

Future of proposals now in jeopardy

## Fate of roads, other projects unclear after Patton's reversal

by Ralph B. Davis Managing Editor

\$98 million to complete the Minnie-to-Harold connector.

\$6.45 million to relocate Route 122 at Meade Hill.

Roughly \$5 million to pave every dirt road in Floyd County over the next 20 years.

\$3 million to help the city of Prestonsburg

complete the Stone Crest Golf Course project, \$2.5 million to replace the Town Branch Bridge

\$1 million in additional funds for the East Kentucky Science Center to be constructed at Prestonsburg Community College,

All of those projects and more could fall victim to the budget ax now that Gov. Paul

(See Taxes, page two)

Gov. Paul Patton says there is not enough support to continue pushing his tax plan.



will continue pushing bottle bill despite heavy opposition.

### Bottle bill not dead, Stumbo says

#### by Ralph B. Davis Managing Editor

Despite reports to the contrary, rumors of the death of a bottle bill proposed by Rep. Greg Stumbo have been greatly exaggerated, the House majority floor leader said Thursday.

Still, Stumbo admitted that the measure does not appear to have the votes to win passage in the House at this time.

"I'll go to my grave believing the bottle bill is the best way to clean up litter in this state," Stumbo said. "But it is clear the bottle bill does not have the support to pass."

In that light, Stumbo said he is willing to look at alternatives to his proposal, including a proposal to place a one-cent, nonrefundable tax on all beverage containers and another proposal to charge busi-

(See Stumbo, page two)

## Changes could be in store for elections

#### by Randell Reno Staff Writer

Many of the state's representatives are attempting to make voting easier for those in their last trimester of pregnancy.

House Bill 507, if passed, would allow women in their final trimester to cast their vote as many as 12 days before an election.

The bifl was passed in the House of Representatives by unanimous training will be raised from \$10 to vote last Thursday. It entered the Senate on the following day and now lies in the hands of Senate State and Local Government Committee.

The bill stipulates the women must be registered in the county they are voting in and they must vote during the normal hour of the county clerks.

Other proposed changes in the state's election process include a slight pay increase to precinct elecofficers. Placed in tion Appropriations and Revenue, House Bill 288 proposes that officers be paid \$100 per day as opposed to the current \$65.

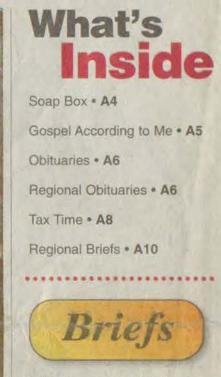
Pay for precinct election officer \$25 and the reimbursement to the fiscal court for the cost of the election will be raised from \$255 to \$700.

The proposed bill was intro-

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Eric Vanderpool, of Prestonsburg, driver of this motorcycle, was thrown he ton of a car driven hy Willam Wells, of Auxier, on South Lake Drive yesterday. The accident is under investigation by the Prestonsburg City Polle. (photo by Willie Elliott)



### Flier not official

Prestonsburg area residents have recently received a letter in their mailboxes announcing a public notice of posting for 911 addresses. City officials want the public to know this is not a project of the city of Prestonsburg and it is not mandatory.

## **Police arrest 'hobo'**

#### by Randell Reno Staff Writer

A railway traveler made a stop in a local city that resulted in a trip to eat. the Floyd County Detention Center.

Roberto P. Rivas, 33, of Michoacan, Mexico, was arrested Wednesday evening by Martin Police Officer Fred Mynhier.

Apparently, Rivas had hitched a ride on possibly several trains landing him in the CSX yard at Martin.

Charged with third-degree trespassing, Rivas was caught rifling through a dumpster and a trash can, apparently looking for something to

Rivas was arraigned in Floyd District Court on Thursday but because of his inability to comprehend English the case was continued until today.

Office Mynhier was assisted on the scene by Special Agent Phillips of CSX Railroad.

## Local roads to be marked for history

#### by Randell Reno Staff Writer

With one county area's historical significance previously unrecognized, two of Floyd County's roads have gained the attention of the Kentucky legislature.

Promoting tourism and cultural heritage, the roads and three bridges the Civil War battles fought here.

may be given new titles that will memorialize the history of the region.

House Joint Resolution 39 was introduced to the House January 11 and passed to the Senate February 15. It proposes that KY 114 and KY 404 and three bridges in the county be given names commemorating

The resolution directs the state Transportation Cabinet to name KY 144 the "Middle Creek National Battle Field Parkway" and that KY 404 be named the "Floyd County Civil War Highway."

Three bridges are also in line for historic titles. If passed, the bridge

(See History, page three)



Emergency workers tended to a motorist injured after his truck struck a concrete barrier dividing Route 114 from ongoing road construction between Food City and the Mountain Arts Center. Police said it appeared the driver, whose name they had not released at press time, was driving on the shoulder and did not slow down prior to hitting the wall. Although early reports said the driver might have passed out at the wheel, police at the scene said they had not yet ruled out that alcohol or drugs could have played a contributing role in the accident. (photo by Ralph B. Davis)

## **Board members mull** student-teacher ratios

#### by Willie Elliott Staff Writer

The Floyd County Board of Education met in special session Tuesday night and devoted nearly all the meeting to a discussion on staffing ratios for the 2000-2001 school year and the impact those ratios would have on the budget next year.

The topic was discussed at some length at another special-called meeting on February 17, but board members agreed the discussion was only for gathering information. Board members further stated that information relating to issues as complex as student-teacher ratios and budget considerations need to be in their hands well in advance of meetings. Member of the central office promised to get the information to addition to instruction. Paige heads the board members in time to study before the meeting.

Board members were sent a packet explaining the recommendations made by the budget committee and the central office for staffing ratios.

But board member Jody Mullins noted the information was confusing and said, "I gave my copy back to Dr. (Paul) Fanning."

Mullins also questioned the use of assessment coordinator Phil Paige as principal of the alternative school, Opportunities Unlimited. Paige said on a yearly average he spent about 10 percent of his time performing the duties of the assessment coordinator. Mullins wanted to know what the instruction program was and who was heading the program.

Paige said he and Susan Compton had to deal with all kinds of problems in school in

(See Board, page two)

The paper, which is headlined as a public notice, may be misleading to residents. It should be recognized as a marketing tool of the company.

While posting the address so that it is easily seen by emergency personnel is a good idea, city attorney Paul Burchett said the city is not sanctioning the company's actions. Persons wanting to participate in purchasing a address sign from the company may do so. but are not required to by the city.

Residents with questions about posting a 911 address should contact Gary Dotson, city 911 coordinator, at 886-0442.

### Meeting about site-based councils

Parents and community members are invited to attend regional meetings in March designed to provide information about sitebased decision making (SBDM) councils.

The Department of Education's Council Development Branch, the Kentucky Association of School Councils and the Kentucky Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor the meetings. Two meetings will be held in each of the department's eight regional service centers.

The meetings are scheduled to run from 7 to 9 p.m. The meeting for Region 8 will be held March 27 at Prestonsburg Elementary.



#### Taxes

Patton has said he is scrapping the structure. tax-and-spend package he prozation in the state's income tax Republican-controlled Senate.

Patton announced his plans posed to the General Assembly Wednesday night, saying he could last month, including a seven-cent not find support for his proposals hike in the gas tax and a reorgani- in the legislature, particularly the

## Prestonsburg Little League



The Prestonsburg Little League will be having an organizational meeting to elect officers for the upcoming 2000 season. They will hold the

meeting at 8:00 a.m. Saturday, February 26, 2000, at Billy Ray's Restaurant. They invite all interested persons to attend.



Funny Faces

With the change, Patton now faces cutting \$86 million from his budget next year and \$24 million the year after.

"It will be a struggle to accommodate these reductions and we are beginning a review of the budget to find places these cuts can be made," Patton said in a statement Wednesday.

That development now has the governor working on a list of suggested cuts in state spending and state and local leaders scrambling to find out which projects will survive the chopping block and which won't

While Patton's abandonment of the tax plan now has state leaders changing course from spending new revenue to cutting existing and proposed plans, the likely result will mean delay rather than death for most projects.

Mark Pfeiffer, Patton's deputy communications director, said

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Thursday the changes will mean cutting \$150 million a year from the state's road budget. But Pfeiffer said no decisions have been made concerning where those cuts will take place.

"All of these discussions (about budget cuts) will be taking place (over the next week)," Pfeiffer said. "It would be premature to make any predictions."

But one program which will likely not survive in any form is Patton's "Roads for the 21st Century," a plan to pave every mile of road in counties with a high percentage of dirt roads over the next 20 years.

That program would have been funded entirely by one cent of the gas tax increase. With the funding mechanism now scrapped and legislators faced with the task of trimming existing spending, it appears unlikely that the program will ever

#### Board

Allen Central high schools and their feeder schools - while Compton heads the South Team -South Floyd and Betsy Layne high schools and their feeder schools.

Fanning told Mullins that Paige was filling in at Opportunities Unlimited at his request.

As the discussion on staffing continued, board members uncovered some questionable practices in staffing in schools. Carol Stumbo said it appears that some schools were filling positions based on personality or as rewards and not focusing on students.

Board chairman Terry Dotson said, "From what I see in this report, some people may even be breaking the law.

When pressed about the matter, Paige said some schools did have the problems identified by Stumbo and Dotson.

Stumbo said it sometimes happens that staffing within a specific department varies greatly. As an example, she said one English teacher could teach five classes a day and another teacher in the same department could have as few as three. She said the other part of the day is not adequately explained in

### Stumbo

of between \$200 and \$2,000.

"I think we would be remiss if we a constitutional amendment if he together to fight the bottle bill,"

bottle bill on the ballot in the form of industries actually, that have joined

One legislator who had supthe proposal, Pfeiffer again said it ported Patton's proposals was would be impossible to predict House Majority Floor Leader Greg what will happen, but said the Stumbo, who said all of the projects are now in jeopardy. Patton had also proposed Stumbo said the gas tax spending \$133 million on Floyd

increase would have made it possible for Floyd County to make progress on its highways.

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"If we in eastern Kentucky are going to get the roads we need, we need to realize we're going to have to have the money," Stumbo said.

"Without that (gas tax) increase, we'll never get that \$133 million for Floyd County roads."

Stumbo said he is confident all of the road projects will eventually come to pass, if later rather than sooner. However, he said the Minnie-Harold connector could be delayed.

"It may well be delayed," Stumbo said. "Both legs of that road are in design right now Without any money, construction can't begin.'

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some cases. The board determines staffing ratios but the individual schools, through the site-based decision making councils, determine how

those positions will be filled. Not including support teachers such as Title I, special education and section 7, the board agreed to a 22-to-1 ratio for high schools and a 24-to-1 ratio for elementary and middle schools for the coming year. Dr. Fanning said that ratio would be reduced to as low as 22-to-1 when support teachers are used in determining ratios.

Stumbo wanted to know why the board should consider the subject of ratios when the schools make decisions about staffing. Paige said the biggest reason is the number of positions schools would have to work with. He said once that number is set, it's up to the councils to determine how those positions will be filled.

Janice Allen, principal of Adams Middle School, was asked to join the discussion and offered specific examples of how changes in the ratios would affect her school. Board members agreed that it appeared that Allen was using her support personnel very effectively.

When it came time to vote. Dotson asked that the board be given until Monday night's meeting to look at the material. Both Paige and Fanning said this would not give the central office enough time to prepare the materials and get them out to schools by March 1. Dotson then asked the members

if they were ready to vote on the issue.

Stumbo drew some laughter by saying, "I have learned with this board to be ready to vote on anything at anytime.'

Johnnie Ross asked about working with principals and schools to make faculty staffing more equitable and productive. Stumbo said she is looking to Fanning for leadership in that area.

The board had a short executive session but made no motions or furnished any information out of that meeting. All members were present except Don Roberts.

The board scheduled a short meeting for last night (Thursday) that apparently dealt with one topic: to consider facility use requests. The board will meet again Monday night in regular session at May Valley Elementary at 6:30 p.m.

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nesses an environmental impact fee ers decide the issue by putting the powerful, well-financed industry, or

But whether or not the bottle bill

wins passage during the current ses-

sion of the General Assembly or not,

Stumbo said he is not giving up on

nominate me and elect me to one

more term," Stumbo said. "As long

as I am down here, it won't die.'

"The good people have seen fit to

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Stumbo said

increase I proposed is necessary if we are to build the roads the legislature has already voted to build, but I do accept reality and I am prepared to revisit this subject when the economic and political

plan's prospects are bleak.

County roads over the next six

years. That spending is now in

question, although it is more likely

the projects will merely be pushed

back rather than killed altogether.

our proposed six-year highway

plan and the needed revenue mea-

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unusally high price of gasoline has

made it politically impossible to

pass our proposal at this time,"

Patton said. "I do not retreat one

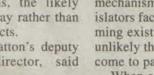
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#### didn't pass some bill," Stumbo said.

But Stumbo took issue with an Associated Press report which held that he had abandoned the bottle bill altogether. He said was not giving up on the measure and would present it to colleagues again next week.

In addition, Stumbo said he will also seek passage of a bill to let vot-

#### Elections

duced to the house January 7 by a host of representatives and received its second \*reading before being recommitted to Appropriation and Revenue.

With the governor's race over and Gov. Paul Patton beginning his second term, a bill has been introduced in the House that would abolish the need for a run-off primary for the gubernatorial slates.

Introduced to the legislature by Floyd County Rep. Greg Stumbo and Estill, Garrard and Madison counties Rep. Lonnie Napier, House Bill 363 proposes the end of

#### Correction

An article in Wednesday's Business section about Sunshine Coin Laundry and Tanning incorrectly indicated that this is the only coin laundry in the area with large capacity machines. The story should have read that this is the only facility with as many large capacity machines. The Times regrets the error.

doesn't think legislators will pass it themselves. That alternative, he said, is beginning to gather support from lawmakers.

Stumbo blamed lobbyists for soft drink bottlers and grocers for making it difficult to pass legislation he says the public overwhelmingly supports.

"The problem is there is a huge,

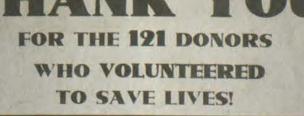
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the extra primary election which would be held if no candidate in a primary receives more than 40 percent of the vote.

The bill would automatically nominate the candidate with the largest number of votes as the party nominee.

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The family and friends of **Brian Hughes wish to thank** the community for their tremendous response..... HANKYOU







#### Reading to Learn

Eighteen teachers of grades P4 and S4 from Floyd County's elementary schools attended a one-day training session with Dr. Mary Anne Pollock, Morehead State University reading specialist, on Tuesday, January 25, at May Valley Elementary School. Pollock shared vocabulary and comprehension techniques to enhance teacher effectiveness in mathematics. Each teacher received a packet of trade books for use in the classroom.

## School personnel changes told

include the following:

\* Certified hiring: Barbara Ellen Williams, Prestonsburg High School, Feb. 4;

· Certified transfers; Eddie Hamilton, from South Floyd Middle School to Stumbo Elementary, Jan. 19, and Ernie Tackett, director of Opportunities Unlimited to Betsy Layne Elementary, Jan. 20.

· Substitute teachers hired: Certified - Kevin Slone, Jan. 14: Emergency - Barbara Glenn, Jan. 24; Delores, J. Hayden, Jan, 25; Sheila McKinney, Jan. 28; Kathy Marcia Osborne, Jan. 28; Olivia Coleman, Feb. 3; Charles Jason

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History

Battlefield Bridge.

#### Floyd County School System Feb. 9; Lavonne Wallen, Feb. 11; Barbara Scarberry, Feb. 14; and Lara King, Feb. 16.

· Classified hirings:

- School bus driver: Michael Compton, # 2392 - Prestonsburg area, Jan. 24;

Delonda Custodian: Blankenship, Stumbo Elementary, Jan. 28:

Substitute teacher aide (all Feb. 2-15): Virginia Morrison, Alice Collins, Sharon Fitch, Karen Nelson, Sheila Wellman, Brook Allen, Barbara Crisp, Melissa Hancock and Debra Adkins. - Substitute custodian (Feb. 14-15): Prentiss Crum, Wilma

Shepherd, Betty Jacobs, Reba

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Transportation Cabinet. The resolution states that the General Humphrey Marshall Battle of Middle Creek, occurring January 10, 1862, was the largest single Civil War battle in castern Kentucky. Marshall led the Confederate forces while Garfield, who later became the 20th president of the United States, led the forces for the The brown historical signs will Union. The National Park Service in October 1992 officially recog-

nized the Battle of Middle Creek as

Recent personnel changes in the Sammons, Feb. 7; Tonya Miller, McKinney, Sheila Hamilton and Lesa Hughes.

· Classified transfers: Charles Crum, from school bus driver in Prestonsburg to #198, Betsy Layne. Jan. 18. and Laura Hyden, from data entry clerk with Head Start to Secretary II, instructional department, Feb. 14.

· Classified resignation: Robin Damron, special education teacher aide, Allen Elementary, Jan. 31.

· Classified leaves of absence: Stacey Nelson, family leave, Dec. 27-March 1: Rebecca Morris, family medical leave, Dec. 14-March 23; and Colleen Compton, family medical leave, Jan. 12-April 20.

### Network moves to hospital

The Eastern Kentucky Health Science Information Network has moved from an office in Morehead State University's Camden-Carroll Library to the St. Claire Medical Center.

St. Claire has been a member of EKHSIN, which provides professional library and information services for health care providers in rural eastern Kentucky, since its inception, according to Dr. Greg Bausch, SCMC executive director for education and research.

As the hospital already served as

### Accessibility project wins national honor

A project headed by a social worker from the Commission on Children with Special Health Care Needs has won third place in a national competition to promote inclusion for people with disabilities.

The \$1,500 prize went to Graves County for an accessibility survey of nearly 100 local businesses by 33 students at Graves County High School. Students in the Community Services Learning Class surveyed and recommended changes to remove barriers to people with disabilities.

Michele Sither, a social worker with the commission's Paducah office, worked on the project along with the West Kentucky ADA Action Network. She works with young people birth to age 21 with chronic health care conditions.

"The accessibility project was student driven with the knowledge that one day they will be future leaders and will be aware of ADA standards for accessibility," Sither said. "The award money is seed money for Graves County's continued efforts to bring people with disabilities into the mainstream of community life."

The commission has 14 offices across the state and provides medical treatment to children with physically disabling conditions.

The National Organization on Disability sponsored the competition in which five cities and four counties across the nation received \$30,000 in prize money. United Parcel Service donated the award money

An awards presentation and reception took place Feb. 14 with representatives from Mayfield, the commission and other groups that took part in the project.

#### will continue to work with the library staff with regard to "certain databases and other information

said Additional information on the network is available from DeBord at 606/783-6860.



that are part of the core of what EKHSIN manages," Dr. Bausch

Pikeville division of the a National Historical Landmark

## Service election

the process of conducting the election for county committee members. The ballots have been mailed to producers in the county with the nominees listed on the ballot. Select the candidate you wish to vote for and return the ballot by March 6. Inspect the ballot for a return address. It has been reported that some of the ballots may not show the FSA Office address. If The ballot you received does not show the FSA Office, write in this marital or family status.

The Farm Service Agency is in address, Farm Service Agency, 100 Left Fork Teays Br Rd., Paintsville, KY 41240 on the return envelope to ensure your ballot gets returned to FSA for the ballot count.

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#### the host site for a similar service, the move "seemed to be a very natural fit.

"We believe that by bringing EKHSIN internally, it could complement the mission we already had." The hospital operates the Northeast Kentucky Area Health Education Center, which provides library services to students and their community-based faculty in 17 counties.

William DeBord, the EKHSIN librarian since 1991, will continue in that position and serve as the medical librarian at SCMC.

MSU's library will remain a member of EKHSIN and DeBord

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#### **QUOTE OF THE** DAY....

If you reveal your secrets to the wind you should not blame the wind for revealing them to the trees.

Kahil Gibran-

# -Editorial It's about time

Board chairman Terry Dotson is fond of saying. "We spent the last couple of years fixing things (maintenance, transportation, facilities, etc.) and now it's time to look at what we're here for, instruction."

Good for Dotson. This message needs to be said and needs to be said loud and clear, and often.

As a result, the board has been taking a closer look at instruction and to look at instruction, they must look at teachers

When they looked at teachers, they found some irregularities that most of us could have told them were happening. This includes some people being hired to do one thing but spending their time doing something else. They found instances where it appeared that certain positions were filled based on rewards or personalities rather than merit.

Well, what's new? That has been going on so long that we have come to accept it as the way of doing things.

We hear stories of school personnel all over the county who "just put in their time." It seems no one wants to talk about this and when the subject is brought up, we are told "to mind our own business."

What is our own business --- sending our children off to college lagging behind students in the other part of the state? Or have we gotten to the point where we deny that, too?

Accountability is here, and we can hold teachers accountable or we can hold those who are in charge of those teachers responsible. We talk about "real-world" writing in the writing program. Well, in the real world, people either produce or they are out.

We are not suggesting harsh action. If a teacher is deemed in need of help, by all means, let's get him or her help.

But if the help is refused or taken lightly, what does that tell us about that teacher's attitude toward school? Maybe the teacher likes the status quo. After all, it makes for an easy job.

One thing that we ask for is honesty. Let's's not say that academics and instruction are the driving forces of our schools, when many of the things we do refute that assertion. If we are going to be laggards, let's be honest laggards.

We can stay around the 157 (out of 176) mark, or we can move up. And teachers won't be able to do it alone. Nancy Price, administrative assistant at Region 8, points out that communities that have good parent participation, have improved scores. So Hillary was right: it does take a whole village to educate a child. Let's adopt the Nike commercial and "Just do it!"



# Letters the Editor-

### **Remembers** 'model character'

#### Editor:

January 16, 2000, is a date that I will remember for a long time. It was three days beyond my 87th birthday and the day one of Floyd County's finest persons departed this life. Chester Meade was one of the kindest and most honorable men I have evern known. He was truly a Christian gentleman.

We were grade school classmates. I never heard Chester say a mean or unkind word to anyone. I never

character. Chester Meade was an electrician by trade for most

of his life. But he will be remembered and loved most for his work, with his wife at his side, ministering to the needs of senior citizens in Highlands Terrace.

heard him say a vulgar or profane word to anyone or

about anyone. Truly, Chester Meade was a model

Delmas Saunders Prestonsburg Lat

## 'Earth angels' work at Highlands Regional

#### Editor:

Awhile back Highlands Regional Medical Center was on strike. People were upset and it was very inconvenient to everyone. I myself had never given ing. it too much thought as to who was right and who was wrong, but on January 25, I had a heart attack while in the emergency room at Highlands and I am here to tell you I was fortunate enough to have met one of God's earth angels and her name was Deletta. She was an ER nurse. Her knowledge and care saved my life and to just say thank you just doesn't seem to be enough. Deletta's care didn't stop there. After I was moved to the cardiac care unit, she came to check on me and just to see how I was doing. With that kind of devotion and care, she has to be one of God's angels. I always knew there were

angels in God's heaven, but believe me, I know he has them here on earth also. So to Deletta I say thank you for your dedication, knowledge and car-

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Soap Box

by Randell Reno Staff Writer



## For Pete's sake, take a bath

For the major part of my life I have been involved with people in various functions, from working at grocery stores to restaurants to recycling to now, a reporter.

In all those jobs and in all my travels in many states (Missouri, Ohio, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, West Virginia, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi) I have never met anything more offensive than someone who reeks of body odor.

When I was a teenager, my mom would say "If you can smell you, others already have." Introduction to deodorant and a daily regimen of shower taking became essential. I guess it mattered to me and it does to many if not most of Earlier this week I entered an elevator previously occupied by three young men in their 20s or early 30s. The stench of their presence lingered in the elevator like a dead skunk. You know, long after you pass it on the highway, you still smell its presence in your car. So, I ventured into a little bit of research via Microsoft Encarta '99. The first-century Roman historian, Pliny the Elder, mentioned in his writings women used a type of soap to wash and color their hair. Soap making was common in the eighth century in Italy and Spain. In fact Appalachian folk history will tell you soap was made from lye by many of our kin just a couple of generations back. Bathing has long been considered important to health and comfort in many societies. And in some cultures has been considered a social function. After some 223 years of the United States, a country that has been in the forefront of technology and discovery, I am flabbergasted that we can still meet people on the street in whatever state we live in or are visiting who do not practice personal hygiene. Amazing. While I worked in a local deli, I was often sickened and quite alarmed by the odoriferous visitors that would actually stand over or lean upon the surfaces which we all want to be clean. I remember wanting to find the closest can of Lysol. But these people persist in their indifference to others. It makes one wonder if they know they smell that way. There should be a law that states you can not be so offensive in public. I grew up in many of Kentucky's coal towns. And in Cumberland, Harlan, Middlesboro, Hazard, Pikeville, Prestonsburg or Paintsville, I have seen no shame in a man coming into a store dirty from his days work. Many times I have looked into the coal-covered faces of my fellow mountain folk and served them their lunch or dinner. Their dirt or grit from a hard day's work never bothered me. In truth, most of these men and sometimes women did not stink of their labor. They were just dirty. My dad would come home from work many times with the effects of his day following closely. I learned from him a shower was not an option; it was essential. I have seen poor folk, too. I have been there. In my very early years I lived the

- Willie Elliott

The average pencil will draw a line 35 miles long or write approximately 50,000 words.



