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The images came from hidden cameras placed at dump sites in Johnson, Hart and McCreary counties. Website visitors with information about the people or vehicles shown in the photographs are asked to call the cabinet at 1-888-NO-DUMPS.

To see the latest photos, those with internet access can point their browsers to www.kyenvironment.org/nrepc/dumpers/dumpphotos.htm.

The website and hidden cameras are part of the cabinet's Illegal Dumping Initiative. Since February 1997, the cabinet has issued 3,075 notices of violation to illegal dumpers and has required them to pick up 4,445 tons of trash.

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Today



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Tomorrow



High: 68 • Low: 44

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photo by Sheldon Compton

Sandy Valley Habitat for Humanity volunteers work steadily Tuesday afternoon on the organization's first build of the 2001 year. The partner family, James and Angel Stephens will make the house, located on Frasure Creek Road of McDowell, their new home once the project reaches completion. The house represents Habitat for Humanity's first home built in Floyd County.

Habitat for Humanity builds first Floyd home

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER



photo by Sheldon Compton

Bob Borders and Bruce Keenes, Habitat volunteers, display teamwork while adding siding to James and Angel Stephens' new home in East McDowell. The Stephens also helped on construction Tuesday in agreement to contribute "sweat equity" for having been selected to receive their new home.

A sprawling piece of flat land on Frasure Creek Road in East McDowell is the site of the most recent project for Sandy Valley Habitat for Humanity, an organization which has built 35 homes in Pike County since 1993.

A house is to be built for James and Angel Stephens, originally of Bull Creek, and their two children and will be Habitat's first build of the 2001 season.

In addition to being the first build of the year, the house will be the first ever built by Habitat for Humanity in Floyd County.

"I can't believe how fast it's going up," Angel Stephens said. "We're really happy to have this opportunity."

The Stephens first learned of Habitat for Humanity through a television documentary. After seeing the documentary, Angel Stephens called and found that there was an affiliate chapter located in Pikeville. She followed up by filling out an application and was recently selected to be a part-

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Burglars find Betsy Layne a 'safe' haven

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

Two recent burglaries, similar in methodology and damages, in the Betsy Layne area have business owners concerned about the safety and security of their investments.

This past weekend the Betsy Layne Sam an Tonio's was burglarized as the restaurant's safe was taken during a disturbingly sophisticated break-in.

"It wasn't a great amount of money," Jack Absher, owner of the Betsy Layne restaurant, said on Tuesday. "They did take the safe, though, so we don't keep our money in there anymore."

"The investigator said there had been similar burglaries that were almost identical and that they had suspects in mind."

The burglary was not a haphazard operation according to Sam an Tonio's neighbor Joe Back.

Back, a local sportscaster who leases a second-floor apartment above the restaurant, said that the building's alarm system was shut down and the phone lines cut in preparation for entry.

"We have an elite alarm system here but they were intelligent enough to disconnect the phone lines and all other access," Back said. "They even cut my own personal line."

According to Back, the restaurant's one safe was "physi-

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P'burg council okays development of Cliffside property

by MARY MUSIC
STAFF WRITER

Two members of the community approached the Prestonsburg City Council on Monday with proposals to bring new business to the city.

Paul Hughes of the Prestonsburg Industrial Corporation, a non-profit developmental company credited with paving the way for many local businesses to come into the area, asked that the city consider allowing the corporation to proceed with plans to develop roughly 20 acres of property in the Cliffside area for commercial or industrial use.

"We'd like to get started on this project as quickly as possible," said Hughes.

The property is currently owned by the Prestonsburg Holding Corporation.

Hughes stated that the Prestonsburg Industrial Corporation's interest in developing the property is solely to benefit the community. He said the corporation's job is to

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Board hears suggestions for Allen Central pool

by KATHY PRATER
FEATURES EDITOR

Among items up for discussion at Monday evening's meeting of the Floyd County Board of Education were the fate of Allen Central High School's swimming pool, field trip guidelines, athletic complexes and school volunteers.

After opening procedures involving the roll call of board members, a moment of silent reflection and the adoption of the agenda, Sydney Jane Bailey addressed the board as a parent speaker.

Bailey expressed her concerns in regard to the Allen

Central High School swimming pool, stressing to the board members that she feels it would be in the best interest of the community to upgrade the pool and put it to use as a community resource.

Bailey suggested that the pool has potential to be used in the community as a source of revenue and also as a site for physical therapy sessions.

Bailey suggested opening the pool for summer activity and collecting revenue to be used for maintenance and other activities. She stressed that the facility could be utilized by Right and Left Beaver Creek youths as well as the communi-

ty at large.

"With the installation of a handicap lift, like the one at the state park, even students with handicaps, like my daughter, could have the pool accessible to them," she said.

Bailey went on to say that the pool could serve as a site to coordinate student physical therapy sessions, as well as perhaps even allowing the community to access the facility for therapy sessions also.

"I'm not advocating becoming a hospital," Bailey said, "but this is the closest thing we've got to a YMCA in this

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photo by Sheldon Compton

Twin sisters, Summer and Autumn Hall, enjoy the newly acquired three-slide playground equipment at Archer Park on Monday. The slide was gained by the city after many years of attempts to expand the park's playground. In addition to the new equipment at Archer Park, the city of Prestonsburg has also added new attractions to the Goble Roberts Park.

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Board

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area. For now, it's DOA."

Board member Glenna Slone seemed to be in agreement that the pool should be saved. In speaking with community members, Slone said that she gathered that the community is interested in saving the pool.

"The community wants to keep it... but not if it's not going to be used," she said.

Continuing, Bailey also proposed that the Allen Park be utilized by developing a summer music festival in which students could perform before a live audience, thereby increasing their stage presence skills.

Bailey suggested that a program could be devised with the help of Mountain Arts Center personnel, and that it would be advantageous to them if the youth of the area had a forum "for making mistakes" before moving on to performances at

the MAC.

Board chairman Johnnie Ross asked Bailey if she could write a proposal of this program to present to the board, to which she agreed.

Bailey then went on to say that she would like to see it become a regular practice for the county school system to arrange transportation each year for students to attend the governor's Derby Breakfast.

"Each year, on Derby Day, take all high school seniors and eighth-graders to the governor's breakfast. Present them, all dressed up, to the rest of the state, let them know that they can dress up and attend these things too."

Board member Carol Stumbo commented that she believes steps toward that goal were already being taken, that several students she knew of were planning to attend, and that perhaps in time to come a plan similar to Bailey's could be put in place.

Nadine Hicks, parent involvement coordinator, was next to approach the board, following an introduction by

Beverly Crisman, student achievement coordinator.

In observance of Public School Volunteer Week, April 15-20, Hicks commented that school volunteers help meet the need of one-on-one teaching and learning, which she described an invaluable contribution to both students and teachers alike.

Hicks presented a facsimile check to the board in the amount of \$146,641.02 in recognition of the comparable cost of volunteer hours to the school system.

