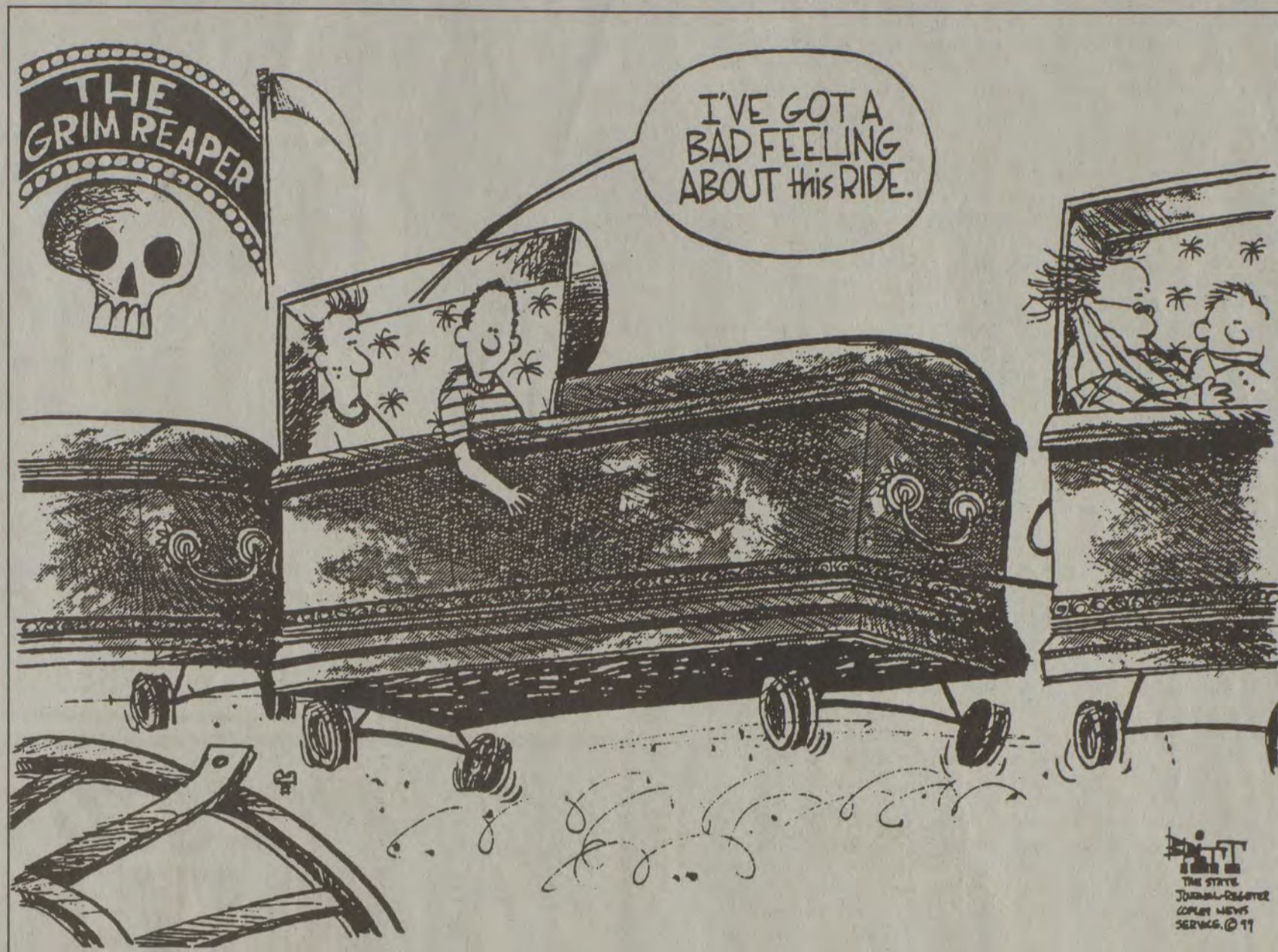
This traffic problem exists all over the county. Duff Elementary has a blind spot to the right on KY 80. A driver is very likely taking his family's life in his hands by deciding to make a left turn.

Allen Central High School has a wide area of vision, but the bus must be driven across the four-lane in order to travel toward Martin.

These are old problems. Allen, Prestonsburg, Adams Middle School, McDowell, and South Floyd High, all enter into two-lane roads. Yes, it is true that, for the most part, traffic is slowed. But as a driver on one of these routes, would you rather deal with a traffic light or put up with some nitwit who pulls out in front of you or comes whizzing around the curve?

Traffic lights that are properly set for small periods of time will not only alleviate the long waits to get going, but will also get our children home sooner and safer.

— Randell Reno



Letters to the Editor

Security consultant offers opinion on strike

Editor:

I would like to say that I respect and commend each person involved in the dispute at Highlands Regional Medical Center (HRMC). The union members on the picket line and even the individuals that cross the line, ever how misinformed or ignorant they may be.

I will be the first to admit that I am ignorant about some of the issues between the union and HRMC, but I believe that since this involves the health and welfare of the citizens, they should be informed about the issues in question.

This is my opinion and it's your right to agree or disagree. First, have people not learned from history, and that history will repeat itself. Our forefathers fought and died for the right to form a union so that they could be better providers for their families and have better working conditions for their children, when they enter the work force.

Unions have declined over the years, which I think is due to non-union operations keeping their wages and benefits equal to or above the unions. Do people really believe that once the unions are gone their wages will stay the same? The reason wages are

so high is because of the unions.

I wonder if when wages drop, there are no benefits, and there is no job protection, if the individuals who are responsible, will be proud to tell their children that they were responsible. Will our children have to fight and die for the same rights that we enjoy today?

There are some questions that I would like answers to. Can HRMC justify to the stockholders and the people that the money they will spend on security will probably be more than what it would cost just to settle with the union? Can they honestly say that the cost of security they have is not less than \$100,000 a week? Are they or are they not, trying to break the union?

Maybe, sometimes, the needs of the many outweigh the needs of the few. And just to let you know, I am a security consultant and have worked for US and overseas companies. I know what strike security costs and the effects it has on people and the unions.

Lewis Caudill
Frankfort

Five dollars for a cup of coffee?

Editor:

The only time I have been downtown Prestonsburg this year (1999) was Friday, September 11, and that was for only about five minutes.

We went to the C. & R. office after my wife parked in the north half section of the municipal parking lot which had only a couple other vehicles in it. Each end of that section had signs showing restricted parking; however, there were no signs in the parking spaces showing them to be reserved and by whom.

The ticket woman was within 15 feet or so and

observed us parking and made no effort, as a courtesy, to let us know we were parking in a restricted area and, as soon as our backs were turned, put a ticket on our vehicle.

When we returned about five minutes later, this ticket woman was about 15 or 20 feet away and when questioned was very defensive. I can now understand why people no longer shop downtown.

I have no desire to return to your town.
Elmer H. Morrison
Wayland

Vandalism alleged against HRMC staff

Editor:

As the SEIU-called strike on Highlands Regional Medical Center entered its second week, acts of vandalism toward the HRMC management staff began.

An ER nurse reported finding a dead cat in her mailbox and tacks covering her driveway. Paint-filled balloons were thrown on the driveway of a nurse house supervisor. Another ER nurse reported signs being placed in his yard identifying him as a "Scab." Managers' homes have been cased and their cars followed.

A security van parked on Highlands property was "keyed" and paint remover thrown on one of the vans as it exited the property. Highlands Wellness

members crossing the picket line to exercise in the center have been threatened. And racial slurs have been made to the Special Response Security Guards.

Incidents such as these, although common during strike situations, cause great emotional stress to individuals and their families to whom the threats or vandalism are directed.

To help prevent vandalism and to ensure the safety of employees and patients, Highlands has employed Special Response Security Guards. Guards video every vehicle entering or leaving Highlands.

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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.

The Times reserves the right to reject or edit any letter deemed slanderous, libelous or otherwise objectionable. Letters should be no longer than two type-written pages, and may be edited for length or clarity.

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PostScript

by Pam Shingler
Editor



Whining time again

The black cloud that has been hanging over the newspaper staff refuses to abate. Most of us in the aging and understaffed editorial and composing departments (the ones who get the paper ready to print) have forgotten what normal means.

Managing Editor Janice Shepherd was out for a month because of a bone fracture. She's now halfway through another month during which her doctor ordered her to work only four hours a day.

Unfortunately, she was completely off her feet for another reason week before last. She was downed then by strep throat.

Last week, Sports Editor Ed Taylor, who remains undaunted even when expected to do the work of three or four people here and in his church, was daunted last week by a diagnosis of pneumonia.

Calling in to apologize for not being here, he admitted he felt "worse than I've ever felt in my life."

Thanks for rookie Karen Joseph, who was willing to do whatever it took to get the sports section out, and to Randy Reno, who pulled double duty in news and sports, putting in 12-hour-plus days while battling an ear infection.

This week staff writer and spirit-lifter Willie Elliott has been having his heart worked on again. This time, the heart people are "shocking" his heart to get it back in rhythm. I don't pretend to understand that — nor, I suspect, does Willie. I wonder will he be able to carry a tune once he gets rhythm.

Kristy Stevens was speaking hoarsely, blowing her nose, sneezing and coughing when last we saw her. No wonder. She's taking a full load of courses at Pikeville College, working at a job on campus, get-

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PostScript

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ting acclimated to dormitory life, and rushing here a couple of afternoons a week to collect and type up the items for the "For the Record" section.

If that information is not in Sunday's paper, you'll know she's collapsed, and none of us can take up the slack.

In addition to the medical debilitation, we've had a rash of late summer vacations — well deserved and put in for way in advance.

Hannah Adams was out week before last. She compiles and updates Community Calendar, puts together most of Our Yesterdays, gathers Regional Obituaries and often local obituaries, finds and types the late Norman Allen's columns, and typesets all the news items that come into the paper from

you and dozens of other sources. She also typesets some ads.

Let me tell you, Hannah is vital! Last week, Tammy Goble, who heads the composing department, was on vacation. That department, which does layout and design of all the pages and ads, is already short-staffed, especially since long-time, dearly-loved employee Tim Burke left for greener pastures and a better life in Tennessee. (I hope they recognize what a truly excellent worker and warm, intelligent, generous human being he is behind that shy demeanor.)

While Tammy was out, we were deeply grateful to Heath Wiley, Willie Conley and Mike Burke, along with trainee Chris Isaac, all of whom put in long, long hours and put up with my short temper and

frustrations, without quitting and with good humor and grace.

Let this be fair notice: Tammy is not allowed to have another vacation as long as I'm here.

The other side of our problem is that some community activities that should be reported have not been. We apologize for that. It is our goal

that we have a physically able staff — and more of them — to do justice to all the organizations and events and people in Floyd County.

Right now, I'm looking forward to a normal 50-hour work week again, with an occasional Saturday off. That will be a welcome happening — almost like a vacation.

HRMC

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Video and audio tapes of incidents involving patients incurring problems trying to enter or leave medical center property have been given to the Kentucky State Police for appropriate legal actions. Charges will be filed against individuals whenever necessary. Highlands Regional will not tolerate acts of vandalism to its property and will continue to take all measures necessary to ensure the safety of its employees and patients.

This senseless violence could have and should have been avoided, just as the strike called by SEIU District 1199 could have been

avoided. Caring health care professionals need to be at work doing what they do best—providing care for the sick and injured of our community.

Highlands union employees need to urge their Columbus, Ohio, leadership to come back to the negotiating table and work toward reaching a fair contract for all involved, bring an end to the senseless vandalism, and let employees get back to work.

Kathy Rubado
Director of Marketing/Public Relations
HRMC

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Answers to Super Crossword



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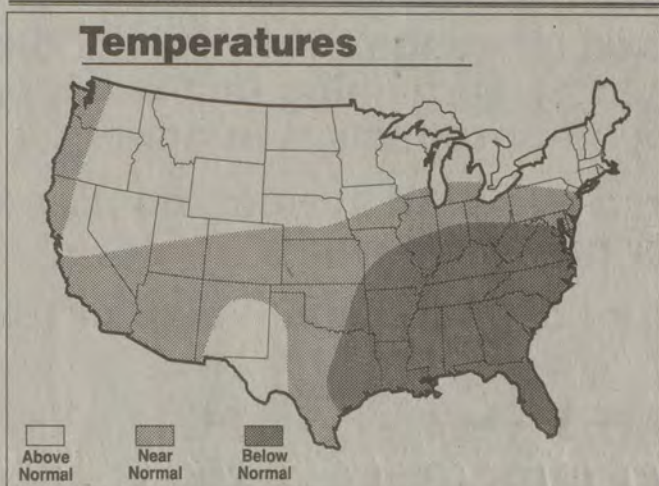
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LOCAL 7-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Sunny and pleasant. 74	Clear and pleasant. 51	Sunny and pleasant. 73/49	Sunny and pleasant. 75/53	Clouds and sun with rain. 73/51	Clouds and sun; showers. 71/52	Mostly cloudy; showers. 73/52	Clouds and sun; pleasant. 75/56

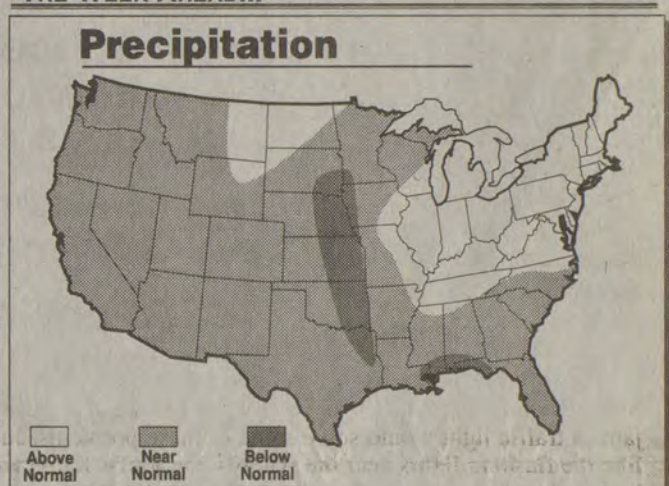
THE WEEK AHEAD...