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the care and knowledge I received, I wouldn't be here today. And my care didn't stop there. The nurses I had in CCU, Carol and Bessie, were wonderful. So I say to Highlands, I think your nurses deserve even more than what they got.

If you have to go to the hospital, I pray you will have angels like I did. So again I say thank you to God and his earth angels.

God bless all of you. Barbara Newsome McDowell

### Water, roads and schools before convention centers

#### Editor:

This is Den once again, coming to you live from the heart about the way our coal severance taxes are being spent on convention centers in Pikeville, I think it should be spent on fresh water going into the homes of the people. Then spend some for better roads for all access to and from school. I think those things should come first, even before one runs for higher office.

I think that all these schools that have been shut down should have been repaired with this money, instead of spending it on convention centers that really have no use for today's facilities. These children are in a tight capacity in Betsy Layne and Stumbo.

Education should come first.

The teachers could and should have some say-so in this matter. Teachers are going to have serious nerve problems because of all the children they have to put up with.

We should petition to build new schools for the better education of today's students living in this world. People pay taxes and they should be spent wisely.

If you agree or disagree, please contact me with a phone call at 587-2772 or write me at P.O. Box 267, Harold, Ky. 41635.

Den Hunter Harold



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## Torah commentary on-line is a wonderful resource

Internet is the way it's reshaping religious communications.

With a few bucks and a little programming know-how, almost anybody can build his or her own web page.

Consequently you can now visit far-flung people and organizations you might not have heard of before. One of my new favorites is a

Jewish site based in Atlanta. It's called, humorously enough,

The Torah from Dixie.

Don't let the name throw you. Although its founders use a light-hearted tone in their site's content - which is commentary on the Hebrew Bible, the same scriptures that Christians call the Old Testament - they're serious about the subject.

Torah from Dixie The (www.tfdixie.com) offers wryly written, thoughtful essays by a variety of rabbis and scholars. There's a traditional print version as well as the on-line site

I've visited The Torah from Dixie web page numerous times, and every time have learned something about the Bible I previously didn't know.

After all, the Old Testament

One fascinating thing about the belonged to the Jews long before it and Alterman went off briefly to Maryland and the Ner Israel filtered down to Christians. They've had roughly 3,500 years to debate the meanings and implications of every passage.

Last week's edition featured, among other things, an article about the vestments worn by the ancient Jewish high priests. It was called "Fashion Statement." Another piece "Metaphysical was entitled Fitness.'

The Torah from Dixie is the brainchild of Benyamin Cohen, 24, and Michael Alterman, 23.

Cohen pretty much runs the publication today, Alterman recently having "retired" because he's married now and his wife is expecting a baby.

The two friends grew up in Atlanta and have a long-standing interest in journalism. They founded their Jewish high school's newspaper. Cohen's father, a modern Orthodox rabbi, was principal of the school.

Atlanta, in the largely Protestant Deep South, is home to 100,000 Jews, 30 synagogues, five Jewish day schools, several kosher restaurants and a plethora of Jewish adult education programs.

Still, after high school Cohen

Annual sign-up period

for medicare is on

Yeshiva University in New York City, where they roomed together.

In New York they saw many fine publications that offered commentaries on the weekly Torah readings prescribed for observant Jews. But most were aimed at audiences with advanced backgrounds in Torah studies.

The young Southerners decided to produce a newsletter that would speak to general readers whose knowledge of the Jewish Bible is limited.

They started the print version of The Torah from Dixie in December 1994

"Many of the people (in New York) didn't believe us when we told them that there is a thriving Jewish community in Atlanta," Cohen said in an e-mail interview. "So we decided to call it Torah from Dixie to prove to the masses that our hometown deserves a place on the global Torah map.'

The web site followed a year after the print version began.

By then Cohen had transferred to Georgia State University in Atlanta and Alterman to Baltimore, where he studied as part of a cooperative program between the University of

Rabbinical College. The friends co-edited the

newsletter by e-mail.

Today, five years and 250 issues after it started. The Torah from Dixie is based solidly in the founders' hometown and is still going strong.

The newsletter's weekly circulation is 2,000 copies. The web site pulls in 3,000 hits a week from all over the world. Cohen and Alterman have even published a book of their favorite articles.

"In our wildest dreams we could never have imagined that The Torah from Dixie would become so widely accepted and enjoyed." Cohen said. "We thank God for providing us this opportunity to disseminate the words of His Torah."

I stand in hearty agreement with that last sentence.

Give The Torah from Dixie a visit the next time you're on-line. It's free, entertaining and well worth the time.

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Paul Prather is a Kentucky minister and author whose latest book is "Back Porch Faith: Weekly Meditations" (Andrews and McMeel). You can e-mail him at pbrath@kih.net.

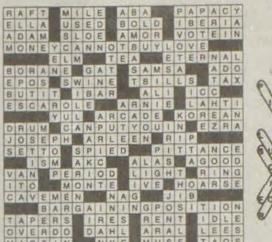
was barefoot on dirty ground. We did have meager amounts of clothes and food. We were skinny and sometimes even bony but we were clean.

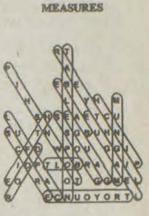
I can't count the times I sat in an old wash tub taking a bath or spent time filling it up so my clothes could be washed. This is just 32 to 33 years ago. But we were clean.

I guess I am preaching to the congregation instead of the offenders, but my soapbox served me well today. I thank God for my parent's habits of example. I thank him for soap and water, too, because there is no excuse for someone to smell.

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a lawfully admitted alien who has lived in the U.S. for at least five years, you can sign up for Part B medical insurance only, or for both Part A and B (hospital and medical insurance) at this time.

The premium for hospital insurance varies depending on the amount of time you may have worked in jobs where you paid Social Security taxes.

If you are interested in enrolling in Medicare or would like more information, you can call, write or visit your local Social Security office, or call Social Security's national toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213.

### Soap Continued from p4 life of Hollywood's Appalachia. I

## February rains arrive

by Tony Cavalier WSAZ-TV weatherman

The world goes up and the world goes down. And the sunshine follows the rain;

And yesterday's sneer and yesterday's frown Can never come over again.

Dolcino to Margaret Charles Kingsley

Quickie question for weather fans: Which winter month last year set the tone for the great drought of 1999? If you answered February, you win the Kewpie doll! We had only two inches of rainwater last February, Normal is 3 inches, Just goes to show you that the weather from year to year is quite capricious.

That's what keeps me with a job as I dutifully noted to the Milton Rotary club last week when I was a guest at their midday lunch. Hey, dinner at Granny K's is always his craft. By the way, "Snow Day,"

abuse."

After all, in the wake of a very dry January and early February, two important rainstorms have drenched much of the Ohio Valley and raised hopes that the great drought may be nearing it's end. (But, buyer beware, the water table drought is not over, yet).

The first rainstorm was a classic, right out of a textbook in meteorology. Violent tornadoes hopscotched through Dixie in the warm sector of this cyclone, Sunday the 13th. These twisters proved a grim reminder of what springtime in America can mean. Several people died in the 150-mile-per-hour whirlwinds.

Coincident to this wind machine, heavy wet snowstorm from a Milwaukee to Lake Placid gave kids a day off from school and gave "Snowplow Man" a chance to hone

worth taking some "friendly the movie, sounds like a can't miss family flick).

> Since we here in Appalachia were caught in between the arctic air to the north and the tropical invasion to the south, this battleground of air masses helped to spark the most meaningful rain in our region since the Thanksgiving storm. A general one inch to three inches of rain fell into our low reservoirs and parched water table.

> Of course, a heavy rain like that is going to cause some problems, many county roads across southern Ohio and central West Virginia had some "nuisance" high water closures. But no serious flooding occurred and both the Hocking and Scioto Rivers settled down late in the week and the mighty Ohio itself crested at its highest level in 18 months (near 42' at old lock 28, in Huntington where flood stage is 50').

> Now this second wave of rain on Friday the 18th, represents the first time since October that we have enjoyed two rainstorms in the same month. It is this novelty that has helped to negate the rain benefits this winter. Fact is, it takes multiple rains in a month to generate important seepage into the ground water table.

> So far this winter, storms have come roughly four-five weeks apart. In effect, rains ticketed for the water table have been allowed to evaporate back to space by the lack of "follow-up" rains.

As for the Friday the 18th rains, I'll update their benefits to the water table and reservoir levels, after we get the final data regarding how much rain fell across the entire Ohio basin.



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#### Sammie Gothard

Sammie Gothard, 80, of Morganton, North Carolina, Long Term Care, died Sunday, February 20, 2000, at the nursing home following a period of declining health.

Born on October 9, 1919, in Prestonsburg, she was a daughter of the late George Washington Miller and Susie Hall Miller.

She was preceded in death by her husband, C. L. "Red" Gothard. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Morganton. She retired from Mother's Morning Out Program at First Baptist Church and First United Methodist Church in Morganton.

Survivors include one daughter, Terri Robinson of Morganton; a son, Charles Philip Gothard of New Orleans, Louisiana; a sister, Ida M. Kirsch of Caldwell, Ohio; a brother, Otis Miller of California; and four grandchildren.

Memorial services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, at the First Baptist Church Chapel with the Reverend Dr. Thomas A. Bland Jr. and Rev. Fred Schuszler officiating.

Arrangements were under direction of Sossoman Funeral Home, Morganton.

Sun. Bible Study-10 a.m.

Wed. Bible Study-7 p.m.

6 p.m. Std. Time

7 p.m. D.L.S. Time

Worship-10:45 a.m.

Eva Handshoe Summa Eva Handshoe Summa, 90, of

Lima, Ohio, formerly of Handshoe, died Monday, February 21, 2000, at the Bucyrus Alter Care Nursing Home.

Born in Handshoe, on May 25, 1909, she was the daughter of Wilson and Martha Patton Handshoe. She was a retired housekeeper at Lima Memorial Hospital.

She was preceded in death by her previous husbands, Edward Handshoe, Clifford Messer, Delbert Hetzler and Jesse W. Summa.

She is survived by three sons, Buel "Becky" Messer of Staunton, Virginia, Radford Messer of Lima, Ohio, Herbert Messer of Bellingham, Washington; one brother, Sammie Handshoe of Paintsville; one sister, Dovie Gayhart of Hueysville, 13 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, February 25, 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, with Bethel Bolen officiating.

Burial will be in the Handshoe Cemetery, at Hueysville, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

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#### Shirley Louise Prater

Shirley Louise Prater, 62, of Marion, Ohio, formerly of Wayland, died Tuesday, February 22, 2000, at her residence.

Born on June 11, 1937, in Wayland, she was the daughter of Virgie Mosley Moore of Marion, Ohio, and the late Tom E. Moore.

She was a Baptist. She served many years on the board of elections, and was the assistant manager, and retired after 11 years, at North Drive-in Theater.

Her husband, Donald R. Prater Sr., preceded her in death.

Survivors include one son, Donald R. Prater Jr. of Marion, Ohio; two daughters, Janice M. Kirts and Donna J. Gohring Sr., both of Marion, Ohio; four brothers, Brewie Moore of Kenton, Ohio, Rev. Lawrence E. Moore, Charles D. Moore and Donald E. Moore, all of Marion, Ohio; two sisters, Charlotte Bowling of Marion. Ohio, Sharon Davis of Westland, Michigan; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, February 25, at 11 a.m., at the Boyd Funeral Home, Marion, Ohio, with Rev. Charles Bowling, and Rev. Grover Caudill officiating.

Burial will be in the Grand Prairie Cemetery, Marion, Ohio, under the direction of Boyd Funeral Home.

#### **Charles Mitchell**

Charles Mitchell, 44, of Craynor, died Wednesday, February 23, 2000, at Pikeville Health Care Center, following an extended illness.

Born on August 13, 1955, in Craynor, he was the son of the late Noah and Verdie Osborne Mitchell. He was machinist for Sterling Foundry.

Survivors include three sons, Larry Mitchell of Norwalk, Ohio, Bobby Mitchell of Prestonsburg, Warren Mitchell of Harold; three sisters, Carol Jean Mitchell of Prestonsburg, Susie Wicker of Sandusky, Ohio, and Roxie Bentley of Drift.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, February 25, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with First Baptist ministers officiating.

Bunal will be in the Bob Mitchell Cemetery, at Craynor, under the direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

#### Moore pallbearers

listed

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#### Lawrence County

Clementine Dawson Wellman, 91, of Fort Gay, West Virginia, died Monday, February 21, after an extended illness. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 23, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Roma Lorain Mitchell, 70, of Ashland, formerly of Louisa, died Sunday, February 20, at Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital, Ashland. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 23, under the direction of Lazear Funeral Home.

#### Perry County

Goldie Lindon Combs of Bulan, died Wednesday, February 19. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Linda Jean Spencer Combs, 46, of Upper Second Creek died Saturday, February 19, at home. She is survived by her husband, Lenzie Combs. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 23, under the direction of Engle's Perry County Chapel.

Laura Napier Gamble, 89, died Saturday, February 12, at Community Hospital South in Indianapolis, Indiana. Funeral services were conducted February 16, under the direction of Daniel F. O'Riley Funeral Home.

Lester Gilbert, 62, died Wednesday, February 16. He is survived by his mother, Mallie William Gilbert. Funeral services were under the direction of the Britton Funeral Home.

Mallie W. Hamilton, 85, died Saturday, February 19, at the Hazard Medical Center. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Willard Sidney "Sprout" Johnson, 89, a longtime educator at Carr Creek High School, and member of the legendary 1928 Carr Creek basketball team. He is survived by his wife, Nelle, Funeral services were conducted Friday, February 18, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Carlos Pennington, 53, of Somerset, died Wednesday, February 16. He is survived by his wife, Ethel Pennington. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 20, under the direction of Somerset Undertaking.

#### Martin County

Troy Johnson, 73, of Inez, died Saturday, February 19, in King's Daughters' Medical Center, Ashland. He is survived by his wife, Opal Johnson. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home.

Cornelius "Pete" Preece Jr., 51, of Leander, died Friday, February 18, in the Lexington Veterans Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Connie Jo May Preece. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Margaret E. Richmond, 81, a lifetime resident of Kermit, West Virginia, died Tuesday, February 15, in St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington, West Virginia. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 19, under the direction of Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home.

#### Johnson County

Arnold Rice, 78, died Monday, February 14, at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Susan Elam Rice. Funeral services were conductedThursday, February 17, under the direction of Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Robert J. "Bob" Prater, 60, formerly of Johnson County, died Thursday, February 17, at Marion General Hospital, Marion, Ohio. Graveside services were conducted Sunday, February 20, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

James Harold Kimbler, 89, died Thursday, February 17 in Urbana, Ohio. He is survived by his wife, Flossie Montgomery Kimbler. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 20, under the direction of Jones-Preston-Funeral Home.

Goldie Katherine Tackett King, 81, died Saturday, February 19. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Elkie Moore, 67, of Columbus, Ohio, formerly of Williamson, West Virginia, died Saturday, February 19, at Grant Medical Center in Columbus. He is survived by his wife, Betty Moore. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 23, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

Johnny James Williams, 24, of Mouthcard, died Sunday, February 20, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 23, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Herbert H. Harper, 81, of Forest Lake, Minnesota, formerly of Pike County, died Tuesday, January 18. He is survived by his wife, Norma Harper. Memorial services were conducted January 29 in Minnesota.

Clyde Clayton Bostic, 84, of Belfry, died Friday, February 18, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Audrey Bates Bostic. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Steve Burke, 38, of Falmouth, died Friday, February 18, at his home. Funeral services were conducted Monday, February 21, under the direction of Peoples Funeral Home.

Nola Daugherty, 67, of Phelps, died Thursday, February 17, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. She is survived by her husband, Estill Daugherty. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 20, under the direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Clarence Eugene Little, 63, of Virgie, died Thursday, February 17, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Josie Johnson Little. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 20, under the direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Mable Mitchell, 61, of Pikeville, died Friday, February 18, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Monday, February 21, under the direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

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Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Mellie Moore were Larry Moore, Matthew Moore, Ray Moore, Mitchell Smallwood, and Jim Schader.

#### Gibson pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Charles Brent Gibson were Steven Slone, Ron Moore, Shane Moore, Dwayne Gibson, Phil Slone, Lenville Martin, Jeff Ellis, Billy Cobb, Jamie Cobb, John Cobb, Steve Hicks, David Gibson, Dustin Little and Chad Gibson.

#### Dennis Lee Pruitt Sr.

Dennis Lee Pruitt Sr., 54, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, February 23, 2000, at the V.A. Regional Hospital at Huntington, West Virginia, after an extended illness.

He was born November 12, 1945, at Bartley, West Virginia, the son of the late Dewey and Ora Nellie Brooks Pruitt. He was a Coal Miner.

He was a Vietnam veteran; a member of the Auxier Methodist Church; a member of the American Legion at Martin; and a lifetime member of the 196th Light Infantry Brigade (L.I.B).

He is survived by his wife, Beechie Mullins Pruitt.

Other survivors include one son, Dennis Lee Pruitt Jr. of Wise Virginia; one daughter, Nellie Hamilton of Prestonsburg; three brothers, Charles D. Pruitt of Chesterfield, Virginia, Richard Pruitt of Princeton, West, Virginia, Douglas Pruitt of Prestonsburg; four sisters, Lois Bellomy of Cameron, North Carolina, Nancy Church of Tarpon Springs, Florida, Sandra Cook and Barbara Williams, both of Sanford, North Carolina.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, February 26, at 10 a.m., from the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel at Prestonsburg.

Burial will be in the Roselawn Memorial Gardens at Princeton, West Virginia, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers will be Charles Presley, Clarence Davis, Chester Davis Jr., Douglas Pruitt Jr., Larry Addair Jr., Bill Lester, James Isom and Olin Fitch.

Honorary pallbearers will be members of the 196th L.I.B. Haven Smith, 77, of Bulan, died Saturday, February 19, at the Hazard Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Christine Smith. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Thomas Greg Williams, 43, of Hazard, died Wednesday, February 16 at home. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 19, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.



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M. Pauline Akers Patrick, 79, of Madison, Indiana, formerly of Johnson County, died Saturday, February 19, at King's Daughters' Medical Center. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, February 24, under the direction of Morgan-Webster-Nay Funeral Home.

Hilda Ratliff Stevens, 84, died Sunday, February 20, at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 23, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

#### Pike County

Phyllis Jean Elswick, 61, of Hanover, Pennsylvania, died Sunday, February 20, at the Carroll County General Hospital. She is survived by her husband, Jimmie Chandler Wright. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 23, under the direction of Jeffrey N. Zumbrun Funeral Home.

Pauline Anna Workman Mitchem, 76, of Red Jacket, West Virginia, died Friday, February 18, at St. Joseph's Hospital in Parkersburg, West Virginia. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 20, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

James "Willard" Adkins, 86, of Raccoon, died Saturday, February 19, at Pikeville Health Care Center. He is survived by his wife, Eva Mullins Adkins. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 22, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home. Howard Mounts, 86, of Freeburn, died Friday, February 18, in the Mingo Manor Health Care Center in Williamson, West Virginia. Funeral serices were conducted Monday, February 21, under the direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Jean Robinson, 78, of Shelbiana, died Thursday, February 17, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. She is survived by her husband, Clyde Robinson. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 20, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

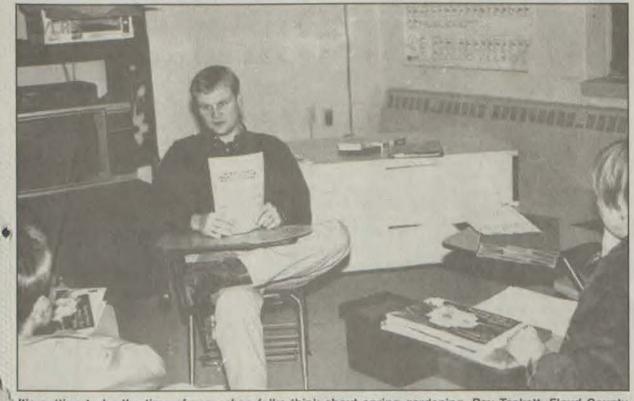
#### Knott County

Elige Combs, 86, of Leburn, died Sunday, February 13, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Tina Gibson Combs. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 16, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Arvil Mullins, 86, of Amburgey, died Thursday, February 17, at the Hazard Appalachian Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Claretta Singleton Mullins. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 19, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

E. L. Seals, 85, of Mallie, died Wednesday, February 16, at the Knott County Nursing Home at Hindman. He is survived by his wife, Ethel Combs Seals. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 19, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.





It's getting to be the time of year when folks think about spring gardening. Ray Tackett, Floyd County Extension Agent, answers a gardening question during the class he is conducting through the Auxier Lifelong Learning Center. Tackett is conducting a four-week class through the month of February on the basics of gardening. For information on other community classes at the center, call 886-0709. (photo by Willie Elliott)

## \*Promoting the joy of reading

(NAPSA)-The Education Association (NEA) is President Bob Chase. "Yet reading reminding all adults that "you're is a year round campaign that relies never too old, wacky, or wild to pick up a book and read with a child.

The NEA kicks off its third annual Read Across America campaign March 2, which would have been Dr. Seuss's 96th birthday. Activities to celebrate reading in a Seussian spirit are being planned throughout the nation. The Cat in the Hat will ring the opening bell on Wall Street. Rock stars will read at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland. And in schools and communities throughout the country, students will be reading.

"The goal of the campaign is to ensure that on March 2, every child Keep a good supply of books, mag-

National is reading with an adult," says NEA azines, newspapers, writing paper, on entire communities, parents, volunteers, and teachers, working together to guarantee that every child learns to read.'

Here are some useful tips from the NEA on how all adults can build strong readers:

1. Let children see you reading. Parents and mentors can show their own interest in reading by letting children see them reading for pleasure.

2. Have high expectations. Let children know that you expect them to achieve and will help them develop reading skills.

3. Create opportunities at home.

crayons, and pencils at home.

4. Read to young children and let older children read to you. Children as young as six weeks enjoy the sound of reading.

5. Talk to your children. Preschoolers with large vocabularies usually become good readers.

The NEA is the nation's largest professional employee organization, representing 2.5 million elementary and secondary teachers, higher education faculty, education support personnel, school administrators, retired educators, and students preparing to become teach-

To learn more tips for reading success, log onto the web at www.nea.org/readacross.

### What are your kids doing on the Internet?

(NUE) - All parents worry about the dangers that face their children every time they walk out the front door. However, some parents don't realize that they may be unwittingly inviting danger into their homes through their Internet access.

Of the nearly 4,000 new Web sites added to the Internet every day, at least 85 of them will be selling commercial pornography. These new sites join the already 700,000 sexually explicit pornographic sites currently available. Unfortunately, children can access these sites with little difficulty or sometimes by accident

Most Internet filtering software denies access to a Web site based only on its URL, or address. A new enhanced filtering software program by Net Nanny uses advanced HTML-level filtering that reads what's beyond the address. For example, a Web site could have a completely innocent sounding address but contain hard core pornography or instructions for making a pipe bomb. Software that only reads addresses won't prevent it from appearing on the screen.

The ability to control and monitor all Web-based email, instant messaging and chat room activity is also very important to safeguard your children. This software actively scans the text on the Web page, evaluates its content and denies access if it doesn't meet your approved standards. The same goes for all two-way communication like e-mail, instant messaging and chat rooms.

Chat rooms, instant messaging and e-mail programs are areas where children are most likely to get into trouble by interacting with strangers. Most filtering programs can deny access but can't monitor what is being said in your child's conversations. Net Nanny screens children's online two-way conversations in real time to give your children the most complete protection.

One World Online's Internet Service Provider (ISP) now includes Net Nanny software. One World Online is so concerned about the lack of protection available for children, they are giving parents a \$100 shopping spree just for using the service. For more information, call 1-800-444-7073.

## COMMUNITY CALENI

#### Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

#### ALC concert tour begins March 5

The Alice Lloyd College Choir, Voices of Appalachia, will soon begin its Southwestern Tour. The kick-off concert is Sunday, March 5, at 6:30 p.m. at the Caney Baptist Church in Pippa Passes. For information, call 606/368-6082.

#### Area Homemaker Conference planned

The Northeast Area Homemaker's Leadership Conference is set for March 30 at the Convention Center at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. Registration is \$7 and includes lunch. For information, contact Theresa Scott at the Floyd County Cooperative Extension Service, 606/886-2668.

#### Free lunch for seniors

Free lunches for senior citizens are planned for March 24 and April 28 at the Auxier Lifetime Learning Center (Auxier School). The first lunch will feature a program by Christian Appalachian Project and the second by Floyd County Extension Service. Seating is limited to the first 50 persons who call 886-0709 for reservations.