Field trip guidelines were also a primary focus for consideration, as Carol Stumbo commented that she feels the board needs to more clearly define what exactly constitutes a field, or instructional, trip. In addition, she said, "We need to define what number of chaperones it takes for a field trip," in order to assure adequate supervision.

"I feel that the academic value of some of these trips needs to be stronger," Stumbo said.

Chairman Ross clarified, "Do you propose a motion to set criteria for field trips?" to which

Stumbo answered, "Yes."

Ross then moved to second the motion and approval was given to Prestonsburg High School's Future Business Leaders of America's trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, Betsy Layne High School's physics class trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, and Stumbo Elementary's trip to Pigeon Forge, Tenn., pending approval of criteria provisions.

The board then moved to retreat into executive session for disciplinary hearings in which they concluded that one of the students in question would be placed in the alternative school, Opportunities Unlimited, for the remainder of the 2001 spring semester school term. At the end of the term, a decision would be made as to whether or not the student would be re-admitted to his former school, or remain at Opportunities Unlimited.

It was decided in regard to a second student that he or she would either resign or be expelled for the remainder of this 2001 spring term. Home schooling or visits will be an option for the student.

Next, the board heard from Joe Jones, board architect, who reported on the progress of the Prestonsburg High School and South Floyd High School athletic complexes, as well as construction taking place at John M. Stumbo Elementary and Osborne Elementary.

According to Jones, construction on the Prestonsburg High School facility is slightly behind schedule, due to wet weather experienced earlier in the month. However, the irrigation system is progressing, the lighting conduit has been installed, power lines have been removed, and grade work is complete. Additionally, the entrance to the substation is also complete.

Jones reported that the project will be ready for sod within the next two weeks. Originally, bluegrass had been specified for the field, but Jones said that a new request had been made specifying Bermuda grass, which would involve a cost of

approximately \$2,000 more than originally budgeted.

To offset the cost, according to Jones, Coach John DeRossett has offered to organize a fundraiser.

Jones also reported that bidding has taken place on the South Floyd High School athletic complex. Patriot Construction was the low bidder on a package combining irrigation systems, site improvements, and field house for a cost of \$469,000.

Warco Land Improvement was the low bidder on earthwork costs with a bid of \$234,000, after a bid withdrawal from Hawkeye Construction.

Jones made a recommendation to the board to approve the bids, which would then open up the sale of bonds on the project.

The board then made a motion to convene as the Floyd County School District Finance Corporation and voted to approve low bids on the following:

- Earthwork - \$234,000 - Warco Land Improvement
- Lawns - \$47,000 - R.L. Caudill Construction Inc.
- Fencing - \$22,220 - Rays Fence Co.
- Paving - \$141,100 - Mountain Enterprises Inc.
- Storm sewer systems - \$39,500 - R.L. Caudill Construction Inc.
- Grandstands - \$227,555 - Dant Clayton Corp.
- Field Lighting - \$189,000 - JMK Electric Co.
- Field house, site improvements and irrigation - \$469,000 - Patriot Construction Co. Inc.

Total cost of project amounted to \$1,369,375 — \$269,625 below original projected costs. After a motion to reconvene as the Floyd County Board of Education, the board heard a report from Jones in regard to safety precautions being undertaken at Osborne Elementary School during construction involving the repair of the facility's roof.

Jones reported that all workers had been cautioned against and knew not to continue working in the case that children

would become present in the area. Additionally, sampling had been done ensuring the safety of all those present in the building throughout this construction.

At the conclusion of Jones' report, Patricia Maynard, principal of Allen Central High School, and Pam Frasure, assistant principal, presented the board with their response to the year's scholastic audit by the Kentucky Department of Education.

Maynard reported that the school is still working to develop a vision statement; that they had implemented a "School to Work" program that several students were currently participating in; that they had done exceptionally well in the Science Olympiad competition, placing third overall regionally, and second in astronomy; and that the school was in need of an office manager to assist with clerical duties.

At the conclusion of Maynard's presentation, Carol Stumbo inquired as to whether or not the statements that Sydney Jane Bailey had made in regard to the swimming pool affected the presentation she had just given in any way, or if her feelings in regard to the situation had been altered.

Answering, Maynard replied, "I don't think so. We tend to think in terms of the whole student body and what is best, not just for an isolated group."

Again, Glenna Slone reiterated that "parents and students want to keep it (swimming pool). It's like a source of pride for Allen Central High School, but, they don't want just a big, empty hole."

With this, Chairman Ross noted that "the clock on the wall says that it is 9:30. I am not willing to stand in violation of a board order. I would not let anyone else do that. This meeting is now adjourned."

All items remaining on the agenda for discussion that were not addressed will be held over for the next regularly scheduled meeting.

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Habitat

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ner family.

The selection was made based on three general guidelines including the obvious need and an agreement from the Stephenses to contribute 400 hours of "sweat equity" in Habitat projects as well as being willing to attend required homeowner seminars. The Stephenses will be paying for their new home through an interest-free mortgage.

Construction began on the house in East McDowell on April 14 and was set to be finished within 10 working days, however, a slight delay had the project still underway as of yesterday afternoon.

Volunteers worked through the early morning rain and cold winds and by yesterday afternoon appreciated the warm sun and took the opportunity to accomplish as much as possible to see the project through to the end.

A handful of the approximately 50 volunteers who have taken part in the build were on hand yesterday to add siding and make preparations for finishing the roof. Extensive work was also being done to the plumbing so that it will be ready for inspection.

Tommy Hall, a project volunteer and member of the First Baptist Church of McDowell, recalled the first day of the build.

"We came in the first day and got the foundation ready," Hall said. "By the end of the day we had the foundation and had the sides up. I worked about 10 hours that day and some stayed after I left."

Hall, a former coal miner and mine inspector, retired after 30 years of service and now donates his time and energy to these and other projects that serve those in need.

Lilburn Compton was another volunteer on site yesterday and can boast some experience with Habitat's efforts. Compton, who has worked as a carpenter for several years, was a member of the 1997 Habitat team, which included former President Jimmy Carter. That effort resulted in 11 homes being built on Indian Creek in Pike County.

These and other volunteers

have joined Big Sandy Valley's President Carolyn Rasnick on site nearly every day of the project.

"We have many volunteers, about 50 I think, who have worked on this project," Rasnick said. "Many of them have volunteered and spent repeated days out here. This is our first-ever project in Floyd County and most of the volunteers are from Pike and Floyd counties."

The spread of expansive land which will accompany the

Stephenses' new home will have other homes built to be sold through realty companies.

"There are new homes to be built," Rasnick said. "They are not all going to necessarily be Habitat homes, but this area will be a neighborhood."

Work on the home at Frasure Creek Road will continue until April 28 and anyone who would like to donate their time and energy to the project, either as groups or individuals, is encouraged to contact the Habitat office at (606) 432-4178.



