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Magoffin woman charged with robbing 87-year-old

by Randell Reno
Staff Writer

A preliminary hearing for Carma Miller, also known as Tammy Slusher, 38, of Royalton, was held on Wednesday. Miller was charged with first-degree robbery, theft, unlawful imprisonment and terroristic threatening when state police Det. Lee Weddington arrested her last Thursday.

The alleged crime took place at mid-day at the residence of Lanie Terry, 87, of Lackey, a distant relative of the accused.

Weddington testified Terry had invited Miller and another suspect into her home on the pretense they were there to clean her house.

The couple allegedly told Terry to stand in a corner and to keep quiet or they would kill her. Weddington testified, Miller and her accomplice then allegedly took over \$500 in cash, a man's diamond ring, a .22 semi-automatic pistol, a .357 revolver, a cassette/CD player, a simulated leather coat and three watches from the residence.

Weddington said the two had shown up at Terry home uninvited.

When Weddington went to Miller's home to investigate the allegations made by Terry's next door neighbor, he found a cassette/CD player in direct view from the front door.

Weddington told the court he asked permission to search Miller's home while telling her she did not have to let him. Items fitting the description of the crime were found on the scene.

The detective also found marijuana on the premises, located outside in an outbuilding he described as a wash house.

"She said she thought they were flowers," Weddington testified.

The detective also seized about \$10,500 in cash from Miller's residence.

The case has been sent to the grand jury for consideration. Further charges are pending against Miller. A warrant has been issued for Miller's accomplice, said Weddington.

Burning the midnight oil...



Ghostly figures spotted in the forest late Wednesday night were not apparitions, but Division of Forestry firefighters working to save homes along Army Road in Prestonsburg from a creeping blaze. Forestry officials had the fire under control but remained at the ready to combat any unforeseen flare-ups. The fire, which officials said started when a nearby resident was burning brush, threatened several buildings, coming within feet of the Karen's Kare daycare center. (photo by, Ralph B. Davis)

Ceremonies, education will mark April as Child Abuse Prevention Month

Times Staff Report

Starting Saturday, Kentucky will once again dedicate the month of April as Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Ceremonies across the state will mark the beginning of the 31-day awareness project.

Prevent Child Abuse Kentucky (PCAK), formerly the Kentucky Council on Child Abuse, has worked to prevent child abuse and neglect by raising awareness by developing educational materials, programs, research, and by building community-based services for families.

Supporters of the effort are asked once more when crews return to the singular task. As of today, Dotson said the following areas have been completed: Allen, Auxier, Blue River, David, East Point, Dwale, Martin, Prestonsburg and Van Lear. These areas have been confirmed as having the E-911 service.

PCAK has a variety of sugges-

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Efforts to complete 911 still underway

by Randell Reno
Staff Writer

Concerns about the progress of the county's E-911 system have prompted many questions to the Floyd Fiscal Court and created some doubt in many residents across the county.

Of the 500 road signs ordered for the county's E-911 system, approximately 300 have been placed,

according to E-911 coordinator Bill Dotson.

The signs are being placed while crews are verifying addresses by zip codes across the county.

Dotson reported on Monday that progress had slowed in putting the signs up so that crews could verify the maps and addresses that are being sent via e-mail to the post office in Lexington and then on to local phone companies.

The posting of signs will pick up speed once more when crews return to the singular task. As of today, Dotson said the following areas have been completed: Allen, Auxier, Blue River, David, East Point, Dwale, Martin, Prestonsburg and Van Lear. These areas have been confirmed as having the E-911 service.

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State gets fourth area code beginning tomorrow

by Randell Reno
Staff Writer

With the influx of technology into the state, once again a new area code has become necessary. The surrounding Lexington area and Northern Kentucky will get a new area code 859.

The 606 area was running out of phone numbers with the addition of new residents and businesses, plus their fax machines, pagers, computer modems and cellular phones. The 859 has been approved by the state Public Service Commission to accommodate this growth.

For the next six months, callers will be

able to dial either 606 or 859 when making calls to the new area. But after October 1, the area code becomes mandatory. Local calling areas and rates will not be affected by this change.

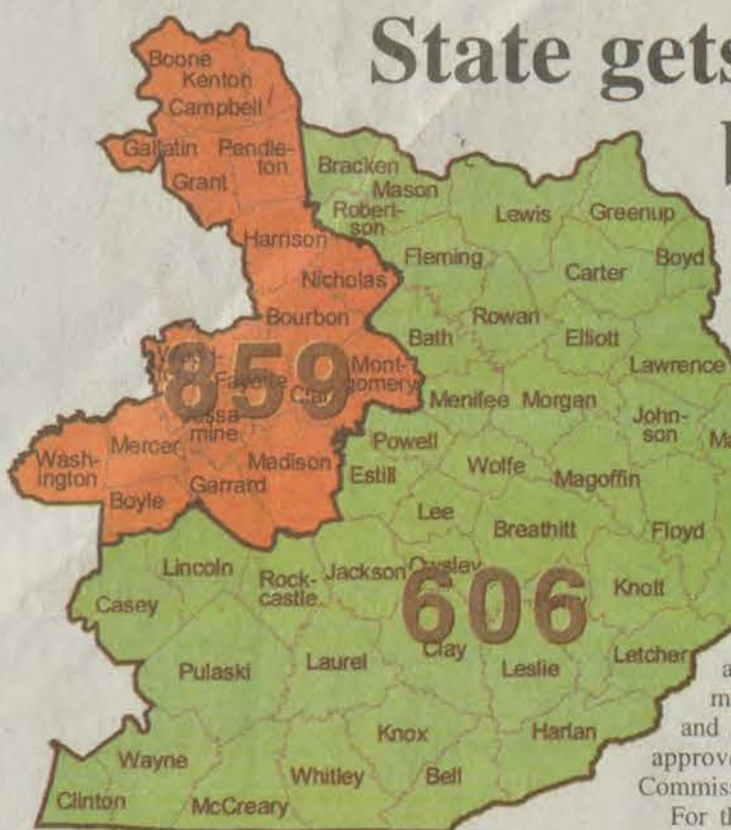
Bellsouth is asking businesses, suppliers and business associates to be aware of the change.

When the permissive dialing begins, customers should update phone and fax numbers programmed for speed calling.

People should remind out-of-town friends and relatives to start using the new code in April.

Although the local area code is not changing, area customers may need to reprogram the numbers stored on services like Call Forwarding, Speed Dialing, Call Selector,

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John Rosenberg (left) and Don Akers receive a \$20,000 grant for AppalRed. Lynn Luallen of the Kentucky Housing Corporation announced several checks during the presentation. (photo by Willie Elliott)

KHC comes bearing gifts for low-income housing

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

Lynn Luallen, CEO of the Kentucky Housing Corporation, was in Prestonsburg on Tuesday to present checks to area organizations, including several from Floyd County, that work toward providing housing for low-income families.

As each organization received its grant, a representative accepted the large but symbolic check and explained to the assembled group how the funds would be used.

John Rosenberg and Don Akers received a \$20,000 grant for LINKS. The Appalachian Research and Defense Fund of Kentucky will construct one unit of homeowner-occupied housing for a very low-income family in Floyd County.

Partnerships for this project include construction and supervision and labor by area nonprofits, city and

county funding, sweat equity and Rural Development financing.

The unit will be set aside for persons at or below 30 percent of the area median income, and services will be provided by local providers. Additional funding is being leveraged from other sources. The unit will remain affordable for a minimum of five years.

The Kentucky Tech Program received a \$20,000 grant that will permit the Floyd County Fiscal Court to construct two units of homeowner-occupied housing for low-income families in Floyd County. The Floyd County Area Technical School will provide labor and AppalRed will provide counseling. Additional funds of \$26,250 are being sought from other sources.

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Child Abuse

tions for parents, teachers, coaches and even children to reduce the cycle of abuse that children so often face.

Long office hours can make it hard for you to find the energy to be an effective parent when you come home from work.

Phone calls from parents to children after school should not be used to scold children or to remind them of chores or homework. Help the children feel comfortable about unloading hurt feelings or

fears to you. Tell them a funny story about something that happened at work or let the children tell you about something that happened to them during the day.

Get rid of stress before walking through the door at night. Try taking a short walk before you go in. Or stop at a supermarket on the way home. The first few minutes when you come home may set the tone for the entire evening.

Take your children to work once in awhile so that they can understand the places and people you tell them about. To get the children involved, find a small project that they can help you with, such as stuffing envelopes or collating a report.

Try to establish a ritual that the children can look forward to — a family special, nightly "story hour" or a family night once a week when the phone is turned off and everyone plays games or works on a family project.

Show your children that you love them. Catch them being good and give them lots of praise. Tell them that you love them, even if they say they're "too big."

Really listen. Give your children your undivided attention

when they are trying to communicate with you.

Spend time with your children. Play with them, talk to them, read to them, create a family spirit.

Suggestions for kids include being kind to everyone. Cheer up a friend who is sad and lonely. Share your things with others and try to do something nice for a parent every day.

Solve your problems with brainpower, not fists or weapons. Learn to think things through before you act. Don't let your friends pressure you into doing something you know is wrong.

Help others. Find opportunities to volunteer in your community.

A community can also make a difference. Help parents you know. Let them know that parent-

911

Dotson projected the Gustern, Langley and Banner areas will be completed today.

Many of the signs were given to local fire departments for placement. For those areas lacking a road sign, Dotson said they will be ordered and placed soon.

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and Call Block.

Businesses should remember to update equipment like fax machines, modems, PBX systems (consult your PBX vendor), or telephone equipment with automatic dialing features. Businesses can test their equipment by calling 1 (859) 737-2859.

Cellular phone customers in the 606 area should contact their cellular service vendors for more information.

The new area will include the counties of Boone, Kenton, Campbell, Gallatin, Pendleton, Grant, Harrison, Nicholas, Bourbon, Fayette, Woodford, Montgomery, Clark, Jessamine, Mercer, Washington, Boyle, Garrard and Madison.

Lexington, Richmond, Danville, Mt. Sterling, Winchester, Paris, Harrodsburg, Cythiana and the surrounding Covington/Erlanger area are some of the cities affected by the change.

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ing is a difficult job and that we all need help and support sometimes.

Learn ways to prevent child abuse and neglect. Encourage clubs or religious organizations to provide child care or transportation so that parents can participate in activities. Support the addition of parenting education into corporate wellness programs.

Volunteer to help a child or family. Lend your time, skills, resources or money to help prevent child abuse and family violence. Be a mentor to a child who needs to have contact with a caring adult.



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Thomas Edison

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Editorial

Is it the end of time?

Look outside! Have the streams started running uphill? Is the sun setting in the east? Have the hens taken to crowing?

Word is that — God forbid — the Johnson County School Board has voted to raise academic coaches' salaries to match those of athletic coaches.

Has the world gone insane? Is there no longer any reason? Will this be the end of organized sports as we know them? What will become of our schools?

The concept of putting academics on a par with athletics is simply un-American, un-Kentuckian, certainly un-eastern Kentuckian.

"I think it is showing that Johnson County Schools are putting an equal, if not higher, priority on academics," Superintendent Orville Hamilton is quoted as saying.

The move is on the heels of other honors for school children in Johnson County — all hard-earned.

The Johnson County Middle School recently brought home the Governor's Cup in state competition. That's state — from Paducah to Pikeville. A bunch of mountain kids beat out the flatland city slickers in academic competition. That's academic, as in book learning.

What's more, this is the second year in a row the kids to the north of us have accomplished that feat.

The older scholars at Johnson Central High School took top honors in regional competition, and cross-town competitors at Paintsville Elementary School won first place awards in grade school competition.

The unanimous vote by school board members in Johnson County to equalize coaching salaries should not be news. But it truly is. In fact, folks in Johnson think they may be the first in the state to affirm the importance of academics in school competitions.

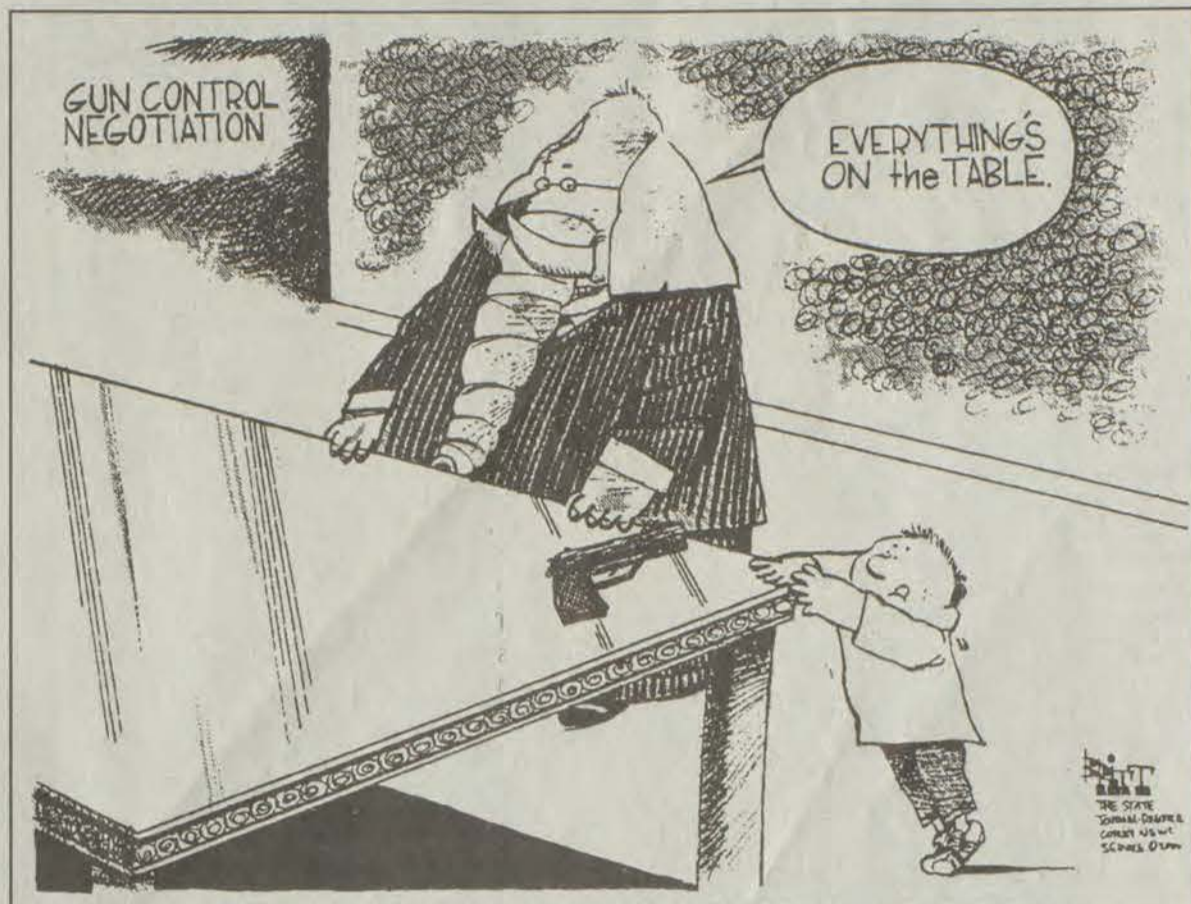
For that, those who care about the quality of education in this region should be proud.

We should also transfer that sense of pride, that obligation, that concern for quality and parity to this county.

Unfortunately, more than a county line seems to separate us. The biggest issues to occupy the Floyd County Board of Education of late concern athletics — playing fields, bleachers, property, ground covers, etc.

When will academics mean as much as athletics to school board members, school personnel, parents and the general citizenry of Floyd County? When will we recognize that a quality education is the very best thing we can give to our children?

— Pam Shingler



Guest Column

'Deferred Deposit' loan sharks deserve no protection

by Addison Parker

The so-called "deferred deposit industry" is a resurrection of one of the most infamous forms of loan sharking: the payday loan.

In 20 years of representing low-income consumers in Kentucky's courts, the deferred deposit lenders are the most abusive short-term lenders this practitioner has seen.

These loan sharks began proliferating in the Commonwealth about 1994. Calling themselves "check cashers," they advertised short-term, check-based cash advances.

In a typical transaction, a customer who needed \$500 would deposit a check for \$600, post-dated two weeks in advance. At the end of the two-week period, the customer could redeem the check by paying \$600, or could obtain a two-week extension, or rollover, by paying an additional \$100.

To disguise the fact that they were charging interest rates of 520 to 700 percent, the check cashers termed their interest charges "fees." To hide their outrageous interest charges, they did not supply Truth in Lending disclosures, and to collect from delinquent customers, some check cashers threatened criminal prosecution under bad-check laws.

The deferred deposit industry has forced numerous Kentuckians into bankruptcy, thereby preventing legitimate creditors from being paid. Many consumers became trapped in the rollover cycle, paying several times the original loan amount before they paid off the loan.

Blinded by the potential for huge profits, the industry didn't obtain the researched legal opinions that would have revealed that their enterprises were illegal.

Kentucky's courts were not fooled by this mildly creative form of usury and loan sharking. The Kentucky Supreme Court, the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, and the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky have all rendered decisions that have been recognized nationally as important consumer protection precedents, and that could make industry members liable to Kentucky consumers for claims ranging from usury, to Truth in Lending disclosure violations, to federal racketeering.

Class action lawsuits currently pending against the check cashers could result in individual consumers — most of whom are low-income wage earners — obtaining awards ranging from \$200 to \$2,000 each.

Although the courts have yet to determine the amounts the corporations are going to have to pay to Kentuckians, estimates are that the judgments could total \$100 million.

These lawsuits, based on loans made between 1992 and 1998, have been directed primarily at large out-of-state corporations that can afford to pay the judgments. But there are members of our legislature who propose to protect the check-cashing businesses from these state and federal court judgments won by Kentucky consumers.

The check cashers are unworthy of this protection. This proposal is a cynical way to enrich a wealthy special interest by taking money away from Kentuckians while providing no benefits to the commonwealth.

In 1998, the Kentucky legislature for the first time authorized check-based, deferred-deposit loans, but with significant consumer protections. In the current session, a proposal was introduced that would have provided minor additional consumer protections.

Instead, a House amendment to the measure would retroactively construe a 1992 statute to allow unlimited fees on check-based loans issued between 1992 and 1998. It would have retroactively exempted these loans from the state's usury laws, even though every court that has examined the issue has held that such loans were usurious.

Fortunately, the Senate Judiciary Committee has rejected the House amendment, but the industry is expected to attempt to restore the amendment on the Senate floor or in conference.

Kentucky's legislators were not elected to protect wealthy out-of-state corporations at the expense of their Kentucky constituents. The House amendment would retroactively deprive Kentuckians of consumer protection victories previously won in court.

This attempt to usurp the authority of our courts is undoubtedly unconstitutional, and is not beneficial to Kentuckians or the Commonwealth. In fact, it would undercut Kentucky's national reputation for enforcement of consumer protection laws, and send a message that the General Assembly is willing to allow big businesses to abuse Kentuckians.

Instead of attempting to protect the check-cashing corporations from court judgments, Kentucky officials should conduct a thorough investigation of this industry. An honest investigation would reveal that the check cashers have systematically attempted to subvert the most important consumer protection in the 1998 legislation — the provision that prohibits rollovers.

The repeated rollover is what makes deferred deposit transactions so costly for many consumers — and so profitable for the industry.

Two years ago, the legislature brought car title lenders under the 36-percent interest cap set by the Kentucky Consumer Loan Act. Our lawmakers should bring the check cashers under the same ceiling.

The check cashing industry has demonstrated minimal respect for Kentucky and federal consumer protection law, and ought not to have the privilege of charging interest rates more than 13 times what other small lenders are allowed to charge.

Parker is co-litigation coordinator of the Appalachian Research and Defense Inc. in Richmond.

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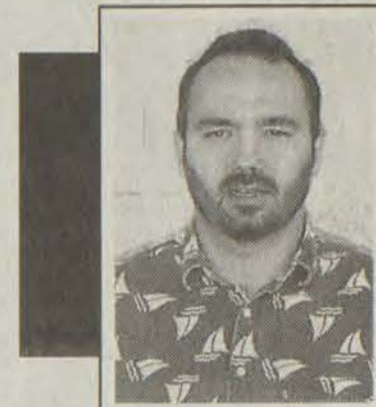
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Soap Box

by Randell Reno
Staff Writer



Put the blame where it lies

Pikeville College, Morehead State University, the University of Kentucky, Eastern Kentucky University and Alice Lloyd College produce a barrage of teachers every year. Each recruit has been taught under the Kentucky Education Reform Act.

Many of us were taught how to teach children facts and figures, theories and applications, all in an attempt to bring Kentucky's children to the forefront of academia.

But in our schools you'll find our kids severely lacking. What is now being taught in kindergarten was taught at home many years ago.

In my student teaching experience, K-1, we had several children who just weren't ready for school.

Add to this the constant demands being levied upon teachers and it is almost impossible to teach what needs to be accomplished in one year. Sadly, some kids slip through the cracks and go on to high school almost criminally under prepared.

These children entered the system with a fire in their bellies, with an insatiable curiosity eating at them. But discipline problems (which are the parents' responsibility), prevented that fire from being stoked in some.

In addition to choking his own curiosity, the little *@#%&* prevented other children from getting what they needed. I have been there, I know and I remember.

Many of us sit outside the ring of fire and criticize while dedicated volunteers jump into the flame and try to help those children in need, those suffocating from a lack educational attention. A fire cannot burn without air.

Instead of taking our kids under our own wings, we push them out of the nest and expect others to teach them to fly. We need to understand that children will learn regardless of whether teachers teach or not. And parents will agree kids have learned without their help.

In today's educational arena, distractions on all levels prevent teachers from becoming fully involved with instruction.

Many teachers are doing marvelous jobs with kids. They show up daily, dedicated and ready to give the day their best shot.

But every year, our kids' test scores are consistently lower than many other states and many other nations.

Like many generations before us, we are raising a breed of whiners that convince their parents or older siblings to do their homework for them. But far be it from us to accept the responsibility of and for our kids.

If they get bad grades, we blame the teachers for not informing us, while we sit at home and more or less ignore the kids. I can personally testify to this because I was doing it.

If they get good grades, we give credit to the child's genius and give no good word to the teachers.

If they do something wrong at school, or anywhere for that matter, we either justify it by blaming someone else for our kids' actions or we simply ignore it, thereby condoning their acts.

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When doctrines displace unity



The Gospel According to Me

by Paul Prather

The church seemed incredibly stable. It has had only four pastors in 83 years. It had planned to move from its current Ashland Avenue site to a new \$7 million complex the congregation expected to build soon near Fayette Mall.

Now the church appears to be splintering — publicly. Articles in the Lexington Herald-Leader and the Southern Baptist newspaper Western Recorder have detailed Ashland Avenue's woes.

On Sunday, February 27, a deacon named Lewis Marcum allegedly accused the pastor, the Rev. Russell Howard, of heresy. Then Marcum led 200 members in what one reporter called "an emotional walkout from Ashland's Sunday-morning service."

Later Marcum and Howard announced they had patched up their differences. But their agreement shattered on Sunday, March 19, when the congregation voted 402-316 to endorse Howard.

Marcum and others decided to break away from Ashland Avenue and form a separate congregation. Marcum estimated that 17 of Ashland Avenue's 35 deacons might join the new group, said the Herald-Leader.

Three hundred people were expected to attend the splinter group's first worship service this past Sunday at Blue Grass Baptist Schools.

The new group wants to keep the Ashland Avenue Baptist name and its old Ashland Avenue property, which the church had planned to sell.

Also at stake: \$900,000 that Ashland Avenue has in the bank.

"We're not going to just walk away and say, 'Take it,'" Marcum was quoted as saying.

The \$7 million building project near Fayette Mall now is in limbo.

All I know about this situation is what I've read. As best I can recall, I've never met Marcum or Howard.

I don't know who's the good guy here and who's the bad guy. Maybe they're both gentlemen who honestly mean well. Only God can judge that; He alone sees into human hearts.

But if you believe the papers — and to a large extent they're usually reliable — this brouhaha boils down to differences of opinion regarding doctrines too arcane for most of us to care a snap about.

For instance, one side reportedly holds that the word "church" refers to the global fellowship of all true believers who follow Jesus Christ. The other side says a "church" is only a local, distinctly organized body of Christians.

One side says the Baptist faith began in the 1600s. The other says Baptists can be traced directly to the first century.

And so on.

The whole ordeal might appear comical to us outsiders if it didn't stand to hurt so many people. But for that reason it's not the least bit funny.

So, as a guy who has been around churches for more than 40 years and witnessed way too many similar splits, please allow me to offer some general advice to all brands of churchgoers and church leaders.

In Proverbs 6:16-19, Solomon wrote that "there are six things the Lord hates, yes, seven which are an abomination to Him."

The first sin on Solomon's hit list was "haughty eyes," or the attitude that says, "I'm right and you're wrong; I know more than you do." The seventh abomination was "one who spreads strife among brothers."

My advice is that anyone tempted to take part in a church split might be wiser to shut up. Be slow to anger, slow to speak and quick to forgive, the Scripture says. Pursue unity.

Obviously you can't stay in a church that calls itself "Christian" or "Baptist" or "Methodist" if the pastor or other leaders bow to Zeus. But lesser issues, such as the definitions of words, ought to be negotiable.

Be careful. You might think you're fighting the devil, only to discover later that you were being used by him.

Never let your dogmas override your decency.

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

Soap Box

Kentucky is not alone in raising our children to shirk responsibility, but it is a leader. In fact we encourage it. Many of us are happy to be lazy. We sit back and take from the government with no intentions of ever improving our situation.

We buy countless toys to distract them in the form of video games, computers, TVs, and many other things.

There is no set homework time. If there is, we don't check the work

for correctness. We assume they will do it right. If the teacher taught it right, then they will know how to do it.

We never make an account that Sally was up until 2 a.m. watching television, so she was too tired to listen to the teacher's examples. Or she may have even fallen asleep while the lesson was being taught.

There is just too much weight on teachers' shoulders. Upgrades in lessons are not possible.

Kentucky's children are as smart as any children. I agree. But without holding them to a higher standard, the gap in the state's employment capabilities will just grow. We will continue to raise laborers.

The state of North Carolina sets a curriculum each year for every level of education and the teachers are directly responsible for teaching every iota of that curriculum. They are held accountable and face losing their jobs if they don't stay within those guidelines.

The creativity of how to teach it is left up to the teacher, but what will be taught is set in stone.

But what needs to be done is to hold the parents more accountable for their kids. We are raising children who are not being taught right from wrong, because we have become blind to the differences ourselves.

In a land where kids are not disciplined at home, that missed act is weaved within our school's curriculum, effectively leaving the responsibility on the shoulders of the teacher. Ask any teacher, and he or she will tell you it is getting harder to teach.

Our unruly children have become rulers at school, at home and in public. What kind of future have we guaranteed for them?

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Tony Turner to address Chamber

"If it's to be, it's up to me," so goes the slogan of a unique campaign to motivate eastern Kentucky folks to be proud of who they are and where they are from. The two-year program, "For Our Sake," is the brainchild of WYMT-TV in Hazard.

Tony Turner, news director at the station, will talk about the campaign at the regular meeting of the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce on Monday, April 3, at noon at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

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Turner. The objective of the campaign is to instill pride and build self-esteem in eastern and southeastern Kentucky, as well as to cause citizens to realize the area's potential. To that end, WYMT-TV will place a major emphasis of broadcast time devoted to special prime time programs, news stories, town hall meetings, and special projects.

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OBITUARIES

George Slone

George Slone, 87, of Town Branch, Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, March 29, 2000, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, following an extended illness.

Born on April 14, 1912, in Blue River, he was the son of the late Jack and Eline Brown Slone. He was a retired construction worker.

Survivors include two sons, James Slone of Tram, Eddie Earl Slone of Prestonsburg; two daughters, Annabelle Harless of David, Mary Branham of Prestonsburg; 15 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, March 31, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Tom Nelson officiating.

Burial will be in the Slone Cemetery, at Blue River, under the direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Freddie Smallwood

Freddie Smallwood, 60, of Bevinville, died Sunday, March 26, 2000, at Bristol, Tennessee, following an automobile accident.

Born on October 11, 1939, in Martin, he was the son of the late Perry and Aggie Issac Smallwood. He was a retired bus driver and was a veteran.

He is survived by his wife, Charlene Jones Smallwood.

Other survivors include one son, Keith Smallwood of Bevinville; one half-brother, Woodrow Smallwood of Lexington and one grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, at 10 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

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

Sandra Kaye Boyd

Sandra Kaye Boyd, 35, of Dana, died Tuesday, March 28, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital, following an extended illness.

Born on February 16, 1965, in Grundy, Virginia, she was the daughter of Larry "Dicky" Howell of Grethel, and Wanda Boyd Howell of Dana.

She is survived by her husband, Cletis Boyd.

Other survivors include one son, Cletis Brandon Boyd of Dana; two daughters, Jennifer Lynn Boyd and Tiffany Leann Boyd, of Dana; three brothers, Gary Howell, and Timmy "Timbo" Howell, and Ryan Howell, all of Dana; four half-brothers, Stacey Collins, Jeremy Collins, Shawn Collins and Shannon Collins, all of Honaker; three sisters, Rhonda Howell Conn, and Sherri Howell, both of Dana, Tina Howell of Banner; and one half-sister, Heather Collins of Honaker.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, March 31, at 1 p.m., at the Little Salem Old Regular Baptist Church, at Dana, with Ed Kidd and Gordon Boyd officiating.

Burial will be in the Boyd Family Cemetery, at Dana, under the direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Gibson pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Viola Huff Gibson were Tony Huff, Tim Huff, Denny Gibson, Michael Huff, Charles Collins, Paul Slone, Lanny Gibson, Bill Martin and David Gibson.

Honorary pallbearers were Marvin Collins, Bruce Combs, Stanley Collins and Buford Huff.

Hagans pallbearers

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Mary Ella Hagans were Dogie Hagans, Timbo Hagans, Moe Barnett, David Barnett, John Paul Sexton, Nicholas Hagans and Chris Meade.

Medicaid hires first medical director

FRANKFORT — The Department for Medicaid Services has hired its first medical director.

Dr. Louis Moore comes to Kentucky from the Bureau of TennCare in Tennessee, where he served as associate medical director for four years. He previously served as medical director of Health Care Facilities in Tennessee, as director of the Tennessee Bureau of Health Services, and as medical director of the Tennessee Bureau of Medicaid.

Moore said he is especially interested in quality health care in a managed health care environment. "I look forward to working with all the Medicaid staff to help assure that recipients get quality health care and achieve positive health outcomes," Moore said.

A Mississippi native, Moore is a graduate of the University of Mississippi School of Medicine. He completed a medical residency in pathology at the University of Alabama in Birmingham and later completed a medical residency in preventive medicine at the University of South Carolina, where he also received a Master of Public Health degree.