#### Workshops slated for Homemakers

Floyd County Extension Home-

makers are planning a "Super

Saturday" of creative workshops for April 1 at the extension office in Prestonsburg. Morning workshops will focus on quilting, painted woodcraft, and spring wreaths, and afternoon sessions on embroidery, ceramics and

AARP Tax Aide service begun, February 1

Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP), has begun its tax service for senior citizens and lowincome taxpayers on Tuesday, February 1, and will continue through April 13.

The service will be offered at the Floyd County Library, in Prestonsburg, from 8:30 to 3:30 each Tuesday, and is free to all senior citizens and low-income taxpayers.

#### **P'burg Elementary** SBDM council to meet Elementary Prestonsburg Schools regularly schedued SBDM council meeting will be held Monday, March 6, at 6 p.m. in the

#### Exams for census extended

school auditorium.

Opportunities for persons interested in working with the 2000 Census to take the required exam are much broader than originally announced. The exams will be administered at sites throughout Floyd County from now through March. For information on times and locations, call 1-888-325-7733. Jobs are available as census takers and crew leaders and pay between \$6.50 and \$13 an hour. If you call the toll-free number, indicate that you live in the Ashland, Kentucky, region.

#### Support for former addicts

As recovering addicts, we have found it is possible to live without the use of drugs with the help of Narcotics Anonymous. If you are still using and can't stop, we can help. Give yourself a break. Call 886-6760, 886-9167 or 1-888-987-7700 for more information.

Clothing; articles found Allen Central Middle School Y.S.C. has several coats and other articles of clothing brought in that have been found in the school. If you have misplaced your coat at school, come by the center to see if it has been brought to the Youth

If you have ideas you would like to share or certain topics you would like to discuss, please attend; we need your input. Parent Support Groups are not for bad parents. They are for parents who want to do their very best for their families. Please attend either or both of the next two Parent Support Goups to be held at the McDowell Family Resource Center . The first group will meet on February 16 from 10 a.m. to noon. The other will meet on February 22 from noon to 1:30 p.m.

Floyd County Health Department has a clinic open at the Center each Monday to see patients concerning school (head start, kindergarten and sixth grade) physicals, W.I.C., immunizations, female exams, well-child exams and other services. For more information or to make an appointment, call 377-2678.

· A counselor from Mountain Comprehensive Care is at the Center two days a week for students who are in need of counseling services. Call the Center if you feel your child could benefit from this service, 377-2678.

#### **Clark Family Resource Center** Calendar

Nursing services: A nurse from the Floyd County Health Department is in the center on Fridays. Services available: Physicals for 5th grade students entering 6th grade in the next school year; pre-school, headstart, and kindergarten physicals, physicals for any student, age birth-21 years old; blood pressure screening, TB skin tests, baby shots. Call the center at 886-0815 for an appointment. These services are available to anyone in the community.

GED classes have been scheduled for Fridays, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., at the center.

After school child care is Monday through Friday, school days, from 3 p.m.-5:30 p.m. There are currently openings for enrollment in after school child care. Call the center for more information, 886-0815.

#### Science exhibit open to public

The science exhibit "The World We Create." sponsored by the East Kentucky Science Center and the Louisville Science Center, is open at the Mountain Arts Center in the afternoons and on Saturdays through February 29. Anyone can come in from 3 p.m.-6 p.m., free of charge, and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. -4 p.m.





#### To wed Saturday

Michael Vance of Beaver and Norma Vance of Galveston announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Vance, and Doug Arnett, the son of Jim and Elsie Arnett of Royalton. The wedding will take place Saturday, February 26, at 1:30 p.m. at the Royalton United Baptist Church. The custom of open ceremony will be observed.

### **Arts education** showcase set for Whitesburg

Appalshop will host an Arts Education Showcase in Whitesburg on March 14, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

During the Showcase, educators are introduced to a wide variety of arts and cultural resources, which are available for use in their schools.

All artists and organizations go through an audition process and are reviewed by a panel of professional artists and educators.

The Kentucky Center for the Arts, in partnership with other arts and cultural organizations across the state, offers the Showcase program as an opportunity to find creative methods of reaching the Academic Expectations prescribed in the Kentucky Education Reform Act [KERA] through the arts.

Classroom teachers, arts specialists, school administrators, parents and community members are invited to attend. Registration fee is \$7 per person and includes lunch and an Arts Resource Directory.

The Arts education Showcase is an educational outreach program of the Kentucky Center for the Arts and is presented as a cooperative program with Appalshop.

For more information or an audience registration form, contact Barbara Church at Appalshop 606-633-0108 or email bchurch@appalshop.org. Information is available on the web site at www.appalshop.org.



The name of the halibut fish comes from the word holy since it was widely used as food on Christian holy days.

topiary. Pre-registration and pre-payment of \$10 per workshop are required by March 17. Contact Theresa Scott, 606/886-2668.

#### Quilter's Day Out set for Pikeville

The Pike County and Mingo-Pike quilt guilds are hosting Quilter's Day Out on Saturday, March 18, beginning at 10 a.m. at the Pike County Extension Service.

Advanced, beginner and inbetween quilters are encouraged to bring work to show, and they will receive hands-on experience on folded flowers and see demonstrations of pieced snowball quilt and chenille work.

Lunch will be provided. The event is free, but pre-registration is required. Contact the Pike County Extension Office at 1-800-233-1390 or 606/433-2534.

#### Alice Lloyd College offers one stop program

The Kentucky Department for Employment Services and Alice Lloyd College have joined in helping both citizens of Kentucky and students of ALC find jobs, write resumes, and provide information on labor markets, career options, education and training programs, and much more. There are currently about 20 One Stop Program Offices statewide. The assistance received its free of charge and more information may be obtained through the Alice Lloyd College Career Development Office. Both the One Stop Program Office and the Career Development Office are located on the second floor of the Student Center on the campus of ALC. Call the ALC Career Development Office at 606/368-6136, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Service Center.

#### Fund-raiser planned

Wesley Christian Academy is planning an activity to raise funds to purchase playground equipment. A \$10 donation covers dinner, door prizes and the chance to win \$1,000 in cash during the March 13 event from 6 to 8 p.m. For tickets, contact the school at 874-8328, or any student. Contributions are tax deductible.

#### SF Youth Service Center

Walking track is open to the general public, 7 a.m. till 5 p.m. (walking track is closed during special events). The Center is sponsoring several guest presentations. Contact the center for time and subjects. The center has a One-stop Career Station satellite, available to the community as well as to the students. Stop in Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Anyone interested in Adult Education should contact the center.

The South Floyd Youth Services Center is located on South Floyd's campus in room 232. For more information, contact Keith Smallwood or Mable Hall 606/452-9600, ext. 243.

#### McDowell FRC services

The following events and activities will be held at the McDowell Family Resource Center.

· GED classes are held each Monday from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Center. These classes are free for anyone wanting to earn the GED

· Bi-monthly Advisory Council Meetings are held on the first Thursday of that month at 6 p.m. The next meeting will be held on April 6.

· Parents who are looking for new ideas on effective discipline techniques, assisting with homework, getting children to help with chores, how to provide healthier meals and snacks for their families, effective household budgeting, and other topics should attend the next Parent Support Group.

#### **Pikeville Methodist** Hospital **Community** Calendar March 2000

March 3: St. Francis of Assisi School will host a spaghetti dinner from noon until 4 p.m. at the school. Ticket prices are adults, \$5, and children \$3. Carry out available.

March 6: CPR Community Class will be offered from 9 a.m. until noon, at the Education Center, located in the Wallen & Cornette Building. Pre-register at 437-3965.

#### Dinner planned

St. Francis School in Pikeville is having a spaghetti dinner on Friday, March 3, from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. The event will take place in the basement of the Pikeville United Methodist Church. Carry out will be available. Tickets for adults are \$5, and for children, \$3.

#### PHS SBDM council meeting

The Prestonsburg High School SBDM council will have its regular meeting on Thursday, March 2, at 5 p.m., in the library.

#### **Big Sandy Abuse Center**

If you are a victim of abuse, remember it is not your fault! The abuser is responsible for their behavior. If there is no intervention, the abuse will only get worse over time. Break the cycle of abuse; call the Big Sandy Family Abuse Center's 24-hour crisis line to find a way out of victimization. Call 886-6025, or out-of-the-area 1-800-649-6605. Remember: Love doesn't have to hurt!

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## usiness valuations: Know your business's true worth

Whether your business is large or small, located in a city or suburb, service or product dependent, there's at least one thing you should know for sure: how much the business is worth. Your business's value can change over time, and that means you can be caught unaware if you suddenly must sell the business.

To prevent this, the Kentucky Society of CPAs recommends that you obtain a business valuation.

What is a business valuation? The reason for obtaining a business valuation, or business appraisal as it is also called, is to get an impartial opinion as to the value of the business. Valuations typically determine the "fair market value" of a company. Keep in mind that this may be different than the "value" that you had in mind.

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has defined "fair market value" as the price at which property would change hands between a willing buyer and a willing seller, when the seller is not under any compulsion to sell, and both parties have reasonable knowledge of the relevant facts.

What is value?

dependent on the facts and circumstances specific to the individual situation. Valuations take into consideration a business's past financial performance, its present financial condition and performance and, most importantly, its future prospects. Economic factors, industry trends, and management issues impacting the business also are assessed.

Be aware too, that there are different methods for valuing a business. These vary depending on such things as the relative size of ownership being valued, the nature of the business, the services it provides, and how the valuation will be used.

How can business valuations help you?

Here are some reasons why you may need a business valuation:

Buying a business. You should get the prospective business professionally valued so you understand the full worth of your investment.

Selling a business. The IRS requires a full valuation to support

the allocation of the total purchase financial statement may not pro-The value of a business is also price and its components for tax purposes.

Developing an estate plan. If you are planning to pass on the business to your heirs, it's critical to understand its worth. This will help to ensure that you distribute your estate equitably.

Determining stockholder/ partnership buyout terms. When considering buying out an individual or partner, the last thing you want to do is shell out more money than necessary. A business valuation will assure you that your offer is on target.

Dobtaining additional financing. A valuation may disclose additional information that a business's vide. This can affect the amount that a lender is willing to make available.

Planning a merger or acquisition. Valuations are required of at least one and generally both businesses in a merger or acquisition.

Dissolving or selling your business. For tax and financial reporting purposes, valuations are generally necessary. Besides, you may find that the business is worth even more than you thought.

Offering employee stock and ownership plans (ESOP). An ESOP can provide certain tax and additional advantages for private companies, as well as offer significant employee incentives. To offer such

plans, a valuation of the employer's how. securities must be performed at the onset and thereafter at least annual-

Planning your divorce. In the case of divorce, equitable distribution rules may require that a spouse's ownership interest in a closely held business generally be valued as of the date of the complaint.

What to look for in a business valuation specialist

Since a business is often an individual's most valuable asset, it is important that the valuation be conducted by a qualified professional. The individual should have experience in performing valuations and possess tax and business know-

For example, CPAs are experienced business advisors, accustomed to working with management on numerous strategic, operational and financial matters. They are also adept a dealing with the IRS on behalf of their clients. Some CPAs also possess an accreditation in business valuation (ABV) from the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA). For ( more information, contact the AICPA at 212/596-6069.

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## Two tax credit programs for employers extended

grams for employers who hire welfare recipients and people from other certain groups have been extended through December 31, 2001.

The Work Opportunity Tax Credit (WOTC) and the Welfare-to-Work Tax Credit (W2W Tax Credit) programs offer employers an annual tax savings for each eligible hire.

Margaret Whittet, commissioner of the Department for Employment Services, which administers the programs, said the programs are designed to help individuals who have historically had the most difficulty obtaining employment. The department is an agency of the Cabinet for Workforce Development.

"The programs are beneficial to employers

FRANKFORT - Two federal tax credit pro- because they provide a significant financial communities, veterans, people with disabilities incentive when employers hire welfare recipients and others who have had special problems getting and keeping a job," Whittet said.

"The programs can give some people the break they need to get work. Both programs have played a significant role in welfare reform.

The WOTC program gives employers a federal income tax credit of up to \$2,400 for each eligible person hired. Among those potentially eligible for the WOTC are certain welfare recipients, food stamp and Supplemental Security

Income recipients, young people living in federal empowerment zones and enterprise and ex-felons.

The W2W Tax Credit program provides up to \$8,500 federal income tax credit for each eligible hire. Those eligible for the W2W Tax Credit program are generally persons who have been long-term welfare recipients.

The actual amounts of the tax credits for both programs are based upon wages paid and length of time the worker is employed.

Kentucky employers who want more information on how to take advantage of the program may contact Barbara Gilley, state WOTC coordinator, at 502/564-7456. Information also is available at Department for Employment Services local offices throughout Kentucky.

future, you certainly plan for it. And, the best way to ensure that you'll be fiscally secure is to have in place a sound financial plan. According to the Kentucky Society of CPAs, a good plan provides an accurate snapshot of your current financial situation, focuses on your then establishes strategies for meeting your goals. What goes into a plan depends on what you want to accomplish. However, a comprehensive plan prepared by a reputable financial planning professional, typically covers the broad spectrum of your finances. The Kentucky Society of CPAs offers the following advice on how to get started and what you should expect to find in a financial plan.

While you can't predict the al balance sheet, which is a state- that asset allocation, a well-con- ing income, and utilizing taxment showing your assets-the value of what you own, minus your liabilities and what you owe. This statement provides a snapshot of your net worth and serves as the foundation of your financial plan. Cash flow analysis

A key part of your financial plan calls for protecting your assets by The cash flow statement includ- determining whether you are propgoals and estimates their costs, and ed in your financial plan reflects erly insured against sickness, disability, and death, and whether you, your family and your property are well protected against damage. injury, and damage suits. In recommending the types and amounts of insurance coverage you need, your financial plan takes into account your lifestyle, your objectives, the number of dependents you have, and your other sources of income.

ceived financial plan provides rec-

ommendations for assembling a

balanced and diversified portfolio

of investments.

**Insurance** needs

favored investment instruments are some of the strategies your financial planner might recommend.

Estate planning

Last, but certainly not least, a thorough financial plan outlines a strategy for protecting your assets for your heirs. In addition to a review of your will, your financial plan might include a comprehensive plan involving gifts, trusts, and other strategies for transferring wealth to your children, your favorite charities, and other beneficiaries.

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35	9.09	13.17
40	10.93	16.87
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#### **Getting started**

A good financial plan begins with a complete and accurate compilation of facts about your family's financial life. You'll need to gather basic documents such as insurance policies, income tax returns, and retirement plans. You also will need to provide your planner with a clear picture of your income and expenses, the amount and types of investments and assets you hold, and a list of your debts.

In addition to this factual information, you will need to identify your goals. Do you want to buy a home? Put your children through college? Start a business? Retire early?

Defining your priorities and being forthcoming about what you want out of life are critical to your financial plan. To ensure the development of a plan that reflects personal qualities and is in alignment with your values, you also need to share with your financial planner the level of your financial knowledge and expertise, your general attitude toward money, and your tolerance of risk.

A good financial plan takes into consideration general economic conditions, tax laws, and the current investment climate.

#### Financial plan components

In addition to providing a means for you to clarify your financial position and identify your goals, a financial plan recommends specific strategies aimed at achieving your highest priorities. These strategies typically fall under the headings of net worth, cash flow analysis, investment planning, insurance needs, and tax and estate planning. Net worth

Before you can begin to plan your financial future, you must take stock of where you are now. Most financial plans begin with a person-

your income flow and shows, for better or worse, how you're actually earning and spending your money. From this statement, you can work, either on your own or with your financial planner, to devise a budget that will help you set spending parameters that are in line with your financial goals.

#### Investment planning

Your financial plan can outline how much capital you need to accumulate to meet certain long-term goals, such as paying for college or providing a secure retirement. A plan also may recommend an asset allocation strategy that reflects your current financial situation, your objectives, your age, and your risk tolerance, as well as the current economic environment. Based on

#### Tax planning

Minimizing taxes is a primary goal of most financial plans. A systematic plan that evaluates the tax implications of your situation and provides strategies for minimizing your federal, state, and estate tax liability is critical to your financial success. Deferring tax liability, maximizing the use of income adjustments and deductions, shift-

Ultimately, a good financial plan must be clear, concise, and doable. A financial plan is of little use until and unless it is implemented. And once it is implemented, CPAs say it is important that you review your plan regularly and have it updated whenever there is a change in your personal circumstances.

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## What to do when your parents need your help

More and more baby boomers are becoming official members of the sandwich generation-that group of adult children squeezed between caring for aging parents and raising growing children. One of the many challenging responsibilities these adult children face is the task of handling their parents' financial and legal obligations. The Kentucky Society of CPAs offers the following advice.

#### **Talking money**

Many adults approach talking to their parents about finances will the same kind of anxiety they feel about talking to their children about sex. While it may be difficult to ask them to talk about illness and death, it is critical that you have this discussion while your parents are mentally competent.

#### Tackling the paperwork

With their permission, locate and review your parents' bank savings and checking accounts', investment and retirement plans, insurance policies, outstanding mortgages and loans, and pension and Social Security payments. It's also a good idea to round up the names of their attorney, stockbroker, insurance agent, financial planner, and CPA.

#### **Handling finances**

When it becomes necessary for you to begin managing a parent's day-to-day finances, you might be inclined to set up a joint account. Before you do so, you should be aware that there are drawbacks to this arrangement.

For example, if either of you gets into financial trouble, creditors can take all the money held jointly, regardless of who owns the money. Also, since

any money in a joint account with your parent becomes yours when your parent dies (regardless of directives in your parent's will), you run the risk of disgruntled siblings.

There are, however, some ways you can simplify your tasks. For one thing, you can save yourself extra trips to the bank by having your parent's Social Security, pension, and dividend checks deposited directly to his or her bank account. You may be able to arrange to have the bank pay your parent's regularly recurring bills, such as insurance premiums.

#### Putting legal documents in place

Make sure your parent has a will and that it is up to date. If the estate is sizable, he or she might consider establishing trusts. In addition to saving on estate taxes, trusts can be designed to accomplish many different objectives.

Your parent also should have a durable power of attorney drawn up, a legal document that enables your parent (who must be mentally competent when the power is given) to give you or someone else the authority to sign checks, pay bills, and handle his or her financial affairs. Be certain that the power of attorney is durable, since only a durable power of attorney remains in effect if your parent becomes incapacitated,

Two other documents that can make your caregiving task less complicated are a living will, which sets forth your parent's wishes about the use of heroic measures to sustain life, and a healthcare proxy,

## Financial windfalls: How to handle unexpected wealth

lottery and facing a delightful myriad of saving and spending decisions. While only a select few are lucky enough to meet such good fortune, many others come into large sums of money through more conventional routes. A large inheritance, divorce settlement, lump-sum retirement distribution, or insurance settlement can bring a windfall.

Whatever the source, the challenge is the same: how best to handle this new-found wealth. The Kentucky Society of CPAs offers the following advice.

Take the equivalent of a financial deep breath

In other words, don't rush anything. Don't quit your job, sell your home, or book a round-the-world voyage-at least not right away. It's important to take some time to put everything in perspective. Since this good fortune can dramatically alter your lifestyle and your financial goals, you need to take some time to get used to your new wealth and to tery winnings, with professional advice, you

Many people fantasize about winning the consider your options carefully. In the mean- can lower the tax bite on the money your fying your assets among a variety of approtime, it's a good idea to put the proceeds of your windfall in a money market mutual fund, Treasury bills, or some other safe, liquid investment.

#### Plan for Uncle Sam's share

Before you start spending or investing your dollars, you need to meet with a CPA to identify your options and to determine the potential tax bite on your money. There's no income tax on gifts or inheritances, but lottery payoffs and other windfalls come with important tax implications.

Should you have the option to take your windfall in a lump sum or in a series of payments, a CPA can help you select the right alternative. For example, by rolling a 401(k) lump-sum distribution into a self-directed IRA at a bank, brokerage firm, or mutual fund company, you can remain in a tax-deferred situation until you start taking distributions. And while you may not be able to shelter lotwindfall earns for you. In any case, a large windfall is likely to push you into a higher tax bracket and intensify your need for tax plan-

#### Invest wisely

After you've established short- and longterm financial goals, you can begin to develop strategies for putting your money to work. Your objective should be to devise an investment plan that preserves your capital. If you're not experienced in managing a large sum of money, seek advice from an investment advisor or financial planner who is well qualified and trustworthy, such as a CPA who is accredited as a Personal Financial Specialist (CPA/PFS).

Working with this individual, your first step is to create an asset allocation plan that includes not only your new fortune but also your home, your retirement plans, and other existing investments. Then work with your advisor to build a sound portfolio by diversipriate investments. To minimize risk, don't treat your windfall as an excuse to ignore the basics of prudent investing and the need to diversify your investments. Finally, using your financial goal as a basis, your advisor can tell you how much you can prudently take each year from your financial windfall.

#### Learn how to say "no"

It's likely that friends, relatives, and charities will make it important for you to learn how to say "no," or at least, "not yet." Don't allow yourself to be pressured by those looking for a handout until after you have identified your goals and have a financial plan in place. If your winning is public knowledge, you also should be prepared to deal with a deluge of "can't lose" scams.

#### Review your estate plan

Proper estate planning is critical for reducing estate taxes. Work with an attorney who specializes in estate planning to update your will. He or she also can help you create trusts issues, visit our website at www.kycpa.org.

and gift-giving plans for passing your newfound wealth on to your children and/or your favorite charities. Whatever you do, don't underestimate the value of estate planning.

If you thought struggling to pay the bills was tough, you might be surprised to learn of the work involved in managing a large sum of money. If you need help in handling the tax and financial planning aspects of managing a windfall, consult with your CPA.

#### Have some fun

Once you can put a price tag on your tax bill and have some idea of what's left of your after-tax windfall, earmark an appropriate portion to spend on something frivolous that you might not have done otherwise. It's okay to get that shopping spree or travel lust out of your system, as long as you don't foolishly squander all of your funds.

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### Valentine with a twist

#### by Bruce Mayberry

"I married a tax delinquent" is not the title of a hot new comedy coming out of Hollywood. It's a national tragedy that takes place all over the country every year. The moment the loving couple files a joint tax return, the tax problems of one become the tax problems of the other. The following is an example of how it works.

Sue Ann (not her real name) was a tax delinquent. She was a stunningly beautiful, high fashion model who had amassed an IRS planned the details of her wedding debt in excess of \$100,000. As a model, she worked as an independent contractor and filed a 1099 tax form

Like many independent contractors, she did not save one-third of her salary every time she got paid, but spent all her money plus a little bit more

new tax policies that had been in Europe for three months. designed for people just like her. Because she had never heard of an "Offer in Compromise" she missed the window of opportunity to settle for pennies on the dollar.

In July, Sue Ann met David, a very successful businessman, and they fell madly in love. He wined and dined her, treated her like a queen and in September popped the question. Sue Ann was ecstatic. A huge wedding was planned for the following year.

During that year Sue Ann and the IRS began asking her to settle her debt. She didn't have the money, though she was certain it could come and ignored the warnings. The truth was that she believed David wouldn't love her if she owned up to her troubles, so she never mentioned them.

They returned home and in the course of events filed a joint income tax return.

Three month's later David discovered he had tax problems when he received an "IRS Notice of Intent to Levy" his considerable estate. He was not understanding. To avoid subjecting his assets to IRS seizure Sue Ann agreed to have the marriage annulled.

Sue Ann finally sought the help of a professional tax resolution company and made her "Offer in Compromise." Exactly a year and three months to the day on which her marriage had been annulled, the IRS settled her \$100,000 tax debt for \$5,000 which, based on her income and assets, was the amount they determined she could afford to

Unfortunately, David had David, for his part, had his moved on and was about to marry The end of her modeling career lawyers draw up a very detailed another strikingly beautiful

### Size of benefit depends on level of earnings

Form W-2 in the mail sometime in January telling you how much you earned during the past year. It's a good time to discuss the relation-Security taxes and the benefits they generate.

In fact, some of the answers may already be at your fingertips. Since October 1, 1999, Social Security has been sending out statements to people 25 and over, telling them how much they have paid in taxes and how much they and their families can expect in benefits when they retire, die or if they become disabled. And if your birthday is not close enough, you can call Social Security and have a statement sent to you.

Many people believe that how much they get in Social Security benefits will depend on how much they pay in Social Security taxes. That's not quite true. Actually, your Social Security benefit amount depends on how much you earn. It's based on your average annual earnings over your working career and generally the higher the average, the higher your benefit amount.

progressive. It is weighted to pay a higher rate of return to low earners. In general, low earners may expect to receive monthy benefits ship between your earnings, Social equal to about 53 percent of their prior monthly earnings. Average earners get about 40 percent and maximum earners about 24 percent

> The highest benefit payable to a person who retires in January 2000, at age 65, after paying taxes on maximum taxable earnings

You received your annual IRS However, the benefit formula is over the years is \$1,433. For the 65-year-old worker retiring in January 2000, with average earnings, the benefit is \$987. The low earner receives \$597.00.