Archer Park director Ralph Little shows Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin the swimming pool at Archer Park which has received a new liner and some repairs on the concrete and drain lines. The work has been done in preparation for the park's 2001 season.

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Council

develop land in order to bring businesses into the area. "We are spending several hundred thousands of dollars on this project," said Hughes. "All that we ask in return is that we get our money back, plus interest of 11 percent. Depending on where we get this money from, if we sell that property for commercial use, they may require that we give the money back."

Hughes' proposal brought opposition from council member Otis Hansel Cooley, who works in the real estate business.

If development follows as

planned, the city is expected to earn at least \$5,000 an acre on the property which is currently deemed worthless. If the land is then sold for commercial use, it creates additional jobs for the area, thus increasing the amount of payroll and profitable tax for the city.

"It just seems like a ridiculously low price for developmental property," said Cooley. "I think the fair market value should be paid to the city."

Other members of the board disagreed with Cooley.

"All they're doing is trying to bring business here," said Estill Carter, who is also a

member of the Prestonsburg Industrial Corporation. "This is not a traditional real estate venture. This is a non-profit organization where the directors donate their time."

Carter went on to explain that had it not been for the industrial corporation, the Big Sandy Area Development District property and businesses like Schwann's would not be here now.

Mayor Jerry Fannin agreed with the proposal.

"It's win-win for us every year in the long run," said Fannin.

The council then voted to approve the proposal. According to Carter, The industrial corporation is expected to take bids from engineers and begin development in a week.

Next on the agenda was a proposal made by Solomon Kilburn, president of the Farmers' Market, also a non-profit organization which has been located in Martin for the last three years.

Kilburn suggested that bringing a farmers' market to Prestonsburg would increase jobs in the city as well.

"We are not trying to compete with other produce stores in the area," said Kilburn. "We're trying to bring business to Prestonsburg."

The Farmers' Market invites local farmers to sell their crops to the community.

The Farmers Market, which receives grants from different organizations to supply farmers with a place to sell their crops, requires that farmers sell only

quality produce grown in Eastern Kentucky.

The council agreed to bring the Farmer's Market to Prestonsburg, but a site for the project is yet to be set by Kilburn.

According to Kilburn, since Martin participates every Saturday, farmers would likely visit Prestonsburg on Friday afternoons, beginning in July.

During the meeting, the council accepted a bid from the Nova Corporation for earth work on the city's mountaintop recreational area being constructed in conjunction with Stone Crest Golf Course. Nova's bid was \$266,035 for the project.

Before adjourning, Cooley proposed the need to remove five pin oak trees located in the Richmond Plaza, and replace them with 10 Bradford trees. The removal would include trees on both sides of First Avenue.

"Pin oaks are beautiful trees, and they have been here longer than any of us," said Cooley. "But the root systems

are damaging our sidewalks and the acorns create a safety problem."

Carter opposed the proposal. He stated that people who lived on First Avenue feel strongly about the trees, and they would disagree with their removal.

The motion was carried, however, despite his opposition.

Cooley also recommended that Jackson Street, which was changed into a one-way street several years ago, be made a two-way street once again.

In order to make the change plausible, Cooley said that two trees on Carlos Neeley's property would have to be removed, and a satellite in front of Q-95 would have to be dismantled. He further stated that parking in front of the radio station should not be permitted.

Council members Harry Adams, Carter and Danny Hamilton strongly opposed the request, noting that changing it to a two-way street could present dangers to motorists.

The motion was carried by a 4-3 vote.

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— Don Marquis

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Our View

Continuing to survive

Last week, Kentuckians were saddened to see favorite son Rodger Bingham voted out of the tribe of television's most popular show, Survivor.

It's easy to see why. Bingham turned out to be a fierce competitor in the game, but he never lost his humility or his respect and concern for those playing the game with him.

As it turns out, there is another "survivor" in our midst, right here in Floyd County, who is not out of his game yet.

That man is House Majority Floor Leader Greg Stumbo, who this past week was honored by the state Environmental Quality Commission, which awarded him its 2001 Public Servant Award.

Of course, Stumbo is not on a television game show competing to win a million dollars. Instead, he has spent the past few years standing up to the state's "litter lobby" in an attempt to pass meaningful legislation to combat our state's litter and dumping problems.

No, Stumbo is not locked in a life-or-death struggle. It's more a quality of life struggle. And while his attempts have been thus far unsuccessful, he shows by his refusal to let the issue die the same grit and determination Bingham displayed on television.

Stumbo has been the staunchest environmental defender the General Assembly has seen in years, and for that reason alone he is deserving of the honor awarded to him. But it has been his approach to the issue — one which abandons neither common sense nor his principles — which makes him truly worthy of praise.

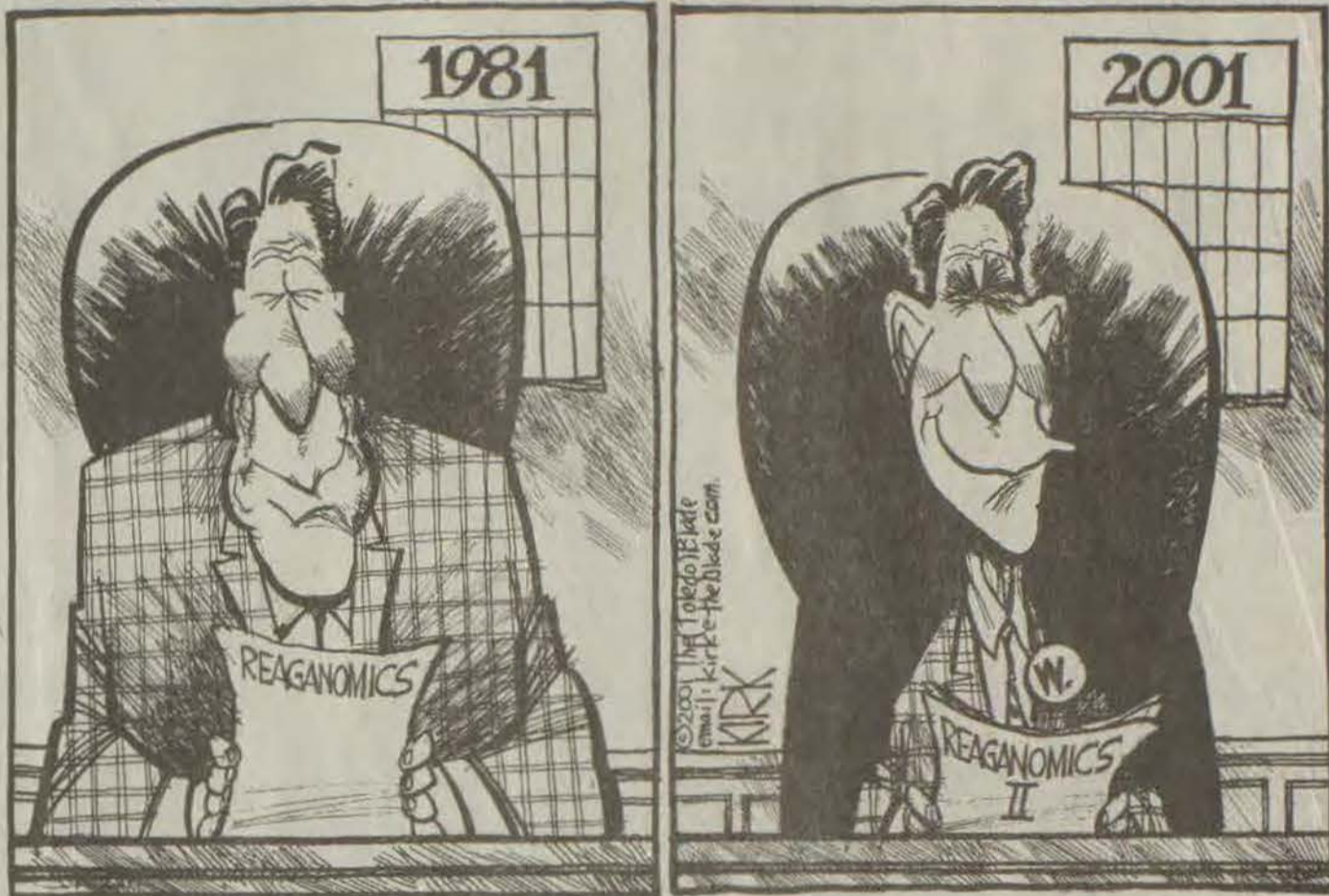
Stumbo has fought the battle against illegal dumps and roadside litter on a number of fronts. He first proposed a bottle bill which would have placed a deposit on most beverage containers, but when opposition to that idea proved strong, he agreed for the issue to be studied more closely before putting it to a vote. After a committee looked at the state's trash woes and concluded the bottle bill was the way to go, he pushed it again. When it still didn't pass, he switched to a half-cent fee on fast-food and beverage packaging. Still thwarted, he even proposed amending the state's constitution to allow voters to decide the issue, again to no avail.