He graduated from the University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy and worked as a retail pharmacist before going to medical school.

Moore's duties will include medical policy development and providing medical support and consultation to the commissioner and the department's divisions. He will serve as a liaison with the medical community and will work with the department's clinical committees and technical assistance groups.

"Dr. Moore has more than 12 years experience in public health and Medicaid. He is experienced in both fee-for-service and managed care programs and is well-versed in federal Medicaid regulations," Medicaid Commissioner Dennis Boyd said.

"His experience and training in medicine, pharmacy and public health will be a tremendous asset to the department as we implement managed care."

REGIONAL OBITUARIES

Martin County

Helen Dalton Crum, 54, of Inez, died Saturday, March 25, in King's Daughters' Medical Center, Ashland. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 28, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Arizona Kirk Marcum, 52, of Breeden, West Virginia, died Wednesday, March 22, at her home. She is survived by her husband, Clarence Elbert Marcum. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, March 25, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Rev. Ellis "Poppy" Hale, 74, of Kitts Hills, Ohio, died Tuesday, March 21. Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 24, under the direction of Phillips Funeral Home.

Priscilla Marie Wilds, died Tuesday, March 21. She is survived by her husband, Jim Wilds. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 26, under the direction of Macon Memorial Park Funeral Home, Macon, Georgia.

Lawrence County

Gussie Frazier, 85, of Louisa, died Friday, March 24. Funeral services were conducted Monday, March 27, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Glemetta Catherine "Cathy" Ramey, 50, of Louisa, died Tuesday, March 21, at King's Daughters' Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, Cecil Garfield Ramey. Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 24, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Hattie Sizemore Boggs, 85, of Webbsville, died Friday, March 24, at King's Daughters' Medical Center. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 26, under the direction of Lewis and Ferguson Funeral Home.

Tiffany Joy Hanshaw Dotson, 28, of Louisa, died Tuesday, March 14. She is survived by her husband, Jimmy Dotson. Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 17, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Dreama Elaine Ward, 39, of Tomahawk, died Monday, March 27, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Perry County

Josephine Hylton Caudill, 70, of Viper, died Saturday, March 25, at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 28, under the direction of Engle's Perry County Chapel.

Donald Marshall Chapman, 62, of Hazard, died Friday, March 24. He is survived by his wife, Brenda J. Chapman. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 26, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Carl C. Collins, 49, of Hazard, died Wednesday, March 22, at the Hazard Medical Center. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, March 25, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Delbert Johnson, 75, of Viper, died Thursday, March 23, at Hazard ARMC. He is survived by his wife, Beulah Farler Johnson. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, March 25, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Tommy Kelly, 74, of Combs, died Friday, March 24, at Hazard ARMC. He is survived by his wife, Clara "Sis" Kelly. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 26, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Loretta Miller, 76, of Hazard, died Sunday, March 19, at the Hazard Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, Johnny H. Miller. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 22, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Susie Angeline Olinger Puryear, died Saturday, March 21. She was preceded in death by her husband, Professor Dewey Puryear.

Johnson County

Alka Grim, 93, Johnson County native, died Saturday, March 18, at Mountain Manor Nursing Home. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 22, under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

Goldia (Lena) Caudill, 76, of Silver Lake, Indiana, died Wednesday, March 22, at Summers County Hospital, Hinton, West Virginia. She is survived by her husband, William (Jack) Caudill. Funeral services were conducted Monday, March 27, under the direction of DeLaughter-McKee Mortuary.

Knott County

Edward "Ed" Conley, 73, of North Judson, Indiana, died Saturday, March 25, in Hobart, Indiana. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Braman and Son Memorial Chapel.

Davie Gene Triplett, 60, of Mousie, died Wednesday, March 22, at King's Daughters' Hospital, Ashland. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 26, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Maude Ramey Gibson Williams, 102, of Larkslane, died Saturday, March 25, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Medical Center. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 28, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Home.

Pike County

Ruby McGinnis Bradley McClanahan, 86, of Red Jacket, West Virginia, died Thursday, March 23, in Huntington, West Virginia. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 26, in the Chambers Funeral Home.

Monique Renee Combs, 20, of Celina, Ohio, formerly of Mouthcard, died Saturday, March 25, at Lima Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Shorridge-Ramey Funeral Home.

Ralph May, 93, of Fords Branch, died Sunday, March 26, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Cora Compton May. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Lennie Inis Darbyshire, 93, of Hardy, died Sunday, March 26, at Parkview Manor Nursing Home, Robinson Creek. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Pearl Senter Lee, 93, of Elkhorn City, died Monday, March 27, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Stevie Randall Pinion, 38, of Pikeville, died Tuesday, March 28, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. Funeral services will be conducted Friday, March 31, 1 p.m., under the direction of Morris Chapel, Justiceville.

Anne Hunt, 83, of Phelps, died Sunday, March 26, at South Williamson. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

Della Varney, 81, of Charleston, West Virginia, died Saturday, May 25, in Charleston. Funeral services were conducted Monday, March 27, under the direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

Edith Dardi Burke, 82, of Ragland, West Virginia, died Sunday, March 26, at the South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 29, under the direction of Chafin Funeral Home, Delbarton.

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Viola Huff Gibson

Viola Huff Gibson, age 84, of Mousie, Ky., widow of Ishmael Gibson, passed away Sunday, March 26, 2000, at the Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, Ky., following a long illness. She was born November 27, 1915, in Knott County, Ky., the daughter of the late Mart Huff and Mary Smith Huff. Mrs. Gibson was a homemaker and a member of the Ball Branch Regular Baptist Church, Mousie, Ky., for 49 years.

Survivors include one son, Gerald Clark Gibson, Atlanta, Ga.; two daughters, Charlene Sexton, Langley, Ky.; Carol Lovely, Knoxville, Tn.; one brother, John B. Huff, Clinton, Tn.; one sister, Allie Slone, Mousie, Ky.; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Viola Huff Gibson were conducted Thursday, March 30, 2000, at 2:15 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, Ky., with the Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial followed in the Gibson Family Cemetery, Langley, Ky., under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home, Martin, Kentucky. Visitation was after 4:00 p.m., Tuesday and after 8:00 a.m., Wednesday, at the Funeral Home.

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 Sunny Clark Branch Freewill Baptist, Sunny Clark; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jody Spencer, Minister; and Terry Hall, Assistant Minister.
 Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist, Stephens Branch; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.
 The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Manford Pannin, Minister.
 Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23 (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chuck Ferguson, Minister.
 Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Clifford Austin, Minister.
 Town Branch Community Baptist; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Tom Nelson, Minister.
 Trimble Chapel Freewill Baptist; Intersection of U.S. 23 and KY 80, Water Gap; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Youth Services 7 p.m.; Pastor, Freddie Lewis, Assistant Pastor, Butch Williamson.
 United Community Baptist, Hwy. 7, Huesville; Worship Service, 2 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Carlos Beverly, Minister.
 Wheelwright Freewill Baptist, Wheelwright Junction; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Louis Ferrari, Minister.
CATHOLIC
 St. Martha, Water Gap; Mass: Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Saturday, 5 p.m.; Sunday Service, 9:45 a.m.; John Moriarty, Pastor.
CHRISTIAN
 First Christian, 560 North Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Jim Sherman, Minister.
 Garrett Community Christian, Route 551, Garrett; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Donnie Hawkworth, Minister.
 Victory Christian Ministries, 1428 E.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sherm Williams, Minister.
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 Betsy Layne Church of Christ, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;
- Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tommy J. Spears, Minister.
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 Harold Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; James H. Harmon, Minister.
 Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.
 Huesville Church of Christ, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chester Varney, Minister.
 Lower Toler Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Lonnie Meale, Minister.
 Mare Creek Church of Christ, Stanville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.
 Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Gary Mitchell, Minister.
 Upper Toler Church of Christ, 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on right; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tommy Dale Bush, Minister.
 Wesleybury Church of Christ; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Mike Hall, Minister.
- CHURCH OF GOD**
 Betsy Layne Church of God, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Judith Caswell, Minister.
 Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Bud Cums, Minister.
 First Church of God, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Steven V. Williams, Pastor.
 Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Donald Bragg, Minister.
 Landmark Church of God, Gobie Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth E. Franz, Jr., Minister.
 Little Point First Church of God, 671 Little Point Road, East Point; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; A. Wayne Burch, Minister.
 The Church of God of Prophecy, Hi Hat; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Don Fraley, Jr., Minister.
- EPISCOPAL**
 St. James Episcopal; Sunday Service, 9:45 a.m.; Johnnie E. Ross, Minister.
- LUTHERAN**
 Our Savior Lutheran, Sipp Bayes Road; Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; WKLW (600 am) 12:05 p.m.; Rolland Bentrup, Minister.
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 Auxier United Methodist, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Doug Lawson, Minister.
 Betsy Layne United Methodist, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Randy Blackburn, Minister.
 Christ United Methodist, Allen; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth Lemaster, Minister.
 Community United Methodist, 141 Burke Avenue (off University Drive and Neeley St.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Ernie Carmickle, Minister.
 Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist, Rt. 979, Beaver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Philip T. Smith, Minister.
 Emma United Methodist, Emma; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Paul Aiken, Minister.
 First United Methodist, 256 South Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:55 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Wayne Sayre, Minister.
 Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Road, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Garfield Foster, Minister.
 Martin Methodist, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Roy Harlow, Minister.
 Maytown United Methodist, Langley; Sunday Service, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Roy Harlow, Minister.
 Salsbury United Methodist, Printer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Brad Tackett, Minister.
 Wheelwright United Methodist, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Isaac, Minister.
 Drift Pentecostal, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, Saturday/Sunday, 7 p.m.; Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Ted Shaamon, Minister.
 Free Pentecostal Church of God, Rt. 1428, East Point; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.; Buster Hayton, Minister.
 Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weeksburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Saturday, 7 p.m.; John "Jay" Patton, Minister.
 Free Pentecostal Deliverance, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton; Sunday Service, Saturday and Sunday, 7 p.m.; Patricia Crider, Minister.
 Free Pentecostal Holiness, Rt. 122, Upper Burton; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Sunday Service, 6 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Louis Sanlan, Minister; David Pike, Associate Minister.
 Goodloe Pentecostal, Rt. 850, David; Sunday Service, 6 p.m.; Malcolm Sloe, Minister.
 Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal, Floyd and Magoffin County Line, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Mike D. Caldwell, Minister.
 Trinity Chapel Pentecostal Holiness, Main St., Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; 2nd Saturday, 7 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Minister.
- PRESBYTERIAN**
 Drift Presbyterian, Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Service, 11 a.m.; Mary Alice Murray, Minister.
 First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; George C. Love, Minister.
- SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**
 Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Gary Shepherd, Minister.
- THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**
 The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Relief Society/Preshood/Primary, 9:30 a.m.; Sacrament Mtg., 11:40 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.
- OTHER**
 Drift Independent, Drift; Sunday, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.
 Dwale House of Prayer, Dwale; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Sunday, 6 p.m.; Woodrow Crum, Minister.
 Faith Bible, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.
 Faith Deliverance Tabernacle, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Don Shepherd, Minister.
 Faith Revelation Ministry, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Randy Huggins, Minister.
 Faith Worship Center, US 460, Paintsville; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6 p.m.; Buddy and Maude Free, Minister.
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 Spurlock Bible, Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek; Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Dan Heinzelman, Minister.
 The Father House, Big Branch, Abbott Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; J.J. Wright, Minister.
 Youth Fellowship Center, Wheelwright; Monday-Thursday, 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Zion Deliverance, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday/Saturday, 7 p.m.; Ada Mosley, Minister.

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Casualty losses may warrant some gain

With the threat of earthquakes in the West, hurricanes along the Atlantic, and tornadoes in the Plains, there are few places you can go to escape the wrath of Mother Nature. According to the Kentucky Society of CPAs, if your property is damaged or destroyed in a disaster, help in the form of a casualty loss tax deduction may be available from Uncle Sam.

And although tax season may have ended, in special cases, you may not have to wait until you file your return for 2000 to get financial help in the form of a casualty loss deduction.

QUALIFYING FOR THE DEDUCTION

A casualty loss is legally defined as property damaged or destroyed from a sudden and unexpected event. Deductible casualty losses may result from a number of different causes, including fire, floods, ice and snow, hurricanes, lightning, winds, tornadoes, earthquakes, explosions, and auto accidents. Gradual or progressive damage, such as that caused by termites, rust, and mildew, does not qualify.

WHAT TO DO FIRST

While it can be difficult to think rationally in the midst of, or in the aftermath of a disaster, your ability to do so can greatly impact your personal and financial recovery. Start by securing your property and, if possible, remove valuables and important records. Photograph the damage using a still or video camera.

Then, contact your insurance carrier and begin to inventory your loss. If you don't have a documented inventory, list everything you can think of that you lost and try to collect written records such as receipts and canceled checks.

As soon as you've compiled the necessary documentation, file a claim with your insurance carrier. Bear in mind that if your property is covered by insurance, you may not be able to deduct a loss unless you file an insurance claim for reimbursement.

CALCULATING THE LOSS

To determine the amount of a casualty or theft loss of personal property, you must calculate the adjusted basis of the property immediately before the casualty took place (generally, your cost plus improvements) and the difference in the property's fair market value before and after the casualty. (Fair market value is the price for which you could have sold the property to a knowledgeable buyer.)

The lesser of these two calculations represents the amount of your loss for the purpose of calculating your casualty deduction.

The next step in determining your deduction is to reduce your loss by the amount of any insurance reimbursements you received or will receive. From your unreimbursed loss, you must deduct \$100 for each casualty or theft that occurred during the year.

Finally, the total of your casualty and theft losses for the year must be reduced by 10 percent of your adjusted gross income (AGI). (Business-related losses are not subject to this \$100 floor on the 10-percent limitation).

The balance remaining after making the required reductions is the amount of your deductible non-business casualty or theft loss. For example, suppose your home suffered \$30,000 worth of uninsured damage in a flood, and your adjusted gross income is \$60,000.

After reducing your single \$30,000 loss by \$100, you must deduct \$6,000 (10 percent of year AGI). The remaining \$23,900 qualifies as a casualty loss tax deduction.

To claim a casualty or theft loss, you must file and attach to your return a separate Form 4684, "Casualties and Thefts," for each occurrence.

SPECIAL RULES FOR FEDERAL DISASTER AREAS

Ordinarily, a casualty loss is deductible only in the year the event took place. However, special casualty loss rules apply in areas

declared by the President to be eligible for federal assistance under the Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act. Victims residing in federal disaster areas may elect to deduct casualty losses for the tax year immediately preceding the tax year in which the disaster occurred.

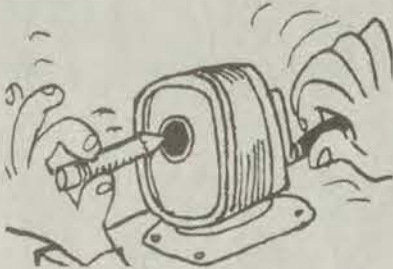
If you already filed the prior year return, you can accomplish this by filing IRS Form 1040X to amend your previous year's tax return to report losses you incurred in 2000, instead of waiting to report the losses on the current year's return. This way, you get an immediate tax benefit rather than waiting until the subsequent year to claim it. Tax filing deadlines and payment schedules may be extended in a federal disaster area.

Declaring a casualty loss deduction can help you minimize the financial impact of a disaster. If you need advice or assistance in completing the necessary form, contact a CPA or qualified tax professional.

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Local water district seeks hearing for rates increase

A water fight between one local distributor and its supplier may be nearing the boiling point regarding a proposed rate increase.

The Magoffin County Water District, which distributes drinking water to customers throughout the county, is taking issue with the methods in which the Salyersville Water Commission has taken to increase rates.

The county water district, which gets its water from the commission's governed Salyersville Water Works, is charging that the commission failed to follow proper procedures when it raised water rates recently.

"I'm not opposed to a rate increase if it is needed, but proper procedure must be followed," Greg Allen, a Salyersville attorney who represents the Magoffin County Water District, said.

—The Salyersville Independent

Routine meeting is special for recalled county workers

What had been a routine meeting of the Magoffin County Fiscal Court turned into one of the most important ones of the year for a group of county employees.

After agreeing to the payment of bills and passing the

second reading of a budget amendment, fiscal court members unanimously decided to recall 11 workers that had been laid off last year.

The action was taken as the fiscal court met in regular session last Thursday evening.

The employees are Homer Bailey, Little Joe Bailey, Danny Casebolt, Anthony Tackett, Lloyd Ward, Elden Gamble, Clifford Miller, Tim Rife, Eddie Prater, James Woodward and Maurice Day.—The Salyersville Independent

Recycling Center huge volunteer hit

Five years ago it was just a dream. But today, the Magoffin County Recycling Center is one of the better programs in eastern Kentucky, and continues to grow.

"We were so anxious that first day to see if anyone would bring anything in," said Katie Prater, a recycling volunteer who this month is helping with the largest volume of materials the center has ever handled, thanks to a contest going on with the schools.

Prater and a group of volunteers have not been disappointed. Since its beginning in March 1995, the program has diverted nearly 1.85 million pounds of material from the landfill to the recycling market and into new products.

—The Salyersville Independent

Grim gets one year

Nearly three years after hitting a loaded Martin County school bus, James Grim was sentenced to one year Thursday in Martin Circuit Court.

Grim, who is charged with capital murder in Lawrence County, appeared in court looking very fit and showed no emotion at the sentence, which was agreed to by Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Ron Burchett.

Grim was charged with 24 counts of wanton endangerment as well as one count of operating a motor vehicle under the influence, no insurance and having an expired registration receipt, all stemming from the April 10, 1997, accident near Kermit Bridge.

The Johnson County man hit a school bus carrying 24 students, knocking the front tire off his Nissan pickup truck. One student had to be transported to

Highlands Regional Medical Center for bruises. Another student suffered a shoulder injury but was released in the care of his mother at the scene.

—Mountain Citizen

Court rules in favor of BOE

The Kentucky Court of Appeals ruled Friday that the Martin County Board of Education was not liable in the Adam Wesley Jordan case.

Jordan, the stepson of Steve Maynard and son of Bonnie Maynard, lost a November 1998 trial in Martin County where he had filed a \$2.5 million lawsuit against the BOE and Director of Pupil Personnel Carroll Kirk, claiming the abuse he suffered might have stopped if Kirk had done his job by checking on why he hadn't attended school for three months.—Mountain Citizen

fled last Thursday by the Kentucky State Police post in Pikeville there was a "black Toyota going through our county with counterfeit money."

The sheriff said the vehicle was later pulled over by members of the sheriff's office, adding that the car was "apparently going to Indiana."—The Big Sandy News

Man denies threatening circuit judge

Harold Hughes has steadfastly denied accusations that he made threats toward Circuit Judge Stephen "Nick" Frazier in a March 3 incident in downtown Paintsville, and jail records support his claim.

Hughes was in the Big Sandy Regional Detention Center on March 3 at the time he was alleged to have made obscene and threatening gestures toward Frazier, who issued a contempt of court order on March 17, directing police to arrest the 53-year-old Riceville man.

Hughes, who protested his innocence by telephone, March 20, to Johnson county Sheriff Bill Witten, fled into the hills behind his home that night after learning that members of the Kentucky State Police Special Response Team were en route to Riceville to take him into custody.—The Big Sandy News

State Senate axes projects in Lawrence

If the Kentucky Senate has its way, the Lawrence County School District will not get to make \$160,000 worth of recreational improvements in its schools.

Lawrence County's volunteer fire departments will lose out on \$105,000 to purchase equipment and other items.

Gone, too, will be \$110,000 for the Blaine Community Center to make various improvements to it facilities.

The county will also miss out on \$1,199,990 in coal severance projects under the Senate's budget.

In all, Lawrence County stands to lose \$13,499,900 worth of projects if a committee of Senate and House leaders fail to reach a compromise on a state budget before the General Assembly adjourns its regular session now underway in Frankfort.

—The Big Sandy News

Sheriff nabs counterfeiter

The Lawrence County Sheriff's Department helped stop an alleged counterfeit operation last week when a vehicle carrying fake bills was pulled over on US 23.

Sheriff Bobby J. Workman said his office was noti-

Tobacco legislation gives farmers a "shot in the arm"

It was a good day for farmers at the Kentucky General Assembly last week as the House Appropriations and Revenue Committee passed House Committee Substitute to Senate Bill 49. The committee substitute will protect small tobacco farmers in contract tobacco.

Rep. Royce Adams (D-Dry Ridge) amended SB 49 with this committee substitute in the afternoon meeting on March 22. SB 49 exempts tobacco farmers from taxes on Phase II tobacco settlement money. Adams realized the need for legislation concerning contracting and amended the bill to carry legislation that would set guidelines for contracting.

"All we were trying to do is take care of the small farmer," said Adams.—The Licking Valley Courier

Change in county's racial composition noted in recent Census Bureau report

Preliminary estimates by the Census Bureau indicate that there were greater changes in the racial composition of the American population during the 1990s than in any other decade of the Twentieth Century. These estimates also indicate that there were limited changes

in the racial makeup of the population of Morgan County, though these changes were much less pronounced than nationally or in Kentucky, and to a large extent are the result of an influx of inmates at the Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex in West Liberty. The medium security prison for men, which was intended to hold 500 inmates when it began accepting occupants in 1989, now has an inmate population of around 1,500.

Figures provided by the Census Bureau are estimates of demographic changes from July of 1990 through July of 1998. The Census Bureau used estimates of the period from July 1, 1990, through July 1, 1998, to compile this information. For this reason, there are minor differences between the figures the Bureau had shown in its 1990 Census which used figures for April 1990.

—The Licking Valley Courier

RECC contract is rejected Monday

Monday afternoon employees of Licking Valley RECC voted to reject the company's proposed contract by a unanimous vote among those employees present and voting at the Community Center during a 4:30 p.m. meeting. The secret ballot was preceded by a lengthy discussion of each article of the contract.

—The Licking Valley Courier

because we didn't have a large crew on the community work program like we did then. However, I really don't think we had as much roadside garbage this year, either," Hicks related.

Several church groups, some family resource centers, businesses and community groups joined state and county workers during the week to bag up trash from around buildings and roadside.

"I want everyone who helped to know how much we appreciate the effort," Hicks said.—Troublesome Creek Times

Fiscal court names new grandstand contractor

During a special meeting of Knott County Fiscal Court, held March 22, the court awarded a contract for \$115,190 to Universal Construction Co. Inc. of Hazard. Under the terms of the contract, Universal Construction will be responsible for the completion of a grandstand/clubhouse at Knott County Central High School baseball field.

R.M. Johnson Engineering Inc., of Hindman, is providing engineering services for the project.

—Troublesome Creek Times

Pike projects could face perilous future

Millions in state funds for the proposed Eastern Kentucky Exposition Center and water lines, and thousands for other community development projects slated for Pike County have officially been scrapped in the Senate's version of the budget expected to be approved this morning.

But House leaders vow they will fight to get those and hundreds of other statewide projects Senators slashed this week to balance their spending plan without raising taxes back in the budget before the deal is sealed.

Not doing so, those leaders contend, could grind the legislative session to a halt without a budgetary agreement.

—Appalachian News-Express

ARH officials say progress of Skilled Nursing Facility project is going well

Ask Sprigg, West Virginia native Pauline Staton what concerned her the most about coming to South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital Skilled Nursing Facility six months ago and it's likely she would tell you it was the fear of becoming consumed by feelings of uselessness and boredom.

Ask Staton today if her worst fears were actually

realized and chances are she would simply smile and tell you no. In fact, she would probably say for the most part her time there has been rather fulfilling, particularly during the past two weeks.

Specifically during the last two weeks because that is the amount of time that she and many of the facility's other 45 residents have been helping with the everyday care of a couple of spirited birds named "Lori" and "Keet."—Appalachian News-Express

City seeks to lure 230 jobs

Pikeville city commissioners seem doubly optimistic about the possibility of a new call center being located in the area and the 230 new jobs that operation could create.

But the commission said Monday it needs time to iron out the details of an incentive package that would help bring the New Jersey-based company to Pikeville.

A tentative agreement, proposed Monday by Pike County Industrial Development Economic Authority Board Chairman Leon Huffman, calls for the city's support of an incentive agreement that would waive half of the city's two percent occupational tax for the Civic Development Group for a period of 10 years.

—Appalachian News-Express

Staffing plan dividing faculty, board

Despite assurance from city superintendent Jim Roe that a bare-bones staffing plan for the district next year isn't carved in stone, saber rattling by district faculty is pushing the issue toward confrontation and the relationship between teachers and administrators apart.

Since the city school board adopted the staffing allocation on February 29, setting the minimum number of certified and classified staff to be employed next year, faculty and site-based councils at both elementary and high school levels have issued a steady stream of protests. At least three petitions signed by school employees have been forwarded to Roe and the board, objecting to everything from proposed cuts in teaching ranks to plans to renovate school facilities.

At the elementary school, the site-based council has asked Roe to respond by last Friday to a list of requests concerning the staffing plan, including the addition of three full-time teachers and three "highly skilled" instructional assistants.

—The Paintsville Herald

Cops see little humor in funy money scams

A recent surge of counterfeit bills circulating in

Johnson County has prompted a meeting between local and federal authorities.

Paintsville Police Chief Tom Haney said Monday, a special agent with the Secret Service, a branch of the U.S. Treasury Department, was scheduled to meet with local officers later that day about recent incidents involving counterfeit money.

Since March 15, the city police department has received four separate reports of fake money being passed at local businesses, Haney said. Those incidents involved a \$5, two \$20 and a \$100 counterfeit bills.

—The Paintsville Herald

Board boosts pay for academic coaches

The perception that academics take a back seat to athletics is a thing of the past — at least for Johnson County Schools.

On Monday, the Johnson County Board of Education unanimously agreed to raise academic team coaches' salaries to match those of athletic coaches.

Superintendent Orville Hamilton said during Monday's regular meeting that the board's action may be a first for school districts across the state.

—The Paintsville Herald

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96 TOYOTA CAMRY LE Moonroof	\$15,400	\$12,980	\$2,420
96 MAZDA 626 LX 8,000 miles	\$15,200	\$13,980	\$1,220
97 HONDA ACCORD EX	\$16,700	\$13,980	\$2,720
97 NISSAN MAXIMA GLE Leather	\$17,725	\$13,980	\$3,745
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96 GEO METRO LSL 800 miles	SAVE \$\$\$	\$8,980	SAVE
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99 OLDS INTRIGUE	\$16,900	\$12,980	\$3,920
99 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE	\$17,625	\$13,980	\$3,645
99 BUICK REGAL	\$18,500	\$15,980	\$2,520

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96 FORD MUSTANG	\$10,200	\$7,980	\$2,220
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96 DODGE AVENGER HI-LINE	\$10,650	\$8,980	\$1,670
97 FORD TAURUS LX	\$12,850	\$9,980	\$2,870
96 FORD TAURUS SE	\$13,225	\$9,980	\$3,245
98 CHEVY LUMINA	\$12,350	\$8,980	\$3,370
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99 FORD TAURUS SE	\$15,025	\$12,980	\$2,045
98 CHRYSLER CONCORDE LXI	\$19,350	\$15,980	\$3,370

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97 FORD WINDSTAR	\$14,825	\$9,980	\$4,845
97 DODGE CARAVAN	\$12,625	\$9,980	\$2,645
98 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN	\$16,800	\$10,980	\$5,820
97 OLDS SILHOUETTE	SAVE \$\$\$	\$10,980	SAVE
98 FORD WINDSTAR GL 25,000 miles	\$17,025	\$13,980	\$3,045
99 PONTIAC MONTANA 29,000 miles	\$21,800	\$16,980	\$4,820

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97 JEEP WRANGLER SE	\$12,450	\$8,980	\$3,470
95 ISUZU RODEO 4x4	\$13,500	\$9,980	\$3,520
95 CHEVY S10 BLAZER	\$13,600	\$11,980	\$1,620
95 FORD EXPLORER 4x4 SPORT	\$16,300	\$17,980	\$1,680
97 GMC JIMMY SE 4x4 2-door	\$17,400	\$12,980	\$4,420
97 GMC S15 JIMMY	\$15,500	\$12,980	\$2,520
95 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE 4x4 Leather	SAVE \$\$\$	\$13,980	SAVE
98 JEEP CHEROKEE SPORT 4x4	\$18,200	\$14,980	\$3,220
96 ISUZU RODEO 4x4 17,000 miles	\$17,900	\$14,980	\$2,920
97 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE 4x4	\$19,000	\$14,980	\$4,020
97 MERCURY MOUNTAINEER	\$20,050	\$14,980	\$5,070
96 CHEVY S10 BLAZER 18,000 miles	\$24,500	\$19,980	\$4,520
97 OLDS BRAVADA 4x4	\$18,550	\$15,980	\$2,570
97 CHEVY S10 BLAZER LT 4x4 Leather	\$20,300	\$15,980	\$4,320
96 JEEP CHEROKEE SPORT 4x4 5,000 miles	\$18,375	\$15,980	\$2,395
97 FORD F150 FLAIRSIDE LARIAT X-CAB V8	\$19,550	\$16,980	\$2,570
97 TOYOTA 4-RUNNER 4x4	SAVE \$\$\$	\$17,980	SAVE
98 MERCURY MOUNTAINEER	\$23,100	\$17,980	\$5,120
96 HONDA PASSPORT 4x4 15,000 miles	\$22,325	\$17,980	\$4,345
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97 CHEVY TAHOE LT 4x4 Leather, Dutch doors	\$26,100	\$19,980	\$6,120
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Morgan Stumbo, left, Prestonsburg High School student, and daughter of State House Floor Leader Gregory Stumbo, has a private moment with "Dad" during a recess in House business. The Legislature adjourns April 12.

Be kind to your trees don't top them

from Floyd County Cooperation Extension Service

by being sure the person you hire to prune your trees is a certified arborist. The International Society of Arboriculture, which certifies arborists, considers topping an unacceptable practice and advises

against this practice. For more information on tree pruning and a list of certified arborists in this area, contact the Floyd County Cooperative Extension Service.

If you want to be kind to trees in your yard, don't top or have them topped.

Topping occurs when the limbs of mature trees in the landscape are pruned heavily to a uniform height leaving stubs for branches on the trunk.

This severe pruning removes much of the leaf surface trees need to generate food necessary for their maintenance and growth. Topping also depletes trees' stored food reserves.

The large stubs left as a result of topping make trees more susceptible to insect attacks and diseases. These pest invasions can weaken a topped tree by spreading directly from the wound into its trunk.

Topping results in unattractive, unhealthy and even hazardous trees for several reasons.

It stimulates the undesirable growth called "water sprouts." These unattractive upright branches regrow just below the pruning cuts. Since this regrowth is vigorous, a topped tree will attain its original height rapidly but without its original form. Its shape is one of the reasons many of us choose a particular tree.