To find out how all this adds up to Social Security protection for you and your family, you should review your Social Security statement. You also can get your Statement from Social Security by calling our toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213. Or you can order it from the Internet at www.ssa.gov.



What should you do with your

hadn't been planned and she was never quite certain exactly what happened, but one April when she had her accountant prepare her taxes, she discovered she owed \$60,000 and she didn't have the money to pay the tax.

The next year wasn't any better. and she didn't file taxes. Since she couldn't deal with the problem, she chose to ignore it and when the IRS didn't immediately start to threaten her she convinced herself that she would be back at the top of the heap by the time the IRS discovered her.

Sue Ann did not realize, because she never approached a tax professional, that she was in a perfect position to take advantage of the

pre-nuptial agreement spelling out in detail just what Sue Ann would lose if she and David would ever separate. The pre-nuptials unnerved Sue Ann even more. This was a marriage with a lot at stake.

No one thought to ask if Sue Ann had any difficulty with the IRS, and Sue Ann was so afraid of jeopardizing her relationship, she never mentioned it.

Sue Ann's wedding was the event of the year. There were several hundred guests in attendance. Everyone agreed that she was the most beautiful bride they had ever seen, and everyone acknowledged that David was an excellent catch. Sue Ann and David honeymooned woman

Delinquent Tax Specialists constantly advise clients like Sue Ann to make an "Offer in Compromise" when they can least afford to pay their debt. Chances are the IRS will allow them to settle for pennies on the dollar, and when the pendulum swings, and good fortune presents itself, their IRS debt is settled. It will not come back to haunt them.

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When you worked last year you paid Social security taxes at a rate of 6.20 percent of your earnings up to \$72,600. (This "maximum amount of taxable earnings" increases each year with increases in wage levels; in 2000, it will increase to \$76,200.) All your earnings are taxed at a rate of 1.45 percent for Medicare hospital insurance coverage.

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#### Parents

allowing you or the person named in the document to make medical decisions on behalf of a parent. Legal requirements for powers of attorney, health care proxies and living wills vary from state to state.

When executing legal documents, make sure you consult with an attorney in the state where your parent legally resides.

Taking tax breaks There are several tax strategies that can help to ease the financial burden of helping elderly parents. If you provide more than half of their support, and if certain other dependency rules are met, you may be entitled to claim the dependency exemption. This tax breaks applies whether or not your parent lives with you.

If you and your siblings share the costs of financially supporting your parent, and none of you contributes more than half the amount spent on support, you may enter into a multiple support agreement. Under such an agreement, one of you, with the permission of the others, claims the exemption. The person claiming the exemption must attach Form 2120 to his or her tax return.

If your parent qualifies as your dependent, you also may be eligible to deduct the medical expenses you pay for that parent. The medical deduction is limited to the amount by which the medical expenses you pay on behalf of your parent, combined with your own family's medical expenses, exceeds 7.5 percent of your adjusted gross income.

If your parent lives with you, you may include as medical expenses any costs you incur for installing special railings, ramps, or grab bars, or for widening doors for a wheelchair-bound parent.

Medical expenses are deductible

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only by the taxpayer who actually pays them. You should not give your dependent the money to pay the expense, but should instead pay the provider or supplier directly, if you wish to be able to take the deduction.

The dependent care credit, the same tax break that helps working parents defray some of the costs of child care, can help if you are caring for a dependent parent in your home and need to hire help to care for your parent while you work. The amount of the credit depends on your income and on how much you spend for the care.

If your employer offers a dependent care spending account, check to see if you may be better off using this option, which allows you to use pretax dollars (typically up to \$5,000 of the amount you spend) for the care of a dependent parent living with you. You can use one or the other, but not both.

CPAs, especially those specially licensed to offer CPA ElderCare services, can provide additional information and assistance to you when sorting out legal and financial issues involved with caring for an aging parent.

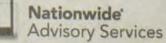
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## The Numbers Game

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#### City council approves plan to raise water, sewer rates

Steps to increase local water and sewer rates have finally been taken, and the new rates are expected to take effect sometime within the coming month.

After several weeks of discussion and disagreement, the Salyersville City Council agreed to the proposed increase during a regular meeting, February 14.

The new rates, which were approved by a 3-2 vote, calls for a 35 cents per thousand gallon increase for customers using between 2,000 and 5,000 gallons, of water. The same rate pertains to sewage as ) Magoffin well. County

Up to 2,000 gallons will remain at the current set rate. The rate increase is the first in Salyersville in 10 years, according to Mayor Joe Howard-The Salyersville Independent

#### Helton assumes duties as new boss of middle school

If Scott Helton seems a little more settled, it is with good reason.

Since the beginning of the current school year, Helton shared his time and effort between Prater Borders Elementary and John T. Arnett Elementary, serving as halftime principal for both schools.

#### **Church House Scandal!**

A 10-page letter written by a 47-year-old youth choir leader to a 14-year-old female singer ended in a guilty plea to harassing communications, February 7, in Martin District Court.

Ronald Joplin, of Williamson, West Virginia, was fined \$78.50 and ordered not to have any contact with the victim or her family for two years.

Thurrell Stepp, father of the young girl, said he had no option but to pursue this in court. He presented the matter before the board and pastor of Calvary Temple Church in Lovely, claiming that the letter, along with phone conversations and emails, attempted to solicit his daughter's affection .-The Mountain Citizen

Thief hits Warfield Tobacco — Owner offers

#### Attorney general probes judge's residency

The Kentucky Attorney General's Office is investigating allegations that interim Judge John A. Gardner doesn't live in the 24th Judicial District and should be removed from office.

Gardner said last Thursday that a complaint was recently filed with the attorney general asking that ouster proceedings begin to remove him from the office he has held since January. Gardner said he was not told who filed the complaint.

The complaint is apparently based on rumors that Gamder moved to Lexington when he was elected to the Kentucky Court of Appeals in Lawrence 1991. Gardner said Thursday, that although his 6 wife, Marilyn, moved to Fayette County so

Now, though, almost two weeks into his new assignment as principal of Herald Whitaker Middle School, he is ready to focus his full attention on one school, one agenda and one goal.

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"It gives me a little more time to focus on just one school," Helton said. "I can spend all my time seeing to the duties and meeting the needs here rather than traveling back and forth."

Heading the list of duties for Helton is classroom instruction, which he says is the key to a strong educational foundation.—The Salyersville Independent

#### Police officers, area resident honored here by federal agency

Members of the Salyersville Police Department, along with a Magoffin County citizen, were honored for their law enforcement efforts and bravery during a brief ceremony at City Hall on February 14.

Police Commissioner Greg Patrick and veteran patrolman Creed Patrick, both of the Salversville Police Department, were recognized by the Division of Alcohol. Tobacco and Firearms for their assistance in a 1998 case involving stolen guns.

Don Patrick also was given a plaque of appreciation for his bravery and assistance to police investigating the incident.-The Salyersville Independent

#### \$1,000 reward

A \$1,000 reward is being offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person(s) who made off with about 125 cartons of cigarettes in an early morning break-in at Warfield Tobacco.

An employee arrived at the store at 6:45 a.m., and discovered a glass entrance door had been shattered. Apparently the thief had thrown a crow bar (wrecking bar) through the door, and then took items Martin directly in the front of the door. Det. Steve County Bowman, who is investigating the break-in. recovered the wrecking bar for possible fingerprints.

Store owner David Marcum said a neighbor heard the store alarm activate between 2:15 and 2:30 a.m. The resident peered out the window but did not see a vehicle of anyone around the front of the store .-- The Mountain Citizen

Court, said he met with Commonwealth's Attorney Anna Melvin and her assistant, Ron Burchett, on January 20, to discuss the case against his wife, Coleen Jordan. Jordan said the charge against his wife and the possible penalty she would face it convicted were explained to him by the prosecutors. The penalty, he said, "could range from one year to 20 years if found guilty."

"I have asked the commonwealth attorney to make a plea offer to Coleen that would involve recommendation of

five years of imprisonment, but probated for a period of five years, during which Coleen would be required to undergo drug counseling for her drug problem," Charles Jordan said in his statement.---The Big Sandy News

#### After six-month wait, water flows at Mill Branch

When Ruby Thompson went to her kitchen sink recently and saw the crystal-clear water flow out, she cried.

Water often is taken for granted, but for the Mill Branch woman, the ability to turn on the spigot and use that water, signifies the end of a six-month battle

The woman, along with several of her neighbors, filed suit last year against Blue Flame Energy, a local gas company, later found to be responsible for allowing a soaplike drilling agent to enter some wells in the narrow hollow in the southwestern part of Pike County last August.

Thompson's home was one of six whose water supplies were proven to have contained surfactant, a soaplike drilling detergent used in Blue Flame's drilling operations.-Appalachian News-Express

#### June trial date set for two linked to fatal shooting

For the first time since being implicated in the fatal shooting of a Jimmies Creek man, last September, Tommy "Boonie" Dotson came face-to- . earned income credit.-Appalachian News-Express

#### Tourist center planning advances

With a possible \$150,000 in state funding coming, city Tourism Commission members agreed Thursday to mover forward their plans to build a tourist information and welcome center near Staffordsville.

The plan, which has been a topic of discussion for two years, is moving closer to reality with the state's 2000-2001 budget and a commitment from state transportation officials to declare the proposed site - adjacent to Paintsville exit from Route 23 south at Staves Branch - as surplus property. Johnson

The cost of the facility has been project-County ed at \$300,000, but actual figures won't be available until plans are drawn. The commission will meet in special session at 8 a.m., Monday, to choose a firm for the design phase.-The Paintsville Herald

#### March pretrial set in capital case

The suspect in a double homicide pleaded not guilty via video last Friday, in the first use of the new technology in a felony case.

Chadd VanHoose, 19, entered his plea from the Big. Sandy Detention Center, where he is being held without

face with the man who has accused him of taking part in the killing.

Dressed in dark jail attire, Dotson and Curtis Murphy, both charged in the shooting death of 27year-old Chad Ratliff, sat just feet from each other in Pike Circuit Court, last Friday, as Judge Charles E. Lowe Jr. set a June 5 trial date for the pair.

#### Gibson, workers clash over tax forms

An apparent error with Pike County's financial computer system and the people using it has

resulted in a very public disagreement between Judge-Executive Karen Gibson and some of the county's 130 hourly workers represented by the United Mine Workers of America.

The manner in which many workers' W2 tax forms were filled out by Gibson's financial officers has some of those employees concerned they could see less of a tax return than they feel they should, according to J. C. Chaney, president of UMWA's local 621

Chaney, who also brought with him four county workers, told the fiscal court during its meeting, Monday, the section of the workers' W2s dealing with pay held out for retirement was done incorrectly, placing that amount in line to be added to total income amounts and taxed for those getting

bond on two charges of capital murder. Though he pleaded not guilty, VanHoose admitted shooting his parents - James and Beverly VanHoose - to death on January 10, at their Boyd Branch home. He has contended that the killings were accidental, after he mistook his parents for burglars.

Police rejected VanHoose's claims of mistaken identity and indicted him on two counts of capital murder, a death penalty offense. While investigators have offered little information on the case, court documents

suggest that VanHoose's correspondence with an Ohio woman may point to a motive.-The Paintsville Herald

#### Two from PHS are finalists

Once more the "cream has risen to the top" as two Paintsville High School seniors, Joseph W. Brown and Stephen M. Conley, have been designated as finalists in the National Merit Scholarship program.

Brown and Conley entered the 2000 program as ( juniors by taking the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test which served as an initial screen for program entrants. The highest scorers in each state were designated semi-finalists .- The Paintsville Herald

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after she was diagnosed with breast cancer, he remained in Paintsville.-The Big Sandy News

#### Victim seeking plea bargain in

#### shooting case

A Blaine man has asked the commonwealth's attorney's office to offer a plea bargain agreement to his wife, who is charged with attempted murder for allegedly shooting him last November.

Charles Hobie Jordan, in a victim statement signed February 3 and filed February 11, in Lawrence Circuit

#### Leaks and moldy classrooms

#### being addressed at Ezel

Mold and mildew caused by dampness from a leaking roof at Ezel Elementary were the cause of concern by some parents last week after efforts to eradicate the mold forced one class to be evacuated temporarily.

Mike Lacy, maintenance supervisor for the Morgan County schools, said the efforts to rid the classroom ceiling of mold, which included spraying with a mild disinfectant and then drying the area with electric heaters, appears to have brought about some Morgan improvement. But it will be only a short-term solution, he said, if the leaking problem is not solved.

Lacy said two roofing contractors have been called into help determine if the building's leaking roof can be repaired or needs to be replaced. They are expected to inspect the roof this week .- The Licking Valley Courier

#### State inspectors conduct search for PCBs in **Blairs Mills community**

George Weems of the Division of Waste Management Office in Frankfort confirmed, Tuesday, that he and other

#### Caney Creek employees lose jobs

Former employees picketed outside Caney Creek Rehabilitation Center this week following the termination of 39 jobs, last Friday, February 18.

Many of those who lost their jobs were Knott Countains.

The 80-bed personal care home for adults with serious mental illness is run by Kentucky River Community Care through a management contract with the state of Kentucky.

Dr. Louise Howell, executive director of KRCC, said, "The initiative was simply budgetary.

"Some of those involved are upset and . I know they have a right to be disangry tressed," Howell told the Times on Monday.

The terminations were made from top down, Howell explained, involving supervisors, nurses, counselors and technicians. No jobs were eliminated in housekeeping, cooking or maintenance.-Troublesome Creek Times

#### Road bond issue passed by fiscal court

An ordinance authorizing a \$500,000 road bond passed with a 3-2 vote in a regular meeting of the Knott School board awards bid for

#### new gym seats

Spectators at Lawrence County High School basketball games will have more comfortable seats following action, Monday night, by the county school board.

But with comforts comes sacrifice, school board members learned in awarding a bid for new seating in the LCHS gymnasium. A \$107,992 bid awarded to Hadden Company of Louisville to replace the gym's bottom bleachers with new, chair-back seating will mean there will be fewer seats, school officials said .- The Big Sandy News

inspectors from the Cabinet for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection were in Morgan County two weeks ago to conduct a search for traces of dangerous PCBs from electrical power equipment alleged to have been illegally buried in the Blairs Mills community.

Weems is the state PCB program inspector in this area.

Weems said the search was prompted by a call from Morgan County by a person who claimed that he had witnessed electrical capacitors that may have contained PCBs being buried in a field on the farm of Licking Valley RECC maintenance foreman Larry Esterling. -The Licking Valley Courier

#### ARC grant OK'd, 172 line funding complete

An Appalachian Regional Commission grant to help add 284 homes along KY 172 and Hwy. 437 in Morgan County's rural water system was approved last week in Congress. The announcement was made, February 16, by U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers and U.S. Sen. Jim Bunning.

The ARC grant will be combined with a federal grant of \$847,000 and a loan of \$332,000 from USDA Rural Development. Total cost of the project will be \$1,748,950. -The Licking Valley Courier

#### Fiscal Court last Wednesday.

Magistrate Ronnie Adams gave a lengthy explanation of his position as he voted against the bond.

"The fiscal year ends in June, so we have only two months left in this year. So for two months of government, we'd be putting the county in debt for seven years. I don't see how we can do that, and look at ourselves.

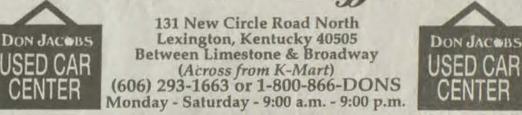
"Things could go bad," Adams continued. "One example, the city at one time had a sewer bond issue, and they defaulted. Residents of the city had to pay an extra tax."-Troublesome Creek Knott Times

#### Courageous cheerleader

#### inspires others

As Ashley Bentley, a peppy, 10-year-old cheerleader at Jones Fork Elementary, smiles and follows the routines, it's not immediately obvious that she wears an artificial leg with a Tweety Bird decal.

Ashley is an ordinary preteen, with the same interests and dreams of girls her age. To become a well adjusted, happy youngster, in spite of the circumstances, she developed a spunky personality.-Troublesome Creek Times



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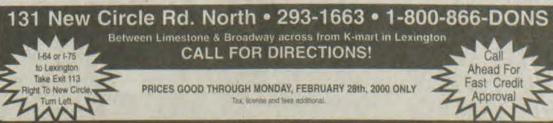
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Magoffin at Allen Central **Poor shooting Allen Central** falls to Magoffin County Fans say goodbye to Martin, Howell

Prestonsburg Wrestling State wrestling meet ... **Chaffin:** Prestonsburg's first state medalist

Three years ago, high school wrestling came to Prestonsburg High School. During the three years, the 1999-2000 team has seen a lot of success, placing two in the regional meet and one in the state event last week.

Nick Chaffin became the first Prestonsburg grappler to medal in the state meet. He finished sixth in last week's event in the 103-pound class in Frankfort.

Chaffin became the second Prestonsburg wrestler to qualify for the state tournament. Hank Mullins was the first Blackcat to qualify for a state meet during the 1998-99 season. This season, Mullins was bothered by injuries and did not qualify for the state meet.

Chaffin, a freshman, placed fourth in the regional meet two weeks ago, qualifying for the state tournament. By placing fourth, Chaffins was seeded against the top-seeded grappler from Union County, Nathan Thomas. Thomas defeated Chaffin 6-2 in a first-round match.

Chaffin was paired against Billy Whitehouse from South Oldham in a second round match, winning the match 4-2 to advance on. In a close one, Chaffin defeated Campbell County's Joe Hagedon in a third round match, 1-0.

With the first rounds ended, Chaffin faced a wrestler from Fort Campbell and pinned him for a 6-2 win.

With the win, Chaffins got another crack at Thomas from Union County. Thomas posted a 6-4 decision over Chaffin in the match.

In his final match on Saturday, Chaffin lost to Wayne County's Doug Upchurch for a sixth-place finish.

"I am very proud of Nick," said Prestonsburg wrestling Coach Jerry Butcher. "He has

worked hard all year. All of our wrestlers have worked hard. We

have had a good season and I

Heath Chaffin, Kevin Jervis,

(See CHAFFINS, page two)

Mike Fannin, Tommy Nelson

and Josh Francis are freshmen

believe we will just keep

improving every year.'



Piarist Knights preview

## Confidence high as Piarist looks toward district

#### by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

George Hall has developed into one of the top men's basketball players around the 15th Region. He has recorded his second triple-double in as his basketball abilities.

many weeks. But Hall plays for the Piarist Knights, a private school in Martin.

The Knights compete in the Three Rivers Conference as well as in the 58th District and Hall gets little recognition for

Piarist at Riverside, girls

### Meyer scores 15 but Piarist drops close encounter to Riverside, 62-58

#### by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

The Piarist Lady Knights had their best offensive game n of the year but still fell to Riverside 62-58 in a Three Rivers. Conference game last Friday night.

Emily Meyer scored a team-high 15 points to lead three players in double figures. Kari Ross netted 14 and Morgan Caldwell scored 13. Chasity Ison finished with seven, while Tai England finished with six. Clarissa Mulliken had three points.

Ross hauled in 15 rebounds in the game. Mulliken finished with seven. Ross had four assists.

Game scoring honors went to Riverside's Amanda Gross with 28 points. Brenda Neece added 18 and Pam Slone scored 12.

Gross scored 10 of her points in the first quarter and Neece had seven first-period points which included a threepoint basket. Meyer had a trey for the Lady Knights, as did

(See MEYERS, page two)

Allen Central's Jessica Martin (50), top, shoots a free throw, Erin Majakey (23), right, shoots a lay up, while Kari Osborne (32), bottom, guards an inbounds play. (photos by Ed Taylor)

He does so much with the

basketball - scores, hits the

threes, rebounds and is a big

assist player, as well. He is a

complete basketball player and

no doubt will play at the next

teams in the region, likes the

smaller school atmosphere and

he said in an earlier interview

this season. "I like being the

go-to player and helping my

ability that Coach Darnella Bradley is hoping will allow

the Knights to be the surprise

team in next week's 58th

District basketball tournament

coaches the girls program,

likes the attitude of her team

we have a shot at beating

Prestonsburg," said Bradley.

"At this stage anything can

happen. A team can come in

and have a bad night.

Prestonsburg has struggled this

year and we have had our

(See KNIGHTS, page two)

going into the tournament.

Coach Bradley, who also

"I feel and the players feel

It is that attitude and Hall's

the team he is playing for.

teammates.

at Allen Central.

Hall, who could start for

"I like the smaller school,"

level at a small college.

#### by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

It was senior night at Allen Central's J.E. Campbell Arena as Lady Rebel fans said farewell to two departing seniors, Jessica Martin and Shanna Howell, amidst tears from both players and parents.

But it was the Magoffin Lady Hornets spoiling the special night for Allen Central.

No matter what defense the Allen Central Lady Rebels played, the Magoffin County Lady Hornets threw over it, around it and through it en route to a 54-48 win over the Lady Rebels Tuesday night.

It was the second time for Magoffin County to pick up a win over Allen Central. The Lady Hornets are no longer a "patsy" but a legitimate contender.

Allen Central had trouble getting the basketball to fall as they shot a very cold 30 percent for the game.

Senior Jessica Martin scored 25 of the Rebels' 48 points. She hit three three-point baskets. Barb Prater added eight points and Tiffany Turner netted six.

Magoffin County placed three players in double figures, with Kelli Montgomery leading the way with 18 points. Whitney Lovely scored 13 and Nikki Love finished with three treys and 12 points.

#### Betsy Layne at Phelps

## **Bartley leads three** in double figures

p.m.

had one.

an injury.

#### by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Justin Bartley scored 19 points to lead three players in double figures as the Betsy Layne Bobcats traveled to Phelps and

Allen Central had to play without the services of junior forward Shannon Sizemore, who chipped an elbow in the Pike Central game Monday night.

"She will be out for the next three days and then we will have it checked out and see," said Allen Central Coach Anthony Moore. "We'll have to wait and see if she is able to play in the tournament."

Allen Central faces South\*Floyd in a

(See REREIS more two)

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Lovely	3	1	5.4	13
Montgomery	7	0	6-4	18
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players	fg	3pt	fta-m	1
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Ja Martin	0	0	2-2	3
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Magoffin Co..... 17 15-54 Allen Central.... 16 13 - 48

round game Wednesday, March 1, at 7

the Cats, while Brock Keathley scored 11.

Bradley Brooks netted 10. Robert Rose

came off the bench and contributed six

points. Robbie Johnson scored five,

including a three-point basket. Bartley

drained three treys in the game. Collins

services of Adam Collins, who is out with

Betsy Layne was playing without the

Dallas Cline led Phelps with 29 points.

Scott Collins finished with 12 points for

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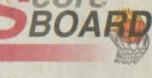
#### Games on tap

#### District Tourney

Mon., Feb. 28 58th District Tournament Prestonsburg vs Plarist, boys, 6 p.m. Allen Central vs South Floyd. girls, 8 p.m.

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Girls

#### 58th District

Magoffin 54, Allen Central 48 Prestonsburg 86, Whitesburg 81 Fleming-Neon 59, Piarist 12

#### **Regional scores**

Elkhorn City 67 JCHS 85. Oneida Baptist 37, Riverside 31

Boys

58th District

Magoffin 59, Prstonsburg 45

Jenkins 56 Phelps 72 Piarist 44

Betsy Layne slips past Phelps 77-72

edged the homestanding Hornets, 77-72.

It was next to the last game for the Bobcats as they finalize tuning for next week's 58th District tournament. The Bobcats will meet Allen Central in a first

#### Rebels

first-round game on Tuesday night. Central half-court trap. They turned

The loss was the fifth straight for Allen Central, which fell to 12-14 on the season. It also was the final regular season game of the year

Allen Central had 22 turnovers in the game to Magoffin County's 18. Allen Central did shoot well from the free-throw line, hitting nine of 12 attempts. Magoffin connected on 12 of 23 attempts.

It was a 12-12 game after the first quarter. Magoffin County had trouble early solving the Allen

the ball over five of their first seven possessions as Allen Central jumped out to a 12-4 lead.

But for the final 5:43 of the first quarter, Allen Central failed to score, being outscored 8-0. Martin hit two treys in the opening quarter for the Lady Rebels. Her first one gave Allen Central a 3-0 lead and her second trey gave them the eight-point lead at 12-4. Allen Central turned the ball over on their last three possessions of the period. The game was tied at 14, 16 and

Those grapplers were Josh

"All these young men con-

Slone, Kevin Woods, Daniel

Jarrell. Matt Clay, Evan McNutt

tributed to our success this sea-

son," said Butcher. "I also would

like to thank all the parents of

those wrestlers, the administration

whole season."

and Terry Dotson.