That Stumbo has been blocked at all turns is not his fault. He has shown that he is willing to make compromises in order to achieve the goal of a cleaner Kentucky, but he has also proved that he will not compromise his belief that in order for any assault on litter and dumping to be successful, it must be accompanied by incentives to keep litterbugs at bay and a funding mechanism to pick up the trash which already clutters our landscape.

With Stumbo being the survivor that he is, it seems almost predetermined that at some point he will ultimately be successful in pushing through some meaningful form of solid waste legislation, if for no other reason than sheer will alone.

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Mary's Musings

Do you have class?

I have spent my life thinking that I am less important than everyone else. In my memories, I see a lonely little girl who was afraid of living. She decided long ago that she didn't fit in with the rest of the crowd, so she spent the majority of her life trying to learn how not to be friends with "them."

First grade was the year that began the construction of this wall around me. Trisha Doe was her name. She was a good girl, but one glance would reveal that she was definitely part of the "upper class." Her hair was always perfect, no matter how long she played on the playground, and she only wore name brand clothes.

One day, we participated in an art contest. We were to color a picture of a cornucopia for Thanksgiving. The winner was to receive a prize. For years, I imagined myself as a fine artist. I could stay inside the lines with the best of them. I wanted to win. I wanted to color the prettiest picture in the whole class.

Trisha brought her brand-new marker set to school that day. I watched as she sat at a corner table, surrounded by several other children like her. Their perfectly placed pigtailed were intimidating to me, but my desire to win outranked any previous conceptions I had about being the shy little girl I normally tried to be.

I had never used a marker before. Mom always bought me crayons, a box of eight, any non-Crayola brand.

I walked over to her and asked her if I could use her markers. It was the first time in my life that I had enough courage to ask anyone for anything.

"Sure," she said. They looked up at me. "But make sure you don't push hard on the markers, or you'll tear them up." "Okay," I promised, taking my place at the table.

I colored the picture carefully, pressing softly on the markers like she said, so that I wouldn't tear them up.

The first stroke I made was beautiful. Markers weren't at all like crayons. Their colors were brighter and smoother than any I had seen before. I just knew I was going to win the contest.

I held the picture arm-length before me. It was almost finished. This was one of the best pictures I had ever colored.

"I told you not to press hard on those

markers!" a harsh voice shrieked behind me.

"Look what you've done!" Trisha stood with her hands on her hips.

"But ... I didn't press hard," I pleaded. "I pressed softly on the markers just like you said."

"No, you didn't!" she screamed, grabbing the blue marker from my hand. "I can tell because of the way your picture looks."

I didn't understand. She was wrong, and I was devastated. I didn't finish the picture, and it was years before I was able to ask anyone for anything again.

Our lives are based on an entire network of instances like these. We judge ourselves with every breath, every subconscious moment.

Regardless of what we perceive to be the truth about our own personalities, we, as humans, spend our lives trying to fit in with everyone else.

What is it about everyone else that makes us think we don't belong? Why do we try so hard to fit in with the rest of society? Why spend so much money on things

we really can't afford? To look good? To fit in? Who exactly are we trying to become?

We judge our lives on what we see. From our judgment, we gather information about ourselves. By that judgment, we become the person we think the world wants or needs us to be. In a world of increasing intelligence, we search for answers to intricate questions. What remains is the fact that it isn't the question that makes us wonder. We wonder because we want to know how the person sitting next to us will answer it.

The world is still divided, just as it was divided when I was a child. We have categorically stationed ourselves to believe that we belong to a specific group, a group that was defined years ago. A first-grade student doesn't understand the semantics of a political world, but it's easy for her to feel awkward when she is confronted by someone in a different category. The way we judge ourselves is based on these divisions.

In life, you belong to one of these three categories: the "lower class," the "middle class," or the "upper class."

The mere names of these groups illustrate how significantly we perceive this division. The slang definition of the word "class" is "excellence, in reference to style or appearance." So, it is to be assumed by that definition that the "lower class" is farthest from the top of the social ladder.

I was raised without the benefit of wealth. We grew our prosperity in our

gardens alongside our beans and tomatoes. Did these circumstances place me into the lower class category? Is that why Trisha spoke so harshly toward me?

The lower class society is one that perceives itself to be such. I think it has nothing to do with money, although money lies beneath it as the basis of their classification. When you think of someone in the lower class, what do you see? Automatically, you picture someone who is poor. You assume they live in a home unsuitable for human habitation. Lower class people are probably drug addicts or alcoholics. Lower class people are dirty. They don't care about their appearance. They have no self-worth.

I perceive the lower class as none of these. A lower class person, to me, is someone who refuses to understand. In first grade, I was a lower class citizen not because I was poor, but because I was too afraid to go after the real truth. I placed myself into a shell as soon as I realized the difference between me and "them." In that shell I remained until I decided I was tired of being alone.