When trees are topped, removal of the large branches reduces tree health because it removes stored food reserves. This makes trees more vulnerable to drought stress and insect and disease attacks.

Topping makes trees more prone to have limbs break from wind or storm damage because the weakened regrowth is poorly attached and dies back or decays. Severe pruning also exposes the trunk and branches to more sunlight. This can result in bark damage.

Topping also disfigures trees by replacing their natural beauty and form with broom-like branch growth. Ugly branch stubs and pruning cuts contribute to this unattractiveness which can reduce the real estate value of trees by 20 percent or more.

There are several ways to avoid topping.

First, choose trees that will grow to the desired height so you won't have to prune them later. If you have to prune a tree every five to seven years, it's too large for the site and should be replaced.

Secondly, prune newly planted trees so they will develop a good branch structure as they grow.

When you do need to reduce a mature tree's height, choose the alternative practice called "drop crotching." This is a type of thinning cut that reduces tree size yet preserves its natural shape.

Simply cut higher branches back to lateral limbs that are at least one-third the diameter of the limbs you're removing. This thinning method will stimulate growth throughout the tree and discourage development of water sprouts.

To leave the branch collar intact, cut outside the collar at a 45-60 degree angle to the branch bark ridge. Leaving the collar intact will help keep decay from entering the trunk and prevent other pest problems.

Finally, you can prevent topping

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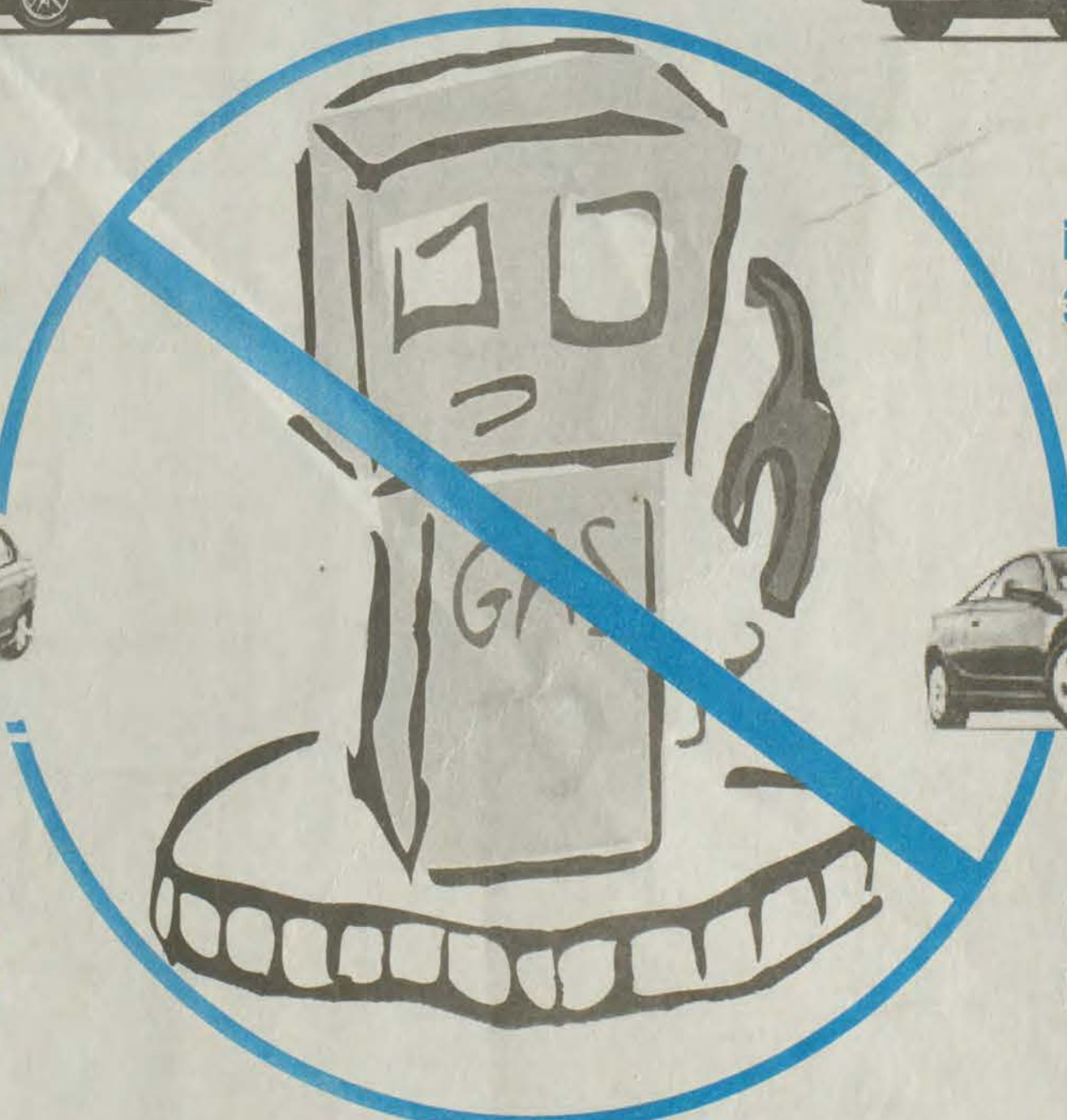
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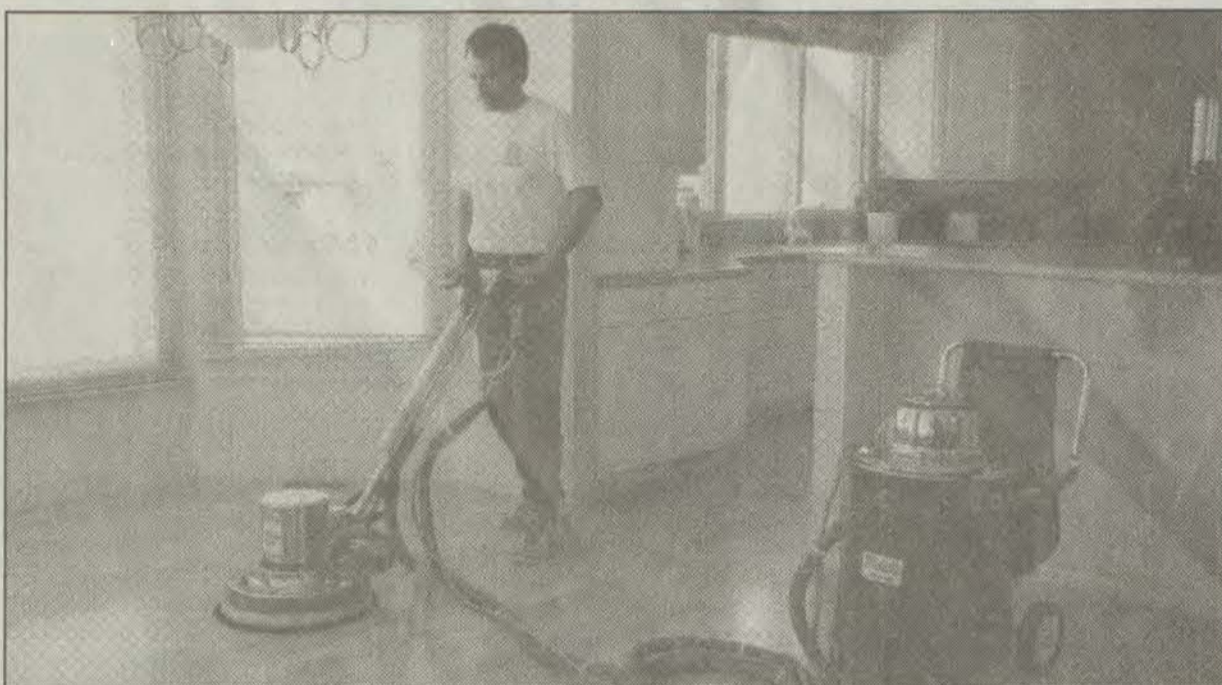
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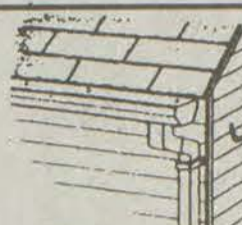
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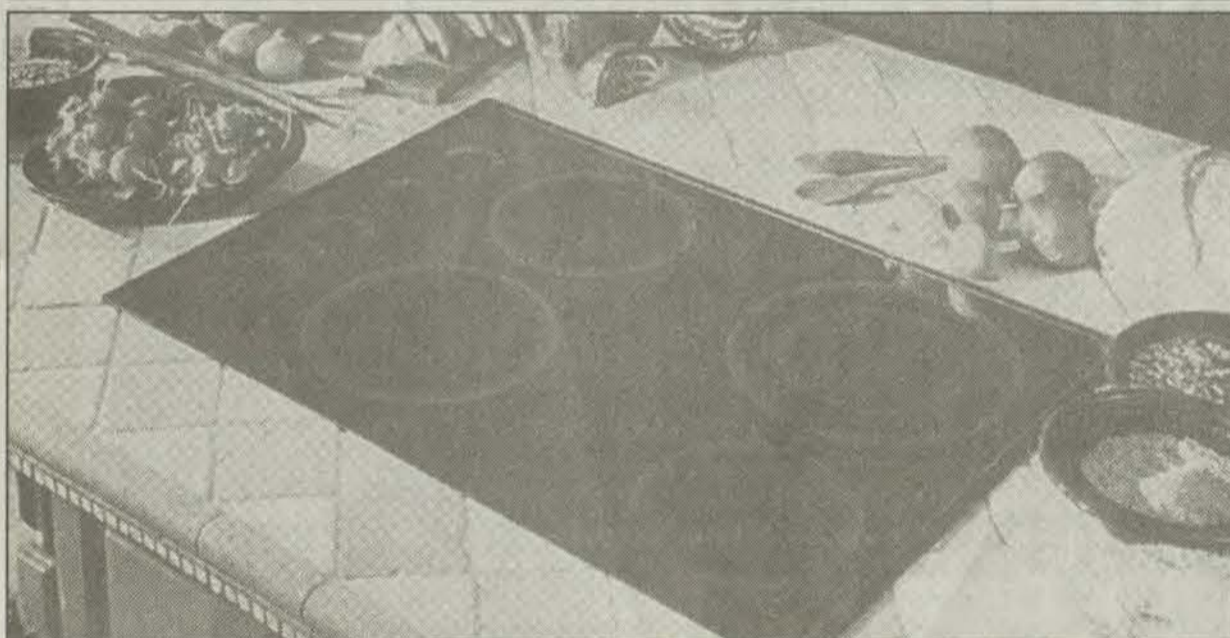
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Every major appliance manufacturer carries smoothtops in a variety of styles to fit almost every budget. They now account for more than 40 percent of all electrical stoves sold,

and industry analysts expect this number to soon surpass half the market.

Smoothtops are available in a variety of sizes and styles, so consumers can choose one that best fits their space and location. Select from cooktops, drop-in units or free-standing ranges. When the smoothtop's level surface is not used for cooking, it provides extra counter space. And for added safety, while the burners are turned on, the surface around the heating zone remains cool to the touch.

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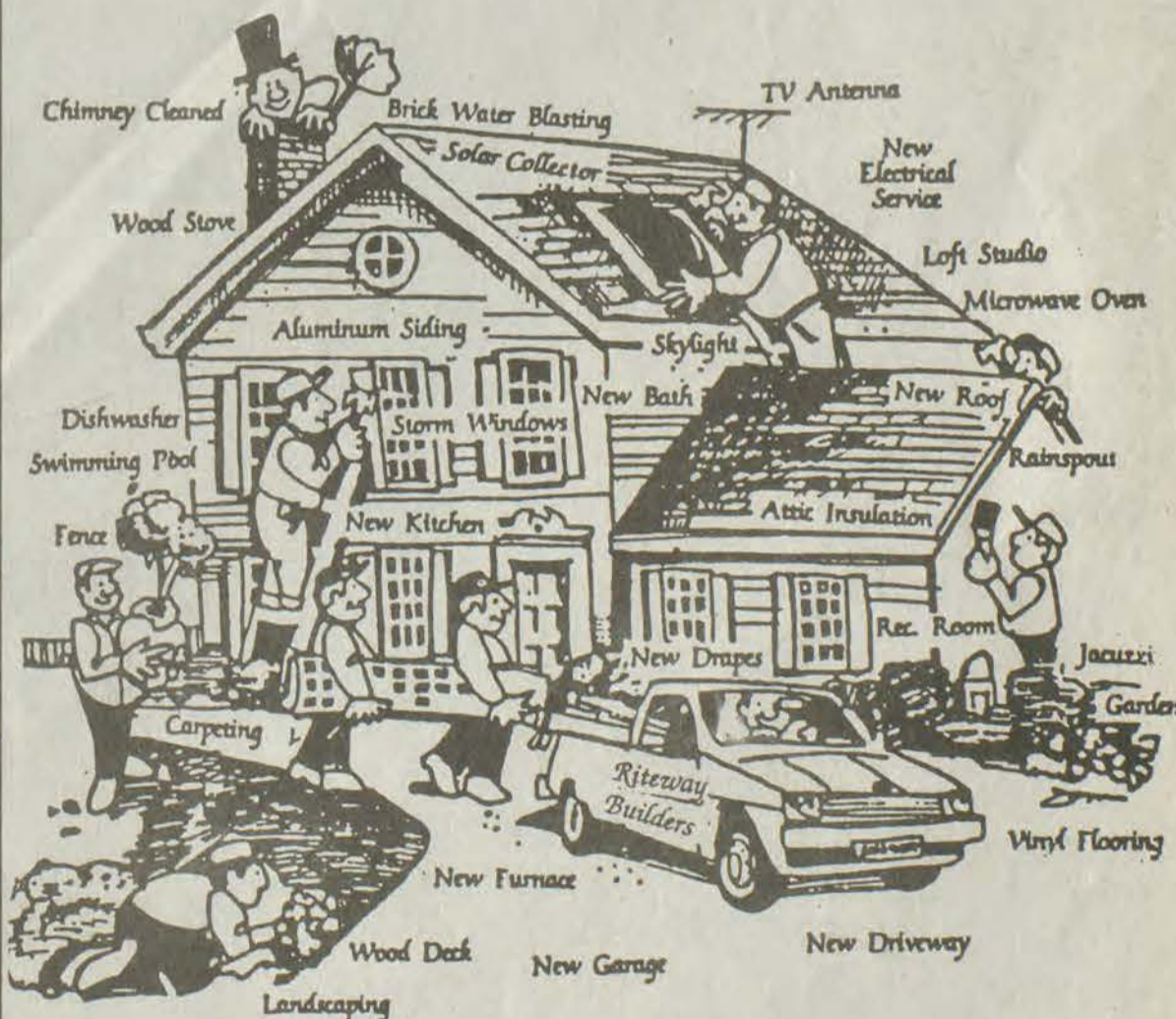
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Consumers marvel at new millennium bath

by Megan Dyer

Technological advances in the bathroom design industry provide an ever-growing market for today's consumers. From acrylic tubs with contoured headrests to portable aroma therapy spas, the bathroom more than ever has become a place of luxury, relaxation and recreation.

Cutting-edge products, convenience, and comfort are the drivers of today's bathroom market. According to a recent survey by the National Kitchen & Bath Association, more than 15 percent of bathrooms remodeled in 1998 incorporated dual shower heads, while just over eight percent had body sprays in the shower. Twenty-eight percent of rooms remodeled had an entire shower system installed. There's even one shower system product which has all of these luxurious elements plus a sauna and/or steam facility.

Many luxury whirlpools, tubs and showers are already equipped with stereo systems, televisions, VCRs, and telephones are a combination of relaxation and personalization. New products on the market also allow individuals to program the exact temperature of their bathing water, which is both a convenience and a safety feature.

Studies have shown that the majority of people are taking longer baths. That's why one of the hottest crazes to hit the bathroom industry is the air massage or air jet tubs. With 35 to 70 air jets from which to choose, this tub is the ultimate get-away after a hard day's work.

"Massage or air jet tubs have been a hit in Europe and are making a splash in the U.S., but I don't think they will replace the original whirlpool baths," said Jeff Burton, owner of The Bath & Beyond, San Francisco.

What else is on the market? How about calling your home from the car, entering a personalized code and having your bathtub fill to a pre-programmed temperature and level? Or electric defogging devices for mirrors; new toilet technology with ventilation systems that eliminate 98 percent of toilet odor; solar reflective tubes providing even, balanced lighting without the problems of skylights; and portable bathroom furniture available in all options and finishes.

When it comes to materials,



Dual shower heads, combined with glass block and limestone, provide a relaxing and sumptuous retreat for users.

marble, granite and semi-precious stone are rising in popularity. Concrete and slate also are abundant, bringing into the room a natural, outdoors feeling. These mid to upscale stones have helped turn showers into retreats.

Shower doors define one of the greatest changes in millennium baths. New doors are manufactured in powder-coated finishes, with rounded curves in numerous colors.

And more than ever, glass is in! People are incorporating glass sinks, glass countertops and glass block into their bathroom designs. This innovative product is porous and provides the consumer with many different options.

"Glass is no longer manufactured in basic green, but is offered in colors such as cobalt blue and yellow. Its uses are extremely versatile," Burton stressed.

Wood sinks are another personal touch consumers can incorporate in their bath design.

Faucets, the jewelry of the bath, can be off-set with chrome, two-toned metal finishes, 14-karat gold or stainless steel with the option of retractable or electronic—hands free faucets designed with the consumer's convenience in mind.

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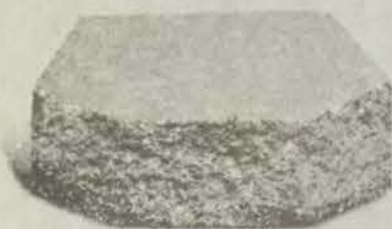
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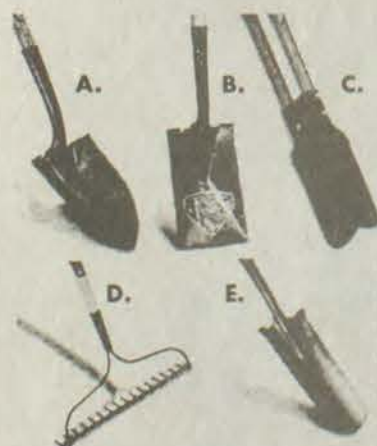
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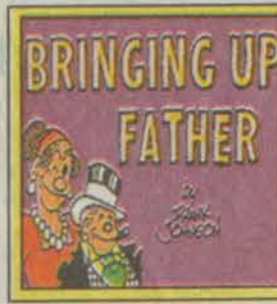
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Sizemore assumes role of team leader



Shannon Sizemore

Allen Central's Sizemore likes team's chances in 2000

by Ed Taylor
 Sports Editor

The Allen Central Lady Rebels softball team will kick off their 2000 softball season next week (April 6) and Coach Anthony Moore will return a veteran team that will blend with some good promising young players.

One of the returning veteran players will be junior Shannon Sizemore, who is expected to be at various positions this season.

Sizemore gives Coach Moore that versatility that every team needs. She will play some at first and at shortstop at times.

The junior has been one of the most consistent athletes at Allen Central, playing basketball and volleyball, as well as softball. This year she said she would like to do something she hasn't done yet.

"I would love to hit a couple of home runs this sea-

See **SIZEMORE**, page two

Betsy Layne survive fifth inning scare

by Karen Joseph
 Sports Writer

The 2000 softball season got underway on Tuesday night for the Betsy Layne Ladycats, but the weather felt more like football weather.

The wind chill factor put temperatures in the 30s, but the fans bundled up and weathered the cold to watch the Ladycats claim their first victory.

Betsy Layne took on the Lady Pirates of Belfry. Things went fairly smooth until the fifth inning, when things got a little scary for Betsy Layne. But sophomore Kim Tackett regained her composure to claim her first win of the season.

Even though the Lady Pirates scored seven runs, Tackett pitched a no-hitter. Belfry scored seven, actually nine, runs in the fifth inning on no hits. Everyone reached base on a walk by Tackett. But coach Meade had confidence in Tackett and left her in the game.

Belfry actually scored nine runs, but as Bell crossed the plate for the Lady Pirates, Leady rounded third and removed her helmet and that is an automatic out. This out occurred before Bell crossed the plate, and with this being the third out, the run did not count.

Kim Tackett had 10 strikeouts in the game and 11 walks, 10 of which came in the fifth inning. The Ladycats left four players stranded, while the Lady Pirates left one player.

The Ladycats connected for five hits and had six strikeouts.

While the Lady Pirates scored all of their runs in the fifth

See **BETSY LAYNE**, page two

HAP signups, tryouts slated for April 8

The Harold-Allen-Prater Little League will hold their final tryouts and signup day on Saturday, April 8 at the Allen Park.

Players in ages 7-10 years of age are to register and tryout at noon. All players 11-12 years old should register and tryout at 4 p.m.

"This will be the last day for them to sign up," said League Director Tommy Layne.

The HAP league begins play the first week in May.



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ED TAYLOR
 times sports editor

America's favorite pastime opens in — Japan

What is the most un-American thing that could happen?

Opening the 2000 major league baseball season in another country.

Wednesday (day or night, who knows) the New York Mets and Chicago Cubs traveled to Japan to open the major league season in front of 55,000 subdued Japanese fans.

We are talking about America's Favorite Pastime opening in Japan.

But according to Bud Selig, newly appointed baseball commissioner, it is just the beginning of global baseball. Oh, let's hope not. Baseball had ruined the game already.

Opening Day was something set aside for the Cincinnati Reds until this season. The Reds, baseball's oldest franchise, have always had the privilege of opening the season at home.

Now the Reds, who will open Monday, April 3, have lost that moment.

Spring training is closing down for this year as teams pack up this weekend and head home to the cooler temperatures.

Mark Portugal, in a surprise move by the Reds front office, was given his release only four days after being told he would be the fifth man in the Reds rotation this year. Instead, the Reds will use rookie Rob Bell as the number five player in the rotation.

Bell has never pitched above Double A baseball. The Reds pitching staff was not so wonderful in spring training. It doesn't look too promising.

UK FOOTBALL...

Does Hal Mumme like to play mind games.

The UK coach has said that Jared Lorenza and Dusty Bonner will compete for the starting quarterback job this fall, that he is not sure who the frontrunner will be and who will open as the UK signal caller this football season.

Well, all who believe all that, send me

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BETSY LAYNE CATCHER BRADLEY BROOKS made a visit to the mound with pitcher **Justin Bartley**. The meeting was not about the upcoming school prom. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Prestonsburg football Blackcats to stage Red, Black game tonight

by Ed Taylor
 Sports Editor

The calendar tells us it is springtime but the weather outside indicates otherwise. So, with spring football practice going on, Prestonsburg Coach John Derossett has scheduled a spring Red-Black scrimmage game for tonight at 6 p.m.

The cool weather should be just right for the scrimmage outing and fans will get a look at some of the good young players who will be wearing the Red and Black this coming fall for the Blackcats.

Keathley homers, Betsy Layne upends Magoffin County 13-6

by Ed Taylor
 Sports Editor

For new head baseball Coach Robert Wright, it wasn't pretty but he will take the win after his Betsy Layne team posted a 13-6 win over Magoffin County at the Allen Park Tuesday evening.

With the temperatures dipping, so was the fielding for both teams as they combined for nine errors in the game. The Hornets committed five, while Betsy Layne was guilty of four.

Craig Keathley had the season's first home run, a solo shot in the bottom of the sixth inning. Keathley, the designated hitter, collected two hits in the game. Dustin Keathley had two safeties for the Bobcats.

Justin Bartley struggled throughout the game but the weather played a part in that. Bartley went the full seven innings for Betsy Layne, allowing six runs, two earned, fanning three while issuing six walks.

Jerry Allen suffered the loss for Magoffin County, working six innings, giving up 13 runs on eight Betsy Layne hits. He struck out five but issued eight walks.

Barrett Caudill, Nathan Cole and Allen collected two hits apiece for the Hornets. Josh Powers had a double in the loss.

Betsy Layne scored eight times in the second inning, sending 13 batters to the plate to take an 8-0 lead.

The Bobcats avoided a first-inning Magoffin County rally.

First-inning wildness by Bartley allowed the Hornets to load the bases with no one out. Caudill walked, Cole singled and Bartley walked Jerry Dalton to fill the bases. With Allen at the plate, Bartley got him to fly to right for the first out, then got Josh Puckett to bounce into a 6-4-3 double play, ending the threat.

The Bobcats got their first run of the season on a sacrifice fly off the bat of Keathley. Anthony Tackett started the rally with a lead-off walk from Allen. Dustin Elkins singled up the middle, sending Tackett to third base. Keathley then hit a fly ball to centerfield, bringing home Tackett for a 1-0 game. Robert Rose legged out an infield hit.

With the bases loaded, Bill Kidd doubled home two runners. Tackett, batting for the second time in the inning, had an RBI sacrifice fly before Elkins singled for the second time in the inning scoring two runners. Elkins finished with three RBIs in the game.

Bartley shut out the Hornets through the first two innings but Magoffin County struck for three runs in their half of the third inning, sending eight batters to the plate. All three runs were unearned with



BACK SAFELY TO FIRST WAS HIS Betsy Layne base runner. The Bobcats posted a 13-6 win over Magoffin County Tuesday evening at the Allen Park. (photo by Ed Taylor)

See **KEATHLEY**, page two

South Floyd Raiders dropped season opener to Pikeville Panthers

by Karen Joseph
Sports Writer

Baseball season got underway on Tuesday evening for the South Floyd Raiders when they traveled to Pikeville to take on the Pikeville Panthers.

The mercury would indicate that this may have been fall league, rather than spring baseball. The temperatures, taking into account the wind chill factor, dipped into the 30s on Tuesday evening.

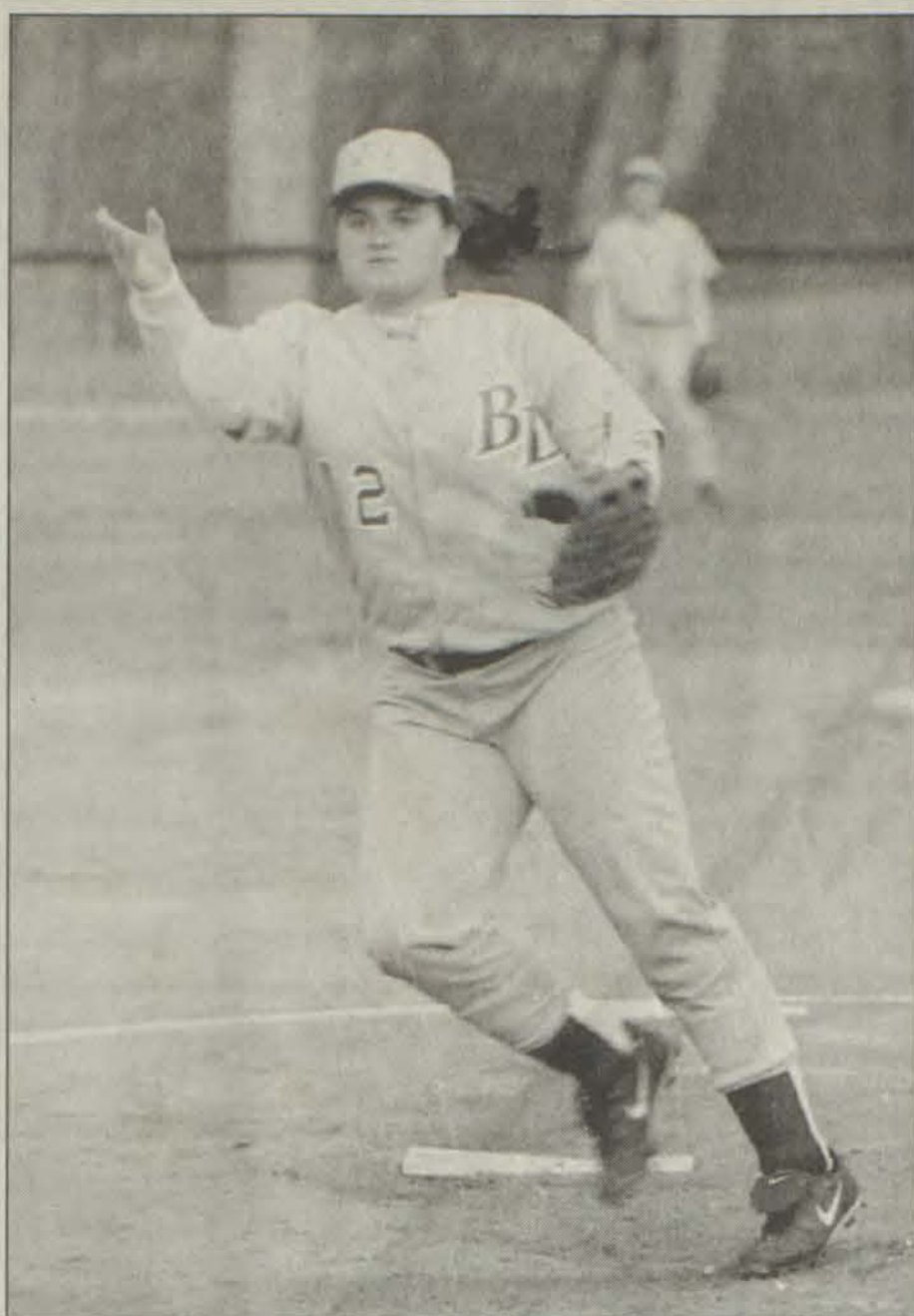
But the Pikeville Panthers were anything but cold. They were rather hot when it came to their hitting. The Panthers collected six hits in the game, while Kevin McKinney had the solo hit for the Raiders. The game only lasted five innings and it was the Panthers coming away with the 13-0 win.

Joe Skeens was the losing pitcher. Skeens fanned five players in the game. South Floyd committed five errors, while Pikeville only committed one error.

South Floyd left three players stranded. One of those players reached first base by way of a walk and the other reached base on a fielders choice. McKinney singled to center field in the fifth inning to reach base.

Pikeville jumped out to an 8-0 lead in the bottom of the first inning. Twelve players went to the plate for the Panthers in the first inning. Then, in the bottom of the second, the Panthers put four more runs on the scoreboard. The other run came in the fourth inning for the Panthers. The mercy rule took effect after five innings with the Panthers leading 13-0.

Coach Barry Hall and his South Floyd Raiders hope to put this game behind them when they travel to Sheldon Clark on Friday afternoon to take on the Cardinals.



KIM TACKETT, BETSY LAYNE, turned loose a fastball against Millard Tuesday evening. The Ladycats held on and posted a 8-7 win over the visiting Lady Pirates. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Betsy Layne

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inning, Betsy Layne's runs were scattered over the entire game. The Ladycats had single-run innings in the first, third, fifth and sixth, and two-run innings in the fourth and seventh.