19 before Allen Central went on a 9-0 run to assume a 28-19 advantage. Prater hit a three-point basket and scored off a steal. Kari Osborne's free throw made it a nine-point game. Lovely completed an old-fashioned three-point play just before the half ended and the Lady Hornets trailed 28-22 at the half

Except for two field goals by Martin and Turner's three-pointer, Allen Central missed shots underneath in the third period as Magoffin County took a 32-30 lead on a three-point basket by Love. The Lady Homets never trailed as they led 39-35 after three quarters.

The fourth quarter unfolded with Erin Majakey hitting a threepoint basket for a 39-38 game but Love's three-pointer and three free throws gave the Lady Hornets a 49-40 lead. Five points was as close as Allen Central could come in losing to Magoffin for the second time.

"We had been playing well but not of late." said Magoffin County Coach Neil West. "We need to start playing better because we have to play Johnson Central Tuesday night in the district tournament."

#### GAME NOTES

Natalie Cooley was in the stands cheering the Lady Rebels on. Natalie had surgery on her left

Continued from p1 knee last Friday. She will be down

for four-to-five weeks and will miss the upcoming softball season. "Having a good knee is more important to me than playing softball. I won't rule out that I will

play, but right now I just don't know," she said.

Because of her knee, Cooley had to quit playing basketball for Allen Central.

### Chaffins

who will return next year. Tony White and Chris Jervis are sophomores with David Harris the lone junior.

"We have a great group of young men here at Prestonsburg." said Butcher. "We had six other young men that wrestled during the season but because of prior commitments could not wrestle the

#### Knights

struggles as well."

Coach Bradley said her team is very optimistic.

"They want to go out and show people they are capable of winning," she said.

Reaching a certain point in the season from the start has been a goal of Coach Bradley's and she feels her team has arrived there at this point.

"We wanted to come in and teach the fundamentals of the game and the basic things," she said. "We feel we have done that. Next year, if we can get more bodies, that would really help our bench.

George Hall is the lone senior on the Knights team and they are expected to be more experienced next season. The program, in its third year, has come together.

"We are starting to resemble an organized basketball team," said the Knight mentor. "We are starting to run our plays and I am pleased with what we have accomplished this season.

"It has been an outstanding team effort and the kids have gotten together and are playing much better.

While the Knights have a 1-18 record, still they have more than just George Hall. Brett Hall has come on strong and is one of the top rebounders in the Three Rivers Conference.

"He is playing

down 15 and 16 rebounds a game." Of course, leadership on the team falls to George Hall. Hall, as

stated, does it all for the Knights. "His leadership on the floor is tremendous," said the Knights' coach. "He told me he wasn't going to shoot the ball anymore and was going to concentrate on getting his assists numbers up. I told him he had to shoot the ball and score for

us to win. "He is a very competitive individual and his drive gets the other players going.

Robert Hall continues to be a mystery but Coach Bradley said he is coming along.

"He has done well," she said. "He has had his ups and downs. He is having trouble finding his rhythm on his shot. But he plays with a lot of confidence. I can't say enough about the way he plays

Matt Goeing will have to look for his shot more when the tournament tips off.

"Matt has to step up his game more," said Bradley. "He is rather shy in shooting the ball. But he needs to take control and look for his shot. As he does, his confidence is going to increase and become more consistent with his shot.'

The Piarist coach said the wear and tear on the team has been rough this season and is hoping for more "bodies" next year

three or four more like them I

would try and win the state," she

said.

"I believe with this group and

comer to the program this year but has shown steady improvement. He has had a problem of staying around

"He plays in foul trouble all the time and is not playing that much because of it," said Coach Bradley. "He just needs to get more serious about his game. He has the talent. But he wants to be the 'block king' and tries to block everybody's shot. It gets him in trouble."

Shawn Rose plays at point guard and Coach Bradley says he has done an outstanding job of running the ballclub.

"He is our Mr. D or Mr. Hustle," she said. "He knows his role as a point guard. He is our defensive specialist and has accepted his role. He helps us put a lot of pressure at the point and creates turnovers for the other team."

Call him a future coach or an assistant, Brian Yates feels he is both

'He acts as my assistant on the bench and hopes that I get thrown out of a game so he can take over," said Coach Bradley laughingly. "He has a nice set shot. We like to run him off a screen so he can shoot the three where he has been consistent in hitting."

Continuing to coach both girls and boys at the Martin school "is up in the air" right now.

'I don't know yet," she said. "I

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at Prestonsburg High School, the site-based council, the Floyd County Board of Education, and a special thanks to principal Coy Samons. Also to football Coach John Derossett, Mayor Jerry Fannin, and assistant coach Rick Fannin for all the help and support they have given us throughout the season.'

Continued from p1 Evan Mulliken is rather a new-

us," said Coach Bradley. "He is our leading rebounder and is averaging 10 rebounds a game. The last couple of games he has been pulling

#### Meyer

Mulliken. Ison and Ross scored four points each for Piarist in the first period.

The Lady Knights could only get one field goal in the second quarter and that came from Caldwell. Piarist hit four of eight free throws in the quarter.

Meyer hit her second trey for Piarist in the third period and had five points. England scored all six of her points in the third period. Caldwell also chipped in with third-period points. four Riverside held a 42-39 lead after three quarters.

would rather do one or the other. It hurts when the girls are playing the boys can't practice. We'll have to wait and see.'

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The two teams played almost even with Riverside, one point better in the fourth quarter. Ross had six points for Piarist and Caldwell had four points. Meyer had five of six free throws in the quarter and scored seven points.



Michael Hall (10) goes up for a shot in the game against Jenkins. Hall finished with 16 points. Michael had two of the 14 three-pointers in the game against the Cavaliers. (photo by Karen Joseph)

## SPORTS FAN Dairu Dueen OF THE WEEK of Prestonsburg



#### **Betsy Layne**

Bobby Little totaled 15 and Steve Blankenship netted 14.

Betsy Layne scored 28 points in the first quarter with Bartley draining two of his three-point baskets. Johnson, getting a rare start, had a a 48-38 lead to the locker room at trey and scored five points in the opening period. Collins completed an old-fashioned three-point play in the stanza as Betsy Layne rolled out to a 28-14 lead over the Hornets.

The Bobcats' offense stayed in high gear in the second period, led

by Bartley and Collins. Collins 58. Bartley had six points in the drilled a trey and hit two free throws for five points. Bartley had his third three-pointer and five points allowing the Bobcats to take the half. Robert Rose hit his only three-point basket in the same period. Cline scored 12 second-period points for the Hornets to keep them close.

A 20-15 run for the Hornets in the third period made it a fivepoint game after three periods, 63- on the road. Continued from p1

third quarter with Collins scoring four. Keathley hit four of six free throws down the stretch in the fourth quarter to preserve the victory for Betsy Layne. Brooks, who had two field goals in the first three quarters scored six fourthquarter points.

Betsy Layne closes out their regular season tomorrow night when they face Magoffin County



**Jackie Martin** (52) goes up for a rebound in the game against Pike County Central. The Lady Rebels fell to the Lady Hawks in a regional game. The Lady **Rebels drew** the first seed in the district tournament. They will take on the Lady **Raiders from** South Floyd. (photo by Karen Joseph)

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## **Pike Central hits 35 free throws to defeat Allen Central**

#### by Karen Joseph Sports Writer

The Allen Central Runnin' Lady Rebels have been playing very tough basketball lately. They defeated Betsy Layne and Prestonsburg in the district to make it a three-way tie. The Lady Rebels got the luck of the draw by drawing the first-place seed in the district tournament. They will face the number four team, South Floyd.

But this is the last week in regular season play and on Tuesday night they traveled to Pike County Central to take on the very tough Lady Hawks. The Lady Hawks defeated the Lady Rebels to give them two Floyd County wins since last Tuesday. Last Tuesday it was the Lady Bobcats falling to the Lady Hawks. The Lady Hawks improved their record to 17-9, while the Lady Rebels fell to 12-13.

Pike Central's Charla Hall led both teams in scoring with 19. The Lady Hawks had three other players in double figures. Traci Reynolds had 14, Fran Daugherty had 11 and Amy Ratliff finished with 10 points for the Lady Hawks.

The Lady Rebels were led in scoring by Shannon Sizemore. Sizemore and took the ball in for a basket. finished with 14 points for Allen

ble figures. She finished with 12 for the Lady Rebels.

Pike Central got the tip off and Charla Hall attempted a layup and was fouled by Shanna Howell. Hall hit both free throws to give the first lead to the Lady Hawks. But Allen Central's Shannon Sizemore quickly answered with two of her own to tie the the score

Pike Central hit two more free throws after Allen Central committed what was to be the first of many fouls. The Lady Rebels put the Lady Hawks at the free-throw line for 52 shots. The Lady Rebels were only at the charity stripe 25 times. The free throws made the difference in the game

Shanna Howell went to the bench in the first quarter with two fouls. Howell fouled out of the game early in the fourth quarter.

With 5:28 remaining in the opening quarter, the score was tied 4-4. The Lady Hawks outscored Allen Central 11-0 to take a 15-4 lead at the end of the first quarter.

Both teams had trouble hitting from the floor. Pike Central's first field goal didn't come until 3:50 when Fran Daugherty made a steal Allen Central scored the first five quarter.

Central, Jennifer Martin also hit dou- points in the second quarter. The tough defense of the Lady Rebels caused the Lady Hawks to commit two turnovers to start the second quarter, and the Lady Rebels were able to capitalize on the turnovers. Both teams committed several turnovers in the second quarter.

> The Lady Rebels fought back to come to within one point with 3:16 remaining in the first half.

> At the end of the first half the Lady Rebels were only trailing by three points. Then Traci Reynolds attempted a three point shot at the buzzer and was fouled by Shannon Sizemore. Reynolds hit two of the three free throws and gave the Lady Hawks a five-point advantage instead of a three-point advantage at the half.

> The second half started the same way as the first half - Allen Central putting the Lady Hawks at the line. Amy Ratliff went to the charity stripe, but she missed both shots. Shannon Sizemore got the ball for the Lady Rebels but Pike Central forced a turnover and Charla Hall hit a three-point basket for the Lady Hawks in adding to the lead. Hall hit two more three-point basket in the third quarter plus a two-point basket to help the Lady Hawks increase their lead to 12 at the end of the third

Pike Central hit nine of 12 free throws in the third quarter, while Allen Central hit eight of 10. But that changed in the fourth quarter. In the fourth quarter, Pike Central attempted 23, hitting 15, while Allen Central attempted eight and hit only four.

The Lady Rebels never gave up, but just couldn't gain any ground on the Lady Hawks. In the final quarter the Lady Hawks outscored the Lady Rebels 22-18. Shanna Howell and Jennifer Risner both fouled out for the Lady Rebels and Pike Central lost

Sparks. The final score was Pike Central 69, Allen Central 53.

The Lady Rebels have one regular game left and that will be Tuesday night at Allen Central. They will host the Magoffin County Lady Hornets.

## **Coleman's four treys, 19 points** sends Johnson Central past Powell

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Mitchell Coleman went scoreless in the first quarter for Johnson Central when the Eagles hosted Powell County Tuesday night, but he picked up his offense in the second quarter and rallied his team from a 17-13 first-quarter deficit to a 45-28 halftime lead.

Powell County, behind the scoring of Travis Crabstree and Brent Morris, took the four-point lead but it was shortlived as Coleman opened the second period with four consecutive three-point baskets as Johnson Central outscored Powell County 32-11.

Coleman finished with 19 points to lead the Golden Eagles. Tommy McKenzie added 17 and Marvin Fannin netted 15. Clint Hackney also finished with 15 points.

Jimmy Burchett just missed double figures with nine points. Crabstree scored five first-quarter points, with Morris and Ben Bowden tossing in four each for Powell County that gave them the four-point lead.

McKenzie's trey and Burchett's four points kept the Eagles close.

Hackney was held to three points in the first three quarters but exploded for 12 fourth-quarter points to lead a 29-22 Johnson Central finish. Adam McKenzie came off the Eagle bench in the fourth period and hit a three-point basket. Brett Butcher scored four fourth-period points.

Johnson Central improved to 19-6 on the season with the victory. Powell County fell to 18-8.

The Eagles will face a strong opponent in county rival Paintsville Tuesday night in the first round of the 57th District tournament.

## Hall scores 25 but Knights fall to Riverside

#### by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Senior George Hall hit three three-point baskets and connected on 12 of 16 free throws, finishing with 25 points, 13 rebounds and 10 assists, but it just wasn't enough as the Piarist Knights dropped a 91-77 decision to Riverside last Friday night on the road.

Robert Hall tossed in 16 points for the Knights and hit two treys. Brett Hall finished with 11 points and Evan Mulliken just missed double figures with nine points.

Matt Goeing scored eight for the game while Brian Yates and Shawn Rose had five and three points, respectively.

gang for Riverside with 41 points, which included four three-point baskets. Mike Fugate added 21 and Jamie Wagers scored 12.

It didn't take Hamblin long to get the hot hand as he scored 13 points in the first quarter to give Riverside a 20-16 lead at the first stop. George and Robert Hall had five points apiece in the opening quarter for the Knights. Both hit three-point baskets. Goeing had two field goals for four points.

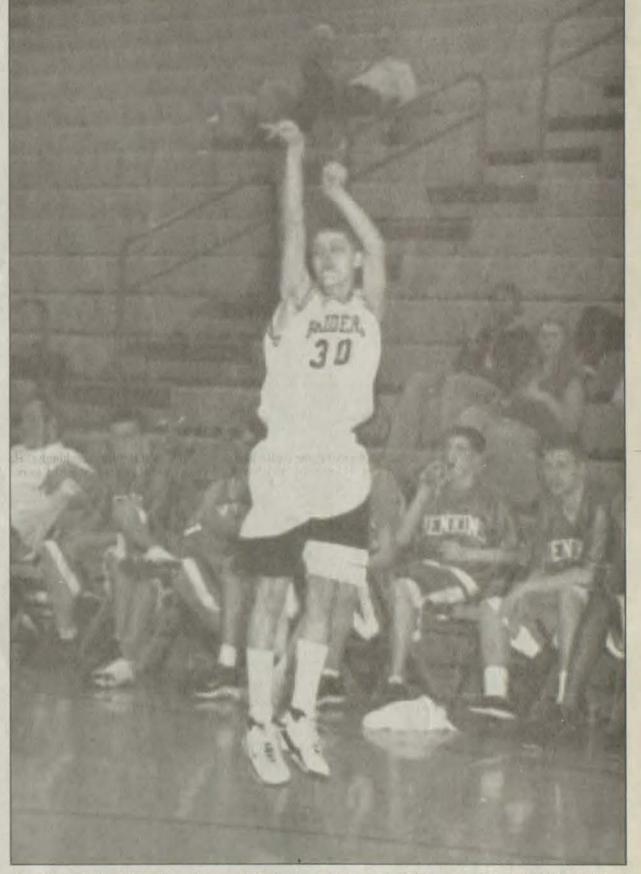
Piarist stayed close to the host team trailing 38-37 at the half. Hamblin was held to just nine points in the second stanza as Piarist outscored Riverside 21-18 in the second period. George Hall had six points in the quarter and Yates Prestonsburg this past Wednesday Ryan Hamblin was a one-man drilled a trey and scored five for the night.

In period number three, Robert Hall hit his second three-point basket and scored nine points, but Riverside held a 60-52 lead after three quarters.

George Hall buried two threepointers and scored 11 points in the final period as Riverside extended its lead before winning by 14 points.

Brett Hall pulled down 15 rebounds for the Knights in the game to go with his 11 points. Rose had four assists.

Piarist will meet Prestonsburg Monday night in the opening game of the 58th District tournament at Allen Central. The Knights faced



## South Floyd finishes season at home with big win over Jenkins

#### by Karen Joseph Sports Writer

It was senior night at the South Floyd Arena on Tuesday when the Raiders took on the Cavaliers of Jenkins.

It was an emotional night as well. The Raiders said goodbye to six seniors as this would be the last game they would play on their home floor.

The seniors presented Coach Henry Webb with a plaque of thanks. Senior Brandon Gearheart spoke for the seniors saying, "When no one else believed in us and when this program was down, one man did believe in us and dedicated himself to rebuilding this program. And that man is Henry Webb. We owe everything to him."

The seniors also thanked their parents and the great Raider Fans for all their support.

Also before the game started, Ryan Shannon was presented a basketball for scoring 1,000 points as a Raider. Shannon hit the 1,000-point mark in the Shelby Valley game, but they waited until the final home game to present him the ball.

After all of the festivities, the game finally got underway. South Floyd was recovering from their loss on Friday night to Shelby Valley. The Wildcats defeated the Raiders 83-69.

But the Raiders would get back to their game, scoring 119 points against Jenkins and claiming their 23rd victory of the season. South Floyd has only five losses for the season.

The Raiders hit 14 three-point shots against Jenkins. South Floyd had seven players to reach the double digit mark. They were led in scoring by Ryan Shannon and Jimmy Stumbo with 18 points each, followed by Michael Hall with 16, Bryon Hall with 13, Kyle Tackett with 11 and John Meade and Rusty Tackett with 10 points each for the victorious Raiders.

Cavalier Jordan Tackett led both teams in scoring with 24 points. Tackett was the only Cavalier to reach the double digit mark.

The game was a close one for the first two minutes. South Floyd brought first blood when senior Ryan Shannon hit a three-point basket from the corner to give the Raiders the 3-0 lead.

Jared Tackett quickly answered for the Cavaliers when he hit a three-point basket from the opposite corner on the other end of the floor.

Devin Caudill then hit a two-point basket to give the Cavaliers a brief lead. Jimmy Stumbo quickly scored for the Raiders and the score was tied, 5-5.

The Raiders cut loose and went on a 16-0 run to jump out to a 21-5 lead in the next two minutes of the game. The Cavaliers finally broke the dry spell with 4:30 to go in the opening quarter, when Mica Oden was fouled by Jimmy Stumbo and connected on both of the free throws.

The Cavaliers had a great deal of difficulty in defending against the very quick Raiders. This was a very fast-paced game and the Cavaliers just couldn't keep up with the Raiders.

South Floyd was four of six in the three-point category in the first quarter. Ryan Shannon had two and Kyle Tackett and Rusty Tackett had one each.

Rusty Tackett's first three-point basket came from a beautiful behind-the-back pass from Ryan Shannon. The Raiders led at the end of the first quarter by a score of 38-17.

Jordan Tackett scored the first basket in the second quarter for the Cavaliers. Jenkins was able to adjust to the fast-paced game in the second quarter. The Raiders outscored the Cavaliers by only five points in the second quarter.

The Raiders continued with the threes in the second quarter. They connected on three of four to give them seven three-pointers in the first half. Rusty Tackett had two more three-point baskets and Michael Hall had one.

The Raiders went into the locker room with a commanding 63-37 lead over the Cavaliers of Jenkins

Jimmy Stumbo hit a two-point basket to get the second half underway. Ryan Shannon hit a basket, then another on a steal. Again the Cavaliers had difficulty stopping the Raiders from shooting. South Floyd scored 29 points in the third quarter.

Senior Brandon Gearheart, senior Byron Hall and sophomore Rusty Tackett all hit three-point baskets to end the third quarter with three consecutive three-pointers. The Raiders added to their already commanding lead and led the Cavaliers 92-48 at the end of the third quarter.

The fourth quarter was pretty much the same as the others. Coach Henry Webb played everyone he had on the bench. Junior James Slone came off the bench and hit two three-pointers for the Raiders. The Raiders outscored the Cavaliers 27-8 in the final quarter to end their season at home with a very impressive 119-56 win over the Jenkins Cavaliers

Jimmy Stumbo finished the game with seven rebounds, three steals and one blocked shot. Senior Byron Hall pulled down 11 rebounds. Dusty Tackett also had seven rebounds, five assists, four deflections and one steal for the Raiders.

The Raiders had a game scheduled for Friday night with Fleming-Neon, but that game has been canceled and the Raiders will remain idle until tournament time. The Raiders, with an 8-0 record in the district, will have the number one seed in the tournament. They will face the winner of the Prestonsburg/Piarist game. The 58th District Tournament gets underway on Monday at Allen Central High School.

Brandon Gearheart (30) hits a three pointer in the game against Jenkins on senior night at South Floyd. The Raiders defeated the Cavaliers 119-56. The Raiders will take on the winner of the Prestonsburg/Piarist game in the district tournament. (photo by Karen Joseph)



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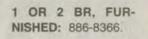
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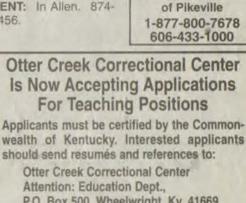
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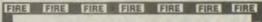
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#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The McDowell Elementary School is requesting sealed bids on the following properties.

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Bids must be sub-PROJECT DESCRIPTION mitted, in duplicate The project consists of the renovation of locker and shower rooms of the Allen Central High School, including removal of address listed above. existing concrete masonry partitions and replacement with new concrete masonry partitions in new locations, new accessible shower, toilet and locker facilities, new toilet fixtures and accessories, reworking of existing ceilings, patching of existing tile finishes, new concrete work to provide ramped surfaces, new hollow doors and visit. metal frames and hardware, new toilet and shower

**Bidding Documents** may be examined at the following places: Dodge/ABC Planroom 132 Venture Court, Suite #12, Lexington, KY. Dodge Corporation, 303 N. Hurstbourne Lane. Louisville, KY Builders Exchange, 2300 Meadow Drive, Louisville, KY Kentuckiana ABC W. Lee. Louisville, KY. Kentuckiana ABC, 1061-F1 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY. Associated General Contractors of KY,

Inc., 3830 Taylorsville Suite Road, 11. Louisville, KY. Associated General Contractors, 2331 Dr., Fortune Lexington, KY. Construction Market Data, 1951 Bishop Suite 202 Lane, Louisville, KY. Johnson-

Romanowitz, Architects, 300 E. main St., Lexington, KY.

**Bidding Document** may be obtained upon deposit of \$75.00 per set cash or check, payable to Johnson-Romanowitz Architects, Inc. After receipt of deposit by Lynn Blueprint & Supply Company, documents may be obtained from Lynn Blueprint & Supply Company, 328 Old Bidders, Form of Bid, East Vine Street, Form of Contract, Lexington, KY 41507, Plans, Specifications (606) 266-1021. If and Forms of Bid documents are to be mailed, a non-refundable charge of \$10.00 per set is required, made payable directly to Lynn Blueprint & Supply Company, Inc. Deposits will be returned upon receipt of Bidding Documents in good condition within ten days after bid opening. If more than one set of **Bidding Documents** are desired, the cost of \$75.00 per additional set must be remitted by separate check. Deposits for additional sets will not be returned. Deposits of Contractors bidding on the work will be returned upon the return of Bidding Documents in good condition within ten days after bids are opened. Documents must be returned to Lynn Blueprint and Supply, not to the office of the Architect. Deposits will also be

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all other deposits will

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FOR BIDS

City of Prestonsburg

90 North Lake Drive

Prestonsburg.

Kentucky 41653

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The sealed bids for originals, on Bid Form this Project shall be included in the Project marked on the outside Manual. Mailed Bids of the envelope: "BID shall be addressed to FOR SANDY VALLEY the office of the TRANSPORTATION school board at the ADDITION. Grec Hamlin, Sandy Valley Submission of a bid Transportation. shall be construed as Court, confirmation that the Resourse Prestonsburg, bidder has visited the site and satisfied him-4653. All risks involved with the self as to the extent of proper and timely work required. No changes to the condelivery of any bid tract will be considshall be assumed by the Bidder, Any bid ered based on misunwhich is not received derstandings of the on a timely basis or scope of the work if the proper form shall such misunderstandbe rejected. Facsimile ings could have been addressed by a site transmissions ("Faxes") will not be

accepted. Any bid received later than the time specified for receipt of bid bids or any bid which payable to the Sandy Valley Transportation is not submitted in the proper form, shall not Services, Inc., in the sum of not less than be considered. five percent (5%) of

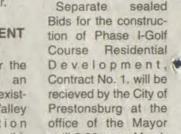
The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any formalities in the bidding. Bids received after the closing scheduled time for the receipt of bids will be returned unopened to the bidders. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of 30 days subsequent to the opening of bids without consent of the Owner.

#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the construction of an addition to the existing Sandy Valley Transportation Services Inc., building, 81 Resourse Court, Prestonsburg, Ky., will be received at the office of the director at the above mentioned facility, until 3:00 p.m. local time, February 29, 2000, and then at said office, publicly opened and read aloud.

The work for which bids are to be submitted consists of the construction of a two story wood frame addition to the existing building. All as shown on the drawings and described in the specifications.