NATIONAL SUMMARY

Warm air will spread across the northern half of the nation during the period. Temperatures from the northern Rocky Mountains to the Northeast are expected to average 5 to 10 degrees above normal. Rain will wet portions of the northern Plains, Northeast and Middle Atlantic. Cool-than-normal air will settle across the Southeast. The Southwest will be seasonably warm.

THE WEEK AHEAD...



U.S. TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Atlanta	78 57 s	77 56 s	81 60 s	80 59 s	78 58 r
Boston	67 51 r	67 54 s	69 56 s	71 54 s	69 55 sh
Chicago	72 51 s	71 51 s	69 46 sh	62 46 sh	64 45 sh
Cleveland	69 50 s	72 50 s	76 56 s	76 56 sh	64 49 sh
Denver	79 49 s	81 49 s	73 46 sh	78 46 s	80 46 s
Des Moines	73 54 s	74 52 s	68 45 r	65 46 sh	66 46 s
Detroit	71 50 s	69 50 s	69 48 s	64 46 sh	64 46 sh
Houston	88 63 s	87 64 s	89 65 s	87 64 s	84 61 s
Indianapolis	74 50 s	73 48 s	72 50 s	68 47 sh	66 47 sh
Kansas City	74 56 s	78 54 s	73 48 sh	70 45 s	69 50 s
Los Angeles	78 58 s	84 61 s	84 61 pc	85 60 s	83 60 s
Miami	88 74 s	89 74 s	89 75 s	89 75 s	88 74 sh
Minn.-St. Paul	71 55 s	69 47 s	62 42 r	59 44 sh	65 45 s
New Orleans	85 62 s	83 59 s	88 66 s	85 66 s	80 63 r
New York City	70 56 r	72 58 s	75 60 s	78 62 s	78 64 pc
Omaha	75 54 s	77 52 s	71 45 r	68 45 sh	70 47 s
Phoenix	98 77 pc	104 79 s	103 77 s	99 75 s	100 75 s
San Francisco	68 54 s	71 55 s	72 56 pc	71 56 pc	70 56 s
Seattle	70 52 s	78 54 s	78 54 s	72 52 pc	70 52 pc
Washington	74 56 r	76 58 s	78 60 s	82 62 s	82 65 c

SUN & MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset
Fri.	7:14 a.m.	7:37 p.m.
Sat.	7:15 a.m.	7:35 p.m.

	Moonrise	Moonset
Fri.	2:22 p.m.	none
Sat.	3:13 p.m.	12:33 a.m.

	First	Full	Last	New
Sep	17	25	Oct 2	Oct 9

Weather (W):
s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

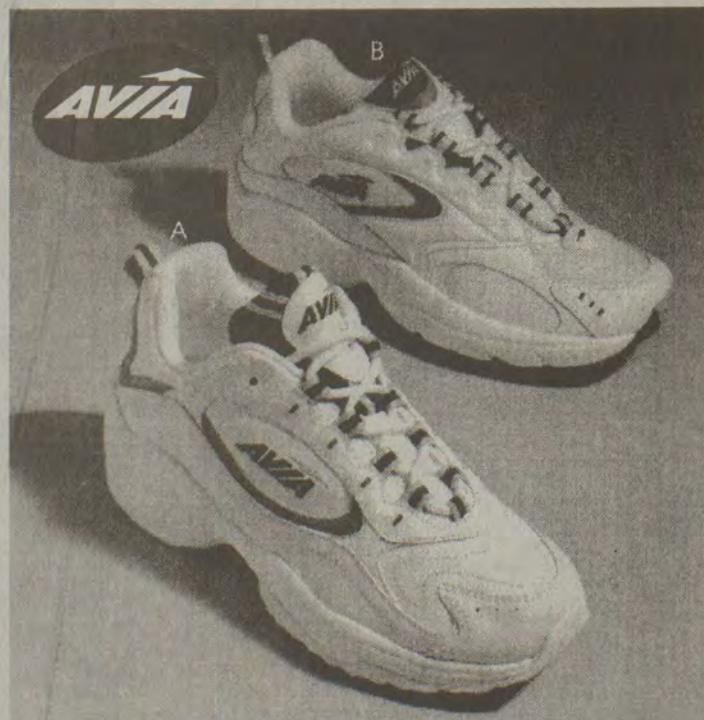
WORLD TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Amsterdam	64 51 sh	68 54 c	68 52 c	64 49 sh	69 51 pc
Berlin	72 59 pc	73 61 c	71 57 r	73 55 sh	70 59 pc
Buenos Aires	73 54 s	78 51 s	72 57 s	76 56 pc	73 54 pc
Cairo	89 64 s	94 65 s	89 67 s	90 67 pc	91 68 pc
Jerusalem	79 54 s	81 56 s	79 59 s	80 59 pc	80 60 pc
Johannesburg	86 48 s	81 50 s	81 56 pc	83 56 pc	81 55 pc
London	63 54 pc	64 56 sh	66 46 r	61 50 sh	66 48 sh
Madrid	76 46 pc	71 52 s	79 49 c	79 58 s	86 59 s
Mexico City	72 52 sh	71 53 sh	73 55 pc	73 53 pc	71 52 pc
Moscow	49 41 r	54 41 sh	59 51 c	61 47 r	60 45 pc
Paris	63 50 c	66 51 sh	66 44 sh	61 48 pc	69 48 pc
Rio de Janeiro	71 65 c	71 65 r	75 63 c	72 62 pc	72 61 pc
Rome	78 61 c	77 59 pc	81 64 pc	82 61 pc	82 67 s
San Juan	89 75 s	89 77 pc	91 79 pc	92 78 pc	92 78 pc
Seoul	82 63 pc	81 68 pc	89 74 c	88 69 pc	85 66 c
Sydney	70 46 t	60 43 s	65 50 pc	64 47 pc	64 53 s
Tokyo	78 71 r	78 72 sh	86 77 c	87 77 pc	88 79 pc
Toronto	65 41 s	67 47 s	67 47 pc	67 46 sh	66 43 sh
Winnipeg	74 52 s	65 35 sh	61 41 pc	71 55 s	75 52 s
Zurich	67 56 c	61 51 r	72 52 pc	70 48 sh	72 56 s

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HIGHLANDS

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The Medical Center of Eastern KentuckySM

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On Thursday, September 2nd, the District 1199/SEIU headquartered in Columbus, Ohio, called a strike against Highlands Regional Medical center. This strike was unnecessary, it has nothing to do with the health of our Community, which includes Floyd, Johnson, Martin, and Magoffin counties.

The Medical Center wants the strike to end. We want our employees back, doing what they do best, taking care of the health care needs of the region.

The Medical Center has made a fair contract proposal to its 300+ service, maintenance, technical, and clerical employees. The following summarizes the significant aspects of the proposal:

- **Contract term 3 years.**
- **Supervisory Work:** Hospital supervisors will not perform bargaining unit work if employees have been sent home due to lack of work.
- **Shift Differential:** 3pm - 11pm .40 cents per hour
11pm - 7am .50 cents per hour
- **Seniority:** Extensive layoff and bumping language based upon "classification" seniority.
- **Health Insurance:** See below.
- **Regular Part-Time Employees:** Convert 7 casual employees to regular part-time status.
- **On-Call Pay:** \$1.75 per hour
- **Subcontracting:** Revised language. Hospital will only subcontract work which is intermittently performed by bargaining unit workers and then only if the subcontract does not result in a layoff or reduction in hours for bargaining unit personnel.
- **Personal Days:** Create a two-tiered system; continue benefit for current employees, discontinue benefit for new employees.
- **Pension:** Option; current defined benefit plan or freeze current plan and replace with the 401 (k) plan.
- **Wage increases:**

First year	2%
Second year	2%
Third year	2%
- **Longevity increase:** Continue current plan, 1% average increase per year.

The Medical Center believes the contract proposal is fair and provides comprehensive benefits for its employees. We look forward to the day this strike ends, we look forward to welcoming back the employees of Highlands Regional Medical Center, and we look forward to serving the health care needs of the region.

Proposed Health Benefit Plan

	Services @ HRMC 60% discount applicable	Services @ Network Provider, Not Available @ HRMC	Services Outside HRMC and Network Provider
Deductible:			
Single		\$250	\$1,000
Family		\$500	\$3,000
Out-of-Pocket:	Deductible does not count toward out of pocket expenses		
Single		\$500	\$2,000
Family		\$500 each person	\$6,000
Coinsurance	100%	80%	50%
Inpatient Services	No charge at HRMC	If not available at HRMC plus 20% of charges	50% of charges
Outpatient Hospital Services	\$10.00 co-pay at time of registration plus 20% of charge	\$20.00 co-pay at time of registration plus 20% of charge	\$20.00 co-pay 50% of charges
• Inpatient and Outpatient Services	If services are available at HRMC but member selects to use another facility they will be responsible for 50% of the charges		
Emergency Hospital Services-True Emergency	\$25.00 co-pay waived if admitted. Non admissions will be responsible for 10%	\$50.00 co-pay waived if admitted	50% of charges \$50.00 co-pay
Emergency Hospital Services-Non Emergency	\$50.00 co-pay will be responsible for 10%	20% after deductible \$50.00 co-pay	50% of charges \$50.00 co-pay
Physician Charges	\$10.00 co-pay CHS physician \$15.00 all other physicians	\$20.00 co-pay	50% of charges

Prescription Drugs (30 day supply)	IPS/Restat Providers Only
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Non Formulary	100% employee
Mental Nervous and Substance Abuse	Included

Individual
For year one (1) of the agreement, the rate will be five (5) percent, \$7.76 per payroll period. Year two of the agreement, that amount will be (10) percent.

Family
For year one (1) of the agreement, the rate will be five (5) percent, \$19.69. Year two of the agreement, that amount will be 10 percent.

Reading

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"Historically, we have had problems all over the state in reading. I have an absolute belief that reading is the skill for anything, science, math, whatever," said Chandler. Chandler and Price are hoping for a great success in this program, so that it may be used statewide in the future.

Each of the parents chosen for the program were already volunteers at their schools. They were chosen for their positions either by a referral by the school principal or they were already in contact with the program coordinator.

The representatives are Billie Duty for Osborne, Kathy Johnson

for McDowell, Karen Davis for Rousseau, Pamela Abner for Marie Roberts-Caney, Rita Gerretson for Jones Fork, and Pam Waddles for Beaver Creek.

Although these parents have not needed an incentive to be at the schools previously, they will be paid for their participation in the program.

Clothes For Curriculum came about as Chandler and his staff were seeking a new way to do something for the children. His inquiries took him to Robert Sexton, executive director of the Prichard Committee, who identified Region 8 as having put together

a reading program (Project Read).

Chandler coordinated efforts with Nancy Price at Region 8 to bring about an innovative approach to involving parents in the schools by actually giving parents an incentive to teach their children to read.

"Results have incentives attached to them," said Chandler. "The success of the entire state depends on every child. Kentucky high school graduates earn 40 percent more than dropouts do, and college graduates earn 60 percent more. Reading ability is the cornerstone of economic and personal

success. The government needs to try new approaches, to break the mold."

Funds for the program come from the settlement of a lawsuit that the state attorney general's office joined in 1997, along with 43 other states, against Toys-R-Us and a number of toy manufacturers.

Kentucky is scheduled to receive \$218,000 for participating in the lawsuit. Of that amount, \$34,000 was distributed through the Toys For Tots program last year. The remaining funds have

been earmarked for Clothes For Curriculum.

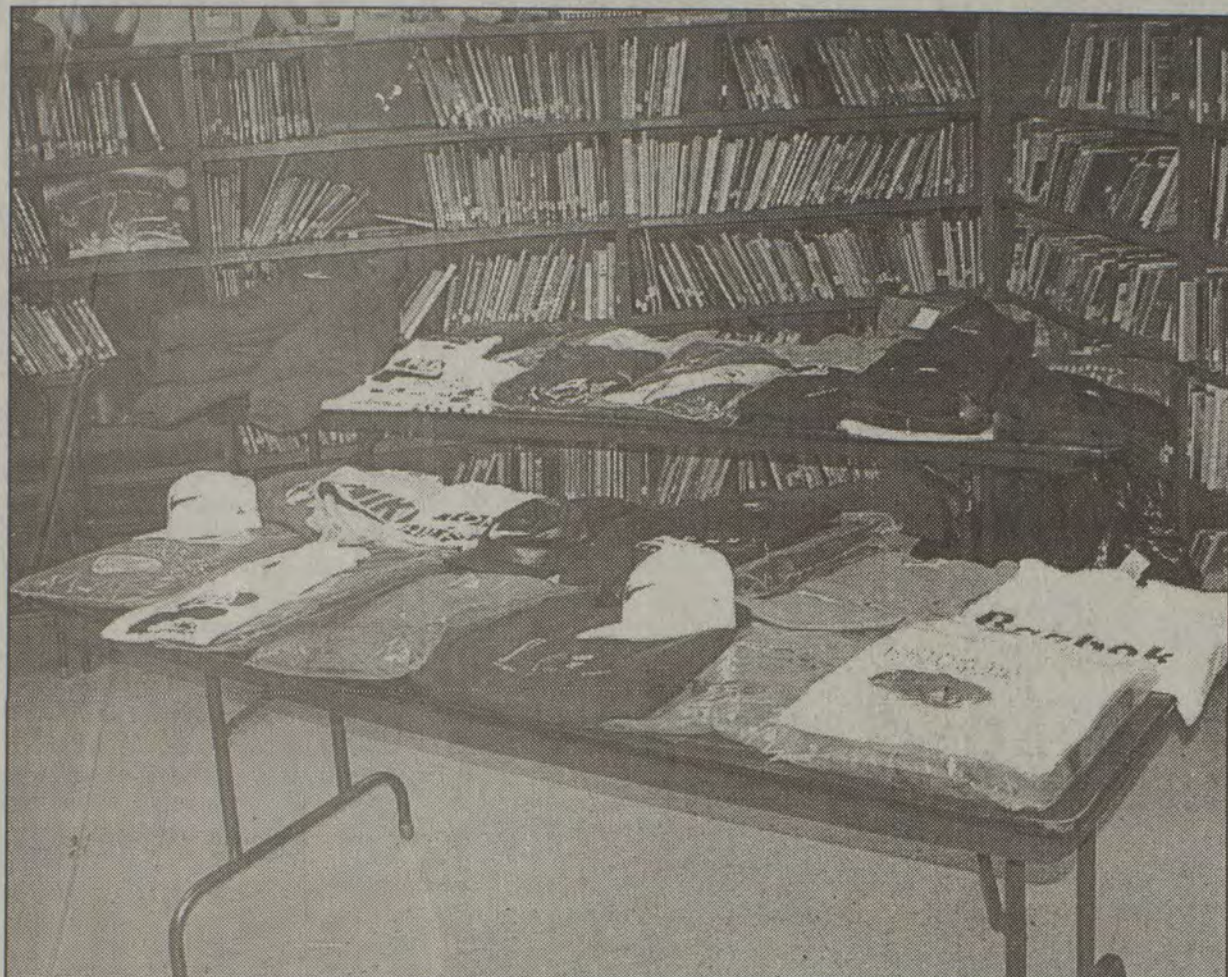
"It's not a big amount of money," Chandler said, "but it's sending a message. This is the crux of education. We have to think differently. We have to be creative. We have to be new."