Tackett fanned the first three batters in the opening inning. Then, after a strikeout by Devon Reynolds and a fly ball to first by Bentley, Denise Jones reached first base after she was hit by a pitch. Jones scored after back-to-back singles by Kim Tackett and Jenny Parsons, to give Betsy Layne a 1-0 lead going into the second inning.

Belfry left one player on base after Tackett walked, but failed to score. In the second inning, Betsy Layne also left a player stranded and failed to score.

Again in the third inning, Denise Jones scored after she reached base when she was hit with a pitch. Kim Tackett was called out for interference, but Jones scored to give the Ladycats a 2-0 lead.

In the fourth inning Tabitha Mitchell and Amanda Robinette both scored to give the Ladycats a four-run advantage.

But in the fifth inning, Belfry sent 13 batters to the plate and scored seven runs. Kim Tackett walked 10 batters. Belfry took the 7-4 lead midway in the fifth inning.

Denise Jones scored her third run of the game in the fifth to make the score 7-5 in favor of the Lady Pirates.

Belfry failed to score in the sixth, while the Ladycats kept fighting back by scoring one run and chipping away at the Lady Pirate lead.

Going into the seventh inning, the Lady Pirates held on to a slight 7-6 margin. Tackett retired all three batters and the Ladycats, trailing one run were up to bat.

Bentley led off for the Ladycats with a walk. Denise Jones then struck out for the first out of the inning. Kim Tackett then reached base on balls and this put runners on first and second for Betsy Layne. Jenny Parsons hit a triple which scored Bentley and Tackett and give the Ladycats the 8-7 win. Parsons had three RBIs for the game. But she had the most important two to win the game.

The Ladycats will take on the Magoffin County Lady Hornets on Thursday evening and the Elkhorn City Lady Cougars on Friday. Both of these games will be played at Allen Park.

Sizemore

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son," said with a smile on her face. "But if I don't, then I just want to play the best I can. Coach Moore said he is going to move me around this year."

Sizemore will be at shortstop when Shanna Howell, the team's regular six position player, is on the mound. Howell will be the ace of the Allen Central staff.

Sizemore, a finesse type of hitter, doesn't swing for power much but, according to her assessment, that could all change this season.

"I think I am capable of hitting some home runs," she said. "I am more of a slap-hitter but I think I can hit for power."

Sizemore said the Lady Rebels will be a very competitive team this season and the confidence is up.

"We are going to be real competitive again," said Sizemore. "We have a lot of talent coming back. We just need to find the positions everyone needs to play."

Sizemore recalled her days in the Martin Pee Wee League, where she was tagged a future star on the diamond.

"My favorite play, when I played in the Pee Wee League, and I hear about it often, was when I played centerfield for the Marlins," recalled, Sizemore. "It was the semifinals of the tournament and we were playing the Reds and they

were the best team in it. We beat them.

"Henry Napier and Pat Martin had a bet who would be the first one to hit a home run. Henry hit what would have been a home run, but I reached up and caught it. Patrick won the bet."

The Lady Rebel first baseman has been an athlete that has had her share of injuries in her career.

"I still have a scar from last year's softball season," she said.

During the basketball season, she suffered several injuries, but when possible, played through the pain.

"I hurt my elbow in basketball this year but it is all right now," said Sizemore. "It got to where no one could even touch it."

While Sizemore says she has a love for the outdoors, still basketball is first.

"I love being outside," she said. "I love playing softball, but basketball, I love it more."

Sizemore said Prestonsburg would be a strong opponent this season.

"They are going to be very strong," she said. "They lost Brandy Slone last year, but I am sure they have a backup somewhere. When we play them in conference games, they are going to be tough. With the county rivals, it is

always going to be tough."

The Allen Central junior said Betsy Layne has a strong tradition in softball.

"They are always a tough team," she said. "We had a hard time with them last year. But I really don't know what kind of team they will have this year."

Sizemore said eyes should be focused on Left Beaver.

"South Floyd is going to rise," she said. "One day we are going to have our eyes closed and they are going to come by and slap it to us."

Sizemore spoke of pitcher Shanna Howell.

"She is a good pitcher," she said. "She pitched last year and has shown a lot of improvement."

With Natalie Cooley out for the softball season, Sizemore said she appreciates what Cooley is doing.

"She is hurt right now but says she is going to try and come back," said Sizemore. "But she comes out to practice and picks us up and shows team spirit."

With the season less than a week from getting the first pitch, Sizemore is confident.

"I think we can win the district tournament," she said. "Everybody on this team has the talent to play well. Every day out they show the talent they have. If we play together we can win it all."

Keathley

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two Betsy Layne errors.

Betsy Layne added three runs in the bottom of the fourth and plated two in the sixth.

Tackett had an RBI double in the fourth, with the other two runs being unearned on three Hornets errors.

Keathley's accounted for one of the two runs in the sixth with a drive over the left field fence.

Coach Wright was pleased with the first game performance of his team.

"Overall, I was well pleased with the way we played," he said. "Offensively, we are going to be a good hitting team. If we can get our pitching to come around,

"But I was pleased with the way Justin pitched. He allowed six hits and six runs, but only two of those were earned runs.

"We made a couple mistakes in the field and that allowed them to score. I believe we will get better as the season goes on."

Sports

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\$5. Mumme is playing the mind game with this duo of quarterbacks. He knows that when the season opens that Bonner will be behind center barking out the signals.

Bonner guided the Cats to their second bowl appearance in as many seasons this past year.

Maybe Mumme is just trying to keep Lorenza on the team and not somewhere else.

UK BASKETBALL

Darius Rice looked impressive in the McDonald's All-American game. Rice has set this weekend to announce whether he will be at Memphis or UK next season. Odds favor Memphis because of geographic considerations.

Tubby Smith made a reference to the visit of John Calipari, new Memphis coach, to the home of Rice. It was in such a tone that all but told where Rice is expected to go and it is not UK.

COULD A FORD BE PARKED AT EKU?

Campbellsville Coach Travis Ford will get an interview for the head coaching job at Eastern Kentucky University. The former UK guard drew attention with the job done with the Campbellsville program. Ford is one of three who have interviewed for the job.

A decision on the replacement of Scott Perry could come as quick as next week.

Ford's Tiger team finished 23-11 last year after a 23-7 finish in 1999. Campbellsville made its first NAIA tournament appearance in several years.

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Congratulations to Betsy Layne's Bradley Brooks upon his inking with Campbellsville for the upcoming football season. Bradley signed this past Wednesday afternoon.

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The first-year coach said with the game conditions as they were, he was not overly anxious.

"No, I'm not too concerned with the errors we made," he said. "It was the first game and they had first-game jitters. We are a senior-oriented team and we are expected to be a good team."

Josh Kidd, Bill Kidd and Anthony Tackett each had two-baggers for the Bobcats in the 10-hit assault.

Robert Rose walked twice in the game and was hit with a pitch. He reached base safely in all four

plate appearances.

Betsy Layne collected 10 hits in the opening-game win. They stranded six runners.

The Bobcats (1-0) will travel to Millard (1-0) tonight.

BOBCAT NOTES:

• Daniel Knausz was used as a pinch runner but will not see action until later in the season. Knausz suffered a football injury and will be out at least another week.

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CLASSIC LOCKSMITHS, INC: Certified & Bonded Commercial, Residential & Vehicle Locks, Safes, Keys and Lockouts. 4660 Hwy 321 South Hager Hill, Ky 41222. Days (606-789-1399) Nights & Weekends (606-874-9530)

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Legals

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Schools are requesting sealed bids for the following services for the 2000-2001 school year:

Blacktopping, Sealing and Striping, Security Service, Fire Alarm Parts and Accessories, Fencing, Carpeting, Carpentry Supplies, Electrical and Heating Supplies, Plumbing Supplies, Paint, Elevator Service, Replacement Parts for Sewage Treatment Plants, Refrigeration Supplies, Waste Water Disposal, Water Treatment for Heating and Cooling Systems, Grass Cutting, Glass, and Fire Extinguisher Service and Supplies, and Custodial Supplies.

Bids will be accepted at the Central Office located at 106 North First Avenue until 10:00 a.m., on April 24, 2000, and will be opened at this time.

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

The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the public housing Modernization Project KY36P038907(98) will be received by The Housing Authority of Martin, Kentucky, on April 20, 2000, at 1:30 p.m. EST., and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. The project consists of: foundation settlement repair for one 3,216 s.f. (foot print) building.

The estimated value of the project is between \$100,000.00 and \$150,000.00.

The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Drawings, Specifications and other contract documents may be examined at the following locations:

Barge, Waggoner, Sumner and Cannon, Inc.

401 West Main Street, Suite 318 Lexington, Kentucky 40507

Attention: Wayne L. Clayton, AIA

Additional information is provided in the bidding documents. Copies of the bidding documents may be purchased at the following location:

Lynn Blueprint & Supply Co.

328 Old East Vine Street Lexington, Kentucky 40507

Telephone: (606) 255-1021

Attention: Plan Distribution Dept. The Housing Authority of Martin

By: Bruce Coleman Executive Director

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Bill Runnels has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to construct a residential

unit consistent with local and other building and zoning rules and regulations. The property is located within Floyd County and City of Prestonsburg, within 3/10 of a mile of Levisa Fork of Big Sandy River. The address is currently 262 Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Any Comments or objections concerning this application should be directed to:

Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 18 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone (502) 564-3410.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application #836-5348, Renewal

(1) In accordance with KRS 350.55, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for renewal of a permit for an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 2.0 miles west of Grethel in Floyd County. The operation will disturb 6.31 surface acres and will underlie 632.52 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 449.01 acres.

(2) The proposed operation is approximately 2.5 miles from Rt. 2030's junction with Little Mud Creek road and located 0.1 miles east of Little Mud Creek.

(3) The proposed operation is located on the McDowell

Branch Road and located on Spewing Camp Branch of Left Beaver Creek.

(3) The proposed major revision is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The major revision will underlie land owned by Teddy Frasure, Homer Hamilton, Noah Tackett, Edgar Jones, Jerry F. Howell, Gerald Howell, Brenda Joyce Howell, Willard Moore Estate, Day Gayheart, Ivan Moore, Prophet Moore, Isaac Spears, Dee Howell, Bert Dye Estate, Issac Spears Jr., and Mitchell Short.

(4) The major revision proposes the addition of 354.6 acres of new underground mining area in the Elkhorn No. 3 coal seam.

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

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

PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with the Chemical Safety Information, Site Security and Fuels Regulatory Relief Act (PL 106-40, Chemical Safety Information Act) notice is hereby given that MarkWest Hydrocarbon, Inc., and Kentucky Hydrocarbon Company (Maytown facility) will hold a public meeting to describe and discuss local implications of risk management plans. The Risk Management Plan is a requirement of EPA and provides information concerning chemical hazards, what their impacts could be, and what each facility is doing to minimize the risk from occurring. A public meeting is scheduled to be held on Thursday, April 13, 2000, at the Maytown Facility, located at 72 Maple Street, Langely, Kentucky 41645, beginning at 4 p.m.

Facility contacts on this matter are John Centofanti (606) 932-3111 (MarkWest) and Michael R. Flannery (606) 886-7316 (Kentucky Hydrocarbon).

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U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Elkhorn Coal Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by Effert Parsons, Estill and Cora Moore, Betty Carol, Lewis Moore, Greely Newsome, Audrey Parsons, Bobby Lawson and Maye Akers.

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REQUEST FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Board of Health requests bids for the sale of Floyd County Health Department Home Health Agency. Bids are to be considered on an evaluative basis, considering opportunities and benefits to be afforded present staff, and amount of purchase offer. A copy of the bid specifications required to prepare and submit a bid may be obtained from the Floyd County Health Department at 144 North Front Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, or by calling 606 886-2788. Sealed bids should be submitted to the Floyd County Health Department at 144 North Front Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, by close of business at 4:30 p.m., on Wednesday, April 12, 2000. The Board of Health reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted.

NOT RESPONSIBLE

Upon and on this date after publication of this notice, I will no longer be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself, and intend to file for total dissolution of marriage.

Virgil Lee Hunt
P.O. Box 1344
Prestonsburg, KY 41653

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

It is public record that Roberta Anderson Howell is now and always co-signer for Danny Anderson for property and home at McDowell, Kentucky. For more verification contact USDA Office, Prestonsburg, KY. Case 20-36-3523-43540.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has been made by Clinton Campbell of P.O. Box 871, Allen, KY 41601, the name of the proposed business of entertainment is Campbell's Grocery. The nature of the business will be Grocery and Pool Tables.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operation of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permits shall file with the County Clerk no later than April 20, 2000, in writing, allegations that show cause as to why the

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

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled for April 20, 2000, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as same can be heard before the Floyd County Judge/Executive at the Floyd County Justice Center, 2nd Floor in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge/Executive shall hear evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit.

Hon. Keith Bartley
Floyd County Attorney

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-9010, Renewal (1) in accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given, that FCDC Coal, Inc., 750 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for a renewal of a permit for an underground waste development site affecting 4.37 acres located 2.5 miles south of Banner in Floyd County.

(2) The proposed facility is approximately 0.25 miles north form Water Birch Road's junction with KY Route 1426

and US 23, and 0.00 miles East of Prater Creek. The latitude is 37°34'28". The longitude is 82°41'34".

(3) The proposed facility is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area is owned by Benjamin J. and Genevieve Akers.

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LEGAL NOTICE

I have been appointed by the Circuit Court Clerk of Floyd County, Kentucky, in Civil Action No. 98-CI-0455, now pending in Floyd Circuit Court, Division No. II, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, styled:

Rosemary Compton and Carl Compton, her husband; Mitch H. Thomas; Glen W. Stumbo; Ruth M. Musseiman; Sue Jane Beazley and Richard Beazley, her husband; William L. Stumbo and Joan Stumbo, his wife; and Brenda Stumbo,

James David Stumbo and Glenda Mann, Plaintiffs vs.

Freida Mullins Akers and Vernon Akers her husband; Linda Alexander and Terry Alexander, her husband; and unknown heirs of Ruby West and Carl West; Clyde Stapleton and Francis Stapleton, his wife; Anna J. Stefan and unknown spouse; Marsha Farguharson and David Farguharson, her husband; William P. Thomas and Patricia Thomas, his wife; Cheryl Andees and unknown spouse; James A. Stumbo and unknown spouse; Sharon Rose Stumbo and unknown spouse; Carolyn Rossi and unknown spouse; Joey Paul Reinhardt and unknown spouse, Defendants.

The nature of this action is one to establish the indivisibility of a tract of property, sale of the property, and distribute the proceeds from the sale to any individual who may own an interest in it. The property in question is located at McDowell, Floyd County, Kentucky, and was formerly owned by Minnie Hopkins Stumbo.

If you are one of the above named Defendants, you are hereby warned and notified that you have thirty days from march 21, 2000, in which to file an answer to the complaint. If you fail to do so, the relief

demand in the complaint may be awarded to the Plaintiffs. This may be a matter for which you may want to consult an attorney.

NED PILLERSDORF
WARNING ORDER
ATTORNEY
124 WEST COURT STREET
PRESTONSBURG KY 41653
(606) 886-6090
FAX: (606) 886-6148

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has been made by James C. Meade of 2813 RT. 321, Auxier, KY 41602, the name of the proposed business of entertainment is Vito's. The nature of the business will be Lounge and Restaurant.

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PUBLIC NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND EXCAVATORS

Notice is hereby given to contractors, excavators, or to any person doing or planning any underground construction in the areas of Melvin, Weeksbury, Bypro, Bevinsville, Langley, or Goble-Roberts in Floyd County, Kentucky, that MIKE LITTLE GAS COMPANY has underground gas lines in these areas.

Please notify us of your intent BEFORE YOU DIG so that we may locate the approximate area of

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This notice, with our telephone numbers, can also be found recorded in the Floyd County Clerk's office in Book #000005, Page 000535.

Mike Little Gas Company, Inc.
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Melvin, Kentucky 41650
Office Phone: 606-452-2475
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(24 hour emergency number)
Personnel Home Numbers: 606-377-9290; 606-452-9288

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(2) A hissing or roaring sound (caused by the escaping of natural gas)

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If you encounter a pipeline leak, leave the area immediately. Avoid creating sparks and sources of heat which would cause the gas to ignite or burn. DO NOT LIGHT A MATCH, OPERATE AN ELECTRICAL SWITCH, OR START AN ENGINE. Go to a telephone away from the leak area and call the gas company.

If you do not know who the gas line belongs to, call the local fire, police, or sheriff's department or the state police, and advise them of the nature and location of the emergency.

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TOMORROW

Comic Page...

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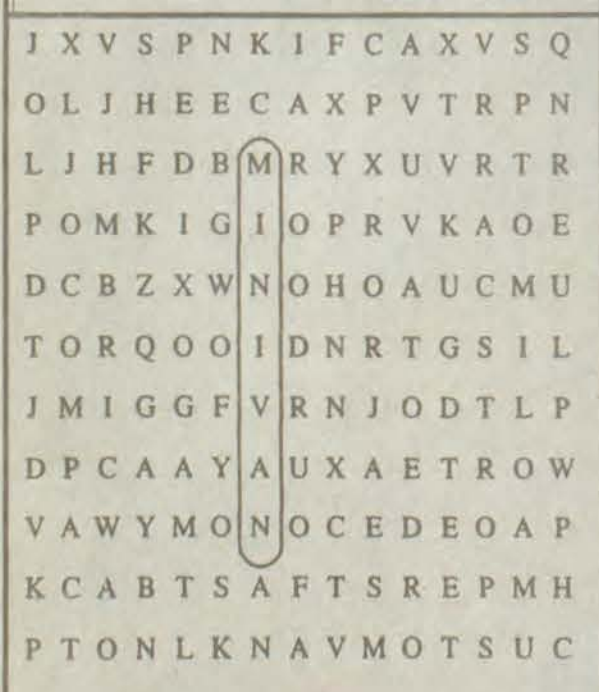
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MAGIC MAZE AUTOMOBILE CHOICES



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

- Compact
- Custom van
- Economy
- Fastback
- Four-door
- Hardtop
- Jeep
- Limo
- Minivan
- Motor home
- Pickup
- Sedan
- Sports car
- SUV
- Wagon

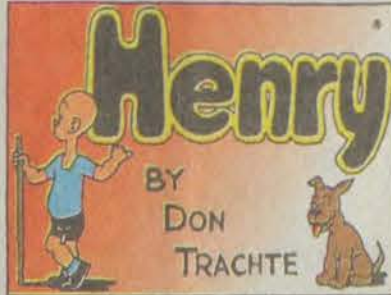
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Find at least six differences in details between panels.

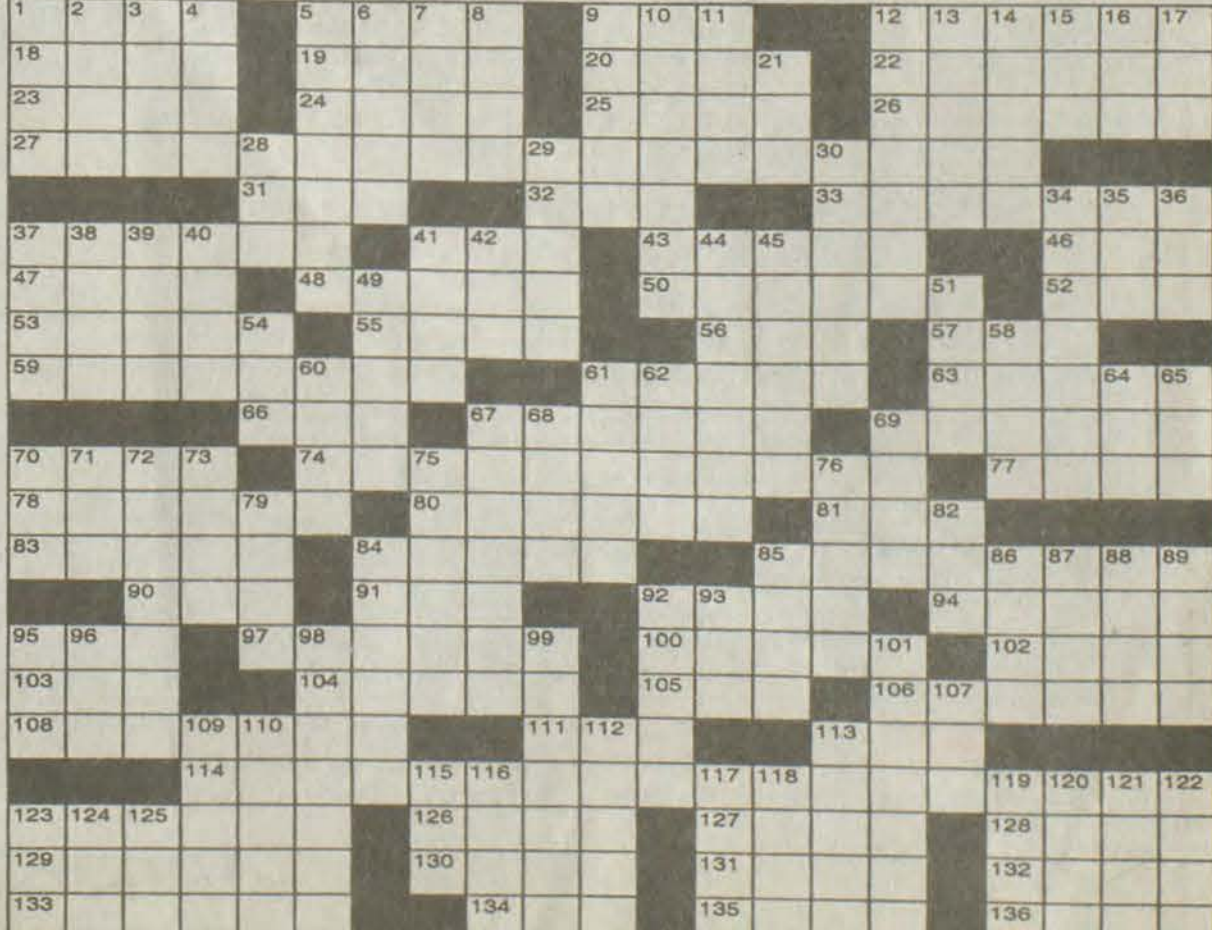


Answers to Crossword Puzzle and Magic Maze can be found on page A5



Super Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 "Kon-Tiki," for one
 - 5 Relay length
 - 9 Lawyers' org.
 - 12 Pontificate
 - 18 Grasso or Raines
 - 19 Prowned
 - 20 Daring
 - 22 European peninsula
 - 23 "Giselle" composer
 - 24 Sour fruit
 - 25 Cupid
 - 26 Elect
 - 27 Start of a remark by Evan Esar
 - 31 "Nightmare" street
 - 32 Party potable
 - 33 Likely to last?
 - 37 Chemical compound
 - 41 Gangster's gun
 - 43 Kafka character
 - 46 Bother
 - 47 Homer's field
 - 48 Pen pals?
 - 50 Govt. notes
 - 52 Duty
 - 53 Part 2 of remark
 - 55 Steel support
 - 56 Ryan's "Love Story" co-star
 - 57 Travel agcy.?
 - 59 Salad veggie
 - 61 Football's Herber
 - 63 Christine of "House-keeping"
 - 66 Actor Brynner
 - 67 Penny
 - 68 Seoul man?
 - 70 Grass "The Tin"
 - 74 Part 3 of remark
 - 77 Philanthropist Cornell
 - 78 Creche figure
 - 80 Wheilan or Sorkin
 - 81 Tear
 - 83 Brawl
 - 84 Made like
 - 85 Chicken feed
 - 90 Doctrine
 - 91 Canine grp.
 - 92 Cry of regret
 - 94 Part 4 of remark
 - 95 Rocker Morrison
 - 97 — piece
 - 100 Easily digested
 - 102 See 75
 - 103 Skater
 - 104 — Carlo
 - 105 "— been had!"
 - 106 Like Mister Ed?
 - 108 Neanderthals
 - 111 Remind one's spouse?
 - 113 Part of a crane
 - 114 End of remark
 - 123 Candles
 - 126 Enrages
 - 127 Monthly expense
 - 128 Vegetate
 - 129 Go to extremes
 - 130 Wonka's creator
 - 131 Inland sea
 - 132 Tun throwaways
 - 133 With TV chef
 - 134 Comedian Louis
 - 135 Ruminant
 - 136 New Mexico resort
 - 3 Custard of Castile
 - 4 Docile
 - 5 Brawn
 - 6 Cairo creed
 - 7 Uris or Trotsky
 - 8 Churchill's successor
 - 9 Diminish
 - 10 Gasconade
 - 11 Baseball family name
 - 12 Important
 - 13 Superior to
 - 14 With "Spartacus" actor
 - 15 Exist
 - 16 102, to Tacitus
 - 17 See 133 Across
 - 21 Thirsty
 - 28 Craving
 - 29 Weasel relative
 - 30 Uggams or Caron
 - 34 Mississippi port
 - 35 Nabokov novel
 - 36 Deli delicacy
 - 37 Neuwirth of "Cheers"
 - 38 Artistic output
 - 39 Coll. cadets
 - 40 Qatar's continent
 - 41 Sarcastic remark
 - 42 Santa — CA
 - 44 Desert
 - 45 Sphere
 - 49 Novelist Calher
 - 51 Rural sight
 - 54 Attempt
 - 58 Attention
 - 60 "That hurts!"
 - 61 Put on
 - 62 Martha of "Jumbo"
 - 64 Coal by-product
 - 65 Claire or Balin
 - 67 Fuzzy fruit
 - 68 Govern
 - 69 Mend, as a bone
 - 70 Record players?
 - 71 Caviar
 - 72 See 14 Down
 - 73 New York team
 - 75 With 102 Across, table accessory
 - 76 From Cork
 - 79 Splendor
 - 82 Child welfare org.
 - 84 Island outfit
 - 85 Summon electronically
 - 86 Taj town
 - 87 Film —
 - 88 Takes in
 - 89 Add fringe
 - 92 Position correctly
 - 93 Actress Tyler
 - 95 Morrow or Dana
 - 96 — standstill
 - 98 "The Sage of Concord"
 - 99 Loman portrayer
 - 101 Prickly plant
 - 107 Broad sash
 - 109 Film critic
 - 110 — Gras
 - 112 Bridal path?
 - 113 Doctor Salk
 - 115 Pitch in
 - 116 Where to speak Farsi
 - 117 Metric weight
 - 118 Neighbor of Brazil
 - 119 Lean
 - 120 Concept
 - 121 Toast topper
 - 122 Stack role
 - 123 Poul's papa
 - 124 Palindromic name
 - 125 — diem



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April 1 thru April 7, 2000



Spring is now officially here, and what better way to celebrate than to start making plans to visit Six Flags Kentucky Kingdom during Spring Break Out.

It's the kick off for the 2000 season opening — 10 straight days of thrills for the family.

Spring Break Out begins today (March 31) at 5 p.m., with the park opening at 10 a.m. each day through April 9. Admission is free with a Six Flags Kentucky Kingdom 2000 season pass.

The newest attraction is the Meteor Attack at Thrill Park Theatre, an outer space thriller that combines the latest in motion simulator technology with a flight through outer space that includes all the twists, turns and drops of a traditional thrill ride.

According to the promoters, it's guaranteed to make your stomach drop as you plunge hundreds of feet in a jet fighter, all while you're firmly planted in your movie theater seat. Meteor Attack will run March 31 through the end of September.

Visitors to the amusement park will have the chance to be a part of the Looney Tunes Characters' daily street party.