The information for



until 3:00 p.m., March 14, 2000, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. The Documents may be

examined at the following locations: Ctiy of Prestonsburg, 90 N. Lake Dr.,

Contract

Prestonsburg, Ky 41653 Summit Engineering, Inc., 120 Prosperous Place, Suite 101, Lexington, Kentucky 40509 Summit Engineering,

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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 February 28, 2000, 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.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

For the Project Titled: LOCKER ROOM RENOVATION ALLEN CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL Floyd County Schools Floyd County,

Kentucky Floyd County Schools will receive sealed bids for the LOCKER ROOM RENOVATION. CENTRAL ALLEN HIGH SCHOOL, until 2:00 p.m., local time. Friday, March 10, 2000, at the offices of the school board located at 183 North Amold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY

41653-1124 Immediately following the scheduled closing time for reception of bids, all proposals which have been submitted in accordance with the Contract documents will be publicly opened and read aloud

Bond, Performance and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following Randall Burchett -Architect 637 North Lake Drive Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606) 886-3929 F.W. Dodge Corp. 2525 Harrodsburg Road Lexington, KY Dodge Plan Room 405 Capital St., Suite 509 Charleston, W.V. 25301 Copies of Drawing in full size, the Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained from Randall Burchett -Architect, 637 North Lake Prestonsburg,

KY 41653. Each set will be \$100.00. Fifty percent will be returned to bona fide bidders. No bidders may withdraw his bid within forty five (45) days after the actual date of bid opening.

accompanied by a Bid Bidders must certify Bond of not less than they do not and will 5% of the amount of not maintain or prothe total bid. A 100% vide for their employ-Performance Bond ees any facilities that and payment Bond are segregated or shall be required of based on race, color the successful Bidder. creed or national ori-All bonding and insurgin. ance requirements Minorities and small are contained in the

business are encouraged to submit bids on the Project.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any bidding informalities

F.W. Dodge Construction, Inc. 132 Venture Ct., Suite 12, Lexington,

Inc., 101 Summit

Drive, Pikeville,

Kentucky, 41501

Kentucky 40511 Copies fo the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of Summit Engineering located Lexington, at Kentucky, upon payment of a non-refundcharge able 0 \$150.00 for each set. A \$10.00 handling fee will be added for documents which is must be mailed. Payment must be by company check/cashier's

Pre-bid A Conference will be conducted by representatives of Summit Engineering, Inc Interested parties are to meet at the "Mountain Arts Center" at 10:00 a.m. on March 2, 2000.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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Pursuant to 405 KAR 8:010, Section 16(5), the following is a summary of permitting decisions made by the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Division of Permits with respect to applications to conduct surface coal mining and reclamation operations in Floyd County.

MAPLE RIDGE MINING CORPORA-TION 836-5355

ISSUED000121 MATT/CO INCORPO-RATED 836-5333 **ISSUED000106** LODESTAR ENER-**GY INCORPORATED** 836-0231

ISSUED000112

objections,

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No.

Frankfort, Kentucky

40601 by March 24,

A public hearing on

the application has

been scheduled for

March 27, 2000 at

9:00 a.m. at the

Enforcement's

Prestonsburg

Regional Office, 3140

South Lake Drive,

Prestonsburg,

Kentucky 41653. The

hearing will be can-

celed if no request for

a hearing or informal

received by March 24,

This is the final

advertisement of the

NOTICE OF

**INTENTION TO** 

MINE

PURSUANT TO

APPLICATION

NUMBER 836-5396

In accordance with

405 KAR 8:010.

notice is hereby given

that Redbone Coal

Company, Inc., 2000

41101, intends to

transfer permit num-

McCoy Elkhorn Coal

41539. The new per-

mit number will be

836-5396. This opera-

tion disturbes 48.82

acres and will underlie

2.205.42 acres for a

total permit area of

2,235.74 acres. No

new acreage is affect-

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The Floyd County Fiscal Court is accepting bids for seven (7) creek clean-up projects which have been funded through grants from the PRIDE Program. These grants will involve brushing, cleaning, and rehabilitation of the following streams: 1) Corn Fork of Brandykeg Creek (3

miles); 2) Tackett Fork of Mud Creek (4 miles); 3) Mud Creek, beginning at the mouth of Branham's Creek and continuing down main Mud Creek (3 miles);

4) Left Fork of Abbott Creek (4 miles); 5) Right Beaver

Creek, extending from Estill Bottom up main Right Beaver (4 miles); 6) Buckeye Branch

of Middle Creek (4 miles); and Cow Creek, 7)

including Woods Branch and Slick Rock (4 miles) All bidders for these

projects must have Worker's Compensation Insurance and also liability insurance coverage in the amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00).

Sealed bids will be accepted at the Office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive, located at 149 South Central Avenue, Suite Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (on the Second floor of the old Floyd County Courthouse) until 4:00 p.m. on March 16, 2000. All bids will be opened and an award of a bid for each project made at a regular meeting of the Floyd County Fiscal Court to be held on March 17, 2000, in the Floyd Fiscal Courtroom, of the Floyd County Courthouse

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

Pursuant to Permit

Written comments will disturb 17.39 surface acres and will and requests for a public underlie 449.00 acres. The total area hearing or informal conference must be within the permit boundary will be filed with the Director, Division of Field 466.39 acres. The proposed oper-2

ation is approximately 2.00 miles southeast from Kentucky Route 1490's junction with Arnold Fork Road and located 0.15 miles north of Pigeonroost Fork of Arnold Fork Road.

The proposed operation is located on the Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by the Virnus Isaac Estate and Progress land Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by the Virnus Isaac Estate Grant Burke, Orville Burke, Dewey Johnson, Leonard Burke, Louie Burke, Jeff Goble, Ed Gibson, Ben Johnson, Tommy Roop, Primble Hall, Barris Hall, Larry Honeycutt, Junio Mullins, Fess Hall and Mildred Isaac. The application has

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

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

The mining opera-Pursuant to tion is located 1.0 Application Number miles east of Betsy 898-5991, Renewal Layne in Floyd & Pike In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice counties. The operation is approximately is hereby given that 0.25 miles west from Mining, Addington junction Inc., 2000 Ashland with CR-1510 and Drive, Ashland located along Pike-Kentucky 41101, has Floyd Hollow. The applied for a renewa operation is located of a permit for an on the Broad Bottom existing underground and Harold USGS 7 coal mining operation. 1/2 minute quadran-The operation will gle map. The latitude affect 18.5 surface is 37°33' 18". The lonacres and will underlie gitude is 82°37'00". 790.3 acres The application has Northwest of Owsley been filed for public in Pike and Floyd inspection at the counties. The proposed operfor Mining ation is approximately 3.5 miles Northwest Reclamation & from U.S. 23's junc-Enforcement's Prestonsburg tion with State Route Regional Office, 3140 1384, and located 0.2 South Lake Drive, mile West of Hurricane Creek. The 6, Prestonsburg, Ky. latitude is 37°30'51", 41653-1397. Written longitude and 82°35'41". comments, objec-The proposed opertions, or requests for a ation is located on the permit conference must be filed with the Pikeville and Director, Divison of Boradbottom Permits, #2 Hudson U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute Hollow, U.S. 127 quadrangle map. The South, Frankfort, Ky. operation will use the underground method This is the final of mining. The surface advertisement of this area is owned by the application; all com-Joe Justice and Henry Adkins Heirs. The objections and/or requests for a operation will underlie land owned by Hubert conference Meade, Jeff Spears, must be filed with the Director of the Gordon Wagner, Mac Division of Permits Arthur Adkins, Bob Dawson within 15 days of this Billips, James, Leland Wagner, Jackie W. Hatfield, Dewey NOTICE OF Clark Stephens, INTENTION TO Coal Elkhorn MINE James Company, APPLICATION No. Hatcher Estate, Earl 860-5201, RENEWAL Stevens, Eula Mae ATTACHMENT 4.2.A Richard Robinson, In accordance with Adkins, Mrs. Marvin KRS 350.055, notice Gettings, Bobby is hereby given that Adkins, John P Kentucky May Coal Adkins, Roscoe Company, Inc., 1045 Adkins, Joe Justice. Arnold Fork Road, Henry Adkins Heirs, Kite, KY 41828, has & William Lisa applied for renewal of Warner, Mrs. Cleo T. an underground and Walker Dalton, surface coal mining Estate, Salisbury and reclamation oper-McKinney, Gladys ation located 2.00 Carl J. Coswell, and miles southeast of Ballard Justice, Jr. Halo in Knott and The application has Floyd counties. The been filed for public proposed operation inspection at the

Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch. Pikeville Kentucky 41501 Written comments. objections. Or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South. Frankfort,

NOTICE OF PENDING LEGAL ACTION

Kentucky 40601.

Notice is hereby given to Marion Thompson, address unknown, and Unknown Defendants, being the unknown spouse, heirs. devisees, legatees or consort of Marion Thompson, if any, and all other persons or parties who may be claiming or may have an interest in and to the hereinafter described property which is subject to a Complaint to Quiet Title in the Floyd Circuit Court: A certain parcel or track of land situated on Com Fork, Floyd County, Kentucky, and bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a stake and corner to Track of land of J.B. Harris; thence up the creek with same to a rock cliff; thence around beside a hill to a cross on a rock at the mouth of a drain; thence up the hill with a drain three hundred (300) feet to a rock and Beech; thence

around the hill to opposite Beginning; thence down the hill a straight line to the Beginning, Containing ten (10) acres, more or less

Any and all persons or parties who are believed to have an interest in the above said property are hereby directed to contact the Warning Order Attorney, Hon. Janie C. McKenzie, Boehl, Stopher & Graves, 287 West Court Street, P.O. Box 606, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 phone (606) 886-

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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Valley Sandy Transportation Services, Inc. (SVTS) will host a public hearing at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, March 10, 2000, at the big Sandy Area Development District Building. 1000 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg Kentucky, for consideration of an application for Federal funds for capital and operating assistance for the period of July 1, 2000 to June 30, 2001 for rural public transportation services in the Big Sandy Valley area including Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike counties.

There is no significant environmental impact. Regulations regarding the disabled and the elderly will be complied with accordingly Comments may be made in person or through written sub-

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missions. The application will be available at the SVTS office on April 1, 2000.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following items will be offered at public sale on March 3, 2000, at 12:00 noon, at Jerry Brown Auto Sales, 722 Broadway, Paintsville, Kentucky: 1994 CHEVROLET

ASTRO VAN, SERIAL #1GBDM19Z9RB180 579

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.

Terry Sizemore **Citizens National** Bank P.O. Box 1488

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Paintsville, KY 41240

The following property will be offered at sale public at Worldwide Equipment, Inc., Hwy 1428 East, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, on 3/07/00 commencing at 10:30 a.m.:

> **1997 USTS** TRAILER

1U9FA4029V1051611 The property may be inspected by appointment prior to the sale Worldwide at Equipment, Inc., Hwy 1428 East, Prestonsburg, KY 41653

Cash sales only. Inquires: ASSOCI-ATES at 513-677-8700 00-01374-0

SUMMARY COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY CITY OF WHEELWRIGHT ORDINANCE NO. 2000-001

An ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 1994-001 as amended by Ordinance Nos. 1981-005, 1986-001 and 1989-003, relating to the creation, authority, duties. responsibilities and structure of the City Utilities Commission.

WHEREAS, that by Ordinance No. 1979-001, the City of Wheelwright created a city utilities commission to develop, manage, control and operate the water, sewer and gas systems for the city and those areas lying outside of the city being served; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wheelwright did amend certain provisions or Ordinance No. 1979-001 by the adoption of Ordinance Nos. 1981-005 and 1989-003; and

WHEREAS, the city has commission determined that certain problems have arisen concerning the organization and structure of the city utilities commission: and WHEREAS. KRS

96.200 specifically grants 3rd through 6th class cities the authority by adoption of ordinance to provide what manner, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2000 B7

member and for what purposes, any profits, earn-Commission ings or surplus funds removed by a majority vote of the City arising from the operation of any public util-Commission, the term of a Commissioner ities owned and opershall be for one (1) ated by the city may year from the date he be expended; and WHEREAS, the city or she is appointed to

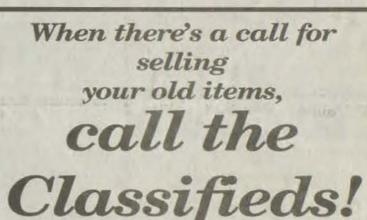
commission 15 desirous of amending Ordinance No. 1979-001 so as to designate five percent (5%) of the new profit to be delivered to the general fund of the city to be utilized solely for the city services such as city police, city fire department. city parks, etc.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF WHEELWRIGHT, as follows:

SECTION I: That the Section I of Ordinance No. 1979-001, as amended by Section 2, paragraph 2. shall be amended to read as follows: The members of the Commission shall be appointed by the members of the City Any Commission. member or members Utility of the

Commission may be removed at any time, at the sole discretion of the members of the City Commission by a majority vote of the Commission City authorizing such removal. Any persons being considered for such a position shall be subject to a drug screen test, which shall demonstrate a lack of any drugs which are not prescribed by a doctor, or any illicit drugs and a background check. which shall demonstrate no prior

but is not compelled choose to. an appointee from the list proposed by the by Commission majority vote. However, the City Commission shall not be limited to those persons proposed by the Commission, and may appoint, at their discretion, any person or persons qualified under the terms of this Ordinance to sit as a Commissioner on the City Utilities Commission. So ordained on this the 17th day of February, 2000. David M. Sammons, Mayor ATTEST: Mary Ann Slone, City Clerk 1st Reading -1/20/2000 2nd Reading 2/17/2000 Publication Date -2/25/2000 Summary Prepared by: Timothy A. Parker, Atty. at law



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No. 836-5359 In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Coastal Coal Company, (formerly ANR Coal Company, LLC) LLC 117 Madison Avenue Suite B, Whitesburg, Kentucky 41858 has applied for a Phase I bond release on Permit Number 836-5359 which was last issued on October 1, 1997. The permit area includes an area of 12.9 acres of surface disturbance and underlies an additional 990.0 acres making the total acreage affected being 1,002.9 acres. The permit is located 1.5 miles north of Wheelwright in Floyd County. The mine was closed and reclaimed in the last quarter of 1997 and first quarter of 1998.

The permit area is approximately .80 miles south of the junction of KY 979 and KY 122 and located along Hayes Branch of Clear Creek. The latitude is 37°22'40". The longitude is 82°43'23".

The bond now in effect is for a surety bond in the amount of \$42,900.00 Of the total bond existing for this permit approximately 60% is included in this application for bond release.

Reclamation work performed includes that which was necessary to achieve the approved post mining land uses for this permit area and includes but was not limited to backfilling high walls Approximate to Original Contour, grading and initial



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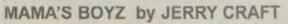


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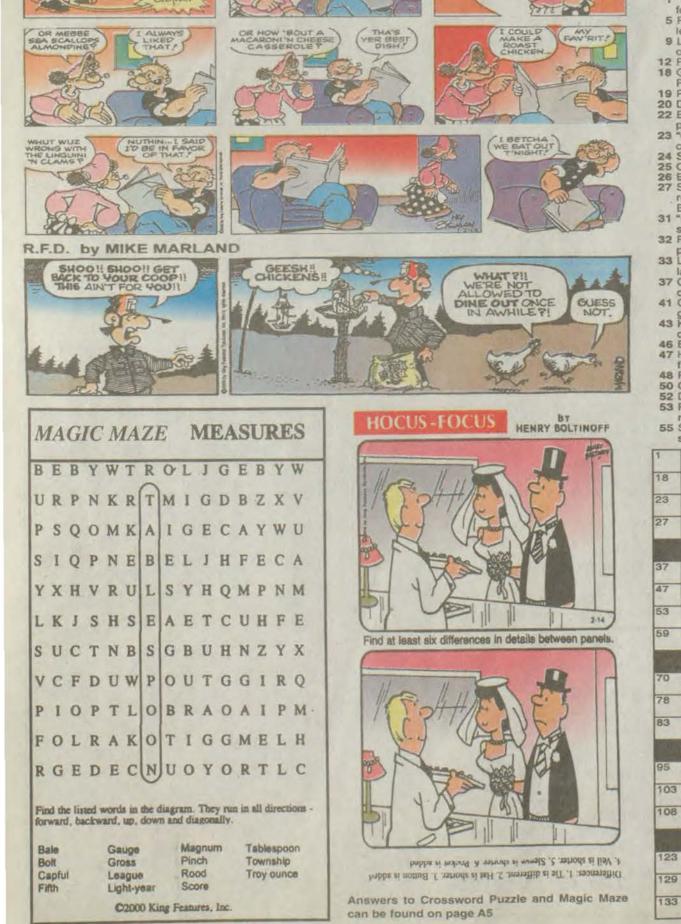
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## Floyd man achieves dream



Richmond got his first set of drums when he was about six years old.



New Exile drummer Steve Richmond

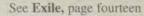
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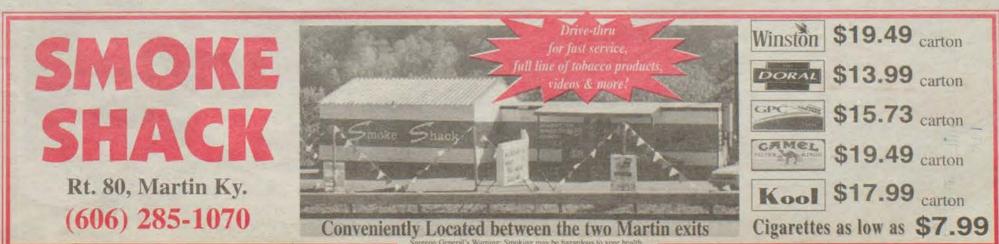
At 33, Steve Richmond has accomplished the remarkable feat of making a living as a musician, something very few people - no matter the talent - are able to do.

Now, he's also realizing a dream. The drummer is the newest member of the band Exile.

This Saturday's performance at the Mountain Arts Center will be the Floyd County man's first public appearance with the hit-making Kentucky band. His actual first performance will be tonight when the band performs for a corporate meeting in Lexington.

The Prestonsburg concert will feature songs from the group's new album, set to come out this summer, as well as the hits Exile's legion of fans have come to expect.





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## Salome's Stars

#### AQUARIUS

#### (January 20 to February 18)

Positive aspects continue to favor explorations of new career opportunities. While you're eager to check these prospects out, you also need to spend more quality time with your family.

#### PISCES

#### (February 19 to March 20)

Cupid has an arrow with your name on it. But you need to help him find his target by getting out into the social swim where, with luck, the chubby cherub could pin two hearts with one arrow.

#### ARIES

#### (March 21 to April 19)

A little woolgathering is good right now. It helps you sort out some problems before you try to work out their solutions. But don't be out of it for too long, or you'll miss getting in on something important.

#### TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)

Your acquisitive self will find this time favorable for buying something you've wanted for a long time. Your inquisitive self leads to the disclosure of some important facts.

#### **GEMINI**

#### (May 21 to June 20)

It's time to come down to earth and face the reality about someone in your life. Get to the truth, and then decide what you'll do about the relationship.

#### CANCER (June 21 to July 22)

Relationships on the job and in your personal life seem to be in flux at this time. Trying to get a handle on things is frustrating and probably futile. Wait for events to return to a steady, even flow.

#### LEO

#### (July 23 to August 22)

You might be everyone's idea of a cool cat, but you'd really prefer going somewhere warm for a while, and this is the time to do it. Expect good news from someone who is working hard on your behalf.

#### VIRGO

#### (August 23 to September 22)

Things seem to be slowing down. Use this quieter time to do some much-needed meditation. You'll come away with a new understanding of what compels you to do what you do.

#### LIBRA

#### (September 23 to October 22)

Marriage and mergers are favored at this time. Relationships, both personal and professional, might appear to be unraveling. But quick action can make long-lasting repairs.

#### SCORPIO

(October 23 to November 21) A loved one reacts happily to a romantic suggestion. Consider a cruise if you have the time and money. But a movie and dinner will do just as well.

#### SAGITTARIUS

#### (November 22 to December 21)

Don't wait for someone to help you bridge an emotional gap between you and a loved one. You need to take the initiative yourself. The result will be worth all the effort you put into it.

#### CAPRICORN

#### (December 22 to January 19)

Stop blaming yourself for that problem at work. Someone else set the situation in motion, leaving you on the spot when something had to be done. So perk up. You have lots of people on your side.

YOU BORN THIS WEEK: You are honest and loyal. People trust you with their secrets. You would make a wonderful counselor or member of the clergy because you know how to listen to the heart as well as the voice.

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## **Cartoon fans love free Internet downloads**

(NUI) - Pokémon, Schmo- kémon. Cartoon connoisseurs turn to the classics when they want a jolt of animation. Whatever happened to Mighty Mouse, Popeye, Felix the Cat and the original celluloid sex symbol Betty Boop?

You can't find them all on Nick at Nite or on the Cartoon Network. These days, to get in touch with the classic cartoons of your youth, you have to embrace the technology of today. That's right, your favorites might not show up on your television screen anymore, but you can find them on your computer screen.

Better yet, you can view them for free.

One Internet company has made it easy for you to view classic cartoons from Bugs Bunny to Mickey Mouse at one central location. ThrottleBox.com is a burgeoning free archive of multimedia entertainment.

In addition to classic cartoons, ThrottleBox offers music from both signed and independent artists, classic comedy sketches, new and avant garde animation, extreme sports videos, and more. To make it even easier for its visitors to enjoy its assortment of entertainment, ThrottleBox uses its own playback system, which essentially works on top of the Windows Media Player built into most users' computers, freeing visitors from clogging up their computer's memory with a huge new media player.

Instead, visitors need only download ThrottleBox.com's multimedia player to enjoy their favorite cartoons, comedy sketches or music.

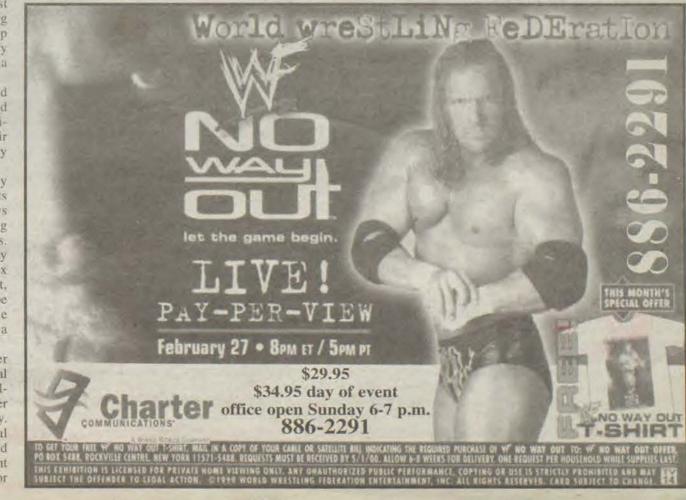
And the player can play back all of the file formats supported by Windows Media Player, including MP3. AVI and WAV files. The multimedia technology used to create ThrottleBox files allows audio, text, graphics and video to be combined into a single downloadable file called a "BOX" file.

ThrottleBox can offer sound quality that is equal or superior to MP3 technology, but with much greater versatility and security. Additionally, no special server hardware is required on the part of the content owner. The best part for visitors is that the multimedia player and all the downloads are free.

ThrottleBox.com makes its money from advertisements contained on the site and within BOX files, as

well as on low fees charged to independent artists.

Better still, it is all legal. Unlike some sites that offer music, videos and images without permission from the copyright holders, ThrottleBox obtains written permission for each piece of content that is copyrighted or trademarked. Items in the public domain (those that are not copyrighted by anyone) are indicated wherever they appear on the site. To check out Daffy Duck or the original Pokey from the Gumby and Pokey claymation series today, be sure to visit www.throttlebox. com.



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## Just what the doctor ordered

It must be a fact of life that the older I get the more medicine my doctor prescribes for my various ailments. I take a daily pill to regulate my thyroid, four other pills to keep my rheumatoid arthritis in check (plus two additional pills to counteract those four), 3200 mg. of ibuprofen, and an allergy medication that allows me to breathe.

Add to all these, six MSM capsules, four glucosamine tablets, one each of vitamin E and C, four shots of nasal spray, eye drops, calcium, and it's easy to see how I spend the majority of my day—taking medicines and/or figuring out which medicines to take next.

Years ago I would just wake up, take a shower and scoot out the door to work. That tidy regimen has all been replaced with trying to remember what pill I have to take and then having to remember if I took it or not. (There's a pill for remembering, too.) And, while all this advanced medical knowledge has allowed us to live

It is stated in bold print on the bottles that every pill or capsule I take can cause one or more of the following symptoms: dizziness, headaches, blurred vision, ringing in the ears, drowsiness, insomnia, dry mouth, constipation and diarrhea. When you get to thinking about it, the cure might be worse than the actual illness.

I started thinking about this the other morning when I woke up and noticed that my toenails looked different.

"Oh, my Lord!" I exclaimed as I ran through the house in search of my medication book. "My toenails are turning colors! What's wrong with them? It has to be the medicine I'm taking!"

"Calm down, Sara," Ronnie said as he inspected my purple phalanges. "There! Your shoes or socks must have stained your toenails."

"Oh, thank goodness!" I exclaimed. "I thought my oxygen levels were low."

"It's a safe bet you're not getting much to your brain," he laughed.

Ronnie was still making fun of me as I got into the shower and successfuly removed all traces of what I thought had been the results of oxygen deprivation from my toes. After drying off and getting dressed I remembered that I had forgotten to take my pills.