Can rich people be a part of the lower class? Layered with diamonds and pearls, they take the position as members of the upper class, but truthfully, isn't it their actions that tell who they really are?

Adolph Hitler was an extremely powerful person. He influenced an entire nation to kill for him. Their goal was to destroy those people divided into a different category. The pain and suffering created by one man's life paralyzed an entire world.

Nevertheless, Hitler held a prominent position as ruler of Germany. For this reason, would he belong to the upper class? Is that how his followers perceive him today?

Perception is certainly the key, and the middle class, who dangle off the center of the social ladder, are masters of it. They observe very well. They see how beautiful it looks at the top of the ladder. And, because it is probable that middle class people were once part of the lower class, they know how it feels to be at the bottom. They are the ones who made it, the ones who broke the shell.

Many middle class people are so scared of falling back off the ladder, however, that they spend their lives struggling to reach the top. Regardless of the price, they purchase anything worthy of an upper class person. When they run out of money, they continue this charade with borrowed money. Credit cards, loans, and borrowed dreams are how they place themselves as members of society.

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Musings

Ultimately, people in this situation find themselves to be unhappy at some point in their life. They look at the beautiful picture they have created for the world to see, only to realize that it isn't as important to them as it used to be. They feel helpless, trapped in a prison of bills and obligations. I feel sorry for the middle class.

I knew a woman once who captured me with this illusion. Her yearly income was not a substantial amount, but it was enough to keep her dressed in credit cards and fine jewelry. Every two years, she purchased a brand new car, straight off the lot. She wore brand name clothes, and she never bought

anything with a generic label. She was indeed, dangling off the ladder. She fell in desperation, and to this day, she hasn't figured out how to get back up.

I don't think there was anything wrong with this person's desire to reach the top of the ladder. Everyone should have similar goals in life. If this is true, however, why did she fall? I think she was just looking in the wrong direction. Her goal wasn't necessarily that she would climb to the top of the ladder, but that she would carry the appearance of someone who did.

Although the middle class can easily perceive the definition of the lower and upper class, they can't progress in their climb until they begin to perceive the definition of their true selves. Perception is, after all, the key.

Upper class people bear some similarities to the lower and middle class. Some have worked hard to reach their goals. Some

were even standing at the bottom of the ladder at some point in their lives. Others have been there the entire time.

Most people consider the upper class to be a group who are wealthy and prominent members of society. They are our goal. They are standing where we all want to be. Sadly, the majority believes that it is the wealth of the upper class that places them above our own prospective climbs. Their wealth becomes the foundation of our meaningless self-judgment, when, in fact, money had nothing to do with the success of their journey. Their prosperity is merely the result of something far more rewarding.

Upper class people are winners. They are the ones who, either by experience or intelligence, have deciphered the meaning of true success. I knew an upper class woman who, at one point in her life, made dresses out of feed sacks. Grandmother lived a small life. She didn't ask for much, so she received only the things she needed. She lost her first husband when my father was just a

boy, and she was left to raise three children on her own. They farmed the land, and when times got tough, they prayed. She taught her children to live honestly, to live lovingly, and to live well, regardless of their financial stability. Grandmother's life made just a ripple in the sands of time, but her accomplishment as an extraordinary person sent her to the top of the ladder. She surpassed the upper class years ago, wearing a homemade apron and a faded blue bonnet. The remarkable conclusion about Grandmother's journey is, however, that she wasn't trying to climb a ladder. She was just living.

I don't particularly know which rung on this ladder I happen to be holding. When I look around and see how the world has defined these classes of society, I realize that happiness doesn't come from the position they decide to label me with. I learned a long time ago that it isn't where you get in life that is important. It is all about the purpose of your journey. It is whether or not you love what you are doing. It is whether or not you even try.

Program to be held on animal production agriculture emergencies

The terms "mad cow disease" and "foot and mouth" strike fear into the hearts of agricultural producers and consumers alike. Although currently confined to European countries, what if an outbreak were to occur in the United States?

An upcoming meeting in western Kentucky will shed some light on issues related to detection and prevention of animal diseases, response to an emergency condition and recovery of resources that might be compromised during such an event. Included will be presentations on selected animal diseases of both economic and public health importance.

The Kentucky Division of Emergency Management, the Caldwell County Emergency Planning Committee and State Fire/Rescue Program, and the Kentucky Community and Technical College System will jointly host the interactive program concerning disaster man-

agement for animal systems in production agriculture. The Kentucky Department of Agriculture, Division of Animal Health/Office of the State Veterinarian, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), Division of Veterinary Services and the Kentucky Department of Public Health will also participate. It will be held on May 10, 2001 will run from 8:30 a.m. until noon, central daylight time, at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture Research and Education Center, located in Princeton on Highway 91 South.

The interactive discussion will be open to members of the public as well as emergency responders. Continuing education credit will be given to emergency responders.

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Burglaries

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cally" removed from the facility by a dolly regularly used for transporting beer kegs and other heavy items often in use at the business.

The safe, which weighed nearly 125 pounds and should have been difficult to manage, was taken out the front door. However, original entry was gained through a broken back window, Back said.

The dolly was found discarded near the Betsy Layne Church of Christ.

"There's been a series of break-ins in our community," Back said. "It seems here on the river, between here and Ivel, theft seems to be getting bad. And these people I believe knew my schedule. I believe they chose to break in while I was away from the house for the weekend."

Back was not at home the weekend of the burglary, having spent the weekend with the Blair family in Pikeville for the Hillbilly Days festival.

According to Back, J & J

Liquors, a business in close proximity to Sam an Tonio's, has also complained of various tamperings to their facility. But the most disturbing aspect, according to Back, is the comparison that can be easily made to this weekend's burglary and another occurring not more than a month ago.

On Thursday, March 29, P & B Liquors, another Betsy Layne business, was burglarized.

The two burglaries share more than just timing.

According to P & B Liquors owner Joyce Bentley, the details of the Sam an Tonio's burglary are a story she has already lived.

On the night of the burglary, Bentley said she closed the store just after midnight. She returned the next morning and noticed the dead bolt on the front entrance had been pushed outward. She entered to find that her entire stock of cigarettes was gone, along with several cases of beer.

The discovery did not end there, however. The store's safe had also been taken.

"They went on top of the roof and cut a hole through to get to the phone lines and the alarm

system," Bentley said. "Whoever it was, they knew how to get to my security system. They had been watching or staking me out or something."

According to Bentley, the Kentucky State Police explained to her that the burglars had most likely gained entry through the front door of the facility.

Once in, they refrained from causing any damage, Bentley said. Instead, intent seemed focused on the store safe.

Bentley said that the safe had been bolted firmly to the floor.

"They couldn't get the bolts out of the floor, so they just took the flooring and all," Bentley said. "The safe was about three feet wide and four feet high so it had to take a couple or more to carry it."