Chandler believes that the parents will participate in the program if they know about it. "It can work, if we can get a little publicity for the program."

The biggest problem for school children today is a lack of parent

involvement in education, according to Chandler, and this program is designed to change that. "This program adds a focus on the parents. It aims right at them."

The effectiveness of the Clothes For Curriculum program will be studied by researchers at the University of Kentucky. The hope is that the program will be a success so that it may be spread across eastern Kentucky and then across the state. Additional funding for the program depends upon its success.



Clothing items confiscated from illegal manufacturers will be given as incentives to encourage parents to help children with reading in the Clothing for Curriculum program at McDowell and Osborne elementary schools, as well as schools in Knott and Breathitt counties. (photo by Randell Reno)

Dogs kidnapped, owner says

Pauline Lambert is convinced that thieves came through a double gate at her home on the old Scotchfield Farm on Campbell Branch Road and stole her three dogs.

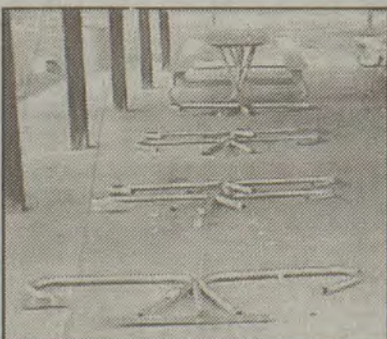
Lambert says the dogs were missing when she came home from work on Tuesday evening and have not been seen since. She has reported the loss to the Floyd County Sheriff's Office.

Lambert said the missing dogs are

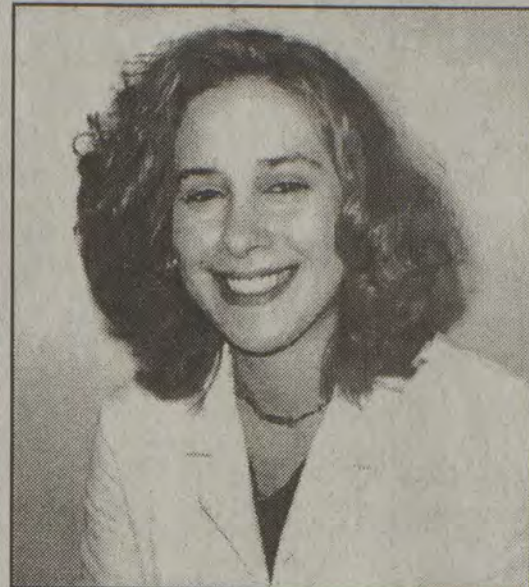
- A large — possibly 60 pounds — red Irish Setter, recently spayed;
- A puppy, about 20 pounds and 3-1/2 months old, black Labrador and Irish Setter mix, black with white spot on chest;
- A black Fiist, about 12 pounds, 1-1/2 years old, spayed.

She said the dogs have had all their age-appropriate shots.

Lambert is offering a reward for the safe return of the family pets. Anyone with information on the dogs may call her at 874-2948 after 5 p.m., or 478-4461, ext. 15, at work.



Not a leg to stand on
Vandals left little behind at a shelter in the Downstream Recreation Area at Dewey Dam Wednesday night. The metal table tops could possibly be used as ramps for four-wheeler, all-terrain vehicles, said Ranger Steve Markham.



Amy Glessing

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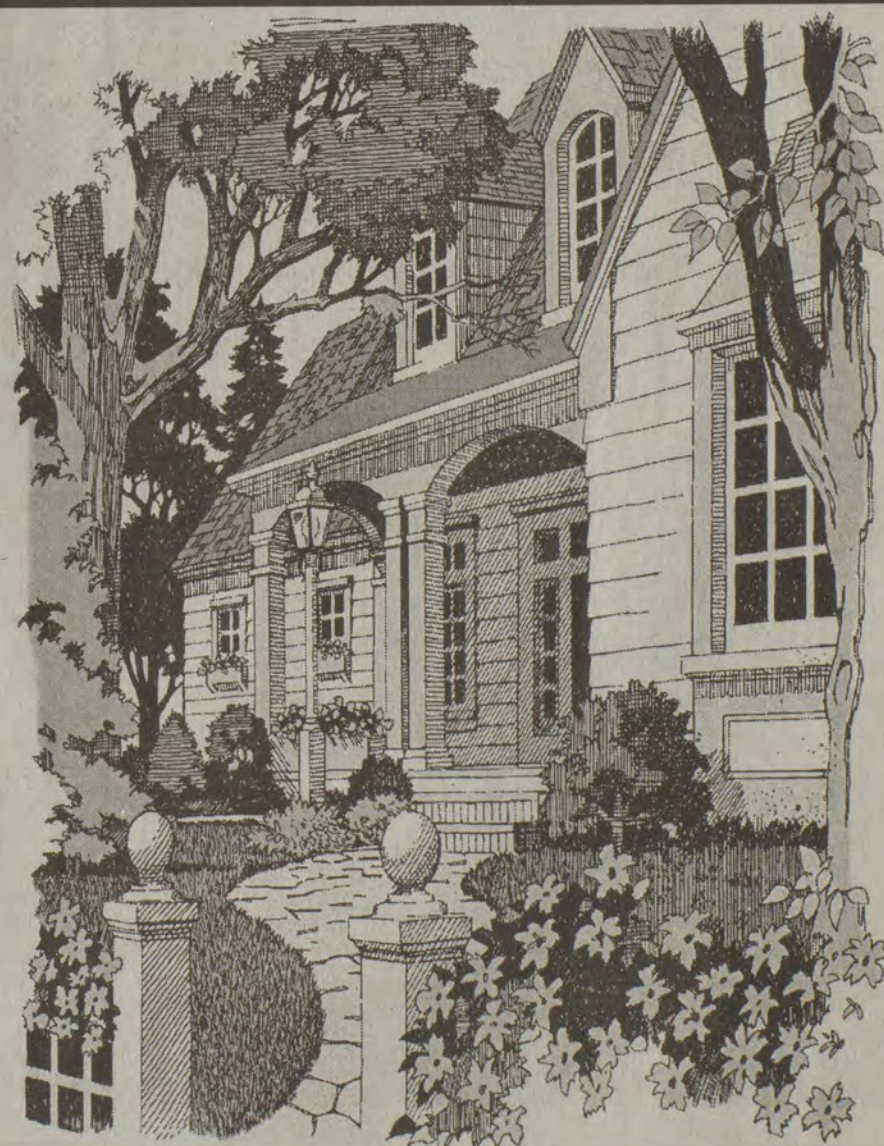
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REGIONAL OBITUARIES

Pike County

Shandy Cole, 51, of Pikeville, died Saturday, September 11. He is survived by his wife, Carol Rogers Cole. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 14, under the direction of the J.W. Call and Son Funeral Home.

Zada Inez Slone Dotson Davis, 90, of Grundy, Virginia, died Friday, September 10. Funeral services were conducted Monday,

September 13, under the direction of the Shortridge-Ramey Funeral Home.

Julius "Jukey" Dotson Jr., 52, of Phelps, died Friday, September 10. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 11, under the direction of Phelps Funeral Home.

Bobby "Big Bob" Newsome, 64, of Jonancy, died Friday, September 10. He is survived by his wife, Faye

Damron Belcher Newsome. Funeral services were conducted Monday, September 13, under the direction of the R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Okie Arnett Ratliff Rowe, 91, of Lookout, died Thursday, September 9. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 12, under the direction of Lucas and Hall Funeral Home.

Bertie Jane Ward, 68, of Ransom, died Friday, September 10. Funeral services were conducted Monday, September 13, under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home.

Ethel Hall, 48, of Robinson Creek, died Tuesday, September 7. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 11, under the direction of the Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

John Chaney, 77, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, September 8. He is survived by his wife, Phyllis Jean Kidd Chaney. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 12, under the direction of the Justice Funeral Home.

Verland Smith, 95, of Canada, died Thursday, September 9. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 12, under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home.

Julius N. Dotson Sr., 73, of Phelps, died Wednesday, September 8. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 11, under the direction of the Phelps Funeral Services.

Johnson County

Malta Reed Miller, 99, died Saturday, September 11. Funeral services were conducted Monday, September 13, under the direction of the Preston Funeral Home.

Christine Higgins, 69, of Fulton, Michigan, formerly of Johnson County, died Thursday, August 26. She is survived by her husband, Edsol Higgins. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, August 31, under the direction of the Langeland Funeral Home.

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September 19, 1934 - March 7, 1999



She would have been 65; The 19th of September, She touched our hearts and our lives; the good times to remember.

She cared in such a special way; For the ones she loved so much, Wanting to be with us everyday; For her to hold and touch. Her health had weakened through the year; Our loved one not so strong, She knew the time was drawing near, We wondered what went wrong.

With friends and family gathered around; The bedside where she lay, We knew the Lord was coming down, To take her home today. It's been six long months since she's been gone; We hope things will get better, Although, she's in a better home; We will never forget her.

Sadly missed by, husband Ed, son Ronnie, grandson Justin, and Daughter-in-law Dottie

Marjorie Conley Patton, 88, died Tuesday, September 7. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 9, under the direction of the Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Martin County

Alice Marie Clark, 53, of Beauty, died Sunday, September 12. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 14, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Mary B. Maynard, 80, of Inez, died Sunday, September 12. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 15, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

John T. "Tee" Endicott, 76, of Inez, died Friday, September 10. He is survived by his wife, Alene Graham Endicott. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 12, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Harold P. Parsley, 73, of Chillicothe, Ohio, formerly of Lovely, died Tuesday, August 31. Graveside services were conducted, in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Kingston, under the direction of the Ware Funeral Home.

Lawrence County

Lacy Johnson, 84, of Louisa, died Thursday, September 9. He is survived by his wife, Sarah Chapman Johnson. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 11, under the direction of the Heston Funeral Home.

Thomas J. Hardin, 86, of Augusta, formerly of Louisa, died Thursday, September 9. Graveside funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 12, in Yatesville Memorial Gardens, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Jacqueline (Jacque) Roberts, 60, of Louisa, died Saturday, September 11. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 14, under the direction of the Wilson Funeral Home.

Lelia A. East, 83, of Louisa, died Thursday, September 9. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 14, under the direction of the Wilson Funeral Home.

Charley Chaffin, 97, of Louisa, died Saturday, September 11. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 14, under the direction of the Heston Funeral Home.

Clarence O. Lemaster, 73, of Louisa, died Monday, September 13. He is survived by his wife, Bessie Ann Hughes Lemaster. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 16, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Ashley Lee (Tobbie) Marshall Jr., 55, of Martha, died Monday, September 13. He is survived by his wife, Patricia Ann Cooper Marshall. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 16, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Knott County

Douglas Daniels, 75, of Garner, died Saturday, September 4. He is survived by his wife, Boots Robertson Daniels. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 7, under the direction of the Boyer Funeral Home.

James Edward Hall, 65, of Summit, died September 3. He is

survived by his wife, Sharon Moore Hall. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 7, under the direction of the Caniff Funeral Home.

Herbert Johnson, 83, of Litt Carr, died Tuesday, September 7. Funeral services were conducted Friday, September 10, under the direction

of the Hindman Funeral Services.

Hiram J. Johnson, 64, of Miamisburg, Ohio, formerly of Pippa Passes, died Friday, September 10. He is survived by his wife, Grace Johnson. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday,

(See Obits, page ten)

OBITUARIES

Malta Reed Miller

Malta Reed Miller, 99, of Auxier, died Saturday, September 11, 1999, in Mountain Manor Nursing Home in Paintsville.

She was born on Johns Creek, on September 5, 1900, a daughter of the late Will and Louella Ward Reed.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell O. Miller.

She was a Charter Member of the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church where she attended for nearly 52 years.

Surviving are a daughter, Jenny Wells, of Auxier; a son, John W. Miller, of Alexandria, Virginia; a sister, Ella Preston, of Auxier; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held at Jones-Preston Funeral Home on Monday, September 13, with Paul David Coleman and Lonnie Salyer officiating.

Pallbearers were grandsons: Larry Wells, Jeffrey Wells, Bobby Miller and George Waggoner; great-grandsons, Chris Cool and Jonathan Daniel; and friends, J.B. Shelton and Tommy Nelson and son-in-law, Charles Jeff Wells. Burial was in the Auxier Relocation Cemetery, under the direction of the Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

George Frasure

George Frasure, 64, of Ashtabula, Ohio, died Sunday, September 12, 1999, at the Wade Park VA Hospital.

He was born November 22, 1934, in McDowell, the son of Earl Frasure, and the late Edith Pearl Howell Frasure, and had been an Ashtabula resident since 1962.

Prior to his retirement in 1997, he worked 36 years for Roller Reinforced Plastics.

He was a member of the Pentecostal Church of God.

He is survived by his wife, Virgie Daniels Frasure.

Other survivors include two daughters, Patricia Frasure of Ashtabula and Peggy Smegal of Pierpoint; one son, Michael Frasure, of Denmark Township; eight brothers, Otis of Kentucky, Ode of Indiana, Earl Jr. of Jefferson, and Roy, Eugene, Vern, Dana, and Roger, all of Ashtabula; five sisters, Hollie B. Patton, Earlean Maples, and Fred Faye Frasure, all of Ashtabula, Betty Sue Hungerford of Sheffield Township, and Bonnie Stillwell of Conneaut and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 15, 11 a.m., at the Pentecostal Church of God, Ashtabula, Ohio, with Rev. Kenneth Roberts, officiating.