"Don't forget to drink a glass of water with those pills," he reminded me as I started swallowing. "All that medication is hard on your kidneys. You should drink 6 to 8 glasses of water a day...say, why are you getting back into bed?"

"I'm worn out," I yawned. "That allergy pill makes me drowsy."

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"Then you should take it at night before you go to bed," he explained.

"But I have to drink a glass of water with it and that wakes me up in the middle of the night to go to the bathroom."

"Then why don't you take your pills in the middle of the day?" he asked as he jerked the covers off and stood me up straight.

"Then I'm liable to get busy and forget them." I whined. "Anyway, if I take one of them after lunch it causes my vision to blur and I can't see what I'm doing. And, if I take the vitamins in the morning 1 spend a good portion of my time in the bathroom. Of course, if I take my calcium there's a good possibility I won't go to the bathroom at all and that results in my having to take other medications to counteract that condition.

"Anyway, I have to take several pills on an empty stomach and some others with food. I'm telling you, Ronnie, this pill thing is making me irritable. See who's at the door, will you?"

"The doorbell didn't ring, Sara," Ronnie answered.

"See!" I argued. "It's that darn ringing in my ears caused from all the ibuprofen." "Well, quit taking it," he stated.

"Then what am I supposed to do for the pain?"

"They've got new medication for that," he answered, "but of course, it has sideeffects, too—loose bowels." "Oh, that's not a problem," I assured him. "I can deal with that."

"And an inability to control them," he finished.

I guess a little ringing in the ears isn't too much of a sacrifice when the trade-off is your health. I can only pray that the next medication my doctor prescribes will make me forget about side-effects altogether and not make me so irritable, and... and ...WILL SOMEBODY ANSWER THAT STUPID PHONE!

### Falls event features native traditions

The traditions of Native Americans will be highlighted during the Kentucky Hills Weekend, scheduled for March 3-4 at Cumberland Falls State Resort Park, near Corbin.

The event begins Friday evening at 8 with a performance by the group Tsa'ne Do'se. On Saturday, starting at 9 a.m., native artifacts will be on display and crafts will be offered for sale.

Other activities during the day will include hands-on pottery making and native dancing. Cherokee storytelling will be featured beginning at 9 p.m.

For more information, contact the park at 606/528-4121.



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#### by Chuck Shepherd

The Mellowing of the American Cowboy: "Holistic herding," or "low-stress livestock handling," is "changing the whole face of the West," according to a U.S. conservation official, quoted in Canada's National Post in December. Cattle are happier, healthier and more obedient, he said, if they are not shouted at or subjected to stress but, as one rancher put it, allowed "to make up their own minds (where to go)." Not surprisingly, more-rugged cowboys avoid ranches that have adopted the change. And in January, nearly 8,000 cowboys attended the 16th annual Cowboy Poetry Gathering in Elko, Nevada; before submitting their verses, entrants had to prove to a screening committee that they are real cowboys.

According to a February Wall Street Journal report, the annual "Milk Bowl," featuring competition between college teams for the national championship of dairy sniffing, crawls with corporate recruiters seeking to sign the nation's top flavor-evaluation talent, at starter salaries of up to \$40,000. Mississippi State's three-person squad won the 1999 contest in October, winning "ice cream" (by coming the closest in agreement with professional judges as to sensory quality), finishing second in "cheddar" and "yogurt," third in "cottage cheese" and "milk," and fifth in "butter."

#### Nothing Can Go Wrong

On the heels of the loss of the Mars Climate Orbiter in September due to engineers' failure to standardize readings between metric and the English system, a U.S. government report in December revealed that a 1998 test of mock nuclear warheads failed because a contractor had accidentally installed dead batteries in them and was not able to detect the error. Nonetheless, at a speech in February in Albuquerque, the manager of the Cassini interplanetary cruiser now heading for Saturn dismissed his program's apprehensive critics. even though his spacecraft blasted off with 72 pounds of plutonium in 1997 and approached Earth again in August 1999.

#### **Police Blotter**

Two undercover policewomen running a prostitution sting in Dothan, Alabama, in October declined to arrest a pickup-truck-driving john, around age 70, despite his three attempts to procure their services. He first offered to give the women the three squirrels he had just shot, but they ignored him (too much trouble to store the evidence). A few minutes later, he added to the offer the used refrigerator in his truck, but the officers again declined (same reason). On the third trip, he finally offered cash: \$6, but without the squirrels and refrigerator. The officers again declined but said they resolved to arrest him if he returned, but he did not.

Texas Bomb Squad Follies: In November, a patrol officer in San Antonio confiscated two live bombs and nonchalantly took them across town in his squad car to the drug property room, having mistakenly identified them as elaborate marijuana bongs. Two weeks later, police in Cedar Park (near Austin), responding to a check-cashing store's report of a "pipe bomb," sent only an animal control officer to the scene because the 911 operator had instead understood "python."

Joshua Marete Mutuma, 32, was arrested in Modesto, California, in November on suspicion of impersonating his wife. Mutuma's wife had a restraining order against him, and Mutuma arrived at the courthouse dressed as a woman with a long black wig and 5 o'clock shadow, attempting to have the order dismissed, and responding to the clerk's questions in falsetto.

Little Rock, Arkansas, police officer Carlton Dickerson's 57-day suspension for sleeping on the job was upheld by a city com-

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## SOAP UPDATES

#### ALL MY CHILDREN:

Paolo drugged Marian when his seduction efforts failed. Scott and Becca later found her in a compromising position. Rae was stunned when Myrtle revealed they may be mother and daughter. Leo railed at Adam for forcing him to try to break up Stuart and Marian's marriage. Hayley was subpoenaed to testify against Adam in the trial for custody of Colby. Becca threw Leo off guard when she asked if he set Marian up. Liza begged Tad not to reveal the truth about Colby's paternity so that she could be raised as a Martin and not a Chandler. Hayley confronted Arlene. Wait to See: Gillian makes a shocking statement at the trial.

#### AS THE WORLD TURNS:

A handsome stranger came to Abigail's rescue when her plans fell through. Denise was cool to Andy's solution to their problems. John and Camille grew more involved in each other's personal lives. Chris set out to learn who his enemies are. Jennifer got a dream-come-true offer. Wait to See: Jake tries to put the past behind him.

#### THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL:

As Thorne agonized over how he could tell Macy their marriage was a mistake, Macy told him how special he's always been to her. Later, Brooke was stunned to realize Thorne hadn't actually told Macy their marriage was over. Eric and Ridge were upset with Brooke for hiring Morgan. Meanwhile, Giovanni asked Clarke for advice on how to approach her (Morgan). Rick told Becky he won't let her take little Eric back to Paris. Wait to See: Becky may find an unexpected ally.

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#### DAYS OF OUR LIVES:

Greta told Eric she's falling in love with him. Vivian was surprised at what she found when she dropped in on Kate and Nicholas. Later, as Vivian considered her next move with Victor, Ivan made her an offer she didn't resist. Nicholas assured Kate that whatever she decides, he'll always love her. As their plane continued on to Paris, John suddenly made a startling revelation to Marlena about his recent display of strange behavior. Wait to See: Kurt threatens Stefano and Hope. Chloe retreats to her fantasy world. The flight to Paris seems doomed.

#### GENERAL HOSPITAL:

Gertrude's triumph at finding Jax and Chloe together was shortlived when he had her arrested for breaking and entering. A.J. refused to allow Carly and Michael to move into Bobbie's house. Luke mistakenly believed Stefan and Helena were hiding Lucky from each other. Hannah railed at Carly for causing trouble for so many people. Juan was upset that Nikolas became the new public relations director for L&B Records. Roy told Bobbie that Hannah is an FBI agent. Chloe learned surgery might restore her eyesight. Bobbie revealed her true feelings for Roy. Wait to See: Stefan causes problems with Luke's plan to rescue Lucky

#### **GUIDING LIGHT:**

Michelle wasn't so sure the truth would set her free. Richard and Cassie did some investigating in Texas. Max and Susan were unable to share a romantic evening. Marah and Shayne went ahead with their plan to break up Josh and Olivia. Matt learned the cause of Vanessa's health problem. Danny's threats backfired. Wait to See: Theresa has a surprising offer for Danny. Blake's career takes an unexpected turn.

#### ONE LIFE TO LIVE:

Dorian told her disapproving family and friends of her decision to run off with Drake. To Dorian's surprise, Viki encouraged Dorian to seize every opportunity life can offer. Later, Viki told a stunned Dorian she (Viki) may have breast cancer. Antonio assured Cristian that he has a plan to deal with Roseanne's refusal to end her marriage to him (Cristian). Skye pushed Max to divorce Blair. Shots were fired at R.J. Ben and Sam realized they could use Skye to get the goods on Max. Todd Manning returned to Llanview. Wait to See: Kevin urges Viki to reach out to Ben. Tea and Todd come face-to-face. Max drops a bombshell on Ben.

#### PASSIONS:

Timmy disposed of the bird statue (containing "naughty" photos from Eve's past) and someone else found it. Charity had a premonition about Chad. Ethan told Sheridan he can't stop thinking about Theresa. lvy's new attempt to seduce Sam met with a big surprise. Later, Ivy recalled how on her wedding night she learned that her marriage to Julian had been a business arrangement. The bird statue gave Charity an image of Eve and Julian 20 years earlier. Meanwhile, Julian encouraged Ethan to sleep with Theresa before marrying Gwen. Tabitha punished Timmy for losing the bird statue. Wait to See: Chad gets upsetting news.

#### PORT CHARLES:

Kevin showed a shocked Eve an obituary with his name scrawled on it. Mac wondered about Julie's possible involvement in the threats against Kevin. Chris and Julie finally made love. Alan was grateful for Rachel's help with his workload at the hospital. Julie dreamed she actually committed murder. Neil's condition began to improve. Kevin was knocked unconscious. Wait to See: Kevin is rushed to the ER. Julie watches helplessly as her world seems to crash down around her.

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#### THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS:

Tricia told Megan she only pretends to enjoy sex with Ryan. Ross found the letter that dropped out of Warton's pocket. Victoria and Paul were stunned at its threatening content. Victoria thanked Ross for his help in the stalker situation. Later, Ross boasted to Gary that it was now his turn to shine with Victoria. After Chris turned down his job offer, Michael assured her they'll speak again. Paul wondered why Warton would risk his "pay off" money from Victoria by writing another letter. Jack told Ashley he'd made a sperm deposit in case he had cancer. JT stopped Brittany from calling 911 for Billy. Tipped off by Cody, Jill

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### Diverse influences add up to a strong performance for Laura Love on Jubilee

When it comes to categories, Laura Love defies them all. For a while, she referred to her sound as "funkabilly." Then when her first critically-acclaimed release, Octoroon, came out, the label "Afro-Celtic" was given to her by an astute reviewer.

This hard-to-define songstress brings a solid performance to the next Jubilee, airing Thursday, March 2 at 10 p.m. on KET

"I've got African blood, European blood, Indian blood, and it all comes out in the music," says Love. "My body seems to have a memory for things I haven't quite experienced. And I have a lot of curiosity about it . . . [and] I get glimpses of it that show up in my music."

Currently touring to support her second, criticallyacclaimed release, Shum Ticky, Love was taped at last summer's Master Musicians Festival in Somerset.

Daughter of Count Basie sideman Preston Love and winner of Album of the Year from GLAMA (Gay/Lesbian American Music Awards), Love is a performer not to be missed.

Jubilee, a KET production in its fifth season, is produced and directed by H. Russell Farmer. The show is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing.

Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at http://www.ket.org, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

### ALC concert tour begins March 5

The Alice Lloyd College Choir, Voices of Appalachia, will soon begin its Southwestern Tour.

The kick-off concert is Sunday, March 5, at 6:30 p.m. at the Caney Baptist Church in Pippa Passes. Much of the choir's music reflects the Appalachian heritage. For information, call 606/368-6082.

## Life, work of Linda McCartney subject of documentary on KET

The course of the late Linda McCartney's life changed in a single afternoon. In 1966, while working at a society magazine in New York, she attended a party in honor of the Rolling Stones.

A self-taught photographer, she showed up, camera in hand, and was granted exclusive access to the band. The pictures were a smashing success, and a new career was launched.

Over the next few years, Linda captured the rock and pop evolutions of the 1960s with intimate portraits of those destined to become legends, including the Beatle who was to become her husband.

"Linda McCartney: Behind the Lens," airing Wednesday, March 1 at 8 p.m. on KET and Friday, March 3 at 8 p.m. on KET2, is a poignant profile of the photographer's work and life, as well as a portrait of an era.

Blending archival footage, classic songs and personal interviews, the program examines Linda's work with subjects such as Jimi Hendrix and Janis Joplin. The documentary then follows the evolution of Linda's work and ideals as she used photography as a tool of social change.

"Linda McCartney: Behind the Lens" is produced by the BBC and presented by American Public Television. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visitthe KET Web site at ing http://www.ket.org, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## **Masterpiece** Theatre presents 'The Turn of the Screw'

"The Turn of the Screw," Henry James' gripping ghost story, tells the chilling tale of a governess hired by a charming bachelor to look after his young niece and nephew.

Set in Victorian England, the story unfolds in a grand mansion in the rural countryside, where sinister events place lives in jeopardy.

Masterpiece Theatre brings this famous story to television when "The Turn of the Screw" airs on KET Sunday, February 27 at 9 p.m.

Jodhi May plays the naïve young governess, who is charmed by her employer (Colin Firth) and is determined to make a success of her first appointment, despite his strange stipulation that she never contact him.

At first, the governess' impressions are all good - the house is beautiful, the children are charming and the job is a perfect delight.

But she soon sees the ghosts of the former valet, Peter Quint (Jason Salkey), and a previous governess, Miss Jessel (Caroline Pegg). When the governess becomes convinced that the children can see them as a Kentucky.com affiliate.

well, that their souls are in danger and that she alone can save them, the stage is set for a battle of good and evil

Masterpiece Theatre "The Turn of the Screw" is produced by United Productions in association with Martin Pope Productions and WGBH/ Boston. The program is closed-captioned for deaf and hardof-hearing.

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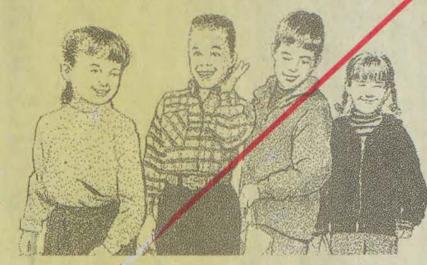
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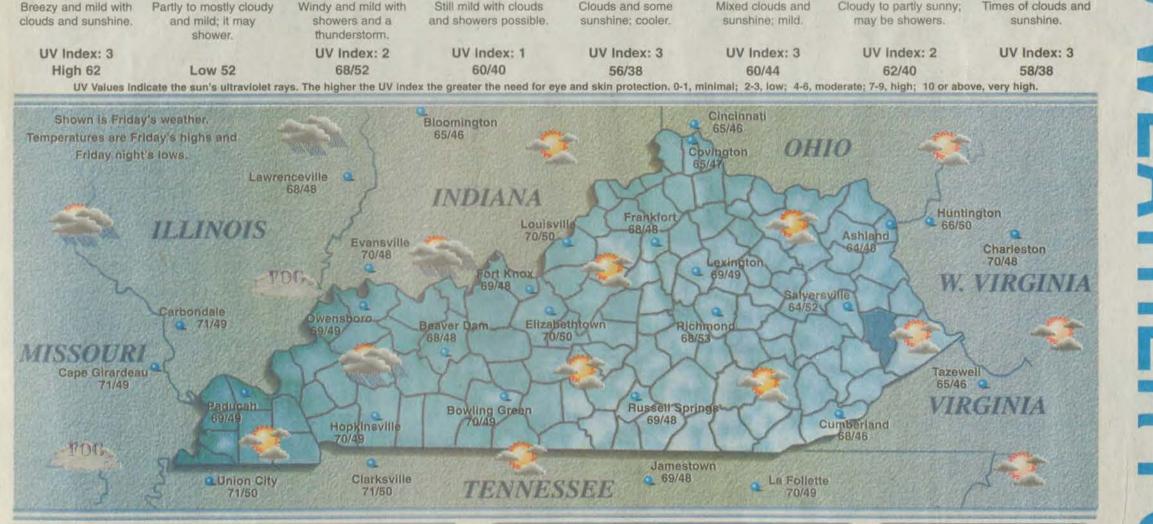
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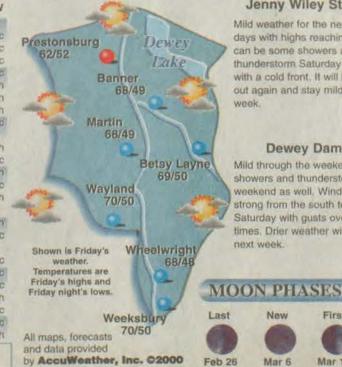




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Paintsville	69	50	C	65	42	sh	57	36	sh	60	40	S	65	42	p
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Salversville	64	52	DC	85	42	sh	57	36	sh	59	39	5	65	42	p
Tazewell, VA	65	46	C	65	39	sh	57	33	sh	58	37	S	62	40	p
Valley Station	70	50	C	64	40	sh	58	38	pc	64	42	S	66	42	st
Wheeling, WV	63	48	0	60	40	sh	50	33	sh	51	35	sh	54	35	p
Williamson, WV	70	52	6	66	43	sh	58	38	sh	60	41	S	66	49	po
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#### COUNTY OUTLOOK



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Jenny Wiley State Park

can be some showers and possibly a

**Dewey Dam Lake** 

Mild through the weekend with some

showers and thunderstorms over the

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weekend as well. Winds will be

strong from the south today and Saturday with gusts over 30 mph at times. Drier weather will arrive early

thunderstorm Saturday into Sunday

with a cold front. It will begin to dry

out again and stay mild early next

week.

next week.

New

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Mild weather for the next several days with highs reaching 60s. There Jackson for the week ending Feb. 22.

#### **Temperatures:**

High for the week	66*
Low for the week	
Normal high	
Normal low	
Average temperature 4	
Normal average temperature 3	7.7
Temperature departure +	5.7°

#### Precipitation:

Total for the week 1.43" Total for the month Total for the year ... % of normal this month 109% 

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(14)	3	ESPN	NBA Today	Up Close	Sportscenter	8	College Bask	etball: Purdue	at Indiana. (Liv	e)	College Bask	etball: Kentuck	y at Mississip	oi State. (Live)	Sportscenter	W	Up Close Spe	cial (R)
(33)	0	DSC	Gimme Shelte	er (R)	Your New Ho	use (R)	Wild Discove	ry: Piranha	Bridges: Rea	ching Out (R)	New Detectiv	es: Forensic	FBI Files "A	Model Killer"	Bridges: Rea	ching Out (R)	New Detectiv	es: Forensic
(16)	60	TNT	Dark Justice	8	In the Heat of	the Night 🖾	ER (In Stereo)	<u>(M)</u>	NBA Basketb	all: Miami Hea	t at San Antonio	o Spurs. (In Ste	reo Live) 🕮	NBA Baskett	all: Los Angele	s Lakers at Por	tland Trail Blaz	ers. 📧
(31)	3	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	(III)	L.A. Law	100 mar	Law & Order	<u>æ</u>	Biography: T	elly Savalas	Investigative	Reports (R) I	]		Law & Order	"Denial" 🖾	Biography: T	elly Savalas
(27)	63	TNN	Waltons "The	Gíff" 置	Cagney & La	cey (In Stereo)	Matt Houston	(In Stereo) 🖾	Bowling (In S	Stereo) 📧	Rollerjam (R)	(In Stereo) 🖾	Champions	ip Bull Riding	Matt Houston	n (In Stereo) 固	Outdoor	Outdoor
(19)	3	NICK	Double Dare	Double Dare	Hey Arnold!	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats 🕅	Rugrats 🕅	Rocket	Rocket	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
(17)	3	USA	Pacific Blue "	Lost & Found"	Baywatch "G	o for the Gold"	JAG "Innocen	ce" (In Stereo)	Walker, Texa	s Ranger 🖽	"No Code of	Conduct" (199	8. Action) Cha	arlie Sheen. 🖾	Walker, Texa	s Ranger 📧	Silk Stalkings	"Noir" (R) 🗷
(28)	3	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	** "Au Pair"	' (1999, Comed	y-Drama) Greg	ory Harrison.	My So-Calle	d Life "The Zit"	700 Club 🖭		Boss?	Partridge
34	3	MTV	Say What?	Video	MTV Jams	Beat Suite	Lyrcist	News Link	TRL Wanna	TRL (R) (In St	ereo)	Tom Green	Tom Green	Lyrcist	Undressed	Loveline (In S	itereo)	Hot Zone (R)
	3	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Port	ait	Chicago Hop	e (In Stereo)	** "Double J	leopardy" (19	96, Drama) Jo	e Penny.	Putting Baby	to Bed: Life	Golden Girls	(In Stereo) 🖾
	•	CNBC	Market Wrap	Ħ.	Edge 🖾	Business Ce	nter 📧	Upfront Ton.	Hardball		Rivera Live		News With E	Irian Williams	Hardball (R)		Rivera Live (I	1)
	3	ESPN2	ESPNews	50 Greatest	Motoworld	RPM 2Night	College Bask	etball: Temple	at St. Joseph's	s. (Live) 🖾	NHL Hockey:	Edmonton Oile	ers at Colorado	Avalanche. (Li	ve)		NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night
(29)	39	AMC	Paris Hol.	**** "Zorba	a the Greek" (1	1964, Drama) A	inthony Quinn, /	Alan Bales. 📧	Sabu 📧		**** "The T	hief of Bagda	d" (1940) Con	rad Veidt.	*** "The Ki	d From Brookl	yn" (1946) Dai	iny Kaye.
10	5	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrny	/S.	Sliders "Asyli	um" (In Stereo)	Xena: Warrion	Princess 🖾	Xena: Warrio	r Princess 📧	Xena: Warrior	r Princess 🕮	Xena: Warrie	or Princess 🖾	Poltergeist: 1	The Legacy 🗷	Friday the 13	th: The Series
(32)	62	HIST	Weapons at V	Var (R)	Royal-Blues	Death Valley	Chronicles (R)		Ancient Inver	ntions (A) 🗷	Great Ships (	R) 🕮	Bridges 📧	-	Haunted Hist	ory	Ancient Inver	tions (R) @
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	1	HBO2	(4:30) ** 1/2 **5	Steal the Sky"	(1988, Drama)	** "Home Fr	ries" (1998) Dre	в Валутоге.	**选"The Ni	ght We Never	Met" (1993)	*1/2 "Freeway	" (1996, Susp	ense) Kiefer Su	therland. 'R' @	Boxing: WCB	Doubleheader	(8)
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(21)	00	MAX	(4:30) "If Loo	ks Could Kill"	*** "The Pa	ckage" (1989,	Drama) Gene H	lackman, 'R'	**½ "Wyatt	Earp" (1994, V	Vestern) Kevin (	Costner. (In Ste	reo) 'PG-13' 8	E	*1/2 "I Still Kr	now What You	Did Last Sum	ner" (1998) 🖾
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## CRITTERS CORNER

#### by Carol Combs-Morris, DVM

Did you teach your children table manners? Sure you did, Chances are that at dinner last night they more or less ate with utensils, may have even said "please" once or twice, and

didn't fling globs of mashed potatoes at their little brother (at least while you were looking).

So how are the dog's table manners? Of course, he should have them, too. It is much better to teach good manners right from the start than to correct bad ones later. In fact, let me caution you right now; a dog that is already very protective over his food is not something you want to deal with on your own. It is potentially a very dangerous situation and should be approached only with one-on-one professional advice tailored to the individual circumstance.

So how do you become the Emily Post of canine table etiquette? Here are a few simple rules your dog should know, and how to teach them. Remember, I am talking about a young pup or newly acquired dog who is not foodaggressive, just lacking proper

Rule 1: I must not bite the hand that feeds me. Several times a

manners

week, instead of just plunking the dish down, sit down with the pup and feed his meal a little at a time from your hand. Vary this by sometimes putting a small portion in the dish,

but leave your hand in the dish, also. Once the pup seems unperturbed by this, you can reach into the bowl and stir around in the food with your fingers. Praise and pet the pup while doing this to show him you approve of his calm acceptance of your hand in his dish

The hand is not a threat: in fact, it usually contains even more goodies. If he should accidentally nip you, give a highpitched yelp like another puppy would, to startle him, then say something to the effect of "ow! easy!" and continue the lesson.