"I'm afraid it was somebody I knew and now I don't keep any cash in here. I'm just afraid to be here late at night."

Bentley declined to name the

exact amount of money that was lost as a result of the burglary, but did say that it was "quite a large amount" and had put her business considerably behind.

Bentley has said that any further information that could be offered in connection to her burglary would be greatly appreciated.

Although reports are few, investigations continue into both the Sam an Tonio's and P & B Liquors burglaries.

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Kentucky Commission on Women seeks input

The Kentucky Commission on Women (KCW) will host town meetings open to the public in eight locations around the state, from April 30 through May 24.

All meetings will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. local time. Refreshments will be served and children are welcome.

The purpose of the meetings is to hear from women about the strengths and weaknesses of their communities in regard to improving the quality of life for Kentucky women. These meetings will assist KCW in its mandate to advise the governor, legislature and the private sector on issues relating to Kentucky women.

The Kentucky Commission on Women encourages women in surrounding areas to attend the meeting closest to them.

The closest meetings will be held in Hazard and Ashland.

The first will take place at the Hazard Community College Feltner Building, located at One Community College Drive in Hazard, on April 30.

The series of meetings will wrap up in Ashland at the American Electric Power Building, located at 17th Street and Central Avenue, on May 24.

Other meetings around the state include:

- May 1, Somerset, Blakley Family YMCA, 100 East Somerset Church Road
- May 7, Bowling Green, Knicely Institute for Economic Development, 2355 Nashville Road
- May 8, Madisonville, Chamber of Commerce, East Center Street

■ May 10, Florence, Florence Government Center, 8100 Ewing Boulevard

■ May 17, Louisville, Louisville Free Public Library, 301 York Street

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Gearheart

pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Chester Gearheart were Larry Osborne, Frank Gearheart, Wayne Gearheart, Ricky Gearheart, Albert Gearheart, Frog Gearheart, Ryan Gearheart, and Norman Bailey.

Honorary pallbearers were Willard Shepherd, Dolphen Ratliff, and Russell Allen.

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Edgel Moore

Edgel Moore, 70, of Ivel, died Monday, April 23, 2001, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, following an extended illness.

Born on April 10, 1931, at Middle Creek, Prestonsburg, he was the son of the late Linzie and Dona Shepherd Moore. He was a retired diesel mechanic.

Survivors include two sons, David Edgel Moore of Ivel, Daniel Joseph Moore of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Kathy Lynn Boyd of Ivel; and one brother, Edd Moore of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, April 26, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin, with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will be in the Moore Cemetery, Middle Creek, Prestonsburg.

Glen Allen Whitt

Glen Allen Whitt, 79, of Pikeville, died Monday, April 23, 2001, at St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington, West Virginia.

He was born May 10, 1921, in Endicott, the son of the late Columbus Whitt and Vata Blackburn Whitt. He was a retired Kentucky Power Company employee, a U.S. Army World War II veteran, a member of the Immanuel Baptist Church, at Pikeville, and a member of the Disabled American Veterans.

He is survived by his wife, Helen Gearheart Whitt.

Other survivors include one daughter, Patricia Seegmiller of Huntington, West Virginia; two brothers, John Whitt of Burlington, Michigan, William C. Whitt of Taylor, Michigan; three sisters, Edna Whitt of Patriot, Ohio, Verdie Hamilton of Bay City, Michigan; Alma Payne of Southgate, Michigan, and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, April 26, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, at Martin.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, at Ivel.

Loreda Conley

Loreda Conley, 72, of Wayland, died Friday, April 20, 2001, at King's Daughters' Medical Center, Ashland, following an extended illness.

Born on August 30, 1928, at Estill, she was the daughter of the late Buck Vanderpool and Ida Williams Vanderpool. She was a member of the Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church at Estill.

She is survived by her husband, Bordie Conley.

Other survivors include one son, Gary Conley of Wayland, and one grandson.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, April 23, at 11 a.m., at the Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church, with James Red Morris and others officiating.

Burial was in the Jay Conley Cemetery, at Mousie, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Marie H. Martin

Marie H. Martin, 88, of Kite, died Friday, April 20, 2001, in the Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Born May 27, 1912, at Kite, she was the daughter of the late Jethro and Rosie Meade Hall. She was a member of the Rebecca Old Regular Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ibra Martin.

Survivors include three sons, Amon Martin of Kite, Anon Martin of Liberty, and Namon Martin of Topmost; two daughters, Mae Amburgey of Pinetop, and Rose Wiwi of Harrison, Ohio; two sisters, Anna Hampton of Lexington, and Goshen Hall of Kite; nine grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, April 23, at 11 a.m., in the Rebecca Regular Baptist Church, at Kite.

Burial was in the Jethro Hall Cemetery, at Kite, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Pallbearers were Nathan Martin, Jamie Martin, Phillip Hicks, Austin Hicks, Jason Carrier, and Lee Gerald.

Ruth Miller Price

Ruth Miller Price, 70, of Prestonsburg, died Friday, April 20, 2001, at the Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg.

She was born October 24, 1930, in Prestonsburg, the daughter of the late German and Eliza Prater Miller. She was a retired assembly line worker with American Standard, and was a member of the United Steelworkers.

She is survived by three sons, William Frank Price Jr. of Texas City, Texas, James Cecil Price and Richard Gordon Price, both of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Ruth Ann Hobson of Prestonsburg; 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, April 23, at 11 a.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel, Prestonsburg.

Burial was in the Mayo Cemetery in Prestonsburg.

Paula Jo Pigg Shannon

Paula Jo Pigg Shannon, 51, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, April 23, 2001, at the Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg, following an extended illness.

She was born April 5, 1950, in Prestonsburg.

She was a former registered nurse at Highlands Regional Medical Center, and a member of the First Baptist Church (Irene Cole) in Prestonsburg.

She is survived by her husband, John Kevin Shannon.

Other survivors include two daughters, Katie Gray and Tara Robinson, both of Prestonsburg; one step-son, Chris Michael of Lexington; and one grandson.

Memorial services will be conducted Thursday, April 26, at 1 p.m., at the Carter Funeral Home Chapel, Prestonsburg, with Rev. Larry Adams officiating.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the United Palsy Organization, 3601 Victory Parkway, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45229.

Blood Center seeks champion donors to join triple crown club

Signups for the Triple Crown Club of champion blood donors are going on now at

Prestonsburg Donor Center. The Center launched the Club initiative as part of Central Kentucky Blood Center's effort to ensure the availability of blood this summer—especially during holidays. Triple Crown Club donors will be asked to give blood at three specific donation opportunities over the summer. Donors who give blood now until May 6, are eligible for membership.

"The donors who sign up to join the Triple Crown Club are uniquely committed individuals," said Marsha Berry, CKBC spokeswoman. "Their Club membership says they are contracting with us to return on assigned dates to give blood. Their involvement in the Triple Crown Club tells us they want to take their donation activity to a higher level."