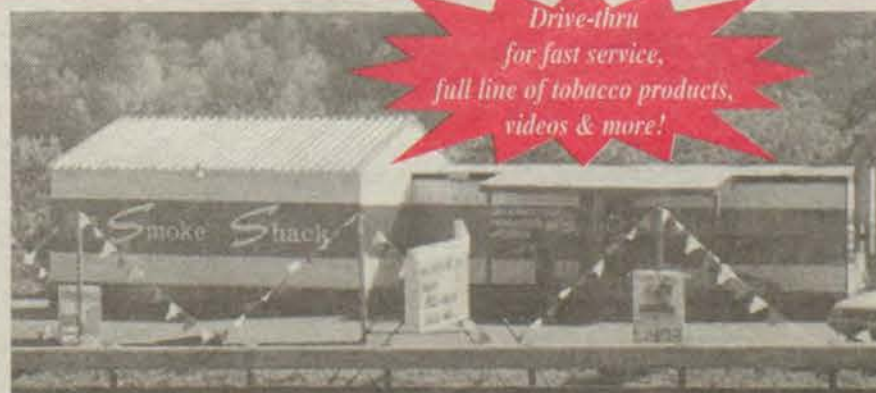
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Spring has sprung

Six Flags Kentucky Kingdom

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23	9	WGN	Video Computer Store	Paintmate	Music	Slimdown	Fishing	Soul Train (R) (In Stereo)	Xena: Warrior Princess [R]	Preseason Baseball: Chicago White Sox vs. Philadelphia Phillies. (Live)							
6	10	CBS	Cryptkeeper	Warriors	Wild Am.	MobileHm	Walters Auto Report	Tubby Smith	KASP	Auto Racing: NASCAR Grand National -- Texas 300. (Live) [R]			Final Four [R]				
11	11	FOX	Digimon	NASCAR	Beast	Digimon	Flint	Avengers [R]	Paid Prog.	More-Game	Steamer	C Media	Party of Five (In Stereo) [R]	Star Trek: Voyager [R]	Tennis (In Stereo Live) [R]		
13	18	CBS	(8:00) Saturday Early Show	Studio Plus	Rescue	Flying Rhino	Magazine	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Auto Racing: NASCAR Grand National -- Texas 300. (Live) [R]			Final Four [R]				
14	46	ESPN	Sportsman's	Outdoors	Fly Fishing	Sportscenter	Strongman			Fishing	Dog Show	Swimming and Diving: NCAA Champ.			Equestrian	Skiing	
33	30	DSC	SciSquad	Movie Magic	Hunter-Croc	Real Kids	Outward	Incredible	News	Discover	New Detectives		Into the Unknown (R)	Shipwreck! (R)	Original Vampire (R)		
16	31	TNT	Wild, Wild West	Adv. of Brisco County, Jr.		Tour of Duty		** 1/2 "Fast Times at Ridgemont High" (1982, Comedy)			* 1/2 "Jury Duty" (1995, Comedy) Pauly Shore.			"Summer Rental" (1985)			
31	32	A&E	Guide to Historic Homes	America's Castles (R)		House Beautiful (R) [R]		New Explorers (R)		** 1/2 "The Dead Pool" (1988, Drama) Clint Eastwood. [R]			Investigative Reports [R]		American Justice (R) [R]		
27	33	TNN	Dead Man's Gun (In Stereo)	Outdoors	Turkey Call	Saltwater	Bill Dance	In-Fish	Bassmastr.	Outdoor	Trucks!	Car	Mechanic	Horsepower	ClassicCar	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)	
19	34	NICK	Rugrats [R]	Rugrats [R]	Spongeb	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Rocket	Beavers	Kablam!	Amanda	Amanda	Amanda	Amanda	Amanda	Amanda	Amanda
17	35	USA	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	WWF Live Wire (In Stereo)	Crush [R]	Friends	** 1/2 "The Babe" (1992, Biography) John Goodman. [R]			*** 1/2 "Field of Dreams" (1989, Fantasy) Kevin Costner. (In Stereo) [R]			"The Fan" [R]			
28	33	FAM	Kids	Angela	Pretenders	Countdown	S Club 7	Big Wolf	Aqua [R]	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	* "Ladybugs" (1992, Comedy) Rodney Dangerfield.			* 1/2 "Caddyshack II" (1988)	
43	LIFE	Guthy	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Next Door [R]	Next Door [R]	** 1/2 "Tricks of the Trade" (1988) Cindy Williams.			Murder in New Hampshire		
45	ESPN2	Sportscenter (R)	XBS (R)	Skiing	Skiing	Extreme	Cycling (R)	Snowboarding		Skiing	Auto Racing			NASCAR 2000: Stars			
29	43	AMC	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges
50	HGTV	Fix	Fix It Up! (R)	Dream	Designers	Landscape	Garden-Yard	Old House	Old House	Fix	Fix It Up! (R)	Carol Duvall	Carol Duvall	Inside Dirt	GrtIndoors	Journal	Gardeners
10	51	SCIFI	Mystery Science Theater 3000 (R)			Space: Above and Beyond		First Wave (In Stereo) [R]	Good vs. Evil (In Stereo) [R]		Farscape (R) (In Stereo) [R]		** 1/2 "The Haunted" (1991, Horror) Sally Kirkland. [R]				
32	52	HIST	Battle-Bulge		World at War "Whirlwind"		Military Bindrs		World's Greatest Scams (R)			Robert Ripley: Believe It or Not!		History Undercover (R) [R]		Sworn to Secrecy (R)	
65	TOC	Hunting	Outdoor	Raceline	Gold Fever	Fishing Mag.		Classic Car	Outdoor	Outside	Paid Prog.	Tree Lounge	Fishing	ATV	Paid Prog.	Fishful	Like Father
20	14	HBO	Nothing but	** 1/2 "A Far Off Place" (1993) Reese Witherspoon. 'PG'		City Dump-CGNY Scandal		*** "Remo Williams: The Adventure Begins" (1985)			** "Blankman" (1994) Damon Wayans. 'PG-13' [R]			Major Lge.			
15	HBO2	(8:00)	"The Newton Boys"		** 1/2 "Pushing Tin" (1999, Comedy) John Cusack. 'R' [R]		*** "The Apostle" (1998, Drama) Robert Duvall. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' [R]			** 1/2 "Everybody's All-American" (1988) Dennis Quaid.			Dance Me				
16	HBO3	(7:30)	"The Last Emperor"		** 1/2 "The Siege" (1998) Denzel Washington. 'R' [R]		*** 1/2 "Day for Night" (1973) Francois Truffaut. 'PG' [R]			Innocents Lost (R) (In Stereo) [R]			Tracey		Officer		
21	17	MAX	(8:30)	** "Paulie" (1998)		** "Take Care of My Little Girl" (1951)		** 1/2 "The Big Town" (1987, Drama) Matt Dillon. 'R'		** "Why Do Fools Fall in Love" (1998) Halle Berry. 'R'		*** "Family Business" (1989) 'R' [R]					
18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	PB & J Otter	** 1/2 "Cats Don't Dance" (1997) 'G' [R]		** "The Next Karate Kid" (1994) Noriyo "Pat" Morita.			Z Games [R]	Flash	GrowPains	Bug Juice		
22	SHOW	* 1/2 "Air Bud: Golden Receiver" (1998) [R]		** "Rescuers: Stories of Courage -- Two Women" (1997)			"Kickboxing Academy" (1997, Action) [R]		*** "Swept From the Sea" (1997) Vincent Perez. [R]			"The Spanish Prisoner" [R]					
25	TMC	"Assignment Berlin" (1998) Sammi Davis.		"The Westing Game" (1997, Mystery) Ray Walston. [R]		*** "Silkwood" (1983, Drama) Meryl Streep.			** "Homegrown" (1998) Billy Bob Thornton. [R]			Critical					

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ARIES

(March 21 to April 19)

A loving Leo offers a chance for romance. On the job, follow the advice of a Libra who knows the facts and wants to help you succeed.

TAURUS

(April 20 to May 20)

A temporary financial setback gives you a chance to recheck your plans and make some changes. A Virgo waits to hear from you.

GEMINI

(May 21 to June 20)

A Capricorn is Cupid's choice for a romantic spring fling. Your work week begins with a problem, but all is resolved by the week's end.

CANCER

(June 21 to July 22)

More changes than usual could beset the Moon Child this week. Be patient. The confusion will soon pass. A Libra offers you much-needed emotional stability.

LEO

(July 23 to August 22)

It's time to redecorate the Lion's Den with some of those bright new things you love to have around you. Then, invite friends in for a party.

VIRGO

(August 23 to Sept. 22)

A sudden change in a personal relationship creates some confusion. A full explanation will come later. The next move will be up to you.

LIBRA

(Sept. 23 to October 22)

A business partner could create problems that will later threaten a new venture. Your domestic partner might still need to be reassured about your feelings.

SCORPIO

(October 23 to Nov. 21)

A situation has finally gone from rocky to rock-solid. Use this quieter period to recharge your energies. Plan to spend more time with friends.

SAGITTARIUS

(Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)

Finding the weakness in a financial matter strengthens your bargaining potential later on. An Aries would love to share some romantic antics with you.

CAPRICORN

(Dec. 22 to January 19)

The Goat's romantic reputation could get a boost from a loving Leo. A workplace situation continues to improve as others support your position.

AQUARIUS

(January 20 to Feb. 18)

That added effort pays off on the job. A family situation is close to being resolved. Get out more and enjoy some well-earned fun times with good friends.

PISCES

(February 19 to March 20)

You might feel overwhelmed by a torrent of events this week. Deal with them one at a time, and things will soon get back to normal.

YOU WERE BORN THIS WEEK:

You can be impatient with people who don't live up to the high standards you set for yourself. You are naturally shy but cover it well in social settings.

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SATURDAY EVENING

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APRIL 1, 2000

TM	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	
24	2	TBS (4:05) "Sands of Iwo Jima" WCW Saturday Night						*** "The Train Robbers" (1973, Western) John Wayne.	***½ "True Grit" (1969, Western) John Wayne, Glen Campbell.					Man-Liberty				
3	3	NBC (4:00) Auto Racing	News	NBC News	Fortune	Cash Exp.	Pretender (R) (In Stereo)	The Others "Pilot" (R)	Profiler "Blind Eye" (R)	News	Saturday Night Live (R) (In Stereo)							
4	5	PBS Decisions	Religion	Lawrence Welk Show	Red Green	Red Green	Kentucky	Ky Life	Keeping Up	Wait for God	Time Goes	Goodnight	Directors	(Off Air)				
8	8	ABC (4:00) Senior PGA Golf	News	ABC News	Entertainment Tonight	Best Commercials-Never	Figure Skating: World Championships	News	Relic Hunter (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue								
23	3	WGN Beastmaster "Valhalla"	Earth: Final Conflict (R)	Fresh Prince	Ill. Luckiest	Bulls Eye	NBA Basketball: Charlotte Hornets at Chicago Bulls. (Live)	News	** "Missing in Action 2: The Beginning"									
6	10	CBS Final Four	College Basketball: NCAA Semi. -- Mich. St. vs. Wis.					College Basketball: NCAA National Semi. -- Fla. vs. N.C.	King	News	Sports	Lost World "Salvation"						
11	11	FOX (4:00) Tennis	X-Files "One Breath"	Friends	Friends	Cops (R)	Cops (R)	America's Most Wanted	News	Mad TV (R) (In Stereo)	WWF Shotgun							
13	13	CBS Final Four	College Basketball: NCAA Semi. -- Mich. St. vs. Wis.					College Basketball: NCAA National Semi. -- Fla. vs. N.C.	King	News	Coach	Coach	Cleopatra 25					
14	46	ESPN (4:30) Skiing	Skiing	Sportscenter	Figure Skating: World Champ. -- Men's & Ladies' Short	Cheerlead	ESPNews	Baseball	Sportscenter: Final Four Edition	NBA 2Night	Baseball							
33	60	DSC Science Mysteries (R)	By Any Means Necessary?	Storm Warning! (R)	Wild Discovery: The Lion	Ultimate Guide "Horses"	Justice Files (R)	New Detectives (R)	Wild Discovery: The Lion									
16	61	TNT (4:00) "Summer Rental"	*** "The Breakfast Club" (1985) Emilio Estevez.	*** "My Cousin Vinny" (1992, Comedy) Joe Pesci, Ralph Macchio.	** "Striptease" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Demi Moore, Armand Assante.													
31	62	A&E City Confidential (R)	Investigative Reports	Love Chronicles (R)	Biography: Kenny Rogers	Trisha Yearwood Live by Request	Top 10 "Dream Jobs" (R)	Biography: Kenny Rogers										
27	63	TNN 18 Wheels of Justice (R)	"Tom Sawyer" (2000, Adventure) Voices of Rhett Akins.	Opry	Grand Opry	He Touched Me	Oak Ridge Boys	Opry	Grand Opry	He Touched Me								
19	64	NICK Amanda	Amanda	Catdog	Spongeb	Skeeter	Kenan & Kel	Rugrats	Amanda	Eddie	All That	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	Lucy and Desi	Laverne	Happy Days		
17	65	USA (4:30) **½ "The Fan" (1996, Suspense) Robert De Niro.	** "Mr. Baseball" (1992, Comedy) Tom Selleck.	*** "Dazed and Confused" (1993) Jason London.	* "National Lampoon's Class Reunion" (1982)													
28	66	FAM (4:00) **½ "Caddyshack II"	** "Dutch" (1991, Comedy) Ed O'Neill. (In Stereo)	** "North" (1994, Comedy-Drama) Elijah Wood.	**½ "Funny Farm" (1988, Comedy) Chevy Chase.	Boss?	Partridge											
43	LIFE	Murder in New Hampshire	"Someone Is Watching" (1999) Stefanie Powers.	"Cries Unheard: The Donna Yaklich Story" (1994)	Oh Baby	Golden Girls	Any Day Now (In Stereo)	"Murder Between Friends"										
45	ESPN2	Motorcycle Racing: EA Sports Supercross Series.	RPM 2Night	Strongman	Major League Soccer: United at Metrostars	NHL Hockey: Phoenix Coyotes at Edmonton Oilers. (Live)												
29	49	AMC 3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	3 Stooges	*** "The Endless Summer" (1966) Mike Hynson.	*** "A New Leaf" (1971)					
50	HGTV	RV 2000 (R) (In Stereo)	Appraisal	Appraise It!	Auction	Collect	You're Home	Decorating	Room	Room	Interiors	Bed-Bath	You're Home	Decorating	Room	Room		
10	51	SCIFI **½ "House" (1986, Horror) William Katt.	** "House II: The Second Story" (1987) Arye Gross.	** "The Craft" (1996, Horror) Robin Tunney.	**½ "House" (1986, Horror) William Katt.													
32	52	HIST Tales of the Gun (R)	Great Ships (R)	Motorcycles (R)	History Undercover (R)	Wrath of God	Suicide Missions	True Action Adventures	History Undercover (R)									
55	TOC	Fishin'	Paid Prog.	Outdoor	Bluegrass	Hunter	Show Me	Call of Wild	Fishing	Country	NE Outdoors	Prospectng	Saturday	Hunting	Sportfishing	Outdoors	Outdoor	
20	14	HBO Major League: Minors	** "Nothing but Trouble" (1991) Chevy Chase. 'PG-13'	**½ "Forces of Nature" (1999) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'	Sopranos "House Arrest"	Boxing: Boxing After Dark. (In Stereo Live)												
45	HBO2	(4:45) ** "Dance With Me" (1998) Vanessa L. Williams.	Reverb (R) (In Stereo)	***½ "Boogie Nights" (1997, Drama) Mark Wahlberg. 'R'	**½ "Everybody's All-American" (1988, Drama) Dennis Quaid. 'R'													
16	HBO3	(4:30) "An Officer and a Gentleman" 'R'	*** "Les Miserables" (1998, Drama) Liam Neeson. 'PG-13'	**½ "The Siege" (1998) Denzel Washington. 'R'	*** "The Last Emperor" (1987) John Lone. 'PG-13'													
21	17	MAX Family Bus.	**½ "Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves" (1991) Kevin Costner. 'PG-13'	**½ "Young Guns II" (1990) Emilio Estevez. 'PG'	**½ "The Getaway" (1994, Drama) Alec Baldwin. 'R'	Passion	Too Good											
13	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Jersey (R)	So Weird	"Legend of Pirate's Point" (1998) 'G'	** "The Next Karate Kid" (1994) Nonyuki "Pat" Morita.	Bug Juice	So Weird	Zorro	Spin-Marty						
22	SHOW	*** The Spanish Prisoner	** "The Karate Kid Part III" (1989) Ralph Macchio.	*** "Cliffhanger" (1993, Adventure) Sylvester Stallone.	"Virtual Girl" (1998) Charlie Curtis.	** "The Hit" (1984) Terence Stamp.												
25	TMC	(4:20) "Critical Condition"	**½ "Sour Grapes" (1998, Comedy)	**½ "Dirty Work" (1998) Norm Macdonald.	***½ "A Few Good Men" (1992, Drama) Tom Cruise. (In Stereo)	** "A Better Tomorrow" (1986, Drama)												

Breaks park season begins April 1

The 2000 operating season at Breaks Interstate Park, near Elkhorn City, will begin April 1.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt will be April 22, beginning at noon. This event is open to children ages one through 12. A variety of prizes will be awarded. The traditional Easter Sunrise Service will be held at Potter's Knoll at 6 a.m. on Sunday, April 23.

Park visitors can continue to take advantage of the variety of scenic and recreational resources available throughout the park. Spring is always a great time to visit the overlooks and hike on the trails in the park. Spring wild flowers are popping up everywhere and nature is coming alive.

In planning a hiking trip, stop by the visitor center and pick up a booklet on the spring wildflowers, and see how many you can find on the trails.

The visitor center will be open each day from April 1 through October 31. The visitor center is filled with natural and historical exhibits as well as geological and coal mining displays.

An authentic gristmill with demonstrations of grinding corn into meal will be on display. Interpretive programming for the season will include regularly scheduled nature walks and slide and film programs.

The amphitheater provides the setting for live performances, including bluegrass and gospel music shows. Bluegrass music will be performed most Saturdays, beginning May 20 and ending August 20.

The restaurant will be open each day from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., featuring homemade soups and desserts, picnic and banquet menus. The park also offers catering for private functions.

The Breaks Interstate Park adds a conference center to the many amenities of the park. The conference center has 5,595 square feet of meeting and banquet space. Four banquet rooms are conveniently located within the conference center.

The motel offers 70 modern motel units and one suite for overnight accommodations. Two new motel units are available and a third will be ready to occupy May 15.

Fully equipped vacation cottages, rented weekly, are open year round with reservations taken throughout the year.

The campground offers 122 campsites ranging from tent camping to sites with water, electric and sewer hookups. Group camping for churches, schools, scouts, and other groups is available.

Visitors will have an opportunity to enjoy horseback riding and mountain biking. The horse

stables are located between the swimming pool and the cottages. The mountain bikes may be rented at the campground store.

The paddle boats are available weekdays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The pool will open Memorial Day weekend, Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to

8 p.m. Nachos, hot dogs, popcorn, cotton candy, ice cream, soft drinks, may be purchased poolside.

Eight picnic shelters with bathroom facilities are available for use. Reservations are taken on a first-come, first-serve basis and are taken up to one year in advance.

Scheduled events for the season include: Memorial Day

Gospel Singing, May 27-28; Father's Day Gospel Singing, June 17-18; Bluegrass Extravaganza, July 1-4; Arts and Crafts Festival, July 7-9; Richard Potter Day, August 6; TriState Gospel Singing, September 2-4.

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TV	CH	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	
24	2	TBS	*** "3 Godfathers" (1948, Western) John Wayne.				**** "Fort Apache" (1948, Western) John Wayne, Henry Fonda.				*** 1/2 "She Wore a Yellow Ribbon" (1949, Western)				**** "Rio Grande" (1950) John Wayne.			
3	3	NBC	Dan Mark	Van Impe	Kenneth C.	Rod Parsley	Meet the Press (R)		AB Twister	PGA Golf: BellSouth Classic - Final Round. (In Stereo Live) (R)				NBA Basketball (R)				
4	5	PBS	Barney	Teletubbies	Dragon	Wishbone (R)	Zoboomafoo	Arthur (R)	Bottom Line	Comment	Taking Lead	Taking Lead	Living Literature		Tony Brown	To Contrary	MotorWeek	Kentucky
8	8	ABC	Henry M.	Paid Prog.	In Touch Ministries	Taxi	This Week (R)		Pocket Chef	Figure Skating: World Championships. (R)				Senior PGA Golf: The Tradition - Final Round. (Live) (R)				
23	9	WGN	Charles	Charles	Malibu, CA	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fresh Prince	Lost World (In Stereo) (R)	Cleopatra 25	Jack	Nightman (In Stereo) (R)	** 1/2 "Magic Island" (1995, Fantasy) Zachery Ty Bryan.					
6	10	CBS	Time of Praise		Church	Century 21	Gateway Gospel	Talk Amer	Final Two (R)		Pre-Race	Auto Racing: NASCAR Winston Cup - DirecTV 500. (Live) (R)						
11	11	FOX	Fox News Sunday		Wall St	Travel	Progenis	Paid Prog.	Roto Tiller	M*A*S*H (R)	* 1/2 "Major League II" (1994, Comedy) Charlie Sheen.		Tennis: Ericsson Open - Men's Final. (In Stereo Live) (R)					
13	18	CBS	Sunday Morning (R)		Face Nation	Cryptkeeper	Warriors	Award	Final Two (R)		Pre-Race	Auto Racing: NASCAR Winston Cup - DirecTV 500. (Live) (R)						
14	45	ESPN	Sportscenter	Sportswkly	Reporters	Lines	Sportscenter		Basketball	High School Basketball: Hoop Summit. (Live)				Home Run Derby (R) (R)				
33	30	DSC	Zoventure	Boneheads	A.R.K.	Croc Files	Guide		America's Military Acad.	Escapes From Alcatraz		On the Inside		America's Military Acad.		Real LAPD (R)		
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman		In the Heat of the Night (R)		In the Heat of the Night (R)		In the Heat of the Night (R)		*** "Mortal Thoughts" (1991, Drama) Demi Moore.		** "Striptease" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Demi Moore.					
31	32	A&E	Breakfast With the Arts: Rodgers		Open Book		House Beautiful (R) (R)		Ancient Mysteries (R)		Unexplained "Cannibals"		American Justice (R)		** "The Burden of Proof" (1992) Hector Elizondo.			
27	33	TNN	Mechanic	Mechanic	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)	Raceday (In Stereo)	NASCAR	Trucks!	Car	ClassicCar	Horsepower	Mechanic	Mechanic	Trucks! (R)	Motor Madness (In Stereo)			
19	34	NICK	Rugrats (R)	Rugrats (R)	Spongebob	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Rocket	Beavers	Kablaml!	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Rugrats (R)	Amanda
17	35	USA	USA High (R)	USA High (R)	WWF Superstars	* "Ernest in the Army" (1998, Comedy) Jim Varney.		** "Ernest Rides Again" (1993, Comedy) Jim Varney. (R)		** 1/2 "SpaceCamp" (1986, Adventure) Kate Capshaw.								
28	33	FAM	Flint	Flint	Digimon	Digimon	S Club 7	Big Wolf	Two-Kind	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	Far From Home: Yellow Dog		*** "The River" (1984) Mel Gibson.			
43	LIFE	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	"Another Woman's Husband" (2000, Drama) Lisa Rinna.		"Close to Danger" (1997, Drama) Rob Estes. (R)		"Price of a Broken Heart" (1999, Drama) Laura Innes. (R)				Secret Between Friends						
45	ESPN2	Sportsman's	Adventures	Sportsman's	Spanish Fly	Drag Racing	Car Show	Lines	RPM 2Day (R)	NASCAR	NHL Hockey: Dallas Stars at Colorado Avalanche. (Live)							
28	43	AMC	(8:00) Three Stooges		** 1/2 "The Sad Sack" (1957, Comedy) Jerry Lewis.		**** "His Girl Friday" (1940, Comedy)		Hollywood	Cary Grant: A Celebration	** "The Greek Tycoon" (1978, Drama) Anthony Quinn.							
60	HGTV	Fix	Fix It Up! (R)	Dream	Designer's	Landscape	Garden-Yard	Old House	Old House	Homewise	You're Home	Room	Small Space	Decorating	Furniture	Journal	Gardens	
10	31	SCIFI	Battlestar Galactica (R)		Earth 2 (In Stereo) (R)		Star Trek (In Stereo) (R)		Dark Skies (In Stereo) (R)		** 1/2 "The Haunted" (1991, Horror) Sally Kirkland. (R)		* 1/2 "The Black Cat" (1990, Horror) Caroline Munro. (R)					
32	32	HIST	Wolper Pres.	Automobiles (R)	History	Black Sheep Squadron	*** "Tobruk" (1967, Drama) Rock Hudson.		Nazis: A Warning		Nazis: A Warning		Nazis: A Warning					
55	TOC	Fishing	Hunting	Outdoors	Pillsbury	Porthole TV	Runnin' Wild	Prospectng	Roadfaring	Fishing Mag.	Paid Prog.	Fishing	Paid Prog.	Gone Huntin	Outdoors	Action	Paid Prog.	
20	11	HBO	(8:30) "Can't Hardly Wait"		** "In the Line of Duty: Smoke Jumpers" (1996)		Real Sports (R) (R)		* 1/2 "Lost & Found" (1999) David Spade. 'PG-13' (R)		Century of Living (R) (R)		** 1/2 "If Looks Could Kill"					
45	HBO2	(8:30) Boxing: Boxing After Dark. (R)		**** "Titanic" (1997, Drama) Leonardo DiCaprio, Kate Winslet. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' (R)				* 1/2 "Milk Money" (1994) Melanie Griffith. 'PG-13' (R)		"A Perfect Murder" (1998)								
46	HBO3	** 1/2 "The Affair" (1995, Drama) 'R' (R)		"Eat Your Heart Out" (1997, Drama) John Craig. 'R'		*** "Class Action" (1991, Drama) Gene Hackman. 'R'		"Looking for Lola" (1997, Comedy) 'PG'		"Saving Private Ryan" 'R'								
21	17	MAX	(8:30) *** "Rudy" (1993) Sean Astin. (R)		* 1/2 "The Lost World" (1998) 'R' (R)		*** 1/2 "Superman II" (1980) Christopher Reeve. 'PG' (R)		** 1/2 "Renaissance Man" (1994, Comedy) Danny DeVito. 'PG-13' (R)		Man-Face							
19	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	PB & J Otter	** 1/2 "Oliver & Company" (1988) 'G' (R)		** 1/2 "Rent-a-Kid" (1995) Leslie Nielsen.		MusicVids	Z Games (R)	Flash	GrowPains	Bug Juice			
22	SHOW	**** "Hannah and Her Sisters" (1986) Mia Farrow.		** "Grease 2" (1982, Musical) Maxwell Caulfield. (R)		** "The Man in the Iron Mask" (1998, Adventure) Leonardo DiCaprio.		** "Deep Impact" (1998) Robert Duvall.										
25	TMC	(7:55) "Red Corner" (1997)		** 1/2 "Quigley Down Under" (1990) Tom Selleck.		*** "Blind Faith" (1996, Drama) Courtney B. Vance. (R)		** 1/2 "Immediate Family" (1989, Drama) Glenn Close. (R)		** 1/2 "Ride" (1998) (R)								



Getting to the root of the problem

My family is in the process of trying to locate our ancestors. It is a simple procedure to go back on my father's side of the family and decipher our heritage. (Actually, our heritage is so well documented we are currently trying to decode a picture that was etched on the wall of a cave by a Cro-Magnon.)

Yet, looking for my mother's roots is akin to finding the missing link. And, from what little we are discovering about her background, the missing link is probably going to be easier to unearth.

My father's family is an old eastern Kentucky traditional variety of Wheelers, Coopers, Stapletons, Auxiers, Wards, Meeks, and Litterals, among others. In fact, we can trace our family tree back to French royalty. So far, the only royalty my mother can trace her family back to is a Duke, as in duke's mixture.

"Mother, where was your father born?" I asked her one afternoon last week.

"In Tennessee," she replied.

"Have you looked at his birth records?"

"No, not yet," she said as she looked at her crossword puzzle dictionary. "I'm taking an analytical approach to researching my genealogy."

"And that approach would be?" I asked.

"I'm trying to figure out his complete name," she replied.

Smile Awhile...

"Why not try and find out who his mother and father were?" I stated.

"I can't," she answered. "He never talked about his mother or father."

"Didn't you ask?"

"No," she said, in an agitated tone. "He always said that his children were to be seen and not heard."

"You mean you never had a conversation with your father?" I queried.

"I almost did once, but he didn't hear me," she laughed.

"Weren't you curious as to who your grandparents were?"

"I knew my mother's mother so I knew I had a grandparent, I just never thought about my father's parents because he never mentioned them. I suppose it's because he was adopted," she answered.

"No wonder he's hard to find. Who adopted him?"

"His grandparents," she shrugged.

"What were his grandparents' names?" I questioned.

"If I knew that I'd know what his mother and father's names were," she intoned.

"Don't you know anything about him?"

"Yes, he had a brother named Rufus who came to visit us once when I was 12 years old, and he had a close female relative named Elasphe. You know, I even had three half-sisters and a half-brother I didn't even know existed before Uncle Rufus' visit."

"And you weren't the least bit inquisitive?" I asked, incredulously. "Didn't you want to know your sisters and brother?"

"Sara, I don't know any other way to explain it. Children just didn't talk about those

things at that time."

I was completely dumbfounded. My mother knew she had half-sisters and a half-brother but she didn't even ask her father or her mother about them. I couldn't believe it. My mind raced with the possibilities: I could have half cousins running around with stock in Microsoft, or we could be next in line for season tickets to the UK games.

And, for health reasons she should have been finding out if every fourth generation loses a toe or something. (Personally, if I'd had three half sisters I would have been finding them so I could borrow their clothes.)

"Mother, you owe it to your children and grandchildren to find out about your past," I drilled her.

"I know he was born in Tennessee," she stammered. "I just don't know his real name.

It's hard to do research on someone you can't trace back to anyone."

"Have you ever considered the possibility that you emerged from a pea pod?" I sighed. "After all, your given name is Eulelia. Isn't that a constellation or a galaxy?"

"Eulelia is the name of an old Indian chief who became a lawyer."

"I think you should try hypnotic regression," I urged her. "Just let a trained hypnotist regress you back and maybe you'll remember something your father said about his parents that your conscious mind can't access."

"Some things are better left alone," Mother cautioned. "You know curiosity killed the cat, don't you?"

Maybe Mother is right. If she keeps searching, she may find out that Curiosity is a close relative.

Appalshop rocks on Saturday

The Kelly Richey Band will be featured on 88.7 WMMT's second "Atomic Fireball Hour Live with Rockin' Marvin" on Saturday, April 1, at 8 p.m. at the Appalshop Theater in downtown Whitesburg. (No foolin')

Richey, one of the nation's hottest rising stars in the rockin' blues arena, will bring her hard chargin', high intensity guitar licks, soulful singing and incredible songwriting back to the area for the first time this century.

Her amazing guitar work is complemented by the rock drumming of Dave Williams and the quintessential bass work of right arm Terry Williamson. The group is a tight, mov-

ing combo that leaves audiences wrung out.

An original member of Stealin' Horses, she has shared the stage with the likes of Albert King, Lonnie Brooks, Johnny and Edgar Winter, James Brown, Lonnie Mack, and Gatemouth Brown.

Critics have described her as Stevie Ray Vaughan trapped in a woman's body with Janis Joplin screaming to get out.

The performance will be broadcast live on the Internet at www.appalshop.org/wmmt.

Tickets to see the performance in the Appalshop theater are \$10 for adults and \$5 for youngsters under 10. For reservations, call Appalshop at 606/633-0108.