Rule 2: Bowls that go away come back with even more stuff in them. Once again, feed only

part of the meal; when Pup

has finished that, take the bowl away and add some more to it. Occasionally add something he likes even more, like a few bites of cooked chicken. The idea to convey is that it's a Good Thing when my person picks up my bowl

#### Rule 3: My person is allowed to handle my mouth.

As part of everyday grooming and handling sessions, practice opening the pup's mouth, looking at his teeth and tongue, and touching his teeth and gums. Praise and reward him when he allows just a few seconds without a fuss; gradually extend the time. Also teach the "out" or "give" command. Start with a toy the pup likes but is not highly possessive of; have some small treats handy. Reach the pup

the toy and say "take it." Praise him as he takes it in his mouth. After a few seconds say, "out" or "give it." At the same time help the pup open his mouth by placing one hand over his muzzle and inserting your thumb just behind his upper canine tooth. Take the toy, give him a really tasty treat, and praise

him-that was hard



dog will dictate how

prized possessions until he is very reliable Here's a practical illustration. My Doberman happily gives up his rawhide bone on request. When he grabbed a flavored medication that I dropped while trying to give it to one of the other dogs. I was able to reach in his mouth and retrieve itnot an advisable move had he not

Rule 4: It's polite to say please, com

This should apply not only to food, but to anything the dog wants. It simply involves asking the dog to sit before he is served his dinner. This doesn't have to be a sit-stay for any length of time, especially at first: just a "Put your butt on the floor for a second to show me you're aware that I'm in control of food distribution."

You are also in control of door opening, leash attaching, petting sessions, etc., and it doesn't do the dog a bit more harm that it does the kids to ask you nicely for something they want.

Rule 5: My people are entitled to eat in peace.

Begging at the table is not allowed. The pup goes in another room while the family eats, or holds a down-stay across the room when he is old enough and able to do so. No one is allowed to be suckered by crying or pleading brown eyes. If he is allowed any table food at all, it is served to him at the end of the family's meal, and served in his own dish. One slipped tidbit under the table rewards him and starts him on his way to becoming a professional beggar.

Rule 6: I am entitled to eat in peace.

This means that even when practicing the above exercises, the dog is not teased or stressed out about whether he's going to get his supper. The point of the exercises is that human activity around the food dish is not something bad. This also means that the kids are absolutely never allowed to harass the dog while he eats, or tease him with food, even if he's very toler-

Good luck. You're on your own with the kids!

The far you can go with this exercise. but try to avoid asking for really

been trained to release on command!

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#### LEISURE TIMES

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3)	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	10th Kingdom (In Stereo) (F	art 3 of 5) 🕅		Law & Order	"Trade This"	News	Tonight Show	v (In Stereo)	Late Night
4) (	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R) 🕮	Math Basics	Business	Newshour Wi	th Jim Lehrer	Linda McCartney	Desmond Eg	an	Kentucky Au	thor Forum 🕮	Assembly	Hotels	(Off Air)	
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23)	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	<b>Fresh Prince</b>	Full House	Caroline	** "A Casualty of War" (19	90, Drama) Sh	elley Hack.	News (In Ster	eo) @	MacGyver (In	Stereo) (#)	In the Heat of	the Night @
6) (	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	College Basketball: Arkansa	is at Kentucky.	(Live)	News	"Perfect Mun	der, Pertect To	own" (2000, Dra	ama) 🕮	Conflict
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33) (	-	DSC	Gimme Shelte	er (R)	Your New Hor	use (R)	Wild Discover	ry	On the Inside	Swift Water R	lescue	Shark Attack	Files (R)	On the Inside		Swift Water R	lescue (R)
16)	30	TNT	Dark Justice	'Joyride" 🖭	In the Heat of	the Night III	ER "Vanishing	Act" 📧	* "Buffy the Vampire Slaye	r" (1992) Kristy	y Swanson.	SI Swimsuit		* "Buffy the	Vampire Slaye	r" (1992) Krist	y Swanson.
31)	Ð	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	[ <u>1</u> ]	L.A. Law "Lea	pin' Lizards"	Law & Order	<u>(3</u> )	Biography: Angle Dickinson	Investigative	Reports 🗷	American Jus	stice (R) 🖾	Law & Order	"Purple Heart"	Biography: A	ngie Dickinso
27)	33	TNN	Waltons "The	Substitute"	Cagney & Lac	cey (In Stereo)	Matt Houston	(In Stereo) III	Dead Man's Gun (In Stereo)	18 Wheels of	Justice	Magnificent S	leven 🕮	Matt Houston	(In Stereo) III)	Bassmastr.	Bill Dance
19	30	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats 🔟	Thornberrys Rocket	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17) (	33	USA	Pacific Blue (	n Stereo) 💷	Baywatch "Th	he Contest" 🕅	JAG "Act of Te	error" @	*** "The Godfather, Part I	ll" (1990, Dram	na) Al Pacino, D	iane Keaton. (i	n Stereo) 🖾			Silk Stalkings	(In Stereo)
28	13	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Tara Lipinski-	This Moment	Figure Skating: Super Team	s Challenge	Boss?	Higher Groun	d (In Stereo)	700 Club 🗵		Boss?	Partridge
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6	13	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portr	ait "Faith Hill"	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	** "Shining"	Through" (199	2. Drama) Mic	nael Douglas, N	Aelanie Griffith.	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Design. W.
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(	BI	ESPN2	Spanish Fly	50 Greatest	Drag Race	RPM 2Night	Yachting: Ame	erica's Cup Fin	als – Race 8, (Live) 🖾	3	Strongman	NHL Hockey:	Carolina Hurric	canes at Phoen	ix Coyotes. (Liv	e)	
29)	Ð	AMC	(4:00) *** "T	eacher's Pet"	★★15 "The Gi	rl Can't Help It	" (1956, Come	dy) Tom Ewell.	*** "North to Alaska" (198	i0, Adventure).	John Wayne.	★★½ "Heller	in Pink Tights	" (1960) Antho	ny Quinn.	"Fire Down B	lelow" (1957)
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32)	32	HIST	Weapons at V	lar (R)	Women at Wa	ur (R)	20th Century		Sports: Games of Combat	Great Ships (	R) 🕮	More-Disaste	rs	Great Ships (	R)	Sports: Game	es of Combat
35)		FX	Beverly Hills,	90210 🕮	Beverly Hills,	90210 📧	M*A*S*H 圆	M*A*S*H @	NYPD Blue (In Stereo) III	X-Files "Oubli	ette" 🕮	Married	Married	X Show III	A CHANNE	X-Files "Nisei"	" (页)
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6	B	HBO2	(4:45) ★★% "9	oulmates" (19	197) 'R'	** "Paulie" (	1998) Genà Ro	wlands, 'PG'	**1/2 "Renaissance Man" ("	994) Danny De	eVito. 'PG-13'	Sanders	Sanders	Marc Anthon	y: Madison Sq	uare Garden	
6	D	HBO3	** "Still Brea	thing" (1997) I	Brendan Frase	r. 'PG-13' 🕮	** "Love Affa	air" (1994, Dra	ma) Warren Beatty. 'PG-13'	** "The Mea	n Season" (19	85, Drama) 'R'	**1/2 "The Ge	etaway" (1994)	Drama) Alec B	aldwin. 'R' 🕮	Robin Hood
21)	D	MAX	(4:10) ** "U.S	. Marshals" (1	998) 'PG-13'	**% "Livin' L	arge!" (1991)	(In Stereo) 'R'	** "Can't Hardly Wait" (19	98) 'PG-13' 🖻	**1/2 "Love a	nd Action in C	hicago" (1999	) 'NR' [@	Hot Line (R)	** "Some Gi	ris" (1998)
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#### by SALLY STONE

#### LEARNING THEIR ABCs:

Jacob Young (ex Rick, "The Bold and the Beautiful") and Louise Sorel (ex Vivian, "Days of Our Lives") have both checked into the ABC Network complex in Hollywood for new soap assignments. Jacob, as we now know, has assumed the role of Lucky Spencer on "General Hospital." Louise debuts on "Port Charles" on March 10 as Donatella Stewart, of whom it may be said, where she goes, turbulence is sure to follow.

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Incidentally, the late great lady of the theater, Dame Judith Anderson, told me that she considered Louise one of the finest actors she had ever worked with. (She met Louise when both appeared on "Santa Barbara.")

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Jonathan Spencer, the original Lucky, just wrapped up an ABC made-for-TV movie, "Trapped in a Purple Haze," with JoBeth Williams (ex Brandy, "Guiding



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called and demanded to speak with her son only to have Brittany respond that Billy is dead. Wait to See: Victoria faces another "threat."

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#### Light")

Speaking of "Guiding Light," executive producer Paul Rauch is one of the producers of the movie "Run the Wild Fields," airing on SHOWTIME March 5. \*\*\*

Michael Swan, who is out as Adam Alexander, Sally's (Darlene Conley) great love on "The Bold & the Beautiful," may return to "As the World Turns" as Duncan, the romantic Scot who had once been married to the brainy and beautiful Jessica (Tamara Tunie). Now that Jessica is back in Oakdale drawing up legal briefs during her long, lonely evenings, she might be receptive to reconciliation with her former spouse. \*\*\*

Jason Behr ("Roswell") co-stars with Dean Stockwell in "Rites of Passage" which will be released on DVD and VHS on March 14.

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#### FAN FARE:

From Ann in Colorado: "I'm tired of soap characters who have more bed experience before the age of 20 than most people over 40. I'm no prude, but I think soaps need to get real. Instant sex is boring, dumb and dangerous."

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## **Kentucky Author Forum** features John Glenn

At turns a fighter pilot, test pilot, astronaut and politician, John Glenn has lived a life of unassuming heroism. From outer space to Washington, Glenn talks about his experiences on Kentucky Author Forum Presents: A Conversation with John Glenn.

The one-hour program airs on KET Wednesday, March 1 at 10 p.m.

Glenn is interviewed by Lou Dobbs, head of space.com, which is considered the definitive web site devoted to space exploration and space-related content.

The lively conversation follows the chronology of Glenn's new book, "John Glenn: A Memoir," beginning with a smalltown upbringing in Ohio that Glenn says was like something from "The Music Man."

A Marine fighter pilot in World War II and Korea, Glenn became a test pilot in the 1950s and was selected as an astronaut by NASA. In

1962, he became the first American to orbit the planet.

Encouraged by Robert Kennedy, he ran for the U.S. Senate, finally winning a seat after two setbacks. Glenn served in the Senate for 24 years and ran unsuccessfully for the Democratic Presidential nomination in 1984.

At age 77, Glenn made a dramatic return to space as a member of the Discovery mission.

Kentucky Author Forum Presents: A Conversation with John Glenn is a KET production, produced and directed by Duncan Hart. Nancy Carpenter is executive producer.

The author's appearance in Louisville was produced by the Kentucky Author Forum (Mary Moss Greenebaum, producer) and sponsored by the University of Louisville in cooperation with Hawley-Cooke Booksellers and the Kentucky Center for the Arts.

## Chinese art on display

University of Kentucky Art Museum will open an exhibition of Chinese art.

This exhibition has been organized in conjunction with the major exhibition Imperial China: The Art of the Horse in Chinese History, which will be on view at the Kentucky Horse Park from May through August 2000.

(The museum's current exhibition A Horse of a Different Color, on view

On February 27, the through June 25, was also developed in celebration of Imperial China.)

This exhibition will display artifacts primarily from the Ming (1368-1644) and Quing (1644-1911) dynasties. On view will be fine works of pottery, including examples of glazed porcelain figures, a famille rose plate, and Yixing stoneware teapots.

Also on view will be delicate watercolor and ink paintings on silk scrolls, incense clocks, and an intricately carved, 8-panel lacquered Coromandel screen. A ceramic tomb guardian from the Six Dynasties Period (220-589) will be of special interest.

The University Art Museum is open, noon to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday, noon to 8 p.m. on Friday; closed, Mondays and University holidays. For more information, call 606/257-5716.

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## Activities slated for wildlife center

Frankfort — The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources (KDFWR) is holding several educational and entertaining classes at the Salato Wildlife Education Center the next couple weeks.

• Explore the wildlife education center on a guided tour. Beth Phillips, visitor services coordinator, will lead the Salato Center Interpretive Tour at 3 p.m. on Saturday, February 26 and again on Sunday, February 27.

During this tour of the native plant and animal exhibits outdoors, participants can feed the elk, bison and deer and learn about these animals' natural histories. Afterward, visitors can explore the interactive exhibits through an age-appropriate scavenger hunt.

• Snakes play an important role in the food chain by eating pesky rodents and serving as food for hawks, foxes and other predators. Learn all about slithering animals at Snakes of Kentucky at the wildlife center.

Friday, March 3 at 10 a.m. and again at 11:30 a.m. Jim Harrison from the Kentucky Reptile Zoo will share some of his favorite scaly critters and stories during this entertaining program. Registration is required - call 1-800-858-1549. The cost of this program is \$1 per person.

 Spring's on its way and now is the time to start planning your gardens. Join Mary Carol Cooper, Salato Native Plant Program coordinator, in the Backyard Wildlife Habitat Workshop on Saturday, March 4 at 2 p.m.

Cooper will explain how to create backyard wildlife habitat and cover the basics of garden design, benefits of native plants and which plants are best suited to your yard. To help in your planning, participants will receive a list of the native plants that will be available at the annual spring plant sale on April 29.

Registration is required call 1-800-858-1549. This workshop costs \$3 per person.

The wildlife center is located on the KDFWR Game Farm on US 60 just west of Frankfort.

## Austin City Limits features all-acoustic performance from Willie Nelson

As the series celebrates 25 years on the air, Austin City Limits spotlights country legend Willie Nelson, who performs with the Family and special guest Leon Russell.

The hour-long episode, airing Friday, March 3 at 10 p.m. on KET, presents a sensational all-acoustic performance, showcasing Nelson's unique guitar style and one-of-a-kind vocal ability.

When Austin City Limits producers approached Willie Nelson in 1974 with a modest proposal for a music television program, the world of popular music was strikingly different than it is today.

A portly Elvis was still packing them in under the bright lights of Vegas, 8track tapes were played in stereos and the term "unplugged" meant nothing outside of the plumbing profession.

A quarter century and numerous epochs in music and technology later, the singer, songwriter, guitarist, actor, champion of the family farm, iconoclast, trailblazer and American icon takes the stage at Austin City Limits for the 13th time.

Austin City Limits is produced by KLRU/Austin and Capital of Texas Telecommunications Council. The program is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at http://www.ket.org, a Kentucky.com affiliate.



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## Weird

mission in October despite his claim of the disability of sleep apnea. In his four years on the force, he has been caught asleep six times and has wrecked five patrol cars. (Dickerson once denied to internal affairs investigators that he was asleep even after two fellow officers said they needed to rap on his desk for 15 minutes to wake him.)

Campaign to Help Police Recruiting: In August a judge in Halifax, Nova Scotia, ruled that undercover police could legally touch prostitutes' private parts if it were necessary to effect the crime. And in November, the Arizona Republic newspaper revealed that police guidelines in Mesa, Arizona (contrary to virtually all departments' guidelines in the United States), permit undercover officers to receive massages while nude if in the course of a prostitute sting operation.

### Recurring Themes

News of the Weird reported in 1997 on how Palm Springs, California, airport authorities felt the need to issue hygiene regulations for taxi drivers serving arriving passengers, including requiring regular toothbrushing and daily showers with soap. In January 2000, the chief executive of Dublin (Ireland) Tourism told the city's taxi drivers to bathe daily and change clothes regularly in order to quell recent tourist complaints, although many drivers maintained the odors in their cabs came from previous passengers.

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#### People Who Are Not Like You and Me

In January, Bobby G. Olson, 34, pled guilty to vehicular homicide for an incident in rural Breckenridge, Minnesota, in 1998. Olson and another man were arguing in a bar over who had the more powerful pickup truck, and the two left to settle things by chaining their trucks together and having a tug of war. Olson won by default when the other man's truck slid into a ditch, rolled, and, when the man was ejected, came down on top of him.

#### **Undignified Deaths**

A 58-year-old man was killed when his small construction truck accidentally fell into a 25-foot-deep hog-manure lagoon near Laverne, Oklahoma, in December (though divers could not find the body in the muck for 18 days). The same fate befell a 23-year-old man in December when his out-of-control pickup truck smashed through a fence in Orono, Maine, and landed in a 400,000-gallon tank of raw sewage. And a 57-year-old man accidentally asphyxiated in Duluth, Minnesota, in December; his body was found stuck head-first in a sump drain in his basement.

#### Uh-Oh!

In its November findings after a yearlong study of correctional institutions around the world, Canadian prison officials recommended that nearly all of its facilities be made to resemble its most lenient, including eventually removing razor wire, bulletproof glass and guards' guns, and giving all but a handful of the most heinous inmates control over the keys to their cells so as to establish "a culture of respect."

In a long-classified report on the World War II era, released in October, Britain's Special Operations Executive office warned that spies should know themselves better psychosexually in order not to compromise their missions. For example, careless destruction of code materials shows a castration complex; getting captured reveals masochistic tendencies; parachuting is a sexual stimulant; failure to bury the discarded parachute shows exhibitionistic tendencies; and fear of parachuting responds to "the unconscious reproduction of the trauma of birth."

#### Also, in the Last Month ...

After two white police officers shot a black colleague, Providence (Rhode Island) mayor Vincent Cianci called on the city's poet laureate to help the community heal. An impris(Continued from page five)

oned Minnesota arsonist legally changed his name (at taxpayer expense) to G.Q. Fires. Courthouse employees in Rome, Italy, found papers on 700,000 open criminal cases accidentally stored in a basement since 1989. Spain dropped the minimum-IQ requirement for its military from 90 to 70. A federal tax official in Moscow, Russia, announced that confiscated vodka would henceforth be turned over to a government contractor to reprocess into antifreeze.

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## **Exhibit opens at the Kentucky History Center**

The Kentucky Historical Society is hosting a new temporary exhibit at the Kentucky History Center.

The exhibit, titled "Saving Kentucky's Treasures," is an in-depth look at the fascinating processes used to maintain and preserve the items that document Kentucky's rich heritage.

The majority of the items in the exhibit have never been on public display. They include maps, papers, photography, silver, flags and two original copies of the Kentucky Constitution, the "giraffe" piano, and an 1840 daguerreotype. "Saving Kentucky's Treasures" will run from March 4-June 4, at the new Kentucky History Center. Exhibit hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Tuesday-Saturday (with special late hours on Thursdays until 8 p.m.), and Sundays 1 p.m.-5 p.m. All museums of the Kentucky Historical Society are closed on Mondays.

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## Exile

From the pop classic "Kiss You All Over" to the country hit "She's a Miracle," the band's music is a part of American popular culture.

Richmond, who spent his growing-up years in Garrett and Maytown, will join the band in its busy bus tour, hitting Louisiana, Alabama, Tennessee, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas, in March alone.

"I'm very, very proud to be involved with this group," Richmond said in an interview last Saturday. "All my life this is the group I wanted to be with. I think Exile represents the epitome of Kentucky musicians."

He adds that as a youngster he would read the album credits for the band and pretend his name was on it.

As part of Exile, Richmond joins J.P. Pennington of Berea and Les Taylor of London, founders of the band which started as a pop group in the 1960s. Other members are Tim Cofer of Morehead and Jason Whitt of Hyden.

The addition of Richmond makes Exile an all-east Kentucky band.

The son of Buster and Olga Richmond has been playing drums as long as he can remember, starting on his mother's pots and pans. His sister, Linda Salisbury of Martin, insists he began by drumming on his chest and stomach when he was still a toddler.

"My sister gave me my first real drum set at about six years old," Richmond says, "I've been through numerous sets since

then."

Richmond's first audience, besides his family, was his classmates at the old Garrett Elementary School. After school, he would dash to his family's twostory farmhouse across the road, throw up the window in his bedroom and begin pounding loudly on his drums.

His captive audience included the students waiting in line to get on the school buses.

"I would hit a few licks and then let out a yell," he laughs. "I guess I still do that."

At 14, he began playing professionally as part of Ace High, a band made up of his fellow students at Allen Central High School: Darrell Atkins, Stephen Allen, Bubby Webb, Howard Meade and Steve Rector.

The group played through high school and "a little past," according to Richmond.

They played frequently at Marlow Tackett's nightclub, north of Pikeville. "I learned a lot from Marlow as an entertainer," the drummer says. "I totally respect him, not only as a business owner, but also as an entertainer, the way he relates to an audience."

From about 1989 to 1992, Richmond was drummer for a band called Blue Avenue. Because of poor business advice, the band lost a promising Nashville record deal, he says.

Jeff Branham, who now works at the MAC, was a keyboardist for the group, and Roger Eaton went on to play guitar for Barbara Mandrell and now for Joe Diffie. For the last several years, Richmond has been based in Lexington and has worked parttime for UPS to hedge his bets in the music industry.

He's worked with groups that have opened for such big names as Alan Jackson, Travis Tritt, Eddie Raven, Sammy Kershaw and T. Graham Brown.

"There've been very few weekends I have been out of work," Richmond says.

For his success, he is quick to give credit where it is due. He points particularly to music teachers Susan Compton, Kay Halbert and Marcia Thompson. "Without the encouragement of my elementary and high school music instructors, I don't know that I would have continued in music," he says.

"I do believe I have a Godgiven talent, and I give all the credit to God. A lot of times, had it not been for talent, I would have been hungry."

In addition to his talent, though, Richmond has had equal amounts of perseverance and spirit. Born with a cleft palate, he has had operations almost annually since he was a baby to correct the condition and to reconstruct his mouth and nose.

None of the surgeries has adversely affected his voice, which his sister describes as "beautiful."

Richmond says he is looking forward to seeing old friends and friendly faces in the audience



Saturday night.

"I really enjoy the feeling I get when I look into the audience and see a smiling face," he adds. "There's too much sadness in the world. If I can bring a smile to a face or a whistle to the lips, that's what I want."

Richmond is dedicating his performance to his late brother, Bob Richmond, who died of cancer. He is particularly sorry that his broth-

**Cave Theatre announces auditions** 

er did not live to see his success.

He's also sorry his mother can't share his joy. She is in a nursing home, suffering from Alzheimer's disease. The drummer says he would like to see Exile do some benefits to support research into the degenerative disease.

For ticket information on the Exile performance, call 1-888-MAC ARTS or locally 886-2623.

## Nature on KET looks at the tough life of jackals

Life is hard for the animal inhabitants of the East African plains, and nowhere is this more evident than in the Ngorongoro Crater in northern Tanzania, where lions, cheetahs, wildebeest and Thomson gazelles are part of a diverse wildlife population residing within the confines of the crater walls.

Noteworthy among the Ngorongoro denizens are jackals. In fact, the crater is one of the few places where three of the world's four jackal species are found in co-habitation.

Nature presents a look at these tenacious creatures in "Jackals of the African Crater." Sunday, February 27 at 8 p.m. on KET and Wednesday, March 1 at 8 p.m. on KET2.

Related to dogs, jackals are by no means the largest, strongest or fastest of the crater inhabitants, but they are wily survivors. Facing the triple threat of starvation, predators and each other, the three species of jackal in the crater — black-backed, side-striped, and golden jackal — compete within their own species for survival.

The program follows members of the three species through the seasons as they struggle to raise and feed themselves and their pups.

Nature "Jackals of the African Crater" is a co-production of WNET/New York and the BBC. The program is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Horse Cave Theatre, Kentucky's professional festival theatre, announces auditions in Louisville for the 2000 season.

Horse

Casts for six plays, performed in rotating repertory from June 30 to November 5, will be engaged:

"Light Up the Sky," "Funny Money," "Beating the Varsity," and "A Nightingale Sang," "Our Town" and "Spider's Web." Auditions will be held

on Saturday, February 26, at the Kentucky Center For the Arts in the Small Rehearsal Hall from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Auditions are for both equity and non-equity actors. Actors should prepare two contrasting, short monologues and bring their resume and a head shot along. Technicians in lighting, sound, carpentry, etc. and front-of-the-house personnel are also encouraged to make appointments and should bring their resume and a head shot if available.

Appointments are required. Call Horse Cave Theatre at 1-800-342-2177 for more information and for an appointment.

Horse Cave Theatre is Kentucky's nationally known professional festival theatre, located off 1-65 halfway between Louisville and Nashville at Exit 58, two miles east in downtown Horse Cave.

Horse Cave Theatre features a professional acting company assembled through a nationwide search, a six-play repertory season in performance," June to November, allowing visitors to see three different plays in two days in a fully air conditioned, wheelchair accessible theatre.

Horse Cave Theatre is a not-for-profit professional theatre. All programs, activities, and services are provided equally without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, gender, or disability. Horse Cave Theater is a member of the Kentucky Tourism Council and the Theatre Communications Group (TCG).

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### American Experience looks at John Brown's role

Martyr, madman, murderer, hero. John Brown remains one of the most controversial and misunderstood figures in American history. The award-winning series, The American Experience, looks at " John Brown's Holy War," Monday, February 28 at 9 p.m. on KET.

 In the 1850s, John Brown and his ragtag guerrilla group embarked on a righteous crusade against slavery that was based on religious faith — yet carried out with shocking violence. Brown's execution at Harper's Ferry sparked a chain of events that led to the Civil War.

The American Experience "John Brown's Holy War," produced by WGBH/Boston, is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing.

Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at http://www.ket.org, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

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