Burial was in Greenlawn Memory Gardens, North Kingsville, under the direction of the Ducro Funeral Services and Crematory.

Lawson pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Beulah Wanda Lawson were members of the Garrett Volunteer Fire Department.

Gibson pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Vivian Gibson were Jim Snader Jr., Randy Gibson, Glenn Gibson, Jimmy Gibson, Steve Gibson and Wayne Smith.

Rose Mary Hicks

Rose Mary Hicks, 69, of David, died Wednesday, September 15, 1999, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

She was born January 5, 1930, in Pyramid, the daughter of the late Bud Hicks and Elizabeth Ratliff Hicks. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Maytown.

She is survived by her husband, Clifford Hicks; two sons, Clifford Keith Hicks of David, Rodney Hicks of Langley; one daughter, Deborah Click of David; one brother, Edgel Hicks of N. Manchester, Indiana; two sisters, Alta Jean Gibson of Danville, Wilma Hicks of Roann, Indiana; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, September 18, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, with the clergyman, Bob Varney, officiating.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, Ivel, under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home.

Robert "Bob" Webb

Robert "Bob" Webb, 67, of Cleveland, Tennessee, formerly of Sumiton, Alabama, died Friday, September 10, 1999, in Cleveland, Tennessee.

He was an employee of Ford Motor Company for 39 years, attended Snowtown Church of God of Prophecy, and was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean War.

He is survived by his wife, Evelyn Sue Chance Webb and his father, Cecil Edward Webb Sr. of Allen.

Other survivors include three sons, Robert Wayne Webb of Bartow, Florida, Brian Scott Webb of Cleveland, Tennessee, David Anthony Webb of Doltewiah, Tennessee; one sister, Betty Hutchinson of Scottsdale, Arizona; three brothers, Cecil Edward Webb Jr. of Ocala, Florida, Johnny Webb of Livingston, Texas, Joe Taylor Webb of Nicholasville and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the New Horizon Memorial Chapel, Wednesday, September 15, with Rev. Jimmy Chance officiating.

Burial was in the West Jefferson Freewill Cemetery, under the direction of the New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home.

Denver Compton

Denver Compton, 78, of Weeksbury, died Wednesday, September 15, 1999, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following an extended illness.

Born on June 26, 1921, in Pike County, he was the son of the late Elbert Compton.

He was a retired coal miner and a member of UMW.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Bertha Coleman Compton.

Survivors include five sons, Marion T. Compton of Stamping Ground, Darrell Compton of Lexington, Dale Compton of Prestonsburg, Denver Compton Jr. and Danny Wayne Compton, both of Weeksbury; one daughter, Yada Jean Gard of Huntington, West Virginia; one brother, Elbert Compton Jr. of Wyandotte, Michigan.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, September 18, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin, with Don Fraley Jr. and others officiating.

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

Card of Thanks

The family of Vivian Gibson wishes to thank the doctors and nurses of Our Lady of the Way Hospital and also the ICU units of HRMC and Hazard ARH, for their kindness and care during her illness. Special thanks to her church, Zion Deliverance, and all of the Brothers and Sisters of the church; neighbors, friends, and relatives for the prayers, cards, flowers, and food during our time of sorrow. Also, thanks to the sheriff's department for their assistance in traffic control, and to Hall Funeral Home for their professional and caring service.

THE FAMILY OF VIVIAN GIBSON

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Big Sandy Briefs

The Numbers Game

Wednesday's Results	Sept. 15, 1999
LOTTO KENTUCKY 01-07-23-34-39-42	POWERBALL 01-12-37-42-48 (31)
Next Estimated Jackpot \$1.5 million	Next Estimated Jackpot \$41 million

Johns files \$8 million lawsuit in KYA deal

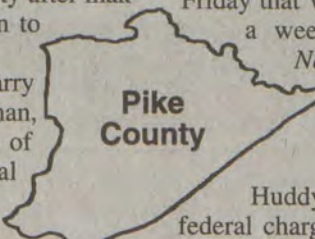
The son of former Pike County Superintendent Reo Johns has filed an \$8 million lawsuit against a Pikeville bank he alleges forced him to withdraw from the development of a local juvenile treatment facility after making his involvement in the project known to the Pike County Board of Education.

Filed Friday in Pike Circuit Court, Barry Johns, a Pike County private businessman, claims in the suit that he gave officers of Firststar Bank, formerly Trans Financial Bank, confidential information about the proposed cost, budget, income stream and remodeling costs to turn the former Sycamore Elementary School into the Kentucky Youth Academy. — *Appalachian News-Express*

her on fire nearly a year ago, learned Tuesday in Pike Circuit Court that he could spend the next 40 years in prison for the woman's death.

A jury convicted Wolford of murdering Patricia Miller Skeens, a 32-year-old mother of three.

A special agent for the Virginia State Police testified Friday that Wolford told him Skeens was burned after a weed-eater malfunctioned. — *Appalachian News-Express*



Woman pleads not guilty to insurance scam

Huddy resident Sheila Kaye Cantrell, who faces federal charges she filed false documents in order to obtain a life insurance settlement following her sister's suicide, pleaded not guilty in US District Court in Pikeville, Monday.

Cantrell, who manages a Williamson, West Virginia, mobile home dealership, was indicted August 18 on two charges of money laundering and one count each of mail fraud and conspiracy to commit fraud for incidents following the death of her sister. — *Appalachian News-Express*

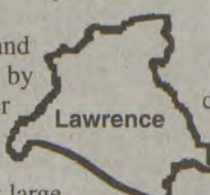
Pair arrested after shots fired into home

Two Louisa men are charged with shooting into a home on KY 707 in northern Lawrence County last week.

Police said Bradley E. Wallace, 19, and Joshua Ray, 18, shot into a home owned by Dennis Bowen following an argument. After the two were arrested, Ray allegedly fled the Lawrence County Sheriff's Office where he was being held for questioning and is still at large.

Apparently, the incident began when the two men transported Bowen's sister, Jessica, home. Bowen and his sister got into an argument and Wallace joined the disagreement. Wallace and Bowen went to the road to fight. Jessica Bowen told Wallace her brother carried a gun, so Wallace went to his vehicle to get a revolver. He allegedly fired six shots at the home. Wallace and Ray

fled in the car, but passed by the house again and Ray allegedly fired shots into the home. — *The Big Sandy News*



Council reviews 911 contract by county

Louisa City Council members reviewed the county's proposal for an enhanced 911 system Tuesday night, and came up with a few sticking points in establishing a joint city-county board.

In June, an argument over how the enhanced system would be set up and governed, broke loose during a city council meeting after city officials said they felt they weren't being involved in the decision-making process.

After reviewing the proposal Tuesday night, city officials said they still felt that the county's proposal gave them too much control in some areas. — *The Big Sandy News*

Wolford convicted in burn fatality

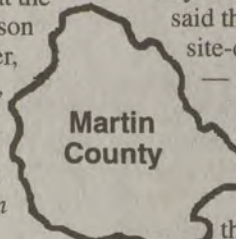
Standing motionless and showing little emotion, Jimmy Wolford, the Mouthcard man accused of dousing his girlfriend with a flammable liquid and setting

Fox on the run

Sometimes it helps to be light on your feet, especially in police work. Inez City Police Chief Mitchell Williamson will certainly attest to that. He, along with Kentucky State Police Trooper Tim Dials, ran down a fleeing suspect on September 8, after the man bolted from a car during a routine road check.

According to Williamson, Martin County sheriff's deputies were conducting a routine road check at the mouth of Quail Hollow when a car, in which Jason Lee Benton of Paintsville was a passenger, pulled up to the officers. When it came to stop, Benton ran.

Benton finally got caught in a thick briar patch, giving officers an opportunity to catch him and make the arrest. — *The Mountain Citizen*



County tax rate drops

Members of the Martin County Health Department Health Board voted to lower the county's tax rate from 4.0 to 3.5 at a meeting on September 8. The health board projected an estimated \$21,000 in savings for the county's taxpayers.

The Martin County Health Department has one of the largest leftover of funds each year.

The Martin County Fiscal Court must approve the lower rate before it becomes effective. — *The Mountain Citizen*

North Carolina solid-waste manager offers suggestions

In light of speculation that a new solid-waste ordinance is just days from being adopted, a solid-waste coordinator from Johnston County, North Carolina,

offered his insight on coping with the dilemma of garbage collection and disposal.

In spite of differences in size and population, the North Carolina county spends the same amount annually as Martin County for garbage disposal and collection. But it offers residents two options: curb-side pickup in metropolitan areas, and site-collection centers for rural communities.

Haywood Phthisic, Johnston County Utility director, said that residents in Johnston County who use the site-collection centers pay an annual fee of \$55. — *The Mountain Citizen*

Magoffin teen center becoming reality

If all goes as planned, the youth of Magoffin County will soon have a place to call their very own.

The Magoffin County Teen coalition is hoping to put the finishing touches on, and open the doors of a Magoffin County Teen Center by November 1.

The center, which will be located in the former Salyersville Wholesale building, is designed to give teenagers a safe, clean environment in which to associate and enjoy the company of their peers.

The teen center, when completed, will include a snack bar, pool tables, air hockey, and various video games. Most of the games, including four pool tables, have been provided by Howdy Entertainment, which is owned by Barry Owens, a Royalton resident.

Owens has donated \$15,000 in equipment to the center, which will charge a quarter per game to cover some of the operating expenses. — *The Salyersville Independent*



MCHS takes steps to assure student safety

With a growing concern over school violence, Magoffin County High School is taking steps to provide a more secure campus for students and employees. Shootings of students by students in Kentucky, Georgia and Colorado have sparked a national debate over school safety.

In response, local school officials have made efforts to try to prevent similar incidents in Magoffin County. At Magoffin County High School, principal William Helton and the school's site-based decision making council have taken extra security measures.

Helton and the council implemented changes in the dress code and discipline process, convinced the school board to approve another security guard position for the MCHS campus, and is in the process of installing an inside monitoring system. — *The Salyersville Independent*

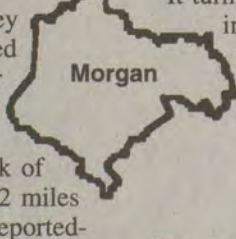
Two Elkfork men die in log road accident

Two Straight Creek residents were killed early Friday morning, September 10, when their four-wheel-drive vehicle overturned on a logging road near their home.

Fairley Smith, 47, the driver, and Rodney O'Neal, 40, both of Elkfork, were pronounced dead at the scene by Morgan County Coroner Marjling Potter, who estimated the time of death at around 1 a.m.

The accident occurred on the left hand fork of Big Mandy Branch of Straight Creek about 12 miles northeast of West Liberty near where the men reportedly had gone the night before to coon hunt.

The bodies were found around 9 a.m. by Smith's son, Dean, and O'Neal's brother, Johnny, who had gone to look for them after they failed to return to their homes. — *The Licking Valley Courier*



To lure plant to Rowan, counties forego \$1 million in taxes

When the coal counties of Morgan, Menifee, and later Carter voted to pool their coal severance tax monies to fund development of a 500-acre regional

industrial park in a non-coal county, Rowan, they were promised, in return, a share of all tax revenues generated by the project. That share included property taxes paid by companies that located there along with all occupational taxes collected by Rowan County from employees of those firms.

It turns out, though, the counties will not be sharing the estimated \$1 million in occupational taxes that will be generated over the next 10 years by the park's first tenant. — *The Licking Valley Courier*

Postal officials set to meet with citizens

Postal officials were scheduled to meet Thursday in Lexington to try to decide on whether to grant a request by a group of Morgan County postal patrons to route their mail through the West Liberty Post Office rather than the Hazel Green Post Office.

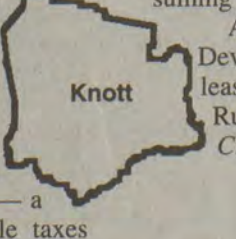
Several Morgan County residents who have Route 2 Hazel Green addresses had petitioned to have their addresses changed to reflect their Morgan County residency.

Postal officials have agreed to set up a meeting with the citizens following the meeting in Lexington. — *The Licking Valley Courier*

School board refuses to raise tax rate

Members of the Knott County Board of Education rejected the recommendation of their financial officer and voted to keep property taxes at last year's rate, 43¢2 cents per \$100.