SUNDAY EVENING		TVData														APRIL 2, 2000	
IM	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30
24	2	TBS	Rio Grande	*** "The War Wagon" (1967, Western) John Wayne, Kirk Douglas.	*** "McLintock!" (1963, Western) John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara.	**** "The Quiet Man" (1952, Drama) John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara.											
3	3	NBC	NBA Basketball: 76ers at Kings	NBA Basketball: New York Knicks at Los Angeles Lakers. [R]	* "Anaconda" (1997, Horror) Jennifer Lopez. [R]	News	Profiler (In Stereo) [R]	ER [R]									
4	5	PBS	Old House	Workshop	Garden	Cucina	Lawrence Welk Show	Nature (R) (In Stereo) [R]	Masterpiece Theatre "Rebecca" (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 2)	This Is America	(Off Air)						
8	8	ABC	(3:00) Senior PGA Golf [R]	News	ABC News	"Mail to the Chief" (1999, Comedy) Randy Quaid. [R]	Be a Millionaire	Practice "Black Widows" [R]	News	NYPD Blue (In Stereo) [R]	Pensacola						
23	9	WGN	** "Straight Talk" (1992, Comedy) Dolly Parton.	*** "Crimes and Misdemeanors" (1989), Woody Allen	Total Recall 2070 [R]	News [R]	Replay	Bzzz!	Beastmaster "Valhalla" [R]	Xena							
6	10	CBS	(2:00) Auto Racing (Live) [R]	News	Issues	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [R]	Touched by an Angel [R]	"The President's Man" (2000, Drama) Chuck Norris. [R]	News	Madison	Access Hollywood [R]						
11	11	FOX	(3:00) Tennis [R]	3rd Rock	Drew Carey	Futurama [R]	King of Hill	Simpsons [R]	Malcolm	X-Files "Chimera" [R]	News	X-Files "Unusual Suspects"	Simpsons [R]	Simpsons [R]			
13	13	CBS	(2:00) Auto Racing (Live) [R]	News	CBS News	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [R]	Touched by an Angel [R]	"The President's Man" (2000, Drama) Chuck Norris. [R]	News	Coach [R]	Coach [R]	Big Break					
14	43	ESPN	HR Derby	PBA Bowling: Senior World Championship	Reporters	Sportscenter	NCAA	Women's College Basketball	Sportscenter [R]	Baseball Tonight							
33	60	DSC	Real LAPD "Super Cop" (R)	Hot Pursuit - Car Crashes	On the Inside: Prisons	Manhunters-U.S. Marshals	Stealing Millions	FBI Files "Deadly Target"	FBI Files "Moving Target"	Manhunters-U.S. Marshals							
19	61	TNT	Striptease	*** "My Cousin Vinny" (1992, Comedy) Joe Pesci, Ralph Macchio.	*** 1/2 "The Devil's Advocate" (1997, Horror) Keanu Reeves, Al Pacino.	*** 1/2 "The Devil's Advocate" (1997) Keanu Reeves.											
31	62	A&E	** "The Burden of Proof" (1992) Hector Elizondo.	Top 10 (R) [R]	Biography: Charles and Anne Lindbergh	Biography: Charles and Anne Lindbergh	Biography: Lindbergh										
27	63	TNN	Magnificent Seven [R]	Shooter	In-Fish	Fishin'	Fishing	Outdoor	Grigsby	Championship Bull Riding	Shooter	NASCAR	Car	To Be Announced			
19	64	NICK	Eddie	All That	You Afraid?	You Afraid?	You Afraid?	Amanda	Caitlin	Nick News	Instant Gratification (In Stereo)			Brady	Wonder Yrs.		
17	65	USA	** 1/2 "Masterminds" (1997, Suspense) Patrick Stewart.	WWF Sunday Night Heat	Cover Me: FBI Family	Pacific Blue "Blind Eye" [R]	La Femme Nikita [R]	Law & Order	La Femme Nikita (R) [R]								
28	63	FAM	(3:30) "The River" (1984)	** "The Night of the Twisters" (1996) John Schneider.	"The Spiral Staircase" (2000) Nicollette Sheridan. [R]	*** "Columbo: Murder, Smoke and Shadows" (1989)	Church	Children									
48	63	LIFE	Secret Between Friends	"When He Didn't Come Home" (1998) Patty Duke. [R]	"The Perfect Mother" (1997, Drama) Tyne Daly. [R]	Any Day Now (In Stereo) [R]	Beyond Chance (R) [R]	Cagney & Lacey III									
45	63	ESPN2	Equestrian	Auto Racing	Baseball Tonight	NHL Hockey: Montreal Canadiens at Detroit Red Wings. (Live)	RPM 2Night	Snowmobile Racing (R)	Billiards								
29	49	AMC	Elegance	Come Back to the 5 & Dime Jimmy Dean, Jimmy Dean	Screen	*** 1/2 "A Place in the Sun" (1951) Montgomery Clift.	*** "A Big Hand for the Little Lady" (1966, Comedy)	Screen	Affair-Trin.								
50	60	HGTV	Cherry Blossom Festival	Rebecca	Grow It!	Old House	Dream	BeforAft	ExtrmHms	Fun Houses (In Stereo)	Restore	Good Life	BeforAft	ExtrmHms	Fun Houses (R) (In Stereo)		
10	51	SCIFI	** "The Craft" (1996, Horror) Robin Tunney. [R]	First Wave (In Stereo) [R]	Prey "Vengeance" [R]	Outer Limits "Tempests" [R]	First Wave (In Stereo) [R]	Prey "Vengeance" [R]	Outer Limits "Tempests" [R]								
32	52	HIST	Nazis: A Warning	Nazis: A Warning	Nazis: A Warning	Tales of the Gun [R]	Military Blunders: German	History Undercover [R]	Sworn to Secrecy (R)	Tales of the Gun (R) [R]							
59	63	TOC	In Pursuit	Outdoors	Hunters	Outdoors	Outdoor	Traditions	Fishing	Hunting	Cooking	Wildlife	Fly-Fishing	NW Hunter	Gold Fever	Fishing	Goblin
20	14	HBO	If Looks-Kill	** "Can't Hardly Wait" (1998) PG-13 [R]	** "Home Fries" (1998) Drew Barrymore. PG-13 [R]	Sopranos (In Stereo) [R]	*** 1/2 "Lost & Found" (1999) David Spade.	Chris Rock	Oz "Ancient Tribes" (R) [R]								
15	15	HBO2	(4:00) "A Perfect Murder"	Boxing: Boxing After Dark. (R) [R]	*** 1/2 "The X-Files" (1998) David Duchovny. PG-13 [R]	Xtreme: Sports to Die For	Dennis M.	**** "Titanic" (1997, Drama) PG-13 [R]									
16	16	HBO3	(4:15) **** "Saving Private Ryan" (1998) Tom Hanks.	*** 1/2 "4 Little Girls" (1997, Documentary) NR [R]	*** 1/2 "The Affair" (1995, Drama) R [R]	*** "Class Action" (1991, Drama) Gene Hackman. R	Requiem										
21	17	MAX	(4:30) "The Man Without a Face" (1993)	* "The Avengers" (1998) Ralph Fiennes.	*** "Creepshow" (1982, Horror) Adrienne Barbeau. R	*** 1/2 "Die Hard" (1988, Suspense) Bruce Willis. R [R]	"Who Killed Buddy Blue?"										
18	18	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Baby-Sitters	So Weird [R]	Bug Juice	Jett Jackson	Jett Jackson	Walt Disney Presents	*** 1/2 "Superdad" (1974) Bob Crane. G [R]	Mouser	Zorro [R]	Spin-Marty		
22	22	SHOW	Deep Impact	*** "As Good as It Gets" (1997, Comedy-Drama) Jack Nicholson. [R]	"Noriega: God's Favorite" (2000, Satire) Bob Hoskins. [R]	*** "Tomorrow Never Dies" (1997) Pierce Brosnan. [R]	Red Shoe	Chains									
25	25	TMC	*** 1/2 "Desperate Measures" (1997) Michael Keaton. [R]	*** 1/2 "RoboCop 2" (1990, Science Fiction) Peter Weller.	*** 1/2 "Ringmaster" (1998) Jerry Springer.	*** "Starship Troopers" (1997) Casper Van Dien. [R]	*** "Men" [R]										

NEWS OF THE WEIRD

by Chuck Shepherd

Highway Patrol officers in Spearfish, South Dakota, arrested a 17-year-old boy on February 19 and charged him with stealing a car in his hometown of Madison, South Dakota. According to police records in the Madison Daily Leader, the troopers were merely finishing up a meal at a Perkins Restaurant when the boy, in an adjacent booth, suddenly approached them, spread-eagled himself on the floor, and said, "Please don't shoot me," and "The car is in the parking lot."

In February, Union City, New Jersey, prosecutors began looking into the dental practice of Kevin P. Ward, 42, after a five-year-old boy emerged from a routine office visit with a broken leg. The boy told his mother that Dr. Ward had reacted after the boy kicked him because of pain. Also, in January, Dr. Ward was sued by the parents of an eight-year-old girl who suffered a bro-

ken wrist while having a tooth pulled in 1996.

Unclear on the Concept

According to international police statistics, South Africa has the world's highest incidence of reported rape, and in draft legislation circulated in January, the South African Law Commission proposed to criminalize "any act which causes (any) penetration to any extent whatsoever." According to a researcher, that would cover "simulat(ing) sexual penetration by putting your finger in a guy's nose," which "some people have told us (is) a serious problem."

Malone College of Canton, Ohio, announced in October that it would offer an eight-week exercise-and-fitness class entirely online. Instructor Charles Grimes said he was confident that he could detect whether students were really doing the exercises (through online chats and by requiring stu-

dents to keep journals).

In December in Eugene, Oregon, Eric E. Wray, 35, was sentenced to 24 years in prison after being convicted of assaulting the teen-age boy who had been living with him. According to the prosecutor, Wray had sexually abused the boy for years and had grown jealous that he had acquired friends, including girls, and one day came after the boy with a pistol. Said Wray at sentencing (ignoring the abuse and focusing only on the incident with the pistol), "(The boy) makes it seem like I am a criminal. It was one day in my entire life."

Latest Adventures in Democracy

Ernesto Alvear, 74, told reporters in Valparaiso, Chile, in December he would never again try to vote after being ruled ineligible for the third time in 10 years because records indicated he was dead. And Islam Karimov was re-elected president of

Uzbekistan in January; opponent Abdulkhafiz Dzhalalov got four percent, not including Dzhalalov himself, who voted for Karimov. And Mary Fung Koehler, 65, lost for mayor of Lake Forest Park, Washington, in November, despite a divination of victory from reading her pendulum. (Koehler admitted to short-term memory loss from an auto accident, but said, "You can't tell because my I.Q. is so much higher than the average person's.")

Bright Ideas

Kind-hearted Lee Ming-chi, 31, was sentenced to five years in prison in Hong Kong in December for two taxicab robberies totaling about \$220 (U.S.). Lee had taken pity on one victim and given him back about \$12 of the loot, but wary of leaving fingerprints, he removed the money from the stash with his

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24	2	TBS	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Mama	Mama	Matlock		Hunter		Movie					Cosby Show	Cosby Show	
3	3	NBC	Later Today	Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	Laeza		News	Extra	Days of Our Lives	Passions				Rosie O'Donnell		Oprah Winfrey		
4	5	PBS	Varied Programs	Body Elec.	Varied Programs	Theodore	Teletubbies	Barney	Varied Programs					Barney	Mr Rogers	Sesame Street		
8	8	ABC	Brown	Brown	Maury	The View	News	Port Charles	All My Children	One Life to Live				General Hospital		Sally		
23	9	WGN	Wayans	Cosby Show	Knight Rider	Matlock		Hawaii Five-0	News	MacGyver				Caroline	Caroline	Bzzz!	Fam. Mat.	
6	10	CBS	Enquirer	Paid Prog.	Donny & Marie	Price Is Right	News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.	As the World Turns				Guiding Light		Oprah Winfrey		
11	11	FOX	Forgive or Forget	Judge Lane	Judge Lane	People's Court	Ricki Lake	Jenny Jones		In the House	Parent			Magic Bus	Rangers	Beast Wars	Digimon	
13	13	CBS	Donny & Marie	Montel Williams	Price Is Right	News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light						Nanny	Home Imp.	
14	14	ESPN	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Varied Programs											
33	30	DSC	Assignment Discovery	Home Matters	Design	Christopher Lowell	Home Matters	Design	Christopher Lowell	Great Chefs	Great Chefs							
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman	In the Heat of the Night	Movie	Varied Programs								Kung Fu: Legend		L.A. Heat		
31	32	A&E	Night Court	Night Court	Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order	Northern Exposure	Night Court	Night Court	Murder, She Wrote						
27	33	TNN	Dukes	Varied	Bloopers-Jokes	Cagney & Lacey	Aleene's Creative Living	Waltons	Dukes of Hazzard	McCoys	Alice	McCoys	Alice					
19	34	NICK	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Varied	Franklin	Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Franklin	Kipper	Doug	Doug	Hey Arnold!	Garfield	Rocko's Life	Rugrats
17	35	USA	Hearts Afire	Almost	Ned-Stacey	Fired Up	Wings	Wings	Working	Naked Truth	Foxworthy	Something	Movie				Pacific Blue	
28	33	FAM	Itsy Bitsy	CBN Special	700 Club	Boss?	Itsy Bitsy	Itsy Bitsy	Storytime	Bobby	Bad Dog	Monster	Camp Candy	Kids	Angela	Alien	Big Wolf	
	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Chicago Hope	Unsolved Mysteries	Lifetime Live	Movie						Movie				
	45	ESPN2	Bodyshape	Training	Flex Appeal	Bodyshape	Varied Programs	RPM 2Night	Varied Programs									
29	49	AMC	Movie	Varied	Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied	Movie					Varied	Movie	
	50	HGTV	Carol Duvall	Quilts	Decorating	Room	Typical Mary	Solutions	Appraise It!	At-Auction	Cooking	Good Taste	Carol Duvall	Quilts	At Home	You're Home	Decorating	Varied
10	51	SCIFI	Incredible Hulk	Sightings	DarkShad	DarkShad	Highlander: The Series	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Star Trek				Quantum Leap		Sentinel		
32	52	HIST	Real West	In Search	In Search	FBI-Story	Crimes	Weapons at War	Hitler's Henchmen	20th Century				In Search	In Search	FBI-Story	Crimes	
	55	TOC	Varied Programs							Paid Prog.	Varied Programs				Paid Prog.	Varied Programs		
20	14	HBO	Movie Cont'd	Movie	Varied Programs									Movie	Varied Programs			
	15	HBO2	Movie Cont'd	Varied	Movie	Varied Programs								Movie	Varied Programs		Movie	
	16	HBO3	Movie	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs											
21	17	MAX	Movie Cont'd	Varied	Movie	Varied Programs											Movie	
	18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	Winnie-Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	Madeline	Mermaid	Ducktales	Timon	Aladdin	Brotherly	Ready-Not
	22	SHOW	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs								Movie	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied
	25	TMC	Movie Cont'd	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs							Movie	Varied Programs			

SOAP UPDATES

ALL MY CHILDREN:

Liza tried to get Adam to admit he was behind the plot against Marian. Later, Liza persuaded Adam to give her his power of attorney. Edmund and Alex came close to sharing another kiss. Palmer told Vanessa he won't draw up a new will until Leo gets his act together. Edmund, Alex and Jack were warned not to dig into Alex's past. Wait to See: Becca finds Leo in her bedroom.

AS THE WORLD TURNS:

Chris was charged with being Katie's stalker. Simon eased Lily's suspicions. Bryant makes a bet with Lucinda. Isaac helps Camille deal with a difficult situation. Wait to See: Molly seems to be coming out of her coma.

THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL:

Kimberly's complaints almost cost Amber her restaurant job until Rick interceded. Becky proved to C.J. that she could win over his mother, Sally. Rick felt drawn to Amber again. Brooke's attempt to unsettle Taylor about Ridge and Morgan's trip to Paris together failed. Meanwhile, Morgan threw Ridge for a loop when

she told him she had aborted their child. Wait to See: Brooke makes a decision that could change several lives.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES:

Hope changed her appearance as she tried to start her life over in Salem. Meanwhile, Stefano vowed his child will not be raised by a Brady. Nicole played with Eric's emotions. Bo struggled over whether or not to tell Hope he couldn't possibly be her baby's father. Wait to See: Larry is stunned to see Abe. One of Nancy's relatives turns up in Salem.

GENERAL HOSPITAL:

Felicia warned Luke and Laura that Helena planned to use Lucky as bait in a plan against them. Roy pledged his love to Bobbie, but after learning of his part in bustling Jerry, she asked him to leave her home. Rae arrived in Port Charles in search of a clue to her long lost daughter. A.J. lunged at Sonny but inadvertently knocked Carly down instead. Wait to See: Lucky plans his escape.

GUIDING LIGHT:

Unexpected arrivals in San Cristobel threatened Michelle and Danny's escape plans. Reva returned to find Olivia winning over her children. Carmen's

visit to Pilar came to an unexpectedly sudden end. Vanessa told Matt she loves him. Wait to See: Reva has a date. Vanessa tries to tell her story.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE:

Nora desperately tried to get hold of Bo and later learned Lindsay lost her baby. Antonio and Cristian learned Roseanne was behind their financial problems. Viki entered the hospital to begin her fight against breast cancer. Sam and Ben got a warrant for Van Dyke, Asa's banker. Meanwhile, Jessica began to suspect Asa caused Will's legal problems. Wait to See: Kelly and Kevin fall into Sophia's trap. Bo meets a mysterious stranger.

PASSIONS:

Ivy overheard Alistair and Julian discuss the secrets hidden in the bird statue and decided to search for it. Charity balked at joining the ski trip with Miguel for fear that she might hurt him, but Tabitha persuaded her to go. Eve was shocked when Ivy mentioned the bird to her. Meanwhile, Simone threw the bird in the trash. Sheridan arrived in Paris unaware that Roger and Pierre were waiting to kill her. Wait to See: Tabitha plans to have Miguel die in an avalanche.

PORT CHARLES:

Rachel seduced Dr. Boardman and then got him to reveal information about the nurses' strike. Joe administered medication to Neil, but had Frank take the credit for saving the little boy's life. Lucy fumed as Donatella forced her to satisfy her finicky whims. The nurses accepted Scott's final offer. Wait to See: Eve has good news for Kevin. Rachel meets with a mysterious woman.

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS:

Mac asked Raul not to tell Billy the full story about Brittany's actions at J.T.'s party. Megan realized Tricia never told Ryan about Sharon's accusations. Neil told Victor Jack may have a problem meeting his loan payment. Diane avoided answering Brad's question about the status of Victor's sperm specimens. Later, Diane was stunned to learn of Michael's new partnership with Chris. Paul was disappointed when a search of Ross' apartment came up empty. Meanwhile, Victoria's "greatest fan" wrote a more threatening letter. Wait to See: Victoria's stalker grows bolder.

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SOAP SCRAPS

by Sally Stone

James Reilly, head writer and creator of "Passions," continues to expand his cast of younger actors in preparation for what prognosticators say will be a sizzling series of youthquake eruptions this summer. The next addition to the young crowd is expected to be an African-American male in his teens or early 20s who will arrive in Harmony any episode now. He's said to have knowledge of things some people will hope he can forget.

For the past several weeks there has been chat room speculation that Liza Huber's (Gwen) sudden disappearance from "Passions" means she's going to be leaving the show at some point. These rumors are categorically denied by spokespersons for the soap. They insist that having Gwen rushed off on a business trip was story line-dictated and included in Reilly's show bible.

Incidentally, when Gwen returns to Harmony, she will have been away for three days. In real time, Liza will have been gone for five weeks.

Ex "Pacific Blue" star Darlene Vogel, who did the original "Milk: It Does a Body Good" commercial, joins "One Life to Live" as Melanie MacIver. She's a mystery woman whom Bo (Robert S. Woods) meets as he bikes his way out of town.

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MONDAY EVENING		© TVData												APRIL 3, 2000				
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24	2	TBS	Major League Baseball: Rockies at Braves			Fresh Prince		Fresh Prince		** "Encino Man" (1992, Comedy) Sean Astin.			*** "Twins" (1988, Comedy) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Danny DeVito.			Single White		
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dateline (In Stereo)		Twenty One (In Stereo)		Third Watch (In Stereo)		News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night	
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Learn-Read	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer		Kentucky Tonight		American Experience		Brother, Can You Spare		World News	Computer	(Off Air)	
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	* 1/2 "Picture Perfect" (1997, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston.			Once and Again (In Stereo)		News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer	
23	9	WGN	Major League Baseball		Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	** 1/2 "Runaway Train" (1985, Suspense) Jon Voight.			News (In Stereo)		MacGyver "Cease Fire"		In the Heat of the Night		
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Issues	Hollywood	King	Raymond	College Basketball: NCAA Champ. -- Fla. or N.C. vs. Mich. St. or Wis.			News	Late Show (In Stereo)			
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer		3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	70s Show	Titus	Ally McBeal (In Stereo)		News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)		
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	King	Raymond	College Basketball: NCAA Champ. -- Fla. or N.C. vs. Mich. St. or Wis.			News	Late Show (In Stereo)			
14	46	ESPN	Major League Baseball: Cubs at Cardinals			Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Figure Skating: World Championships.			Baseball	Sportscenter				
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)		Your New House (R)		Wild Discovery		On the Inside		Are You Being Watched?		Invisible Places (R)		On the Inside		Are You Being Watched?	
16	61	TNT	Dark Justice "To Die For"		In the Heat of the Night		ER "Another Perfect Day"		WCW Monday Nitro (In Stereo Live)			** "Body Armor" (1997, Drama) Matt McCoilm.			WCW Monday Nitro			
31	62	A&E	Magnum, P.I.		L.A. Law		Law & Order "Asylum"		Biography: Don Knotts		Investigative Reports		City Confidential (R)		Law & Order "Coma" (R)		Biography: Don Knotts	
27	63	TNN	Waltons "The Typewriter"		Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)		Matt Houston "Butterfly"		** 1/2 "Who Is Julia?" (1986) Mare Winningham.			Life and Times-Waltons		Matt Houston "Butterfly"		Bill Dance	In-Fish	
19	64	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	65	USA	Baywatch (In Stereo)		Crush	Friends	JAG "The Prisoner"	Walker, Texas Ranger	WWF Raw	WWF War Zone		Farmclub.com (In Stereo)		Silk Stalkings "Exit Dying"				
28	63	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	** 1/2 "Lean on Me" (1989, Drama) Morgan Freeman.			Famous Families (R)		700 Club	Boss?	Partridge		
43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Beyond Chance (R)		"All She Ever Wanted" (1986, Drama) Marcia Cross.			Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Oh Baby	Designing			
45	ESPN2	Major League Baseball: Rockies at Braves			NFL 2Night		NHL Hockey: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)		Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Anaheim Angels. (Live)									
29	49	AMC	*** "The Chase" (1966, Drama) Marlon Brando, Jane Fonda.			Hollywood		*** "Marnie" (1964, Suspense) Tippi Hedren, Sean Connery.			** 1/2 "Paradise, Hawaiian Style" (1966)		Hollywood					
50	HGTV	Grow It!	Designers	Fix It Up! (R)	Dream	Old House	Workshop	Auction	Collect	You're Home	Country	If Walls	House	Auction	Collect	You're Home	Country	
10	61	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrny.		Sliders (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Poltergeist: The Legacy		Friday the 13th: The Series	
32	62	HIST	Weapons at War (R)		Hitler's Henchmen: Hess		20th Century "Kidnapped!"		Shroud of Turin (R)		Men Who Killed Kennedy		Men Who Killed Kennedy		History's Crimes & Trials		Shroud of Turin (R)	
65	TOC	ATV	Paid Prog.	Call of Wild	Fishing	NE Outdoors	Outdoor	Adventure	Go Fishing	Fishing	Outdoors	Fishing	Joe Bucher	Fishing	Outdoors	Outdoor	Outdoors	
20	16	HBO	** "Doctor Dolittle" (1998) PG-13		** 1/2 "The Pick-Up Artist" (1987) PG-13		I Still Know What You Did Last Summer		"No Alibi" (1999, Suspense) Dean Cain, 'NR'			Pimps Up, Ho's Down		Pushing Tin				
15	HBO2	Falcon-Snowm.		*** "Lethal Weapon" (1987, Drama) Mel Gibson, 'R'		*** "Good Morning, Vietnam" (1987) Robin Williams.		Sopranos (In Stereo)		Oz "Ancient Tribes" (R)		** 1/2 "Predator" (1987) 'R'						
16	HBO3	** "Harry and Son" (1984, Drama) Paul Newman, 'PG'		** 1/2 "The Drowning Pool" (1975) Paul Newman, 'PG'		*** "Heaven Can Wait" (1978) 'PG'		*** "Bye Bye, Love" (1995) Matthew Modine, 'PG-13'		Legend-BJ								
21	17	MAX	(4:45) "The Adventures of Ford Fairlane"		* "Wrongfully Accused" (1998) PG-13		** 1/2 "Any Which Way You Can" (1980) Clint Eastwood.		*** "Die Hard 2" (1990, Drama) Bruce Willis, 'R'		There's Something							
13	DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	** 1/2 "Toothless" (1997) Kirstie Alley.		"Escape to Witch Mountain" (1995)		"A Kid in Aladdin's Palace" (1997) Thomas Ian Nicholas.		Zorro	Mickey					
22	SHOW	Hush (1998)		*** "The Deep" (1977, Adventure) Jacqueline Bisset. (In Stereo)		*** "Benny & Joon" (1993, Drama) Aidan Quinn.		** "Hourglass" (1996, Suspense)		"The Defenders: Choice of Evils" (1998)								
25	TMC	* 1/2 Dream a Little Dream 2		** "Hit List" (1989) Jan-Michael Vincent.		* 1/2 "Hard Rain" (1997) Morgan Freeman.		* 1/2 "Jack Frost" (1997, Horror) (In Stereo)		"The Bikini Carwash Company II" (1993)		"Dead Weekend" (1995)						

American South focus of UK lecture

William Christenberry, professor of painting and drawing at the Corcoran School of Art, Washington, D.C., will be the fourth speaker of the 1999-2000 Robert C. May Photography Endowment Lecture Series, on Friday, April 7, at 4 p.m. in the Worsham Theatre in the University of Kentucky Student Center.

To accompany this lecture (as with others in the series), the museum will display a selection of the photographer's work during the weeks before and after the day of the lecture.

Christenberry is an internationally recognized interpreter of the American South. Through photography, drawing, painting, sculpture, and installations, he has constructed a visual vocabulary that resonates with the power of place.

Christenberry's South—the South of childhood memory and adult reflection—reveals an abiding fascination with tenant houses, gourd trees, signs, and advertisements. Yet these themes reach beyond the personal to the universal by invoking the larger issues of the South: migration and regionalism, racism and the Ku Klux Klan.

For Christenberry, the South is more than an obsession, it is his identity: "The place makes you who you are, creates who you are."

Born in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, in 1936, Christenberry was originally trained as an abstract painter at the University of Alabama, earning his M.A. in painting in 1959.

After working in New York City in the early 1960s, he began teaching at

Memphis State University and, since 1968, at the Corcoran School of Art, Washington, D.C., where he is currently professor of painting and drawing. A retrospective of his work, organized by the Morris Museum of Art, toured nationally in 1996-97.

This lecture, sponsored by the Robert C. May Photography Endowment, is

KET looks at recovery from Great Depression

He saved the nation from complete financial collapse. He laid the groundwork for the modern Red Cross. And, at one point, he was considered the most powerful person in the country, next to President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Yet Houston businessman Jesse Holman Jones has never been properly recognized in the annals of American history.

Airing Monday, April 3, at 10 p.m., on KET, "Brother Can You Spare a Billion? The Story of Jesse H. Jones," paints a vivid portrait of a remarkable man who became one of the main architects of modern America.

This one-hour documentary, narrated by Walter Cronkite, features a mix of historical film footage, information from the Jones archives and interviews with John Kenneth Galbraith, John Morton Blum and Arthur Schlesinger Jr.

presented in coordination with the museum's exhibition "A Place Not Forgotten: Landscapes of the South" from the Morris Museum of Art, a project sponsored by the Museum Loan Network.

The University Art Museum is open noon to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday; noon to 8 p.m., Friday; closed Mondays and university holidays.

In the 1930s, the Great Depression had shattered people's trust in America's institutions and shaken their faith in the very ideals that buttress the American dream. That America not only survived the decade, but came out stronger than before, is due in great part to the efforts of two men.

One of them, Franklin D. Roosevelt, has become a national icon; the other, Jesse H. Jones, has been all but forgotten. Now KET looks at the man who was, in the words of observers at the time, nothing less than a fourth branch of government.

"Brother Can You Spare a Billion? The Story of Jesse H. Jones," produced by KUHT/Houston and Spy Pond Productions, 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.

Kentucky Life profiles owners of Whitesburg's Mountain Eagle

Forty years ago, Tom and Pat Gish bought a weekly newspaper in the mountains of eastern Kentucky. The years since then have been marked by battles over freedom of the press, rural poverty, education issues and mining concerns.

The Gishes remember those 40 years of reporting the news of Letcher County on a special edition of Kentucky Life, airing Saturday, April 1 at 8:30 p.m. on KET. Dave Shuffett hosts.

Journalism graduates of the University of Kentucky, the Gishes married and took jobs with United Press International and the then Lexington Leader.

When the Mountain Eagle—with its motto: "It Screams!"—was offered for sale in 1957, Pat and Tom, a native of nearby Seeco, moved to the depression-struck mountain village where, as Tom says, the economy had collapsed.

"It was a stupid thing to do to buy a newspaper in a county with massive unemployment," Tom laughs. "We were kind of forced more or less immediately to deal with all the hard economic and social conditions that confronted the county and then confronted us every day as a newspaper."

The couple nevertheless dove into their new jobs wholeheartedly and began to face a different kind of challenge. Unused to coverage by a newspaper, local officials sought to keep public meetings private. But the Gishes persevered, through tough resistance and even a firebombing of their offices, to win several national awards for their reporting and courage.

Kentucky Life is produced and directed by Joy Flynn. Series writer is Ellen Ballard. Segment producer for this program is Charlee Heaton Pagoulatos. Craig Cornwell is executive producer.

The program is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing.

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WEEKLY FORECAST

ACCU WEATHER 7-DAY FORECAST FOR PRESTONSBURG

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Friday	Fri. Night	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Mostly sunny and seasonable.	Clear and cool.	Partly sunny.	Clouds and sun; windy and milder.	Windy with a chance of rain.	Mostly cloudy, windy and cooler.	Partly sunny, breezy and cool.	Mostly sunny.
UV Index: 6 High 62	Low 42	UV Index: 4 64/46	UV Index: 3 70/48	UV Index: 1 68/50	UV Index: 2 56/38	UV Index: 4 56/38	UV Index: 5 60/38
UV Values indicate the sun's ultraviolet rays. The higher the UV index the greater the need for eye and skin protection. 0-1, minimal; 2-3, low; 4-6, moderate; 7-9, high; 10 or above, very high.							



REGIONAL CITIES

City	Friday			Saturday			Sunday			Monday			Tuesday		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Alexandria, VA	61	42	s	63	45	pc	65	48	s	66	52	pc	65	46	sf
Beckley, WV	57	40	pc	60	42	pc	66	50	pc	69	46	r	65	33	c
Bristol, TN	68	43	s	67	43	pc	70	46	pc	73	49	r	71	36	c
Charleston, WV	60	40	s	62	42	c	66	50	pc	74	52	sh	68	38	c
Cincinnati, OH	58	42	pc	58	42	pc	68	48	pc	62	42	r	60	38	c
Clarksville, TN	69	45	pc	71	49	pc	74	53	pc	78	52	sh	73	35	c
Evansville, IN	66	43	pc	67	47	pc	71	52	pc	72	49	sh	69	34	c
Frankfort	61	44	s	67	47	pc	70	51	pc	73	50	sh	68	31	c
Huntington, WV	62	43	s	62	46	pc	70	51	pc	77	52	sh	72	33	c
Indianapolis, IN	58	41	s	63	44	pc	68	50	pc	68	48	r	62	30	c
Jackson	59	40	s	66	44	pc	69	48	pc	72	47	sh	68	35	c
Knoxville, TN	68	46	pc	70	46	pc	74	50	pc	76	52	sh	74	44	c
Lexington	60	43	s	68	47	pc	69	50	pc	72	49	sh	68	32	c
Louisia	62	43	s	62	46	pc	70	51	pc	77	52	sh	72	33	c
Marion	68	45	pc	68	49	pc	72	54	pc	72	51	sh	70	35	c
Memphis, TN	72	52	pc	70	54	c	76	56	c	74	56	sh	74	48	pc
Nashville, IN	70	46	pc	72	46	pc	76	52	pc	78	54	sh	74	38	c
Paintsville	64	44	s	64	46	pc	71	51	pc	77	52	sh	72	34	c
Peoria, IL	62	40	pc	65	45	pc	68	48	pc	66	43	r	60	34	c
Portsmouth, OH	61	43	s	62	46	pc	70	50	pc	75	51	sh	71	31	c
Salyersville	63	44	s	64	46	pc	71	51	pc	77	52	sh	72	34	c
Tazewell, VA	64	42	pc	64	43	pc	68	48	pc	71	48	r	68	35	c
Valley Station	66	44	s	68	46	pc	72	52	pc	74	54	sh	68	38	c
Wheeling, WV	59	38	s	58	42	c	69	47	pc	69	49	r	63	29	c
Williamson, WV	64	45	s	64	48	pc	72	53	pc	78	53	sh	73	36	c
Winchester	60	43	s	66	47	pc	69	50	pc	72	49	sh	68	38	c

COUNTY OUTLOOK



Jenny Wiley State Park

Mostly sunny with temperatures near normal on Friday. Saturday will be another nice day with ample sunshine and temperatures a few degrees warmer. Sunday will be the warmest day of the weekend with temperatures near 70 and a gusty wind.