The three donation dates for the 2001 Triple Crown Club are: 1) before May 6 to give blood and sign up for the Club; 2) Monday, July 2; and 3) Tuesday, September 4. The donation dates are set specifically at times when attracting donors is extremely difficult—the 4th of July and Labor Day.

Donors who sign up will receive a CKBC t-shirt and a reminder magnet to display their Club membership card. On the July 2 donation, members will receive an engraved rosewood pen, and on the September 4 donation, a long-sleeved t-shirt with the Triple Crown Club logo.

These terms are designed exclusively for the Triple Crown Club donors. For more information, call Marsha Berry, 859-276-2534 or 1-800-775-2522, or

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KCTCS, Georgetown College announce British study opportunities

Through a partnership with Georgetown College, students from colleges in the Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS) will be eligible to study at one of the world's most prestigious institutions of higher education—Regent's Park College of the University of Oxford, in England. The partnership—called The British Experience in Learning and Living (BELL)—will allow KCTCS students who transfer to Georgetown College and meet eligibility requirements to attend Regent's Park, which specializes in liberal arts education such as Theology, Philosophy, History and the Classics. Credits earned at Regent's Park will apply toward Georgetown degree programs. Faculty and staff from the 28 colleges in KCTCS will be able to travel to Regent's Park and other

British institutions for professional development opportunities that will enhance their skills. KCTCS also is developing a partnership with Doncaster College—a British polytechnic institution—to create study opportunities for students, faculty and staff who specialize in technical fields. "This kind of public/private partnership to enhance education and improve Kentuckians' standard of living and quality of life is precisely the reason that we changed postsecondary education for the better four years ago," said Gov. Paul E. Patton. Patton proposed the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Improvement Act of 1997, which created KCTCS and envisioned

the seamless pathways to knowledge embodied in The British Experience. The British Experience is a direct result of Georgetown's partnership with Regent's Park. Georgetown has sent 12 students and several faculty members to study at the British college, which is part of the University of Oxford's network of 39 colleges. The KCTCS partnership with Georgetown and Regent's Park allows students, faculty and staff to explore and apply the traditions and culture of English education to Kentucky's community and technical colleges. McCall has appointed Len O'Hara, president of Paducah Community College, as the KCTCS liaison to The British

Experience. As part of those responsibilities, O'Hara will travel to England in July to develop the KCTCS agreement with Doncaster College. Dr. George Edwards, president of Prestonsburg Community College and CEO for the Big Sandy District, said, "I'm sure this is an opportunity that will appeal to our students who transfer to Georgetown, as well as to our faculty and staff members." KCTCS includes 28 colleges with 50 campuses. KCTCS colleges change lives by providing accessible and affordable education and training through academic and technical associate degrees; diploma and certificate programs in occupational fields; pre-baccalaureate education; adult, continuing and developmental education; customized training for business and industry; distance learning; and community and cultural activities. For more information, visit this web site: www.kctcs.net.

Dewey Dam helps control flooding

Dewey Dam is part of a system of dams built by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on the Levisa Fork to help control flooding. The Dam was built on John's Creek, a tributary of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River. Dewey Dam helps control flooding on the Big Sandy, Ohio and Mississippi Rivers. The Economic and Social Analysis Branch of the Planning Division in the Huntington

District Office prepares an annual report summarizing the economic benefits of flood damages prevented by Dewey Lake annually and cumulative since its completion. These figures reflect the amount of flood damages prevented based on the investment of the taxpayers' dollars. The difference between the natural and observed measurement activity accounts for a majority of the damages prevented totals. The natural gauge readings reflect how high the water would have been, absent a project. The readings are inputted into a UNIX based program to determine the damages prevented in current dollars. During fiscal year 2000, the Huntington District prevented a total of \$72,837,000 in flood damages. Dewey Lake prevented \$9,000 in flood damages for the year. Dewey Dam was constructed in the 1940's at a cost of \$6,348,182. Since the completion of Dewey Dam in 1950, a total of \$61,808,000 has been saved in flood damages. For more information on this subject contact the Ranger Staff at Dewey Lake at 606-789-4521 or 606-886-6709.

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Card of Thanks

The family of David Williams would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who was so kind during our time of sorrow. Whether you sent flowers, made phone calls, brought food, or just stopped by to offer your condolences, it was very much appreciated. I would like to thank everyone personally, but since that is not possible, this is the best way to do this. I would also like to thank the Zion Old Regular Baptist Church and its ministers for the prayers and the services. Thanks, also, to the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home. Thank you once again.
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removing filled trash bags following cleanups. More than 1,600 groups are now a part of the Adopt-A-Highway Program, and 6,500 miles have been adopted. Secretary of Transportation James Codell credits the volunteers with setting a positive example for others. "These groups are making a tremendous contribution to their communities, and in doing so, they're also making a profound statement to those who litter. We all ought to be sensible enough to know that littering is wrong, and that it destroys our environment. Hopefully, those who are littering, are paying attention to our volunteer groups. We thank the Adopt-A-Highway volunteers for their efforts." For information regarding the Adopt-A-Highway Program, contact the highway office in your district or the Frankfort office at (502) 564-4890 or visit the website at www.kytc.state.ky.us.

Patton signs proclamation

Governor Paul E. Patton will sign a proclamation declaring it Take Our Daughters to Work@ Day in Kentucky on April 26, at 10:45 a.m., in the Capitol Rotunda. Personnel Cabinet Secretary Carol Palmore and members of the Kentucky Commission on Women will join the Governor for the proclamation signing. April 26, symbolizes the day nationally that adults are encouraged to take their daughters and other girls in their lives to work with them for the day. Employers are encouraged to design activities focused on building girls' self-esteem. The program instills confidence in girls and their abilities contributions to the workforce and the economy. Although many Kentucky schools will be testing students on this day, parents and adults are encouraged to take their daughters to work on a more convenient day, after the testing. The Kentucky Commission on Women works to improve the status of women of Kentucky, educates the public about issues and challenges pertaining to women, and acts as an informational clearinghouse for women around the Commonwealth.

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Card of Thanks

The family of Estill Ousley would like to thank everyone for everything they did for us during the loss of our loved one. Thanks to those who sent flowers, food, or just spoke comforting words to us. A special thanks to all the singers, Rev. Jim Smith, Rev. Buddy Ousley. Thanks to Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service, and to the Sheriff's Department, for traffic control. The love and kindness that was shown to us will never be forgotten.