Discussion of the tax rate was brief, Financial Officer Roger Martin presented the board with their options as outlined by state. There are four possibilities, Martin said, explaining that he had calculated the school budget for 2000-2001 on the lowest increase — a property tax rate of 45.1 cents, with vehicle taxes remaining at last year's 47.0 rate and utility taxes also unchanged at three percent. — *Troublesome Creek Times*



Residents bring water needs to Hindman City Council

Citizens from the Route 160 area, Ball Branch and Bear Fork, appeared before Hindman City Council during the council's regularly scheduled meeting on

Inmates escape from Perry County Jail

Four inmates escaped from the Perry County Jail on Sunday, September 12, and two were still at large Tuesday night. Officials at the jail said that William Felner, 25, and Randall Couch, 19, were thought to be still in the Perry County area. Both men were being held on burglary charges. The escape occurred after the four inmates overpowered guards at the jail, which was over capacity by 25 inmates at the time. — *Troublesome Creek Times*

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96 TOYOTA CAMRY	13200	9980	3220	
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97 HONDA CIVIC DX	SAVE	10980	SAVE	
98 MAZDA 626 LX...26,000 Miles	14300	11980	2320	
98 MITSUBISHI ECLIPSE	SAVE	13980	SAVE	
96 TOYOTA AVALON...Moonroof, Leather	SAVE	15980	SAVE	
COMPACTS				
96 GEO METRO...29,000 Miles	4700	3980	720	
94 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM	5350	4980	370	
96 FORD ASPIRE...Auto, Air	SAVE	4980	SAVE	
95 FORD ESCORT WAGON	6025	4980	1045	
94 CHEV. CAVALIER	SAVE	4980	SAVE	
95 GEO PRISM	SAVE	5980	SAVE	
97 FORD ASPIRE...Auto, Air	SAVE	5980	SAVE	
96 CHEVROLET CORSICA	SAVE	5980	SAVE	
96 GEO PRISM...35,000 Miles	SAVE	6980	SAVE	
96 PONTIAC SUNFIRE SE	SAVE	6980	SAVE	
97 MERCURY TRACER	9175	6980	2195	
97 FORD ESCORT LX WAGON	14300	6980	1420	
97 CHEVROLET CAVALIER	9050	6980	2070	
99 GEO METRO...16,000 Miles	SAVE	7980	SAVE	
98 FORD ESCORT ZX2	10675	7980	2695	
99 FORD ESCORT	10375	8980	1395	
98 CHEV. CAVALIER...17,000 Miles	SAVE	9980	SAVE	
96 PONTIAC SUNFIRE CONVERTIBLE	12500	10980	1520	
White, 28K, Leather				
GM SPECIAL PURCHASES				
99 OLDS ALERO	15000	12980	2020	
99 CHEV. MONTE CARLO...18,000 Miles	15700	13980	1720	
99 CHEV. MALIBU	15200	12980	2220	
96 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME	10300	8980	1320	
97 PONT. GRAND AM GT...V6, Moonroof, 26K	12250	10980	1270	
98 CHEVROLET MONTE CARLO LS	15025	11980	3045	
98 CHEV. LUMINA	15900	12980	2920	
98 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM	15300	12980	2320	
99 PONT. GRAND AM SE	SAVE	13980	SAVE	
95 OLDS 98 REGENCY	17050	13980	3070	
98 OLDS INTRIGUE GL	18500	13980	4520	
99 OLDS INTRIGUE	15980	16980	1000	
99 BUICK REGAL LS	19775	16980	2795	
LUXURIES				
95 OLDS 98 REGENCY	14050	9980	4070	
97 CADILLAC CATERA	22500	16980	5520	
96 LIN. TOWN CAR SIGNATURE SERIES	21075	16980	4095	
96 CADILLAC DEVILLE	21950	16980	4070	
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94 FORD PROBE	SAVE	5980	SAVE	
95 SATURN SWI WAGON	6025	5980	1045	
96 BUICK SKYLARK	SAVE	5980	SAVE	
96 DODGE INTREPID	10200	7980	2220	
96 DODGE AVENGER	10600	7980	2620	
96 FORD TAURUS GL	SAVE	7980	SAVE	
96 FORD TAURUS GL	SAVE	7980	SAVE	
95 FORD T-BIRD LX	9475	7980	1495	
TRUCKS				
94 NISSAN HARDBODY	5825	4980	1845	
91 DODGE DAKOTA 4X4...V6, Auto, Air	SAVE	7980	SAVE	
97 MAZDA B3000 X-CAB	12350	7980	4370	
97 DODGE CARAVAN	10675	10980	1500	
96 MAZDA B3000 X-CAB	12000	9980	2020	
97 NISSAN HARDBODY KING CAB 4X4...25K	16150	12980	3170	
97 FORD F150 XLT FLAIRSIDE...25K	16250	14980	1270	
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97 FORD F150 XLT EXTENDED...3-Door, 32K	18550	15980	2570	
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Ardent supporters of Morehead State University's students will converge on the campus in a couple of weeks.

The 1999 Family Weekend will be Friday through Sunday, September 24-26, with events spread throughout the weekend. The activities are open to family members and friends of students.

On Friday evening, ventriloquist Dan Horn will perform in Duncan Recital Hall. The 8 p.m. show is sponsored by the Student Government Association which will take donations at the door.

All proceeds from the show will benefit the Student Emergency Loan Fund. The fund, sponsored by SGA and the MSU Family Association, provides students with interest-free loans up to \$20. All parents of MSU students are members of the Family Association.

The Family Association will hold its annual meeting at 4:30 p.m., on Saturday, in the Len Miller Room of the Academic-

Athletic Center.

The volleyball team will have two games during Family Weekend: Friday at 7 p.m., and Saturday at 1 p.m. The Eagles will take on University of Tennessee-Martin on Friday, and Murray State University on Saturday, both in Wetherby Gymnasium.

Golfers can go to SunnyBrook, MSU's public golf course, on U.S. 60 East, at 9 a.m., Saturday for a nine-hole, best-ball tournament with a shotgun start. Participants must pre-register for the activity which is limited to 72 players. The tournament is open to students if they are accompanied by their parents or family members.

At noon Saturday, the Women's Soccer Team will take on Eastern Illinois University at the Mahaney Recreational Complex on U.S. 60 East. There is no charge for attending.

Later in the day, there will be an opportunity to get into the football spirit with a pregame tailgate party at the Academic-Athletic Center. The activity will run from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. In case of rain, the party will be moved to the East Lobby of the AAC.

The football game will begin at 7 p.m. in Jayne Stadium. The

Eagles will play the University of Dayton, which MSU beat last year in Dayton. Students may obtain tickets for guests at a reduced rate when purchased by noon on Friday, September 25.

There will be three chances to win prizes at the football game. When parents register for the weekend, their son or daughter will be given an opportunity to win one of four \$250 scholarships to be used during the spring semester. The winners of the scholarships must be present at the football game to claim their award.


Students also may register to win a \$250 scholarship for the spring semester at the University Bookstore. The store will be open until 7 p.m. Friday, and from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Further, when parents visit their son's or daughter's residence hall, they will complete a special registration card. The residence hall with the highest percentage of family members registered will win a cash award from the Residence Hall Association.

For more information about Family Weekend, contact Susette Redwine, university center and events program coordinator, at 606/783-2071.

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Kentucky Appalachian Commission to convene

Gov. Paul E. Patton will lead a session of the Kentucky Appalachian Commission on Wednesday, September 29, at Pine Mountain State Resort Park in Bell County near Pineville.

The session will begin at 9:30 a.m. The meeting will be in the convention facility of the Herndon Evans Lodge at the park. The session is open to the public.

The Kentucky Appalachian Commission is a unit of the Governor's Office and deals with

Appalachian policy and strategic development. The commission provides a single point in Patton's administration that focuses on Appalachian issues and responses to them. Patton chairs the Commission.

Several members of the Governor's Executive Cabinet serve on the commission along with elected officials, citizen representatives and others from the 49-county Appalachian Kentucky region.

Obits

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September 14, under the direction of the Frazier Funeral Home.

Patrick Henry Johnson, 66, of Hardinsburg, Indiana, formerly of Knott County, died Saturday, September 11. He is survived by his wife, Margaret Ann Johnson. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, September 14, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Magoffin County

Bertie Owens, 70, of Monticello, Indiana, died Saturday, August 21. She is survived by her husband, Beecher Owens. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, August 24, under the direction of the Voorhis-Draper Funeral Home.

Leonard Hopkins, 83, of Salyersville, died Monday, August 23. He is survived by his wife, Brenda Arnett Hopkins. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, August 26, under the direction of the Salyersville Funeral Home.

Elizabeth Caudill Howes, 89, of Salyersville, died Sunday, September 5. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 8, under the direction of the Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Arbie Bailey, 71, of Salyersville, died Wednesday, September 1. He is survived by his wife, Dessie Mullins Bailey. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 4, under the direction of the Stuart & Halsey Funeral Home.

Perry County

Charles Bailey died Friday, September 10. He is survived by his wife, Ruth Bailey.

Carlos Begley, 63, of Scuddy, died Thursday, September 9. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 11, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

Green Browning, 85, of Hazard, formerly of Wooton, died Sunday, September 12. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 15, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

Dunie Noble Combs, 69, of Bonnyman, died Friday, September 10. Funeral services were conducted under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Franklin David Wayne Cornett,

42, of Hazard, died Sunday, September 5. Funeral services were conducted Friday, September 10, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Carl Couch, 76, of Yerkes, died Sunday, September 5. He is survived by his wife, Oma Jean Couch. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 9, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Launa Couch, 59, of Nancy, died Tuesday, September 7. She is survived by her husband, Walter Couch. Funeral services were conducted Friday, September 10, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Helen Cole Eblen, died Tuesday, August 31. For a few years, she was a member of the Business and Professional Women's Club and served as President. Her late husband, Mervin Ellen, was mayor of Hazard twice.

Sophia Jane Estep, 87, of London, died Wednesday, September 8. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 11, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Arbus Carroll Gomia, 80, of Ohio, formerly of Barwick, died Thursday, September 2. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 8, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

Angela Ray Johnson, 32, of Hazard, died Monday, September 6. She is survived by her husband, Bill Johnson. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 9, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

Calvin M. Miller, 37, died Monday, September 6. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 9, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Verna Dean Moore, 78, of Hazard, died Wednesday, September 8. Funeral services were conducted Friday, September 10, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Lillian M. Olinger, 82, of Hazard, died Sunday, September 12. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 15, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

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Preview...

Keeping game close priority for South Floyd against Pikeville

by Ed Taylor
 Sports Editor

The biggest game of the season will be happening for the South Floyd Raiders' football team this Friday night when the Pikeville Panthers roll into Brackett Field for district football competition that could very well determine who will be at the top of the standings when the season ends.

However, South Floyd coach Donnie Daniels knows his team has it's work cut out for them and the Panthers will not be taken lightly.

"They are a big team with good athletes at skill positions," said the Raider coach. "They have as much speed this year as they have had in the past."

Coach Daniels compared this year's team to the early '90s teams that made it to the state finals.

"They also have done well in the transition of coaches," said Daniels. "Coach (Chris) McNamee had done a good job in keeping the players focused after the coaching change."

The Panthers exchanged coaches when John Chapman resigned two games into the season and was replaced by McNamee.

The Panthers will have plenty of action in speedster Barrett Rogers, who will wear number 30. He will be an instant test for the Raiders' line. But there are more than just Rogers.

"Jeremy Akers and Chase Gibson are two quality receivers," said Coach Daniels. "It is hard to stop just one but, when you have two you have to contend with, it's worse. We have gone through a lot of preparation for them."

Matt Branham will quarterback the Panthers, and he is a concern for the South Floyd coach.

"He reminds me a lot of J.P. Blair, a great quarterback at Pikeville," said Daniels. "He may be better than J.P. He throws a tight spiral and that makes the ball easy to catch."

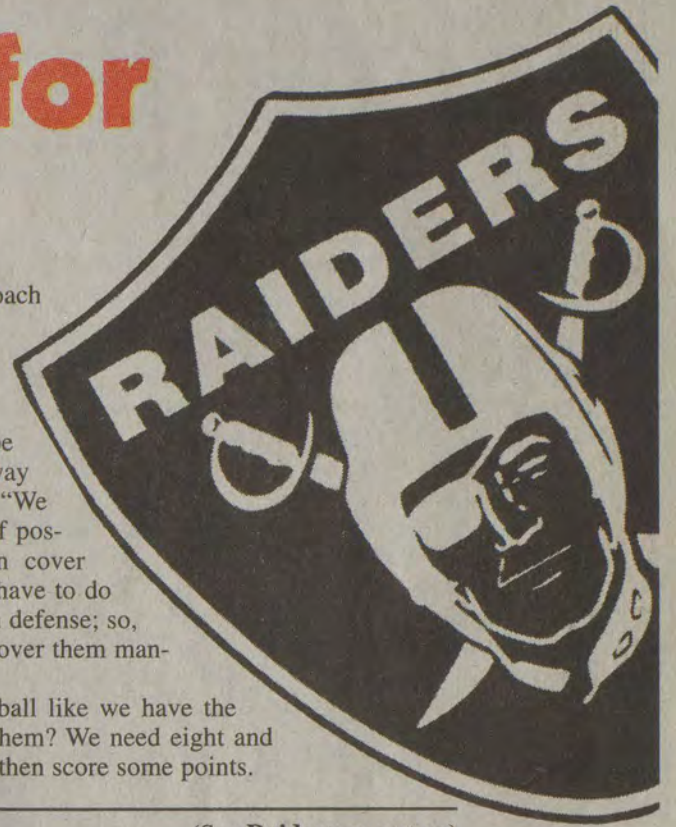
Daniels said the Panthers were solid on defense, and things they do could be a problem for them.

"But we feel we can play with them," he said. "We want to get to the fourth quarter and have the game still close. We feel if we can keep the game close, we have a chance."

The South Floyd coach said there would be some keys for his team against Pikeville.

"The first key will be in keeping the ball away from them," he said. "We have to be in control of possessions. Then we can cover them man-to-man. We have to do some things up front on defense; so, we need to be able to cover them man-to-man."

"Can we move the ball like we have the last two years against them? We need eight and nine minute drives and then score some points."



(See Raiders, page two)



South Floyd Middle School runner Joe Bakay (Left) chewed up some real estate against the Allen Eagles last Tuesday night at Allen. Chris Crider (Above) scored on a 63 yard run (photo by Ed Taylor)

Bakay shakes and bakes in win over Allen

South Floyd improves to 3-1 in win over Eagles

by Ed Taylor
 Sports Editor

It was homecoming night for the Allen Eagles this past Tuesday night but the real highlight was on the gridiron where Joey Bakay used moves that you never dreamed a grade schooler had, in rushing for 188 yards on 26 carries in leading the South Floyd Middle School Raiders to a 19-6 win over a very good Allen Eagle team.

Hope Sanders, the daughter of Mark and Shelia Sanders of Prestonsburg, was crowned the 1999 Homecoming Queen. Nicholas Jamerson was named Mr. Eagle. Jamerson is the son of Traci and Dewey Jamerson of Banner.

Before a huge crowd, that makes one think the real football stadium needs to be built at Allen, the Eagles just could not handle the size inside and quickness outside of the Raiders.

Fans were treated to a top grade school game with both teams scoring in the first half, leaving the game tied at 6-6 at the half.

Bakay is just another of the long line of good running backs that

(See South Floyd, page three)

A Look At Sports Nation sports eye will be on The Swamp in Florida

The Kentucky Wildcats are a seven-point underdog as they visit Indiana this Saturday as college football enters the third week.

However, all football eyes will be on The Swamp in Florida where number two, Tennessee, meets number four, Florida, at Gainesville in what promises to be one of the best games in the nation.

As always, all the pregame hype has become a war of words between the two schools as they try to be the intimidator instead of the intimidated.

Florida thinks they are a better team this year than Tennessee but the Vols don't think the young Gator line will be able to hold up against the Vols

running game.