Dewey Dam Lake

Friday will be mostly sunny and pleasant with a northeast wind at 7-14 mph and visibility 5 miles or greater. Southeast winds at 4-8 mph and visibility 5 miles or greater on Saturday. Southwest winds at 12-25 mph and a light chop on Sunday.

ALMANAC

Jackson for the week ending Mar. 28.

Temperatures:

High for the week	78°
Low for the week	39°
Normal high	61°
Normal low	40°
Average temperature	57.0°
Normal average temperature	50.7°
Temperature departure	+6.3°

Precipitation:

Total for the week	0.20"
Total for the month	1.89"
Total for the year	7.96"
% of normal this month	43%
% of normal this year	66%

SUN AND MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset
Fri	6:18 a.m.	6:53 p.m.
Sat	6:16 a.m.	6:54 p.m.
Sun	7:15 a.m.	7:55 p.m.

MOON PHASES

Phase	Date
New	Apr 4
First	Apr 11
Full	Apr 18
Last	Apr 26

	Moonrise	Moonset
Fri	4:14 a.m.	2:50 p.m.
Sat	4:50 a.m.	3:51 p.m.
Sun	6:24 a.m.	5:53 p.m.

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

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Chocolate Festival coming up

New contests and lots of prizes will be featured at the award-winning Pride of Kentucky Chocolate Festival this year in Old Washington at Maysville.

Always the weekend prior to Easter, the 13th annual Chocolate Festival will be knee deep in rich chocolates of all kinds on Saturday, April 15, and Sunday, April 16, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. or later.

The event is sponsored by the Washington Historic Shopkeepers Association and the Old Washington Special Events Committee.

Visitors are invited to exhibit chocolates or chocolate-related items and to enter any or all of the many contests, including chocolate chip cookie, chocolate cake, chocolate pie and chocolate fudge.

First prize in the chocolate fudge contest is a \$50 dinner for two at de Sha's in Maysville, with all fudge entries receiving a Brownie Fix, as well as second and third place prizes. Bring six pieces of fudge with recipe by 1 p.m. on Sunday.

Or just come visit with the Easter Bunny and enjoy chocolate everywhere you turn. Step back into the 18th century where more than 214 years of history have created a picturesque storybook scene.

Local bed and breakfast inns and several motels and hotels are within five miles of the event. Fine Kentucky dining is available at Broderick's Tavern, circa 1789, and Marshall Keys Tavern, among others.

An herb market, a good selection of antique and specialty shops, a visitor's center in an original 1790 log cabin, and tours of museums led by guides in period costumes are all available in the little village, virtually unchanged by time.

The historic district has 45 buildings, most of which were built between 1785 and 1812. Other tours include the Covered Bridge, Underground Railroad, and Log Cabin Learning, which 1,000 children enjoy each May on school field trips.

Washington, now part of Maysville, was established in 1786 as a pioneer post. Among those who have trod these streets are legendary pioneer Simon Kenton, Daniel Boone, and Confederate General Albert Sidney Johnston.

Visitors may enter the Egg and Basket contests sponsored by the Limestone Society, Children of the American Revolution. Other contests include "Guess the Number of Chocolates, Chocolate Bee, and Chocolate Quizzine.

One shop will be slipping Neiman Marcus' \$250 cookie recipe in bags at random. It also holds an annual Easter Egg Hunt for adults, in which everyone who finds an egg picks a prize from a basket of unwrapped prizes.

More than one shop holds hourly drawings for chocolate prizes; some serve chocolate coffee, put candy and gifts in customers' bags; and some give "kisses."

There will be so many varieties of chocolate, visitors can't count them — bonbons, toffee, chocolate pecan clusters, chocolate-covered cream candy (a Mason County delicacy), Kentucky bourbon balls, chocolate-covered coconut haystacks, wrapped chocolate pansies, ladybugs, soccer, baseball, football, basketball, Black Forest caramels, wedding favors, Mary's old-fashioned boiled fudge, and Bill's coconut bonbons.

One shop alone has 20 different homemade chocolate goodies from chocolate-covered strawberries and bananas to fresh pineapple dipped in chocolate on a stick, apple whacks with chocolate sauce and chocolate popcorn.

Other events coming up this season are the Herb and Perennial Plant Exchange, May 13, followed by Appraiser's Day, May 20, and Woodcarver's Day, June 11.

New this year is the Civil War Living History Weekend, August 5-6, with camps, re-enactments and displays in honor of Gen. Johnston, whose birthplace is one of Washington's museums.

Next are the Simon Kenton Frontier Festival, September 16-17; another Appraiser's Day, October 14; Frontier Christmas, December 2-3, and Late Night Shopping, December 7.

Washington is four miles south of the Ohio River and Maysville, on old US 68. Phone or fax 606/759-7423 from 9 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.; e-mail phyllis@maysvilleky.net; website www.washingtonky.com.

Bluegrass legends to perform at EKV

Eastern Kentucky University's Brock Auditorium will be filled with the sounds of bluegrass music legends, Saturday, April 15.

The Osborne Brothers, who have had more national chart records than any other bluegrass band in history, and J.D. Crowe and the New South will perform at 7:30 a.m., as part of the university's month-long Earth Days in the Cumberlands celebration.

Tickets are \$10, or \$8 for students, and are available at the Cashier's Window of the Coates Administration Building.

Since they left their hometown of Hyden in the early 1950s, Bobby and Sonny Osborne have amassed a long list of classic recordings, including the venerable "Rocky Top," the second most programmed song in bluegrass music history, behind "Foggy Mountain Breakdown."

Other Osborne Brothers classics include "Tennessee Hound Dog," "Ruby," "Fair and Tender Ladies," "Making Plans," "Midnight Flyer," "Georgia Pinewoods," and "Kentucky."

The Osbornes were finalists in the CMA Awards nominations for Vocal Group of the Year 1970-75, winning the award in 1971. They were named by Music City News as the Bluegrass Band of the Year 1970-79 and are the only vocal group in history who have won the County Vocal Group of the Year and the Bluegrass Band of the Year awards simultaneously.

That's not the only first for the Osbornes. In 1960, they became the first bluegrass band ever to give a concert for a college audience when they performed at Antioch College near Dayton, Ohio. In 1971, the Brothers were

the first country/bluegrass group to perform at Harrah's Club, in Lake Tahoe, Nevada.

Two years later, the Osborne Brothers were the first bluegrass group to appear at the White House, performing in the East Room for President Nixon and members of Congress.

In 1994, the Osbornes were inducted into the International Bluegrass Music Association Hall of Honor.

Throughout his 40-year career, Crowe has been in the vanguard of bluegrass musicians, first as a banjo picker and then as a group leader. He is regarded as the quintessential Scruggs-style banjoist, and his band, the New South, has been a proving ground for some of the leading lights of bluegrass music's third generation.

Crowe received his first exposure to bluegrass from Flatt & Scruggs, who were based in Crowe's hometown of Lexington in the early 1950s. He came to prominence a few years later when he was hired by Jimmy Martin, and by the mid-1960s he had formed his own group, the Kentucky Mountain Boys.

In 1968, the band took a job at the Lexington Holiday Inn that turned into a new-legendary six-year stand. The guest list of traveling musicians passing through town included such names as Stephen Stills, The Burrito Brothers, Don McLean, Tom T. Hall, Hank Williams Jr., Maria Muldaur, even The Supremes.

The first J.D. Crowe and the New South album, in 1975, was one of the most influential bluegrass albums of the decade, a stunningly contemporary sound within a traditional context. The album catapulted bluegrass into the forefront of progressive

American acoustic music, paved the way for the "new grass" movement and attracted a new generation of fans.

In the 1980s, Crowe built the group's sound around Keith Whitley, who went on to country stardom. Much like the Osbornes, Crowe was not afraid to take musical risks, augmenting his bluegrass sounds from this period with electric rhythm guitar, pedal steel, drums and piano.

He returned to a more acoustic sound in the 1980s, as reflected in his five albums with the Bluegrass Album Band.

He announced his retirement in the late '80s, but was unable to walk away altogether. By 1994, the hiatus was over. He and a newly recruited version of the New South began touring to wild acclaim, and in 1994, he won the IBMA Banjo Player of the Year award, even though he had issued no new records in eight years.

His 1994 album, "Flashback," was nominated for a Grammy and for IBMA Album of the Year. Crowe and a revamped New South lineup returned to recording in 1999 with "Come On Down to My World." Country Music magazine called the effort "an auditory treat that strikes a fine balance between tradition and innovation."

The current New South lineup features Curt Chapman, bass; Phil Leadbetter, resonator guitar; Dwight McCall, mandolin; and Ricky Wasson, guitar and lead vocals.

Perhaps the biggest compliment for Crowe came from banjo virtuoso Bela Fleck. "There are very few banjo players that stop me in my tracks," Fleck said. "J.D. is definitely one."

General Butler State Park Conference Center dedicated

State Tourism Development Secretary Ann Latta and other state and local officials recently dedicated a new conference center at General Butler State Resort Park in Carrollton.

The 14,222-square-foot building provides banquet-style seating for about 500 or about 900 people classroom style. Secretary Latta said she expects the \$2.7 million center to be a boost to the community. The park's strategic location between Louisville and Cincinnati makes it ideal for hosting small conferences and meetings, she said.

Latta praised the Carrollton-County Tourism

Commission for its support. The commission contributed \$80,000 to help pay for landscaping and a fireplace in the main hall.

The consulting architecture firm was Arrasmith, Judd and Rapp of Louisville. The contractor was Arnold, Dugan and Meyers, also of Louisville.

The new conference center features a fully equipped kitchen and covered patio and can be used by up to three groups simultaneously. It replaces a small conference building that now will be converted to another use.

TUESDAY EVENING		APRIL 4, 2000															
TIME	CHANNEL	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30
24	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Major League	Baseball: Colorado Rockies at Atlanta Braves. (Live)					★★½ "The Final Countdown" (1980) Kirk Douglas.		Platoon		
3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	3rd Rock	God, Devil	Will & Grace	Just Shoot	Dateline (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night		
4	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	GED (R)	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Green Blood/Red Tears				P.O.V. (In Stereo)		World News	Bookclub	(Off Air)		
8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Be a Millionaire		Dharma	Sports Night	NYPD Blue "Sleep Over"	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer	
23	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	★★½ "Oscar" (1991, Comedy) Sylvester Stallone.				News (In Stereo)	MacGyver		In the Heat of the Night		
6	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	JAG "Drop Zone"	Falcone "Pilot"		Falcone "Tightrope"		News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Outer Limits		
11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock		Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	70s Show	Family Guy	Party of Five (In Stereo)		News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)		
13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	JAG "Drop Zone"	Falcone "Pilot"		Falcone "Tightrope"		News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late		
14	ESPN	NBA Today	Up Close	Sportscenter		Baseball Tonight		Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Seattle Mariners. (Live)					Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight			
33	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)		Wild Discovery		On the Inside "Hard Time"		New Detectives		FBI Files (R)		On the Inside "Hard Time"		New Detectives (R)		
16	TNT	Dark Justice	In the Heat of the Night		ER "9 1/2 Hours" (In Stereo)		NBA Basketball: Detroit Pistons at Toronto Raptors. (In Stereo Live)					NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Phoenix Suns. (In Stereo Live)					
31	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law		Law & Order "Girlfriends"		Biography: Stone Austin		Investigative Reports		Inside Story (R)		Law & Order "Savages"		Biography: Stone Austin		
27	TNN	Waltons "The Call"	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)		Matt Houston (In Stereo)		Merle Haggard: For the Record (In Stereo)					Matt Houston (In Stereo)		Outdoor	Outdoor		
19	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Rocket	Rocket	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	USA	Baywatch "The Choice"	Crush	Friends	JAG "Ghost Ship"	Walker, Texas Ranger		★½ "One Eight Seven" (1997, Drama) Samuel L. Jackson.					Crush	Friends	Stalkings		
28	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	★★★ "Nell" (1994, Drama) Jodie Foster, Liam Neeson.				Wow! Most Awesome Acts		700 Club	Boss?	Partridge	
43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		"Silent Cradle" (1997) Lorraine Bracco, Margot Kidder.		Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Designing		
45	ESPN2	Walkers	Athletes	Motoworld	RPM 2Night	NHL Hockey: Washington Capitals at Ottawa Senators. (Live)					Wrecked	Snowmobile Racing	NHL 2Night	RPM 2Night	Snowmobile		
29	AMC	★★★ The Pride of St. Louis		★★★½ "Fear Strikes Out" (1957) Anthony Perkins.				Hollywood's Hot Wheels		★★½ "Red Line 7000" (1965, Drama) James Caan.			★★★★ "The Greatest Show on Earth" (1952, Drama)				
50	HGTV	Rebecca	Ground	Fix It Up!	21st Century	Old House	Workshop	Ground	Gardener	Room	Decorating	Homes	Modern	Ground	Gardener	Room	Decorating
10	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrnys.		Sliders (In Stereo)		Xena: Warrior Princess		Hercules-Jrnys.		Xena: Warrior Princess		Hercules-Jrnys.		Poltergeist: The Legacy		Friday the 13th: The Series	
32	HIST	Weapons at War (R)		Hitler's Henchmen		20th Century (R)		Contaminated		Men Who Killed Kennedy		Casino Technology (R)		History's Crimes & Trials		Contaminated	
55	TOC	NE Outdoors	Outdoors	Gold Fever	Southern		Adventure	Outdoors	Outdoors	Hunting	Outdoors	Hunting	Outdoor	Outdoor	Action	Fishing	Outdoors
20	HBO	★½ "Feds" (1988) Rebecca De Mornay.		Worst Witch		★★★ "Clueless" (1995) Alicia Silverstone.		28 Days		★★½ "Forces of Nature" (1999) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'			Sopranos (R) (In Stereo)		Dennis M.	Witness	
15	HBO2	★★½ "Earthly Possessions"		★★★½ "Nobody's Fool" (1994) Paul Newman. 'R'		★★½ "Color of Night" (1994, Suspense) Bruce Willis. (In Stereo) 'R'		★★★½ "The Butcher Boy" (1997) Eamonn Owens. 'R'		Boxing							
16	HBO3	★★½ "The Affair" (1995, Drama) Courtney B. Vance. 'R'		★★★ "Hilary and Jackie" (1998) Emily Watson. 'R'		★★★½ "Ponette" (1996) Victoire Thivisol.		★★★ "Les Miserables" (1998, Drama) Liam Neeson. 'PG-13'									
21	MAX	(4:30) "A Simple Twist of Fate" (1994)		★★½ "Revenge of the Nerds" (1984) 'R'		★★ "Harlem Nights" (1989) Eddie Murphy. 'R'		★★★ "Die Hard With a Vengeance" (1995) Bruce Willis.		"Illicit Lovers" (1999) 'NR'							
18	DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	"Noah" (1998) Tony Danza.		★★ "The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes"		"Noah" (1998, Comedy-Drama) Tony Danza.		Zorro	Mickey				
22	SHOW	(4:30) "Fatal Affair" (1998)		★★½ "Company Business" (1991) Gene Hackman.		"The Inspectors 2: A Shred of Evidence"		Movie News	★★ "Senseless" (1998) Marlon Wayans.		★★★ "Pi" (1998) Sean Gulleite.						
25	TMC	★★★ "Where the Day Takes You" (1992) Sean Astin.		★★★ "Parenthood" (1989, Comedy-Drama) Steve Marlin.		★★★ "Scream 2" (1997, Horror) David Arquette.		★★½ "The Real Blonde" (1997) Matthew Modine.									

CRITTERS CORNER

by Carol Combs Morris, DVM

A letter to the editor that appeared in last week's Troublesome Creek Times prompted me to select the topic for this column, although it's a subject I've been intending to cover for some time.

I put off doing serious columns in favor of humorous and informative subjects that are less emotionally draining, but sometimes the hard ones beg to be written.

The letter to which I refer was written by Alison Green of Norfolk, Virginia. Specifically, it discusses an incident that recently occurred in California where the victim of a fender bender took out his frustrations on the driver of the other car by throwing the second driver's small dog to its death in the heavy freeway traffic.

The point of the letter, however, is the often-overlooked connection between cruelty to animals and other types of violent behavior.

For years, abuse or animals has been seen as a regrettable, but

less urgent problem than violent crimes committed against other human beings. More recently, however, these two types of violence have been recognized as related symptoms of a much larger problem.

Green cites the FBI's identification of animal cruelty as one of a cluster of juvenile behaviors associated with increasingly violent behavior. The agency uses reports of animal cruelty in analyzing the threat potential of suspected and known criminals.

Consider also these statistics from the Jan./Feb. 1998, issue of Animal Sheltering Magazine:

- The American Psychiatric Association considers animal cruelty one of the diagnostic criteria of conduct disorder.

- In a study of 153 subjects who had committed specific types of intentional abuse against animals, 70 percent of the abusers had criminal records including violent, property, drug, or disorderly

crimes, compared with 22 percent of the control group. (People of identical gender and age who lived in the same neighborhood at the same time as the abusers.)

- A survey of 57 pet-owning families under treatment by New Jersey's Division of Youth and Family Services for child abuse revealed that in 88 percent of these families at least one person had abused animals.

Obviously, not every person who intentionally hurts an animal will go on to become a mass murderer, but on the other hand, almost all serial killers have a history of having abused animals.

Jeffery Dahmer, the "Boston Strangler," and at least one of the young men responsible for the recent shootings at Columbine High School, are just three examples of violent criminals with a history of cruelty to animals.

Had their problems been recognized and addressed, would at least some of their adult crimes been avoided?

A child who willfully hurts animals is a red flag. Not only



does it signal that some sort of intervention is needed before the violent behavior continues and escalates, but it is a very good possibility that that child is also the victim of abuse.

To quote anthropologist Margaret Meade, "One of the most dangerous things that can happen to a child is to kill or torture an animal and get away with it."

The child who vents his anger on the family cat today, because it is the only thing smaller and weaker than him, may well be the man who takes it out on his wife and children 20 years from now.

Randy Lockwood, of the Humane Society of the United States, is quoted in the same issue of Animal Sheltering mentioned above, as stating, "I have never encountered a situation where animal abuse was occurring in a vacuum...that person does have serious problems that need addressing...you never find an otherwise well-adjusted person who willfully tortures animals."

This new realization of the interconnectedness of violent behavior toward both animals

and people has led to the practice of "cross-reporting" between social services and humane organizations in many cities.

When one agency investigates a reported abuse situation, they are now being trained to look for signs of trouble elsewhere in the family, and then report their suspicions to their counterparts in the other organization.

If you are interested in learning more about this subject, the Humane Society of the United States offers a pamphlet called "Breaking the Cycle of Abuse," for 25 cents (special prices available for quantity orders).

They have also initiated the First Strike campaign, which is aimed at developing coordinated responses to violence in the community. A kit containing information, community and children's handouts, fact sheets, and ads, is available for \$5.50. (These prices were valid as of December 1999, the last catalog that I have).

You can contact HSUS by mail at 2100 L St., NW, Washington, DC 20037, by telephone at (202) 452-1100, or on the internet at www.hsus.org. Request a catalog of all their humane education materials.

Thank you, Ms. Green; I'm glad you picked up on a situation that went far beyond "road rage."



WEDNESDAY EVENING		© TVData														APRIL 5, 2000		
TV	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	WCW Thunder (R)					
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dateline (In Stereo)	West Wing (In Stereo)	Law & Order "Mega"	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night				
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Math Basics	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Watch on Washington	Showcase: Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat and Requiem									
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Two Guys	Then Came	Drew Carey	Spin City	20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer	
23	9	WGN	Major League Baseball	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	** "Encino Man" (1992, Comedy) Sean Astin.	News (In Stereo)	MacGyver "The Gun"	In the Heat of the Night							
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	City of Angels (In Stereo)	60 Minutes II (In Stereo)	Falcone "Windows"	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Conflict				
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Beverly Hills, 90210	Get Real "Support System"	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)					
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	City of Angels (In Stereo)	60 Minutes II (In Stereo)	Falcone "Windows"	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late				
14	13	ESPN	NHL-Shots	Up Close	Sportscenter	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)			Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight							
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery: Grizzlies	On the Inside: Pararescue	Survive IV (R)	Eco-Challenge (R)	On the Inside: Pararescue	Survive IV (R)								
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice	In the Heat of the Night	ER "Luck of the Draw"	** 1/2 "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duvall.	** 1/2 "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duvall.											
31	32	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order "Securitate"	Biography: William Shatner	Investigative Reports	American Justice (R)	Law & Order	Biography: William Shatner								
27	33	TNN	Waltons "The Romance"	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)	Matt Houston (In Stereo)	Dead Man's Gun (In Stereo)	18 Wheels of Justice (R)	Magnificent Seven	Matt Houston (In Stereo)	Bassmastr.	Bill Dance							
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Hey Arnold!	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	35	USA	Baywatch (In Stereo)	Crush	Friends	JAG "To Russia, With Love"	JAG "Gypsy Eyes"	Crush	Friends	Masters Tournament	Walker, Texas Ranger	Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)						
28	38	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	** 1/2 "The Outsiders" (1983, Drama) Matt Dillon.	Higher Ground (In Stereo)	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge					
43	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	** 1/2 "Blessed Assurance" (1997, Drama) Grant Show.	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Designing					
45	45	ESPN2	Sportsman's	Spanish Fly	Wrecked	Drag Race	RPM 2Night	NHL Hockey: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)									
29	49	AMC	Tarzan-Gold	*** "Broken Lance" (1954, Western) Richard Widmark.	*** "The Comancheros" (1961, Western) John Wayne.	*** "The Manchurian Candidate" (1962) Frank Sinatra.	Hush Hush-Charlotte											
50	50	HGTV	Grow It!	Designers	Fix It Up!	Dream	Old House	Workshop	Appraise It!	Appraisal	Treasure	Design	Soap Pads (R) (In Stereo)	Appraise It!	Appraisal	Treasure	Design	
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrnys.	Sliders (In Stereo)	Tales-Crypt	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Exposure	Pottergeist: The Legacy	Friday the 13th: The Series					
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Hitler's Henchmen	20th Century (R)	Ancient Aliens (R)	Men Who Killed Kennedy	Chunnel (R)	History's Crimes & Trials	Ancient Aliens (R)								
55	55	TOC	Outdoor	Paid Prog.	NW Hunter	Fly Fishing	Outdoors	Roadfaring	Rodeo Roundup	Bird Dog	Outdoors	Outdoor	Gun Dogs	Outdoors	Fishing	Buzzardite Classics		
20	41	HBO	(4:30) Cancer: Evolution to Revolution (R) (In Stereo)	** "Major League: Back to the Minors" (1998) 'PG-13'	Sopranos (R) (In Stereo)	Oz "Great Men" (In Stereo)	** "Another Day in Paradise" (1999) 'R'	Shadow										
15	42	HBO2	(4:15) "The Leading Man"	**** "The Untouchables" (1987) Kevin Costner. 'R'	** 1/2 "Next of Kin" (1989, Drama) Patrick Swayze. 'R'	Sanders	Sanders	** 1/2 "The Distinguished Gentleman" (1992) 'R'										
16	43	HBO3	(4:15) Innocents Lost	**** "Saving Private Ryan" (1998, Drama) Tom Hanks. (In Stereo) 'R'	"Error in Judgment" (1998) 'NR'	** 1/2 "The Drowning Pool" (1975) Paul Newman. 'PG'	Harry-Son											
21	17	MAX	(3:45) "The Entity" (1982)	*** "Geronimo: An American Legend" (1993) 'PG-13'	*** "Waiting to Exhale" (1995) Whitney Houston. 'R'	"Warm Texas Rain" (1998) Steven Bauer.	Passion	** "Lulu on the Bridge"										
18	18	DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	Backstreet Boys	"Alley Cats Strike!" (2000) Kyle Schmid.	* 1/2 "Frankenstein and Me" (1996) 'PG'	MusicVids	Smart Guy	Zorro	Mickey					
22	22	SHOW	Rescuer:Stories	** "Fast Getaway II" (1994, Adventure) Corey Haim.	** 1/2 "Just the Ticket" (1999, Romance) Andy Garcia.	** "A House in the Hills" (1993)	* "Alien Terminator" (1995) Maria Ford.											
25	25	TMC	(4:20) ** "Oddball Hall"	** "Deceiver" (1998) Chris Penn.	** "Disturbing Behavior" (1998)	* 1/2 "Johnny Mnemonic" (1995)	** "Synapse" (1995) Karen Duffy.	* 1/2 "Body Count" (1997)										

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"Days of Our Lives" is about to add a character who will play one of Nancy's (Patrika Darbo) parents. At the time of press, it had not been revealed whether it would be Dad or Mom. However, it's rumored that the new character will remind us of one of our favorite sitcom stars.

Susan Pratt will reprise her "Guiding Light" role as Claire Ramsey, Michelle's (Joie Lenz) biological mother.

BABY TALK: Lisa Peluso (ex Lila, "Another World," ex Ava, "Loving"); and ex Wendy, "Search for Tomorrow") and her husband, photographer Brad Guice, will be first-time parents this summer. It will be baby No. 2 this summer for Colleen Dion (Leslie, "All My Children," ex Felicia, "The Bold & the Beautiful," and ex Brett, "Another World") and husband, Larry Scotti.

CAST UPDATES: John Stamos (ex "Blackie," "General Hospital" and producer of the recently aired "Beach Boys" special) will do "Fortunate Son" for NBC.

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Bob Evans Farm opens for season

The Bob Evans Farm will welcome visitors when it opens for its 2000 season on Memorial Day weekend. Guests of all ages can enjoy the amenities of the 1,100 rolling acres and participate in the many special events scheduled this year.

During the season, which lasts through Labor Day, visitors can shop in the craft barn, canoe down Raccoon Creek, enjoy a horseback or carriage ride, visit the farm museum and log cabin village, hike the wooded trails and enjoy many special events.

The original historic Homestead and small animal barnyard are other attractions at the Bob Evans Farm.

The farm is open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily during its visiting season, and there is no admission fee. Free wagon rides leave regularly to tour the working farm, which is home to more than 40 horses and nearly 100 cattle.

Tours and educational programs are available for groups of 20 or more by reservation.

Some of the many special events scheduled at the Bob Evans Farm include:

May 27: Farm opens for the season; youth fishing day.

June 17: 5th annual Bob Evans Farm Bluegrass competition and Jamboree

June 24-30: 7th Annual Bob Evans Farm Homestead Invitational Quilt Exhibit—more than 100

hand-stitched quilts by selected quilters are displayed in the Evans family Homestead

June 25: 24th Annual Bob Evans Farm Antique Car Show and Antique Equipment Exhibition—more than 150 cars from Model Ts to T-Birds will be displayed along with an antique steam and power engine exhibition and model and pedal car show.

July-August: 7th Annual Bob Evans Farm Homestead Invitational Quilt Exhibit

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August 12: 130th Annual Rio Grande Bean Dinner—celebration honoring Civil War veterans

August 12-13: 12th Annual Radio Control Fly-In—model aircraft competition

August 19: 7th Annual Down on the Farm Gospel Sing

September 2: Bob Evans Farm Volksmarch—hike the farm's scenic trails during this non-competitive activity which originated in Germany

September 4: Bob Evans Farm daily activities conclude for the season

October 13-15: 30th Annual Bob Evans Farm Festival—a "weekend of fun for friends and family of all ages" with musical entertainment, craft displays, farm demonstrations, contests and children's activities.

November 24-25: 13th Annual

Country Christmas Craft Show

There is a small admission fee for some of the special events.

For information about the Bob Evans Farm or any farm-sponsored events, call 1-800-994-FARM or visit the Bob Evans Farm Web site at www.bobevans.com.

The Bob Evans Farm in southeastern Ohio was home to Bob Evans, founder of Bob Evans Farms Inc., and his wife, Jewel for nearly 20 years. They raised their six children in the large, brick farmhouse

known as the Homestead. The Homestead, once a stagecoach stop and an inn, is now on the National Register of Historic Places.

Bob Evans Farms Inc. (NASDAQ: BOBE) currently owns and operates 433 full-service, family restaurants in 20 states, principally in the East, North Central, Mid-Atlantic and Southern United States, as well as Texas. The company also is a leading producer of pork sausage under the Bob Evans and Owens brand names.

Lee Greenwood in concert at Renfro Valley on April 1

Lee Greenwood will be in concert on stage at Renfro Valley on Saturday, April 1.

Among Greenwood's hits are "Somebody's Gonna Love You," "You've Got A Good Love Comin'," "If Only For One Night," and "God Bless the U.S.A."

Greenwood's career in country music is a textbook example of the ingredients required to sustain longevity in show business. Ever aware that an artist can be new to the public just once, he continually finds ways of reinventing and re-packaging

his talent, much to the delight of his fans.

Greenwood will perform two great shows on Saturday, April 1, at 7 p.m. and 9:15 p.m. Tickets are \$18 and \$20 plus tax and handling. For reservations and information for this special concert and all other Renfro Valley shows, concerts, special events and festivals call 800-765-7464 or 606/256-2638.

Renfro Valley, Kentucky's Country Music Capital, is located just off I-75 at exit 62. Renfro Valley's web site at renfrovalley.com.

THURSDAY EVENING																APRIL 6, 2000		
TV	CH	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	** 1/2 "Above the Law" (1988, Drama) Steven Seagal.	** "Silent Rage" (1982, Suspense) Chuck Norris, Ron Silver.							Tough Guys	
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Friends	Daddio	Frasier	Battery Park	ER "Viable Options"	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)		Late Night	
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	GED (R)	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Antiques Roadshow		Mystery! Helty Wainthropp	Jubilee		World News	Naturescene	(Off Air)			
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire	Wonderland (In Stereo)	News	Nightline	Politically		Enquirer	
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	Bulls Eye	NBA Basketball: Milwaukee Bucks at Chicago Bulls. (Live)		News	Coach				In the Heat of the Night	
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	Diagnosis Murder	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	Falcone "Double Exposure"	News	Masters				Late Show (In Stereo)	
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer		3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	NAACP Image Awards (In Stereo)		News	Divorce	Divorce				Jerry Springer (R)	
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Diagnosis Murder	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	Falcone "Double Exposure"	News	Masters				Late Show (In Stereo)	
14	46	ESPN	NBA's Great	Up Close	Sportscenter		Big League	NFL Films	NFL Films	Sweet Science		Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter				Baseball Tonight	
33	80	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)		Your New House (R)		Wild Discovery: Spinsters	Raging Planet "Tornado"	UFOs Over Phoenix (R)		Into the Unknown (R)	Raging Planet "Tornado"	UFOs Over Phoenix (R)					
16	61	TNT	Dark Justice		In the Heat of the Night		ER "Long Day's Journey"	** "The Crush" (1993, Suspense) Cary Elwes.		Faces of Evil		Faces of Evil (R)						
31	62	A&E	Magnum, P.I.		L.A. Law		Law & Order	Biography		Trisha Yearwood Live by Request (R)		Law & Order "Kids"	Biography					
27	63	TNN	Wallons "The Ring"		Cagney & Lacey "Hooked"		Matt Houston (In Stereo)	** 1/2 "The New Maverick" (1978) James Garner.		Class of '89		Matt Houston (In Stereo)	In-Fish				Bassmastr.	
19	64	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Skeeter	Skeeter	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	65	USA	(4:00) Golf: The Masters - First Round.		Friends	JAG "Deja Vu" (In Stereo)	Walker, Texas Ranger	Golf: The Masters - First Round.									Walker, Texas Ranger	Stalkings
28	68	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	** 1/2 "Star Trek: The Motion Picture" (1979, Science Fiction) William Shatner.		700 Club		Boss?	Partridge				
	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	"Judgment Day: The John List Story" (1993, Drama)		Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Designing				
	45	ESPN2	ESPNNews	Sportsman's	NHRA Heat	RPM 2Night	College Hockey: NCAA Div. I Tour. Semi. - B.C. vs. St. Lawrence		Bodybuild	Bodybuild	Snowbrd	NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night	RPM 2Night				
29	49	AMC	Abbott	Hollywood	** 1/2 "War of the Wildcats" (1943) John Wayne.		** 1/2 "Samson and Delilah" (1949) Victor Mature.		*** "The Red Shoes" (1948, Drama) Moira Shearer, Anton Walbrook.		Turning Pt							
	60	HGTV	Rebecca	Ground	Fix It Up!	21st Century	Old House	Workshop	New Spaces	Curb Appeal	Designing	Kitchen	House	Vacation	New Spaces	Curb Appeal	Designing	Kitchen
10	61	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrmys.		Sliders (In Stereo)		** "Cool World" (1992, Fantasy) Kim Basinger.		*** "The Butcher's Wife" (1991, Comedy) Demi Moore.		*** "The Butcher's Wife" (1991, Comedy) Demi Moore.							
32	62	HIST	Weapons at War (R)		Hitler's Henchmen		20th Century (R)		Failed Assassinations		Men Who Killed Kennedy		Air Force One: A History		History's Crimes & Trials		Failed Assassinations	
	65	TOC	Prospectng	Prospect	Pillsbury	Outdoors	Wildlife	Like Father	Gene Percy	Outdoors	Sportsmans	Traditions	Fishful	Outdoors	Hunters	Adventure	Classic Car	Outdoors
20	14	HBO	28 Days	** "Home Fries" (1998) Drew Barrymore.	** 1/2 "Lost & Found" (1999) David Spade. 'PG-13'		*** "Affliction" (1997, Drama) Nick Nolte. 'R'		Shock Video 3		"No Alibi" (1999) 'NR'							
	15	HBO2	(3:45) "Gorky Park" (1983)	** "The Newton Boys" (1998) Matthew McConaughey.	** 1/2 "Forces of Nature" (1999) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'		*** 1/2 "Body Heat" (1981, Suspense) William Hurt. 'R'		Comedy Half		The X-Files							
	16	HBO3	*** "Class Action" (1991, Drama) Gene Hackman. 'R'	*** "Bye Bye, Love" (1995) Matthew Modine. 'PG-13'	** 1/2 "Protocol" (1984) Goldie Hawn. 'PG'		*** "Stella" (1990, Drama) Bette Midler. 'PG-13'		Letting Go									
21	17	MAX	(4:30) ** 1/2 "Gloria" (1999) Sharon Stone.	Revenge of the Nerds II	** 1/2 "Night Shift" (1982, Comedy) Henry Winkler. 'R'		"Inferno" (1999, Action) (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Interview With the Vampire" (1994)									
	18	DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	** 1/2 "Mighty Joe Young" (1998) Charize Theron. 'PG'		'N Sync in Concert (R)		** 1/2 "The Color of Friendship" (2000)		Smart Guy	Zorro			Mickey	
	22	SHOW	** The Karate Kid Part III	"Looking for Lola" (1997, Comedy) Mark Krassenbaum.	** "The Principal" (1987, Drama) James Belushi.		"Noriega: God's Favorite" (2000, Satire) Bob Hoskins.		"Dead On: Relentless II"									
	25	TMC	** Plan B	** "Just Write" (1998, Comedy) Sheryl Fenn.	*** "Rocky Marciano" (1999, Biography)		** "Thursday" (1998) Aaron Eckhart.		"The Texas Chainsaw Massacre" (1974)		"Dancer, Texas Pop. 81"							

Twain, Dolphins focus on new science shows

The Louisville Science Center is preparing for an exhilarating spring and summer with the release of "Mark Twain's America" and "Dolphins," new IMAX films scheduled to open in May and July.

The Science Center will kick off spring with the release of "Mark Twain's America" from May 1 through October 6. This fascinating and educational IMAX film allows viewers to relive history by taking a trip back into time.

It tells the extraordinary story of a man who lived in poverty, enjoyed great success, yet experienced personal and financial loss as well.

Mark Twain, famed humorist best known for "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn," lived during an exciting era in history and witnessed spectacular moments such as the western frontier and the industrial revolution.

Selections from Twain's writings are used to tell his story.

"Mark Twain's America" will be shown at the following times.

• May 1 to June 4, Sunday, 1, 3 and 5 p.m.; Monday-Thursday, 1, 3 and 5 p.m.; Friday, 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 p.m.

• June 5 to June 30, Sunday, 1, 3 and 5 p.m.; Monday-Thursday, 11 a.m., 1, 3, and 5 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 p.m.

"Dolphins" will open in the IMAX Theatre, July 1 and run through December 2000. Produced by MacGillivray Freeman Films, it will make viewers feel like they are swimming alongside these playful creatures.

This spectacular IMAX film takes viewers from the dazzling coral reefs of the Bahamas to the wind-

swept seas of Patagonia. "Dolphins" take audiences under the water's surface for a romp with inquisitive Atlantic spotted dolphins, acrobatic dusky dolphins and the familiar bottlenose dolphin of Flipper fame. It gives audiences a new perspective on the lives of dolphins and their remarkable intelligence.

"Dolphins" features music performed by Sting, Grammy award-winning musician, singer and songwriter. Famed actor Pierce Brosnan, who starred in "James Bond," will serve as narrator.

The film will be shown at the following times.

• July 1 to December, Sunday, 1, 3 and 5 p.m.; Monday-Thursday, 12, 1, 3 and 5 p.m.; Friday-Saturday, 12, 1, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 9 p.m.

Admission to the IMAX Theatre through June is \$7.50 for adults, \$6 for children and senior citizens,

\$4.25 for adult Science Center members, and \$3.75 for children and senior Science Center members.

Exhibits and educational programs are included with IMAX admission. Prices will change on July 1. Visitors may purchase tickets at the admissions desk.

The Louisville Science Center is a nonprofit educational institution

dedicated to improving public understanding of science, math and technology through films, interactive exhibits and educational programs.

The Science Center houses the only IMAX Theatre in Kentucky and welcomes more than 463,000 visitors annually. The Science Center receives generous support from the City of Louisville.

Joe Diffie at Renfro Valley April 8

Renfro Valley—See Joe Diffie live in concert on stage on Renfro Valley on Saturday, April 8.

Expect to be entertained with such songs as "Honky Tonk Attitude," "If You Want Me To," "New Way To Light Up An Old Flame," "If The Devil Danced (In Empty Pockets)" and "Pickup Man."

Diffie will perform two shows, at 7 p.m. and 9:15 p.m. Tickets are \$18 and \$20, plus tax and handling. For reservations and information for this special concert and all other Renfro Valley shows, concerts, special events and festivals call 800-765-7464 or 606/256-2638.

Renfro Valley, Kentucky's Country Music Capital, is located just off I-75 at exit 62. You may visit Renfro Valley's web site at renfrovalley.com.

KOVELS: ANTIQUES AND COLLECTING

BY RALPH AND TERRY KOVEL

Catchy names that sell are not a 21st-century idea. Pottery factories in England in past centuries developed names like Queen's ware, pearlware, ironstone, graniteware or Fairyland lustre to sell special types of pottery. Creamware was a creamy-white earthenware developed by

Wedgwood in the 18th century. It was made to compete with porcelain. Queen Charlotte ordered a set of dishes, so the product was renamed "Queen's ware" to promote sales of the unfamiliar product. Pearlware was another earthenware created by Wedgwood. It was an improvement on Queen's ware because it was even whiter and looked more like expensive porcelain. It did not look very much like pearls, but the name was romantic. Ironstone was made by

Miles Mason in the 19th century to replace broken pieces of expensive Chinese-export dinner sets. The ware was marketed as being "hard as iron." The name might have come from the use of ironstone slag in the clay. Graniteware was the name used by other potters who made a similar sturdy ware. Fairyland lustre was an early-20th-century product made by the Wedgwood pottery. It was decorated with whimsical, fairylike creatures in fanciful landscapes.

Iridescent glaze was used. All of these types of pottery are collected today. Perhaps some collectors are attracted by the names.

Q: More than 20 years ago, I bought an oak chair on rollers. There's a steel mechanism under the chair that allows the seat and back support to swivel and rock. On the back is a small metal seal with a lion's head in the center, surrounded by the words, "The Marble and Shattuck

Chair Co. Cleveland." Can you tell me when the chair was made and what it's worth?

A: The Marble and Shattuck Chair Co. operated in Cleveland between about 1900 and 1930. Oak swivel rockers like yours were popular at the turn of the 20th century. Many were used as office desk chairs. They sell for \$300 to \$600, depending on the style and condition.

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FRIDAY EVENING		© TVData														APRIL 7, 2000	
TV	CH	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Major League	Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves. (Live)				** 1/2 "The Hard Way" (1991, Comedy) Michael J. Fox, James Woods.				
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Providence	"Blind Faith"	Dateline (In Stereo)	Law & Order	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night		
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Workplace	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Comment	McLaughlin	Wash. Week	Wall St	Austin City Limits	World News	European	(Off Air)		
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Boy-World	Hughleys	Sabrina	Making	20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	**** "Chinatown" (1974, Drama) Jack Nicholson, Faye Dunaway.				News (In Stereo)	MacGyver	In the Heat of the Night			
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	Kids Say	Cosby	Nash Bridges	"Hard Cell"	Falcone	"Lealta" (In Stereo)	News	Sports Over.	Late Show (In Stereo)
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Wildest Police Videos	Greed: The Series	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer				
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Kids Say	Cosby	Nash Bridges	"Hard Cell"	Falcone	"Lealta" (In Stereo)	News	Masters	Late Show (In Stereo)
14	46	ESPN	(3:00) Tennis (Live)	Sportscenter	NHL Hockey: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)				Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight						
33	80	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery: Adaptors	On the Inside	News	Discover	Storm Warning!	On the Inside	News	Discover					
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice "Brother Mine"	In the Heat of the Night	ER "February 5, 1995"	NBA Basketball: New York Knicks at Orlando Magic. (In Stereo Live)	NBA Basketball: Minnesota Timberwolves at Sacramento Kings.										
31	62	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order "Consultation"	Biography	L.A. Detectives (R)	Poirot	Law & Order "Severance"	Biography							
27	33	TNN	Waltons "The System"	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)	18 Wheels of Justice (R)	Extreme Wrestling	Rollerjam (In Stereo)	Motor Madness (In Stereo)	Bowling (In Stereo)	Championship Bull Riding							
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	U Pick Nicktoons (In Stereo)	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne		
17	35	USA	(4:00) Golf: The Masters -- Second Round.	Friends	JAG "Brig Break"	Walker, Texas Ranger	Golf: The Masters -- Second Round.	* "Wishmaster" (1997) Tammy Lauren.									
28	33	FAM	Double, Double, Toil	** "Sabrina the Teen-Age Witch" (1996, Fantasy)		Rudy Coby: Dangerous	Higher Ground (In Stereo)	Exploring the Unknown	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge						
43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	"Murder of Innocence" (1993, Drama) Valerie Bertinelli.	Once and Again (In Stereo)	Golden Girls	Golden Girls						
45	ESPN2	Auto Racing (R)	Tennis: Davis Cup -- Czech Rep. at United States	RPM 2Night	Driver's Seat	Boxing: Friday Night Fights -- Bernard Harris vs. Angel Vazquez. (Live)	NHL 2Night	RPM 2Night	Street Rod								
29	49	AMC	The Stranger Wore a Gun	**** "The President's Analyst" (1967) James Coburn.		*** "Rebel Without a Cause" (1955) James Dean.	Cinema	** "The Colossus of New York" (1958)	My Friend Irma Goes West								
50	HGTV	Grow It!	Designers	Fix It Up!	Dream	Old House	Workshop	Gardens	Garden	Interiors	Small Space	Home Front	By Design	Gardens	Garden	Interiors	Small Space
19	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jmys.	Sliders (In Stereo)	Brimstone (In Stereo)	Farscape (In Stereo)	Good vs. Evil (In Stereo)	Lexx: The Series	Farscape (In Stereo)	Good vs. Evil (In Stereo)							
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Hitler's Henchmen: Speer	20th Century (R)	History's Lost & Found	*** 1/2 "To Hell and Back" (1955, Biography) Audie Murphy.	Crimes	History's Lost & Found								
53	TOC	Outdoor	Paid Prog.	Outdoors	Outside	Am. Archer	Outdoors	Outdoor	Outdoors	Water Craft	Goblin	Venture	Hunting	Prospectng	Fishing	Outdoors	Outdoors
20	13	HBO	Conquest!	*** "Remo Williams: The Adventure Begins" (1985) Fred Ward.		** 1/2 "The Siege" (1998) Denzel Washington. 'R'	** "Fair Game" (1995) Cindy Crawford. 'R'	Dennis M.	Arliss (R)	Arliss (R)							
15	HBO2	Polish	*** "The Apostle" (1998, Drama) Robert Duvall. (In Stereo) 'PG-13'		** 1/2 "A Cool, Dry Place" (1998) 'PG-13'	Mr. Show	** "Butter" (1998, Suspense) Ernie Hudson. 'R'	Sopranos (R) (In Stereo)									
16	HBO3	** 1/2 "A New Life" (1988) Alan Alda.	*** "Indictment: The McMartin Trial" (1995) James Woods. 'R'		Sex and-City	Sex and-City	** 1/2 "Valley of the Dolls" (1967) Patty Duke. 'GP'	"Eat Your Heart Out" 'R'									
21	17	MAX	(4:15) "Love Affair" (1994)	** 1/2 "Erik the Viking" (1989) Tim Robbins. 'PG-13'	** "American Perfekt" (1997) 'R'	** "Lethal Weapon 4" (1998, Action) Mel Gibson. (In Stereo) 'R'	Passion	"Loveblind"									
13	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Jersey (R)	So Weird	"Smart House" (1999) Ryan Merriman.	* "RocketMan" (1997) Harland Williams.	MusicVids	Bug Juice	So Weird	Zorro	Mickey				
22	SHOW	(4:15) "The Devil's Keep"	"Fatal Affair" (1998, Drama) C. Thomas Howell.	"Halloween H2O: Twenty Years Later"	Movie News	Stargate	Outer Limits (In Stereo)	Beggars and Choosers	Rebeccas								
23	TMC	Sour Grapes	** 1/2 "The Real Blonde" (1997, Comedy)	*** "Suicide Kings" (1997, Drama) Christopher Walken.	** 1/2 "The Naked Gun" (1988, Comedy)	** 1/2 "Child's Play 3" (1991) Justin Whalin.	*** "Miami Blues" (1990)										

News of the Weird

teeth and dropped it in the cabbie's hand. However, police matched the DNA from the saliva on the money with DNA from Lee's blood.

East Penn Township (Pennsylvania) police officer Shawn Phillips was charged in December with conspiracy to commit assault after a Little League pitcher said that Phillips (the well-known "Officer Phil") had paid him \$2 to hit a batter with a pitch in a game in May 1999. The pitcher complied and was paid, but so far, Phillips has been silent about a motive.

In Boston, chemical engineer Glenn Elion was sentenced to nearly four years in prison in February on a federal charge that he defrauded investors of \$3.8 million by claiming to have duplicated the potentially incredibly lucrative genetic code of spider silk. According to the prosecutor, Elion needed the money because he himself had just been ripped off for at least \$700,000 in a familiar Nigerian scam in which a man claims he found millions in U.S. currency that has been ruined by indelible ink applied by the Nigerian government, but that he knows an expensive process to remove the ink and will split the proceeds with whoever funds the cleaning.

Love Schemes: Police in New Albany, Indiana, said that Charles E. Adams, 28, convinced buddy Clifton "Scooter" Foster in January to stab him, so that Adams could see if his ex-girlfriend would visit him in the hospital. (Adams survived.) And Frederick Alex Hunchak, 35, pled guilty in Wynyard, Saskatchewan, in January to puncturing the tires of three cars driven by women; he said he wanted to "rescue" them, hoping to find true love. And an Arizona State student let

football player J.R. Redmond use her cell phone, then convinced him that that was an NCAA rules violation unless they got married. (They did, but annulment was scheduled for March.)

Getting Dangerous Felons off the Streets

In February, a Mohave County, Arizona, judge sentenced Deborah Lynn Quinn, 39, to a year in prison for violating probation on a marijuana-sales charge; Quinn has no arms, no right leg, a partial left leg, and is almost totally dependent on others for care. Also in February, a federal judge in Atlanta sentenced quadriplegic Louis E. Covar Jr., 51, to seven years in prison for violating the probation he had received on a charge of possessing marijuana. (It is estimated to cost about five times as much to house them as to house able-bodied prisoners.)

Recurring Themes

More Evidence that Cigarettes Are Bad for You: In Cleveland, Charlene Smiley, 44, was charged in February with fatally stabbing a 40-year-old woman in a dispute over smoking in Smiley's boyfriend's house. And Michael Raines, 20, was charged with fatally shooting a 41-year-old man in Benton, Tenn., in October because the man would not return the cigarette lighter Raines had loaned him.

Least Competent Criminals

February Negative-Cash-Flow Robberies: In Albuquerque, an unidentified man asked for change of a \$10 bill to get the

Keva Juice shop clerk to open the register, then announced a robbery; the clerk locked the register instead, and the man fled, leaving his \$10 behind. The same thing happened at Larry's Quick Stop, Spokane, Washington, but the robber was not as dumb, asking only for change of a quarter, which he also left behind when the clerk told a phone caller he was being robbed.

Also, in the Last Month ...

A new law requires Mongolia's many one-name people to adopt surnames to differentiate themselves, but more than half have chosen Borjigon, Genghis Khan's family name. A British Airways plane that made an emergency landing in Manchester because of smoke was carrying four women in the final act of a six-week course to overcome fear of flying. Charges were filed against a Norwalk, Connecticut, woman for giving her kids, ages 5 and 7, a hammer and a screwdriver in their school bags for use on bullies. A group of sexually frustrated women stormed a police station, demanding either that the taverns their husbands hang out in be shut down or that the cops themselves service the women (Kandara, Kenya). The Swaziland parliament's speaker of the house resigned under pressure, two months after he was caught stealing manure from ruling King Mswati III.

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J.D. Crowe and the New South bring sweet bluegrass sound to KET's Jubilee

If there were such a thing as bluegrass royalty, J.D. Crowe would rule all he sees. The Kentuckian with "perfect time" has made incalculable contributions to bluegrass, Kentucky's own contribution to music.

Airing Thursday, April 6, at 10 p.m., on KET, Jubilee features bluegrass legends J.D. Crowe and the New South, taped in concert at last summer's Festival of the Bluegrass.

Throughout his nearly 45-year career, J.D. Crowe has been in the vanguard of bluegrass musicians, first as a banjo picker and then as a group leader. He is regarded as the quintessential Scruggs-style banjoist, a consummate craftsman with flawless timing and fullness of tone.

His band, the New South, has been a proving ground for some of the leading lights of bluegrass music's third generation, including Ricky Scaggs, Jerry Douglas, Keith Whitley, Tony Rice, Jimmy Gaudreau, Gene Johnson, Richard Bennett and Don Rigsby.

Residing in Nicholasville, Crowe heard his very first bluegrass performance in Lexington. Now, he is as much a symbol of Kentucky as the music he plays.

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.

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Things to do ...

From Kentucky Travel News come tips on things to see and do in the state during the next few months:

- April 1-30: Fantasia/2000 — Exclusive Kentucky IMAX showing before wide release, Louisville Science Center, 502/561-6100.
- April 7-8: Mountain Folk Festival — Appalachian culture is highlighted through music, dance and games. Seabury Center, Berea, 606/986-4434.
- April 13-16: Chocolate Festival — 13th annual chocolate lovers' delight, homemade delicacies make this a fun-filled event, Old Washington, 606/759-7423.
- April 22: Pulaski Bluegrass Fire Fest — Bluegrass and gospel music festival, Somerset, 800-642-6287.
- May 3: Great Steamboat Race — Following repairs, The Belle of Louisville races rival, The Delta Queen, Louisville, 800-928-FEST.
- May 12-13: International BarB-Q Festival — Cooking teams compete for the best barbeque title, Owensboro, 800-489-1131.
- May 19-21: Maifest — MainStrasse Village hosts tribute to spring, crafts, food and lots more, Covington, 606/491-0458.
- June 2-4: Shakertown Civil War Encampment — Witness the Shaker account of this tumultuous period, Pleasant Hill, Harrodsburg, 800-734-5611.
- June 9-10: Duncan Hines Festival — Bowling Green honors its most famous native, Bowling Green, 800-326-7465.
- June 9-11: McCoys 2000 — The Hatfields and McCoys will unite in celebration, Pikeville, 800-844-7453.
- June 10-11: Great American Brass Band Festival — World-class bands in an unprecedented weekend of free music and entertainment, Danville, 800-755-0076.
- June 17-18: Morgan's Raid on Georgetown — Civil War re-enactment and living history, Georgetown, 502/863-1575.

Performing arts series kicks off with Andrew Lloyd Webber

PBS Showcase, a new series premiering Wednesday, April 5 at 9 p.m. on KET, is a major new initiative linking arts and performance programs around specific themes. The flagship program features the man who would be king of Broadway, Andrew Lloyd Webber.

PBS Showcase: Andrew Lloyd Webber's "Joseph & The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" and "Requiem" from Great Performances features a delightful new film adaptation of Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice's landmark musical, "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," followed by a special encore presentation of Webber's magnificent "Requiem."

The debut of PBS Showcase is hosted by Donny Osmond, who also stars in "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat." Osmond, who toured in the title role of Joseph for five years, reprises his dynamic performance and is joined by Maria Friedman, Richard Attenborough, Joan Collins, Ian McNiece and Robert Torti.

Immediately following, "Requiem" stars Placido Domingo and Sarah Brightman. Webber calls it "the most personal of all my works."

PBS Showcase: Andrew Lloyd Webber's "Joseph & The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" and "Requiem" from Great Performances is produced by Really Useful Films in association with Universal Pictures Visual Programming. 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.

Book explores sense of place

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

A review of "Bloodroot: Reflections on Place by Appalachian Women Writers" in the Chicago Tribune summed up the gist of the collection of essays about Appalachia written by authors who have lived in Appalachia and moved or have stayed on:

"Wherever your roots lie, you will find 'Bloodroot' moving, inspiring — and a reminder that we are all shaped by the landscape we spring from, the place we call home."

Since I know Anne Shelby and George Ella Lyon, have actually sat down and talked with them, I read their essays first. In "Pidlin'," Shelby says about her family, "... people who could not stand good walnut go to waste. They showed me, humbly and without ever talking about it, the necessity of such activities. I can't do much with walnut. I piddle (thus the title) with words."

Don't believe the last part of her statement. She definitely does not piddle with words. She knows exactly what she is doing and does it well.

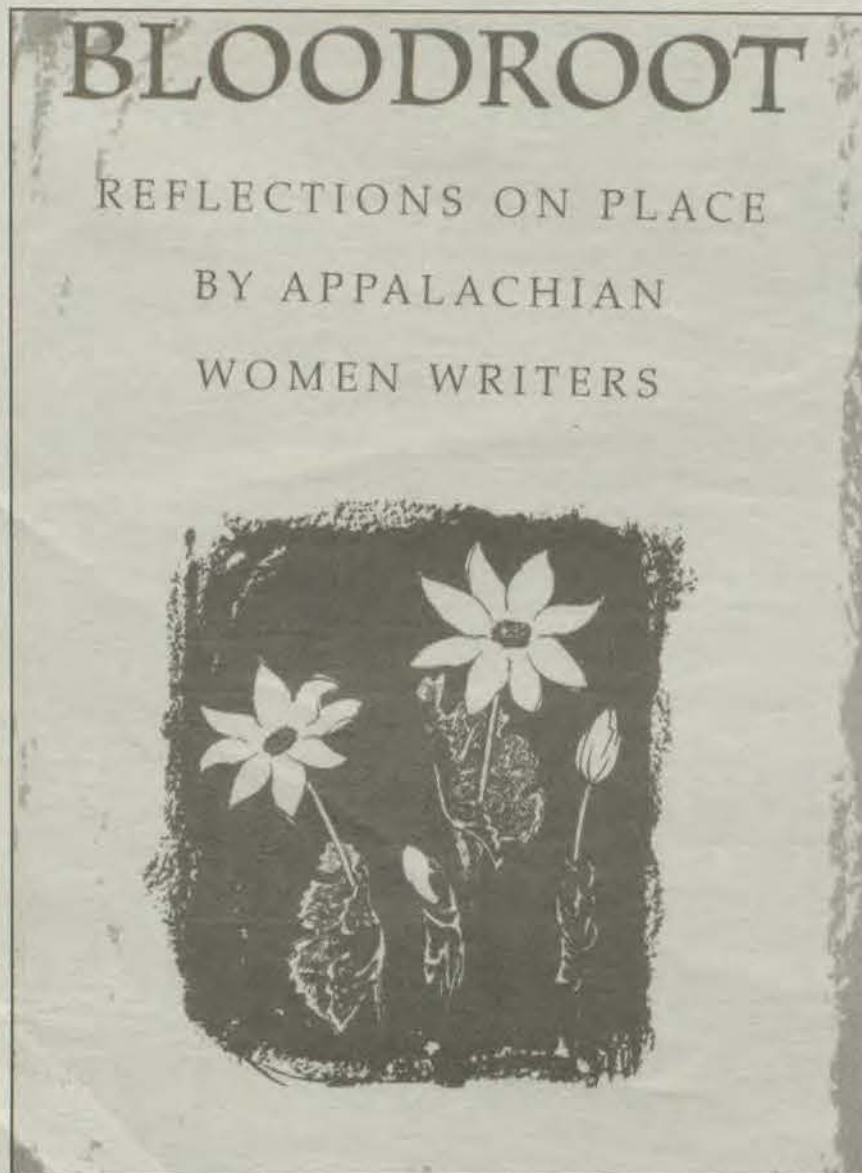
Any Appalachian native would find it hard not to identify with some of her characters and place settings. The essays are, after all, about place.

Shelby lives in Clay County where she works on children stories that she publishes from time to time.

In her essay "Voiceplace," Lyon talks about the importance of language (or as she calls it voice) in the Appalachian culture. She says she fought to acquire another culture only to find it was like "cutting your throat to remedy hunger."

The Harlan County native realizes the vital connection between voice and place in her life and her work. She quotes a Bobbie Ann Mason line: "I was not able to write stories until I got over being ashamed of how my people talked."

In reading through the anthology, I learned of another writer right in my back door that I had not heard about. (Odd, I guess that I had to learn about the author from a book published in Lexington, the University Press of



Kentucky.)

Artie Ann Bates is a writer and medical doctor who lives in Blackey — just over the hill in Letcher County. Her "Root Hog, or Die" is more like my place than most of the other stories, being about a father who worked in the coal mines and had a family that depended a great deal on what was produced from the land.

"Appalachia has taught me to survive wherever I land, especially on a little piece of rocky ground. It has given me a conscience to write some of its history, one of making do. The reward of root hog, or die, is life," Bates writes.

But there are 33 other essays to

choose from, and some well-known authors are included — Wilma Dykeman, Nikki Giovanni, Jean Ritchie and Lee Smith, among others.

While the essays are tied together by the theme of place, each one can be read and appreciated for itself. The authors come from Kentucky, Tennessee, West Virginia, North Carolina and other spots in Appalachia. After reading the essays, the reader should come away with a much better concept of this place we call home, Appalachia.

"Bloodroot" is available in paperback for \$17. Contact the University Press of Kentucky, 663 S. Limestone St., Lexington, KY 40508-4008.

Six Flags

Bugs Bunny, Tweety, Sylvester, and the whole Looney Tunes Gang invite the audience to sing and dance along to songs such as "Dancing in the Streets," "Every Day's a Party at Six Flags," and "Shake My Hand."

The street party will be held daily inside Looney Tunes Movie Town.

Coming soon is a new family coaster, Road Runner Express, billed as a first-of-its-kind roller coaster in the region. It features eight four-passenger cars that travel through the course of a track as individual units, instead of being linked together into a long train. Each passenger gets the excitement of being in the lead car.

The coaster is expected to open in early summer.

Warner Bros. Rockin' Country Show is a new musical review. Showcasing a century of music from Warner Bros. films and music, the show will feature singers and dancers decked out in their best country attire.

Performances will run several times a day throughout the season inside the Looney Tunes Amphitheater, from mid-May to September 4.

The hours for Spring Break Out are Friday, March 31, 5-10 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, April 1 and 2,

10 a.m.-7 p.m.; Monday-Thursday, April 3-6, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Friday, April 7, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.; and Saturday and Sunday, April 8 and 9, 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

General admission is \$29.99 for adults; \$15 for those 48 inches and under, and for senior citizens; and free for children three and under. Parking is \$3.

Season passes are available now through April 15 for \$39.99; April 16-May 31, \$44.99, and after June 1, \$49.99.

For information, call 1-800-SCREAMS or visit the website at www.sixflags.com.

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