The Vols win over the Gators last year was the first time in six years they had been able to accomplish the feat. You can bet Florida is remembering that one.

After the Cats meet the Hoosiers this Saturday, the game will be televised over ESPN, the Florida Gators arrive in Lexington the following Saturday and with the Arkansas Razorbacks next in line.

The next three weeks for Hal Mumme's squad is



(See Sports, page two)

Penalties hurt Betsy Layne in loss to Adams Middle School

by Karen Joseph
 Sports Writer

It was a see-saw battle between Betsy Layne and Adams Middle School Tuesday night at Prestonsburg. The flags were really flying, penalty flags, that is.

Betsy Layne had 60 yards in penalties, while Adams had 25. Michael Morrison had two interceptions, and Jesse Chaffins had one for the Blackcats. Brandon Hurt had one fumble recovery

for the Blackcats. Brandon Jarrell and Joe Phillips both had fumble recoveries for the Bobcats.

Adam Meade, Brandon Hurt and Trevor Compton each scored a touchdown for the Blackcats, while Brandon Jarrell scored the only touchdown for the Bobcats.

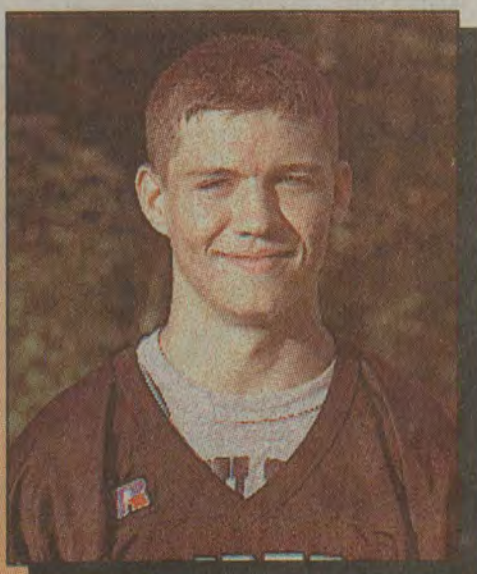
It was a hard-played ballgame, but it was not a pretty one. The game started off on a sour note for the Bobcats. Michael Morrison kicked the ball off to the Bobcats, and Joe Philips

caught the ball and ran it for a touchdown, only to have illegal motion on the Bobcats, and the ball was called back on the 15-yard line.

Penalties haunted the Bobcats all night. Tracy Frye connected on a pass in the first series of play for the Bobcats to have it also called back, due to illegal motion in the backfield. Betsy Layne punted the ball to Prestonsburg's Brandon Hurt.

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Sports

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not going to be an easy three. The Cats may win over South Carolina and Vanderbilt before the season ends.

One month from today (September 15) high school basketball teams can officially take to the hardwood for full practice. Coach Johnny Ray Turner and the Johnson Central Eagles will be one of the top three teams in the region. Coach Turner returns almost his entire team from last year. Tommy McKenzie will return and he is a dandy.

Coach Bill Mike Runyon's Paintsville Tigers will have to be a preseason favorite to win the region this year. But the Tigers will be just one of the top three teams. I have them penciled in as the number two regional team.

Number one? Try the Pikeville

Panthers, after Chase Gibson and Jeremy Akers get their basketball legs.

My top three regional teams: 1) Pikeville, 2) Paintsville, 3) Johnson Central.

I believe from four on down to the 10th team, it could be a number of teams.

Continuing down from four through 10, I like the Allen Central Rebels. I know! I know! They lost an awful lot from last year, but they still are going to be a dangerous team. Johnny Martin will have them running all over the court and could set a school record for three-point attempts.

Coach Henry Webb and the South Floyd Raiders will have to be included in the region's top five. Webb will return some tall timber plus more speed than even he will know what to do with.

From sixth to 10: Shelby Valley, Pike Central, Magoffin County and Sheldon Clark.

Girls basketball, preseason-wise, is going to be harder to pick this year in the region. It will be very balanced near the top five and, if honesty was the policy, then who knows who is the number one team.

On paper, I like the Shelby Valley Lady Wildcats. Summer Jones and company are going to be hard to handle. Prestonsburg, with Amelia Conley and her cast, has to be considered for the top spot.

Pike Central, lost a ton of talent, but they still have Ashley Melvin back.

Coach Cindy Halbert will

dress a good team at Belfry and don't overlook a good young Elkhorn City team from last year.

The team to watch out for? Right here in Floyd County — the Betsy Layne Lady Cats. This will be a loaded team.

Coach Phillip Wireman, what a team he will put on the floor this season. Talent, talent and more talent.

My top five: 1) Shelby Valley, 2) Johnson Central, 3) Pike Central, 4) Belfry, 5) Betsy Layne, or Prestonsburg.

Don't you just wish the season was closer?

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

Raiders

(Continued from page one)

South Floyd welcomed back two starters last week against Phelps. B.J. Bryant, one of the top regional runners, returned and scored three touchdowns and rushed for 138 yards in the Raiders' 42-0 win over the Hornets. Starting quarterback Charlie Williams came back on a limited basis but could be used more against Pikeville.

It has been the Raider defense

that has drawn the raves the past two games. South Floyd held Betsy Layne to negative yardage and then shut down the Hornets last week.

"We played good against Phelps," said Daniels, "but we have to get better on defense."

Game time is set for 7:30 p.m. The game will be carried on a delay basis on WPRG, Channel 5 as part of a doubleheader.



Allen quarterback Chris Crider (12) was brought down by two South Floyd defenders in grade school football Tuesday night. The Raiders pulled out a 19-6 win over the Eagles (photo by Ed Taylor)

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 PIKEVILLE @ SOUTH FLOYD
 EVARTS @ BETSY LAYNE
 ELKHORN CITY @ PAINTSVILLE
 KENTUCKY @ INDIANA
 WEST VIRGINIA @ MARYLAND
 TENNESSEE @ FLORIDA
 EAST CAROLINA @ SOUTH CAROLINA
 PITTSBURGH @ BALTIMORE
 NEW YORK JETS @ BUFFALO
 SAN DIEGO @ CINCINNATI
 SEATTLE @ CHICAGO

WEEK 3

Prestonsburg Ladycats kept winning streak alive in win over Sheldon Clark; Stephanie Adams scores a total of 13 points in victory

by Karen Joseph
Sports Writer

The Prestonsburg Ladycats had a perfect record in the volleyball season, 6-0 going into the game on Tuesday night against a very much improved Sheldon Clark team.

Prestonsburg narrowly escaped the Cardinals 16-14 in the first match, but the Blackcats woke up in the second match and won the match 15-4, making their record 7-0.

Stephanie Adams served the ball first for the Ladycats, and scored the first point. And on the next several serves, it was back

and forth between the teams with each team scoring a point then losing their serve. At the beginning of the second rotation, the score was 6-4 in favor of Prestonsburg. Then, on the second rotation both teams began to score. Stephanie Adams scored four consecutive points for the Blackcats and then Sheldon Clark scored three. Brooke Coleman scored three more points and Sheldon Clark answered with three more points, making the score 13-10 in favor of the Blackcats.

Angela Howell served for the Blackcats but failed to score, and Sheldon Clark scored four points giving them the lead for the first

time, 14-13. Then Prestonsburg's Amelia Conley scored three straight points, including the ace point giving the Blackcats the match.

Russell Shepherd must have given his team a very strong talk between the games, because in the second match the Blackcats played a much better game. Sheldon Clark got the first serve of the match but failed to score. And then Prestonsburg's Stephanie Adams scored for the Blackcats, Angela Howell scored two. Ashleigh Ousley scored one for the Ladycats and Chrissy Nelson scored three, making the score 7-2 at the end of the first

rotation. Sheldon Clark scored two points on the first serve of the second rotation. Then, it was all Prestonsburg's Stephanie Adams after that. Adams scored eight consecutive points clenching it for the Blackcats and giving them the match with a score of 15-4 and the game.

Prestonsburg improves their record to 7-0. The Blackcats were to host the Paintsville Tigers on

Wednesday.

In the junior varsity, it was Prestonsburg easily winning the first match, but the squad found it harder to score in the second match. In the first match, Lois Rogers scored five points, Erin Majakey scored four, Rachel Mitchell had three with Cheresh Shepherd, Heather Ousley and Courtney Harris each having one point. The score was 15-5.

In the second match, the Blackcats had a little tougher time with the Cardinals. The Cardinals served first but failed to score. Then it looked like the Blackcats would run away with the match with Cheresh Shepherd having a very successful serve. She scored the first 11 points. Sheldon Clark rallied back to score nine points to give the Blackcats a scare, but the Blackcats went on to win 15-12.

Allen Central captures tri-meet at Jenkins

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Coach Doug Derossett's Allen Central Rebels and Lady Rebs golf teams had a good outing at the Jenkins Country Club this week as the Rebels posted a win over host Jenkins and Fleming-Neon.

Jason Holbrook shot a 50 in leading the Rebels. Larry Mullins and Brett Patton each finished with a 51 while Henry Napier had

a 52 for the top four scorers for the Rebels.

Allen Central finished with a team score of 204 while Fleming-Neon shot a 209 with Jenkins finishing 210.

The Allen Central girls team placed second in the women's class with Mary Ann Mullins shooting a 41 in her first individual score. Others for the Lady Rebs were Jennifer Risner, Angie Boyd and Amanda Mills.

In an earlier match at the

Beaver Valley Gold Course, Prestonsburg edged the Rebels by two strokes, 153-155. Patton shot a two-over-par 36 for the Rebels. Jeremy Hayes finished three over at 37 and Jason Holbrook shot a 40. Chad Samons was eight over at 42.

Michael Stevens had an even-par 34 for Prestonsburg. Steven Chafin was four-over at 38. Tommy Layne (40) and Zach Stone (41) rounded out the top four finishers.

Paintsville hands Prestonsburg its first loss of the season; Traglio scores a total of 25 points for Paintsville

by Karen Joseph
Sports Writer

So far this season, the Ladycats of Prestonsburg have won every game. But on Wednesday night, when the Paintsville Tigers (11-3) and Lindsay Traglio came to the Prestonsburg field house, the Ladycats' winning streak came to an end. Paintsville gave the Blackcats the toughest game they had played all season. Both teams played a hard game, and it took the Tigers three matches to defeat the Blackcats.

The Blackcats won the first match 15-9, but the Tigers came back strong to win the next two matches, 16-14 and 15-5, to give the Tigers the game.

Stephanie Adams served first for the Blackcats and scored three points before losing the serve to the Tigers. Lindsay Traglio, who moved to Paintsville this year, served for the Tigers, and boy did she really serve. She scored nine consecutive points for the Tigers, stunning the Blackcats. The Blackcats regrouped and held the Tigers from scoring any more points in the match. Lauren Majakey scored five points before losing the serve, making the score 8-9 in favor of the Tigers.

The Tigers failed to score and then

Brooke Coleman scored four points for the Ladycats and Paintsville again failed to score. Then Angela Howell put the final touches on the match by scoring the last two points and giving the Blackcats the first match 15-9. Brooke Coleman and Amelia Conley both had spikes in the first match for the Blackcats and Brooke Coleman had a fantastic save.

In the second match, it took the Tigers an extra point to win. There were some really good volleys in this match with both teams playing well. Lindsay Traglio scored three points on the first serve for Paintsville. It took Prestonsburg four serves before they put the first point on the scoreboard. Angela Howell scored one point for the Blackcats. Amelia Conley then scored one point and Ashleigh Ousley scored five points in the first rotation. z

For Paintsville, Sam Combs and Saskia Cooley scored one point each and Lensae Vanhoose scored six points, making the score at the end of the rotation 12-7 in favor of the Tigers. Prestonsburg rallied back with Angela Howell scoring one point and Amelia Conley making an impressive run to garner seven straight points and tie the score at 14 at the end of the second rota-

tion.

It was Lindsay Traglio again for the Tigers. Traglio scored the final two points needed to clinch the match, 16-14.

In the third and deciding match, it was again the Lindsay Traglio show for Paintsville. Traglio scored 10 of the 15 points for the Tigers. Prestonsburg only scored five points in the deciding match. Chrissy Nelson scored three points for the Blackcats while Stephanie Adams and Angela Howell each scored one point. For the Tigers, Heather Daniels scored two points, with Lensae VanHoose, Sam Combs and Saskia Cooley scoring one point each. Making the final score for the match 15-5 and giving the Tigers the game.

The Blackcats will travel to Breathitt County on Monday night to take on the Breathitt County Bobcats.

In the junior varsity game, it was Prestonsburg winning two straight matches, giving them the game, 15-5 and 15-8. Erin Majakey scored a total of eight points in the game and Cheresh Shepherd had a total of seven points in the game. Courtney Harris had a total of six, Ashley Ousley scored four points while Rachel Mitchell scored three for the Blackcats.



Nowhere to go

South Floyd's Jordan Johnson (5) found little running room against the Allen Eagles last Tuesday night at Allen. The Middle School Raiders pulled out a 19-6 win over a good Allen team. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Penalties

(Continued from page one)

seems to develop at the Left Beaver school.

Chris Crider carried the ball six times for 77-yards rushing. Tristan Keathley had five carries for 10-yards. Jamerson was stopped by the Raider defense with only 2-yards on six tries. He had negative yardage on two of the attempts.

Crider completed one pass when he hit Porter with a 22-yard completion.

South Floyd totaled 241-yards on offense. They rushed for 220 while passing for 21. Landon Hall completed two passes and Brian Meade had both catches for 21-yards.

Allen rushed for 78 yards and had 22 passing for an even 100 yards on offense.

South Floyd had the only fumble in the game. The Raiders had three penalties for 25 yards. Allen was flagged twice for 10 yards in penalties.

On the Raiders first possession, Bakay carried the ball nine of the

11 plays in rushing for 52 yards on the first drive that took 11 plays for 56 yards.

Bakay scored on a 1-yard plunge with 2:02 left in the first quarter to give the Raiders a 6-0 advantage.

What took the Raiders 11 plays to accomplish, took Allen only one as they struck on a 64 yard scoring run by Chris Crider.

Crider, who was hit at the line of scrimmage, bounced off the tackle and found the opening, scampering up field.

Allen's defense woke up on the Raiders second possession in the first quarter and early in the second period stopping a drive that took the Raiders into Eagle territory.

After the Eagles had good field position on the first possession of the third quarter, the Raiders defense stopped the running game of Jamerson and Keathley taking control of the football with 5:52 to play in the period.

On a first down play from the

South Floyd 37, Bakay burst up the middle was good for a 63 yard touchdown run.

The conversion pass was good to Meade and the Raiders were in front 13-6 with 2:42 to play.

After a three downs and out possession by Allen, the Raiders ran the clock out in the third and most of the fourth as they marched from their own 36 yard line to score with 2:42 left in the game.

Meade scored the touchdown on a great catch when he hauled in Hall's pass between two Allen defenders, a play that covered 18 yards.

Allen moved into Raider territory on the last possession of the contest. Crider hit Porter with a nice 22 yard completion but he was hauled down at the South Floyd 35 yard line.

South Floyd will host Allen Central Tuesday evening at Brackett Field. Allen travels to Betsy Layne.



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1999 POINTS STANDINGS

WINSTON CUP	BUSCH	TRUCK
1. Dale Jarrett, 3,858	Dale Earnhardt Jr., 3,759	Greg Biffle, 3,232
2. Mark Martin, 3,588	Matt Kenseth, 3,656	Jack Sprague, 3,107
3. Bobby Labonte, 3,548	Jeff Green, 3,444	Dennis Setzer, 3,086
4. Tony Stewart, 3,508	Todd Bodine, 3,279	Stacy Compton, 3,047
5. Jeff Burton, 3,416	Elton Sawyer, 3,172	Mike Wallace, 2,981
6. Jeff Gordon, 3,399	Jeff Purvis, 3,109	Jay Sauter, 2,884
7. Dale Earnhardt, 3,291	Jason Keller, 3,031	Andy Houston, 2,884
8. Rusty Wallace, 3,003	Dave Blaney, 2,872	Ron Hornaday, 2,859
9. Terry Labonte, 2,891	Randy LaJoie, 2,797	Mike Bliss, 2,836
10. Mike Skinner, 2,850	Mike McLaughlin, 2,691	Jimmy Hensley, 2,691

TOP TEN

Weekly rankings by NASCAR This Week writer Monte Dutton. Last week's ranking is in parentheses.

- (2) Dale Jarrett Back on track
- (1) Jeff Burton Loudon may be his best track
- (5) Bobby Labonte Gave Coach Gibbs a sweep
- (6) Tony Stewart Now he's done it all
- (3) Mark Martin Lost sight of Jarrett
- (4) Jeff Gordon No title this year
- (8) Dale Earnhardt Fine second half
- (9) Rusty Wallace One win is not enough
- (-) Sterling Marlin Fourth on a short track!
- (-) Mike Skinner Second pole

FROM LAST WEEK

WINSTON CUP SERIES

Tony Stewart became the first rookie to win a Winston Cup race in 12 years with a positively dominant performance at Richmond's Exide 400. The 28-year-old from Columbus, Ind., led 333 out of 400 laps, including the final 144. He became the first rookie to score on a short track since Morgan Shepherd won at Martinsville in 1981.

BUSCH GRAND NATIONAL

In perhaps his finest performance, Dale Earnhardt Jr.

outdueled Winston Cup regulars Mark Martin and Jimmy Spencer to win for the sixth time this season and push his point lead over Matt Kenseth back to over 100. He successfully defended his 1998 victory in Richmond's Autolite 250.

CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES

Who's the biggest winner in NASCAR? At least among the three top touring series, it's Ford driver Greg Biffle, who won for the eighth time at Richmond in the Virginia Is For Lovers 200.

1999 WINSTON CUP SCHEDULE

Sept. 19	New Hampshire International Speedway	Loudon, N.H.
Sept. 26	Dover Downs International Speedway	Dover, Del.
Oct. 3	Martinsville Speedway	Martinsville, Va.
Oct. 10	Charlotte Motor Speedway	Concord, N.C.
Oct. 17	Talladega Superspeedway	Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 24	North Carolina Speedway	Rockingham, N.C.
Nov. 7	Phoenix International Raceway	Avondale, Ariz.
Nov. 14	Miami-Dade Homestead Motorsports Complex	Homestead, Fla.
Nov. 21	Atlanta Motor Speedway	Hampton, Ga.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

Jeff Burton vs. Ward Burton

During Busch Grand National practice at Richmond, the two brothers collided. Afterward, Ward accosted Jeff while the younger brother was still in his car, and the two had a rather long, and apparently loud, man-to-man session behind closed doors.

NASCAR This Week's Monte Dutton gives his opinion:

"As anyone who grew up in a large family knows, brothers do not always get along. Ward and Jeff have clashed before, on the weekly short tracks, in the Busch Series and in Winston Cup. But the fact that they are brothers will probably prevent this little feud from lasting long or from having any on-track consequences."

WINSTON CUP SERIES

Coming up: New Hampshire 300
Where: New Hampshire International Speedway, Loudon, N.H. (1.058-mile track), 300 laps/

317.4 miles

When: Sunday, Sept. 19

Defending champion: Jeff Gordon

Event qualifying record: Ken Schrader, Chevrolet,

129.182 mph, Sept. 12, 1997

Race record: Jeff

Gordon, Chevrolet, 112.078 mph, Aug. 30, 1998

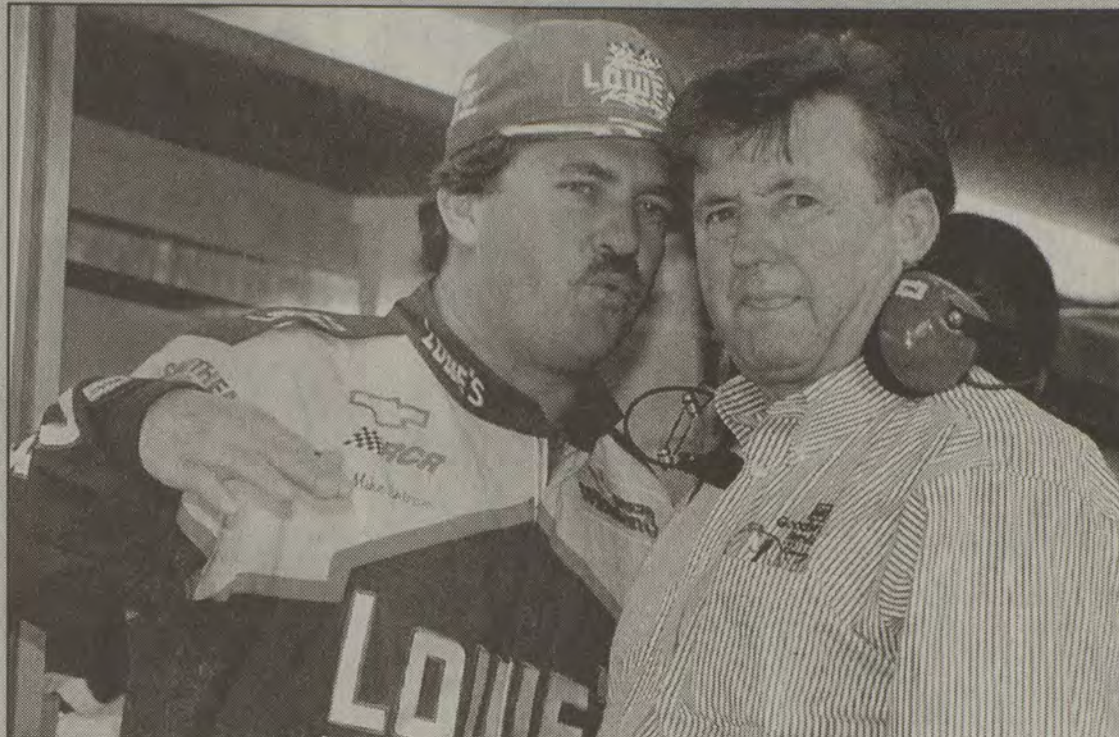
Notable: Gordon has

won both the races since New Hampshire got a second date in 1997.

Only Gordon, with three wins, and Jeff Burton, with two, have won more than once here.

PROFILE

Mike Skinner



John Clark/NASCAR This Week

Mike Skinner, left, and car owner Richard Childress are looking for their first win together.

By Monte Dutton
NASCAR This Week

Mike Skinner was Winston Cup rookie of the year in 1997. He has won four poles. He has won exhibition races. But still he awaits his first honest-to-gosh, points-awarding victory.

Richard Childress made Skinner his choice to go truck racing when NASCAR began a series for pickups in 1995, and over the next two years Skinner won 16 races and a championship.

When Childress decided that Dale Earnhardt needed a Winston Cup teammate, Skinner was the obvious choice.

AGE: 42

HOMETOWN: Born in Ontario, Calif., raised in Susanville, Calif., lives in Sophia, N.C.

MARITAL STATUS: Divorced

CHILDREN: Jamie (21), Dustin (14)

CAR: No. 31 Lowe's Chevrolet Monte Carlo, owned by Richard Childress

RECORD: 101 starts, 4 poles, 0 wins, 8 top-5 finishes, 22 top-10s, more than \$4 million in career earnings

FIRSTS: Start (April 27, 1986, at Martinsville), pole (Feb. 9, 1997, at Daytona), win (none)

YOU WON THE POLE AT RICHMOND. HOW

DOES IT FEEL WHEN YOU KNOW YOU HAVE A FAST CAR AND YOU'RE WAITING IN LINE TO QUALIFY? "The wait is always tough. You never know who's going to pull out a good lap. ... I really didn't care what anybody else ran. I was going to run the best lap I could run anyway. I do that every week and then just let the cards fall where they may."

IS IT FRUSTRATING NOT TO HAVE GOTTEN THAT FIRST VICTORY? "We've had some great runs. It's terrible to run so good and finish so bad. Hopefully we can change our momentum a little bit. ... Last year we were a real good second-half team. We just haven't proven that so far yet. We'd like to do that and get back in the top 10 in the points and finish and help Chevrolet with the (manufacturer) points championship. We want to put Chevrolet in the victory lane. I need to help them. They've helped me a lot, and I need to contribute a little back."

YOU'VE LED A LOT OF LAPS AT RICHMOND. COULD THIS BE THE PLACE FOR YOUR FIRST VICTORY? "Next year when this race is sponsored by Chevrolet, being a Chevrolet driver, it'd be pretty awesome to win the first Chevrolet Monte Carlo 400 here. I've won a couple of Chevy races in the Craftsman Truck Series. I'd like to step it on up and win one over here."

Who's Hot... Who's Not

HOT: Tony Stewart moved up to fourth in the standings with eight top-10s in his last nine races.

NOT: Richmond problems caused Jeff Gordon and Mark Martin to take big hits in the season standings.

Trackside Trivia

- Who was the Canadian rookie who won a race at Martinsville in 1974?
- What is the maximum number of points a driver can earn for winning a Winston Cup race?

ANSWERS
1. Earl Ross; 2. 185 (175 for winning, 5 for leading and 5 for leading the most laps).

AROUND THE GARAGE

Rudd signs on to drive No. 28 for Yates

By Monte Dutton
NASCAR This Week

RICHMOND, Va. — Ricky Rudd has come to terms on a three-year deal with Robert Yates to drive the No. 28 Texaco-Havoline Taurus next year.

Rudd originally planned to hold a press conference at Richmond International Raceway, but the announcement was rescheduled for Sept. 13 at Lowe's Motor Speedway in Concord, N.C.

Yates also will buy Rudd's racing shop in Mooresville, N.C. But it could be that Rudd will

follow in the footsteps of Dale Earnhardt and drive for one team while owning another.

Rudd still is seeking a sponsor that would keep his own No. 10 Ford on the circuit. Rudd may now put a young driver in that car, while he moves into Yates' No. 28.

THIS JUST IN: A new name has risen to the forefront in the Cal Wells driver search: Bobby Hamilton.

Hamilton, winner of three Winston Cup races, is suffering

through a woeful season driving Larry McClure's No. 4 Chevrolet. This year he has only one top-five finish and is 15th in the point standings.

ALL GONE: Bristol Motor Speedway put Winston Cup tickets on sale Tuesday for its new Kulwicki Tower and Kulwicki Terrace Grandstands, and all 12,738 tickets were sold by noon for both of next year's races.

Construction on the addition began after the Aug. 28 Goody's 500.

Speedway Motorsports chairman Bruton Smith called satisfying demand for Bristol tickets "our company's greatest challenge."

FELIX AND KENNY: That Kenny Irwin will drive Felix Sabates' No. 42 Chevrolet next year is common knowledge in the garage area, but apparently Sabates and/or sponsor BellSouth are insisting on holding up the official announcement for at least another month.

Your Turn

Letters From Our Readers

Dear NASCAR This Week,

At the Busch race at Michigan Speedway, there were 19 Winston Cup drivers who made the field. I think if the Winston Cup drivers want to run in the Busch race, that is OK. But they knock a lot of young drivers out who need to race for experience, and they also mess up the points system for the Busch regulars.

If the Winston Cup guys run the Busch race, they should be disqualified from the next scheduled Winston Cup race. That would let them decide if they want to run Busch or Winston Cup.

James Rash
Shawneetown, Ill.

Thanks for your remarks.

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Dear NASCAR This Week,

I'd like to know what happened to Dan Marino's No. 13. And how long did his car race?

Jerry Kelly
Floral City, Fla.

Marino, a spokesman for sponsor FirstPlus Financial, bowed out of the sport when the sponsor did. The car competed in the Winston Cup Series for one year.

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Dear NASCAR This Week,

Shame on Robert Yates Racing. For what it is worth, my husband and I are going to stand behind Kenny (Irwin). We only hope some other car owner will use the opportunity to get Kenny on his team.

Mr. & Mrs. Hal Millikan
Anderson, Ind.

We are sure Kenny appreciates your feelings. He will almost surely be driving in another Winston Cup car next year, most likely for Felix Sabates.

Fan Tips

Dale Earnhardt Inc. recently opened its 8,700-square-foot showroom and retail store. Exhibits include memorabilia from the NASCAR careers of Earnhardt, Dale Earnhardt Jr., Steve Park and Ron Hornaday. The facility is located near Mooresville, N.C., on Coddle Creek Road (Hwy. 136). For more info, call 1-877-334-9663.

FROM THE ARCHIVES

Only Richard Petty won more than once on the now-forgotten two-mile oval in Bryan, Texas. Texas World Speedway, configured identically to Michigan Speedway, hosted Cup races from 1969 through 1981, and Petty won there three times.

CREW OF THE WEEK

Every time reporters ask Tony Stewart about his phenomenal rookie season, he responds by saying that the performance of his "rookie crew" is the most important ingredient in his success. Greg Zipadelli and the Home Depot crew proved him right at Richmond, getting Stewart out of the pits first after his final stop.

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

Auxier United Methodist Church, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 6:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! Pastor, Bob Castle, Asst. Frank Buskirk.

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

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

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

Christ United Methodist, Allen, Ky.; Sunday School, 9:45; Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth Lemaster. WPRG 8 p.m. Sundays.

New Covenant Pentecostal Church, Rt., 1428 Old Rt. 23 between Prestonsburg and Allen. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Don Ash and Danny Clay.

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

Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner, Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 7:00; Tuesday Bible Study, 6:30; Everyone Welcome.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

BUFFALO
Endicott Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. and the first Saturday each month at 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, B.J. Crider.

CORN FORK
Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Corn Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday

worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Roger Music.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Garrett Community Christian Church, Route 550, Garrett, Ky.; Service Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. Come and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Donnie Hackworth.

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

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

GRETHEL
Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone

587-2043; Junior Church and Morning worship at 11:00; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth meeting Wednesday night 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting and bible study at 6:30.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness Church, North Main Street, Martin; services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday

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

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

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

First Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday service, 6:00; Pastor: George Greydon Howard.

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

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

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

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

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

MAYTOWN
Maytown First Baptist Church, Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor.

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

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

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

PRINTER
Old Time Baptist Church, Printer; Sunday morning Sunday School, adults 9:30 a.m.; Sunday Morning Church service at 11:00 a.m.; Children's Church also

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First Christian Church, 560 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg. No

Wednesday evening or Sunday evening services at present. Bible study, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Minister, Kevin G. Jett.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Sealed bids may be mailed or hand-delivered to Mrs. Jerri Turner, Principal, at McDowell Elementary School, located at PO Box 282, Route 680, McDowell, Kentucky 41647. Bids will be opened September 27, 1999, at 10:00 a.m., in the principal's office. The Floyd County Board of Education has the right to reject any and all bids.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606-886-2330) intends to apply for Phase II and III Bond Releases on Permit No. 836-0156 which was last issued on August 10, 1989. The permit covers a surface area of approximately 321.30 acres, and underlies an additional area of approximately 223.34 acres. The operation is located approximately 0.5 miles south of Pay in Floyd County.

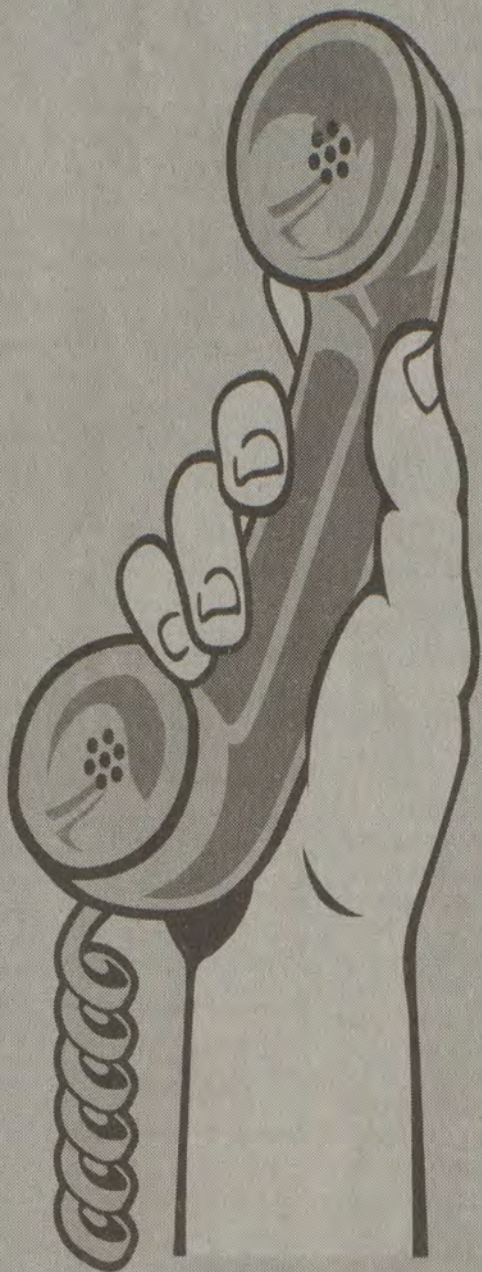
The permit area is approximately 3.0 miles south of CR 5197 and KY 2030 junction. The latitude is 37° 28' 07" and the longitude is 82° 40' 59", and is located on the Harold and McDowell 7 1/2 minute USGS quadrangle maps. The performance bond (Surety) currently in effect for the operation is \$33,600.00. 100% of the original surety bond of \$301,300.00 is included in this request for release. Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling and grading, sampling and testing, liming, fertilizing, seeding, and mulching, and was completed in March 1990. Results thus far achieved include: establishment of vegetation and the post mining land use in accordance with the approved post mining land use plan.

Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, Frankfort, KY 40601 by October 18, 1999.

A hearing date for this bond release request has been set for October 19, 1999, at 9:00 a.m., at the Department for Surface Mining and Enforcement's Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by October 18, 1999.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a hearing must be received by the Director, Division of Field Services by October 18, 1999.

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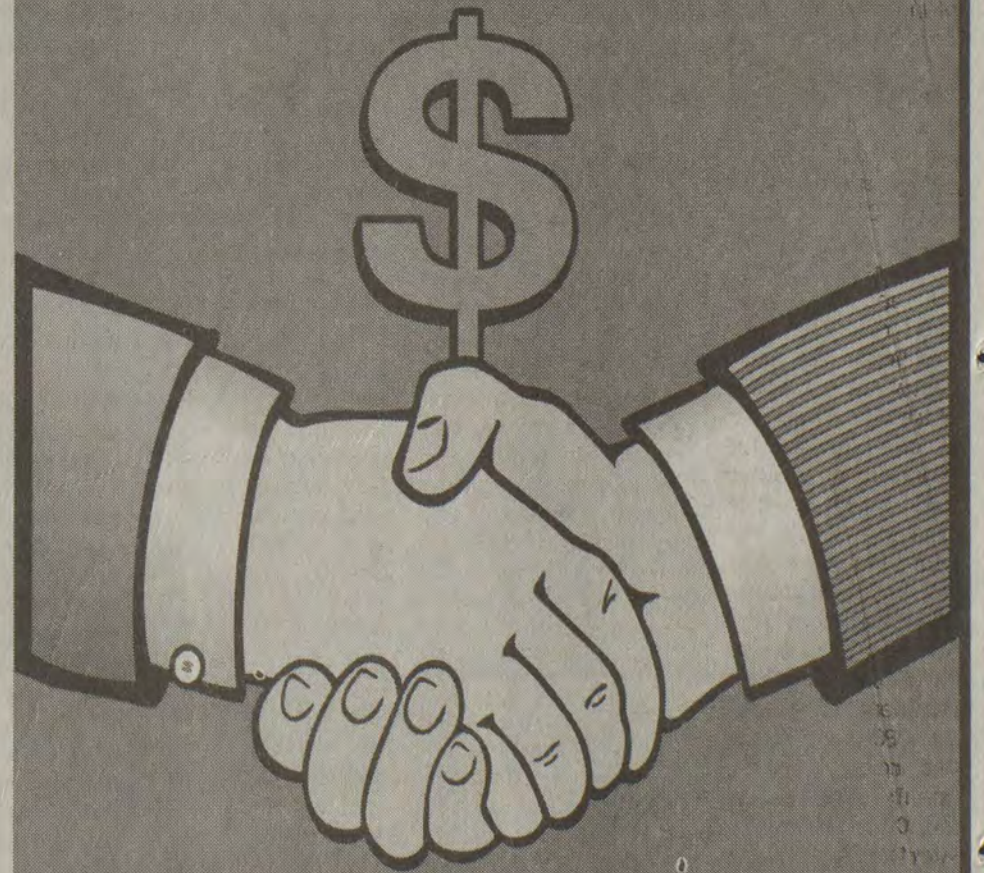
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5266, Operator Change

In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Richardson Fuel, Inc.; 16232 US Route 23; Catlettsburg, KY 41129, intends to revise permit number 836-5266 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Sure Coal, Inc.; 37 White Rock; Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The new operator will be Tristan Coal Company, Inc.; Rt. 550, 419 Bear Fork Road; P.O. Box 72; Mousie, Kentucky 41839.

The operation is located 1.0 miles North of Banner in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.5 miles northeast of Old Daniels Creek Road junction with US 23/460 and located 300 feet North of Daniels Creek. The operation is located on the Harold and Lancer U.S.G.S. minute quadrangle map at Latitude 37° 36' 42" and Longitude 82° 41' 59".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office; 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6; Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or request for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits; #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, US 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has been made by Ellis Brown of 214 N. Front St., Langley, KY 41645, the name of the proposed business of entertainment is N. Front Street Langley, KY. The nature of the business will be Pool Tables.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in operation of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permits shall file with the County Clerk no later than October 21, 1999, in writing, allegations that show cause as to why the application shall not be granted. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said person providing the information.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled for October 21, 1999, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as same can be heard before the Floyd County

Judge/Executive at the Floyd County Justice Center, 2nd Floor in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge/Executive shall hear evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit.

HON. KEITH BARTLEY
FLOYD COUNTY ATTORNEY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on September 24, 1999, at 11 a.m., to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 08/09/96.

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

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311 N. Arnold Ave.
Prestonsburg, KY 41653

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

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1998 MAZDA PROTEGE S/N 6423
All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

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1992 GMC SONOMA S/N 8914
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1991 BUICK REGAL S/N 9078
All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

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1999 SUZUKI 300 4X4 S/N 3072
All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

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1990 PONTIAC GRAND AM S/N 8872
All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

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1995 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX S/N 2605
All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on September 24, 1999, at 11 a.m., to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 02/26/99.

1999 SONOMA 4X4, XTRA CAB, ZR2 S/N 4712
All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

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1986 CHEVY DOOLEY PICKUP S/N 0474
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 436-5208, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Premium Elkhorn Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 3127, 15 Northwood Drive, Pikeville, KY 41502, has applied for renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 1.5 miles southeast of East McDowell in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 1.29 surface acres and will underlie 574.49 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 575.78 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles southeast from KY 1929's junction with KY 680 and located 0.01 miles south of Hall Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees 26 minutes 58 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 42 minutes 00 seconds.

The proposed 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 Premium Elkhorn Coal

Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by Grover Sammons, Sam Eversole, John B. Newsome, Earl Evans, the Stumbo Heirs, David Akers, and Premium Elkhorn Coal Corporation. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of KY Route 680. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, KY 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, KY 40601-4321.

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

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0287

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Industrial Processing Inc., P.O. Box 29, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a permit for a crusher and loading facility coal processing facility affecting 1.81 acres located 1.33 miles North of New Allen, in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.14 miles North from KY Route 1428's junction with US Route 23 and located 1.08 miles East of Calf Branch.

The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area is owned by Delano May.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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

The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The major revision will add 0.00 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 146.90 acres making a total area of 320.20 acres within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 1.0 mile east from KY Route 1428's junction with Sugarloaf Branch Road and located in Dial Branch.

The proposed major revision is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The major revision will add 0.00 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 104.60 acres making a total area of 1,823.55 acres within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major revision is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The major revision will not add any surface disturbance acreage to the permit area. The major revision will underlie land owned by Ed Leslie Estate.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-8040 RENEWAL

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that LICK FORK PROCESSING CO., 819 South Federal Highway, Suite 203, Stuart, FL 34994, has applied for RENEWAL of a permit for a Coal Processing and Refuse Disposal Facility located approximately 0.05 miles east of David in Floyd County, Kentucky. The existing operation will disturb 41.59 surface acres.

The existing operation is approximately 0.15 miles West from Rough & Tough Branch Creek's junction with KY Route 404 and is located on Lick Fork of Middle Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees 36 minutes 5.7 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 53 minutes 6.2 seconds.

The existing operation is located on the David U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area disturbed is owned by Lick Fork Processing Co. and The David L. Francis Testamentary Trust.

The operation affects an area within 100 feet of public road KY Route 404. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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vene. The motion for leave to intervene shall be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 730 Schenkel Lane, P.O. 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602, and shall set forth the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. Intervenor may obtain copies of the Joint Petition for Approval of Merger Agreement by contacting Mud Creek Water District at P.O. Box 51, Kentucky Route 979, Grethel, Kentucky 41631; Telephone # (606) 587-2455 or Beaver Elkhorn Water District at P.O. Box 769, Kentucky Route 3188, Martin, Kentucky 41649; Telephone # (606) 285-3856. A copy of the Joint Petition for Approval of Merger Agreement is also available for public inspection at the offices of Mud Creek Water District and Beaver Elkhorn Water District at the above addresses.

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The operation affects an area within 100 feet of public road KY Route 404. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road.

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Frankfort, KY 40601. Phone (502) 564-3410.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following property will be offered at public sale at Worldwide Equipment, Inc., Hwy. 1428 East, Prestonsburg, KY, on 9/24/99 commencing at 9:30 a.m.:

1996 KENWORTH W900L TRUCK TRACTOR
1XKWDB9XJTJ6991 65

The property may be inspected by appointment prior to the sale at Worldwide Equipment, Inc., Hwy. 1428 East, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Cash sales only. Inquiries: ASSOCIATES at 513-677-8700 99-04717-0.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5312, Renewal

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41635 has applied for renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 1.70 miles northwest of Grethel in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 2.66 surface acres and will underlie 824.00 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 826.66 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.30 mile south from Morgan Fork Road's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located on Chazander Branch of Little Mud Creek. The latitude is 37°29'15". The longitude is 82°41'00"

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell and Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by the Elk Horn Coal Corporation, William Clark Heirs, Anna Meade, E.J. Clark, Jr., R. B. Clark, Leonard Hall, Gracie Hall Heirs, Eddie Akers, Curt Tackett, John Mature Heirs, Sarah Bevins, Flora Akers, Wendell