Card of Thanks

The family of Hester Hall would like to extend their appreciation of all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers, or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF HESTER HALL

Card of Thanks

The family of Thomas Spencer "Tom" Stewart wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, relatives, and neighbors in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers, or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to Dan Houston and Eddie Clark for their consoling words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF THOMAS SPENCER "TOM" STEWART

Card of Thanks

The family of Josephine Litton wishes to thank all of those who were so kind and considerate during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent flowers and gifts of love. We especially want to thank Clergyman Donnie Hackworth for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF JOSEPHINE LITTON

Card of Thanks

The family of Chester Gearheart wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors, and family who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers, and spoke comforting words. A special thanks to Clergyman Red Morris for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF CHESTER GEARHEART

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Alice Fay Clevinger

Alice Fay Clevinger, 61, of Biggs Branch, Pikeville, Ky., died Friday, April 20, 2001, at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital, Pikeville.

Born in Pikeville, she was the daughter of Cornell Fitchpatrick and Lula Boyd Fitchpatrick. She was a member of the Powells Creek Revival Center.

She is survived by her husband, Randy Clevinger of Biggs Branch Road.

Other survivors include three sons, Gary Clevinger, Ray Clevinger, and Greg Clevinger, all of Pikeville; two daughters, Doris Thacker and Teresa Justice, both of Pikeville; three sisters, Diane Sue Boyd and Lucille Murray, both of Middleport, Ohio, and Louise Laudermil of Pomeroy, Ohio; 10 grandchildren, Christina Robinson, Carrie Bartley, Stacy Thacker, Lacy Thacker, Nicholas Clevinger, Jennifer Clevinger, Austin Clevinger, Weston Clevinger, Devin Clevinger, and Garrett Clevinger, all of Pikeville; and 2 great-grandchildren, Brady Robinson and Cameron Bartley, both of Pikeville.

There were three brothers who are deceased: Claude Fitchpatrick, Donald Fitchpatrick, and Jo Marshall Fitchpatrick; and two sisters who are deceased: Mary Madgalene Fitchpatrick and Pearl Francis Scarberry.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, April 23, at 11 a.m., at the Pinecrest Funeral Home, East Shalbiana Road, Pikeville, Ky., with Jimmy Dale Sanders, Roger Johnson, and others, officiating.

Burial was in the Clevinger Family Cemetery, at Marrowbone. *Paul obituary*

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

Fitness Center to open

The Maytown Center will open their Fitness Center on Wednesday, May 2. The first orientation, will be on Monday, April 30, at 7 p.m., in the auditorium. Monthly fee is \$15. Call the Maytown Center, at 285-0539, for more information.

Special singing

Special singing event to be held at Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church, located in Estill, on Saturday, May 5. The Bentley Brothers are scheduled to perform. Refreshments will be available. All are welcome.

Howard family reunion

The Howard family will hold their 40-year reunion on August 12, at the Hueysville Church of Christ from 12:30 to 4:00 p.m. All descendants of Thomas, James, John, and John E. Howard whose children were, for the most part, born at Mid in Magoffin County, are invited to attend.

Descendants of the John E. Howard family are especially invited. Relatives of the Graydon Howard family, of Pyramid, and the Lewis Howard family, of Hueysville, are expected to attend in large numbers.

Please bring your own food and drinks. For more information, call Richard Howard at (859) 744-3752.

National Day of Prayer

May 3, 2001, National Day of Prayer. Join us for a community prayer service on the parking lot behind Gearheart Communications at Harold at 7:00 p.m. We will be praying about our leaders, our communities, our families and other concerns. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call Terry Adkins at 478-5433.

HRMC "Living Well with Diabetes"

Session one: "Fresh Start" April 26.

Plan for travel with vacation tips on dining out and planning ahead. Speaker: Kirstin Anderson, Registered Dietitian.

"Living Well with Diabetes" meetings will be held in the Floyd Room at Highlands Regional Medical Center from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

All classes are free of charge and conducted by a registered Dietitian. For further information, contact food and nutrition services, at (606) 886-8511, ext. 7353.

Daniel Newsome family reunion

The descendants of Daniel Newsome, of Teaberry, will meet for their Tenth Annual Reunion on May 27, at the Army Corps of Engineers Dewey Dam Spillway, Shelter No. 3. Family members are asked to bring a covered dish, dessert, drinks, etc.

DAV note of caution

Local members of the DAV, Munroe Vanderpool Memorial Chapter 128, wish to make local citizens aware that persons not affiliated with the DAV have been soliciting funds from local businesses and conducting roadblocks in the local area. When conducting fund-raising activities, DAV members wear official uniforms, and hand out small, felt poppies. DAV, Chapter 128 is not conducting any fund-raising activities at this time.

PCC Microsoft class

Prestonsburg Community College is now a Microsoft Authorized Academic Training Provider. Beginning this summer, Prestonsburg CC will be offering seven sequential fast-track courses to prepare students for the Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer Certification on Windows 2000. The classes begin June, 2001 and end February, 2002. Seating for these courses is very limited.

For more information, contact Patricia Goodman at (606) 886-3863, ext. 321.

Jubilee Christian Assembly of God Women's Ministry

April 29: Sunday, at Jubilee Christian Assembly, North Mayo Trail, Pikeville. Healing service: 11 a.m., with Dr. Tom Renfro, M.D., from Freedom of Worship, Norton, Virginia. Bible study at 10 a.m.

Alzheimer's association caregiver support group

To help those who care for persons with Alzheimer's disease, the Lexington/Bluegrass Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association sponsors a support group in Prestonsburg. It will meet at the First Presbyterian Church at 7 p.m., on the 2nd Tuesday of every month. The group provides a relaxed, confidential atmosphere where fellow caregivers can exchange experiences, methods of dealing with unique problems, and the latest information about available services and research. Meetings are free and open to the public. For more information, contact the group leader, Dana Caudill, (606) 886-0265.

Depression support group

Need to talk to others who know how you feel? Join us at the Allen Convention Center, next to the pool and walking track, at Stumbo Park, every Thursday at 6

p.m. All persons with depression, or just feelin' blue, come out and talk about it.

For information, call Tina at 874-0544.

Tree seedlings for sell

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Kenpo Karate

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SS rep to visit Mud Creek Clinic

A Social Security Representative will visit the Mud Creek Clinic each Tuesday during the month of April.

The Representative will be in the Clinic to assist people in filing Social Security claims and appeals.

People can also apply for Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Black Lung and Social Security numbers. You can also pick up booklets on Social Security and get questions answered.

Betsy Layne High School Reunion

Classes of the 1940s, 1950s, and 1960s will meet on Friday, June 8. For more information, contact Joe Hinchman, Class of 1947 before May 8, 874-2821, P.O. Box 493, Allen, KY 41601 or e-mail: mryhinch@eastky.net

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Computer Skills—Basic Computer Training to include Microsoft Word, Excel, and Access; Internet use; and Windows

Day/Time: Friday—5:00 to 9:00 p.m. and Saturday—9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. May 4 through June 2, 2001

Cost: \$40.00

Location: MSU—Big Sandy Campus Prestonsburg, KY

Deadline for Registration is April 30, 2001

Class size is limited to 20

Physical Abilities/Self Defense Training—Basic/intermediate self defense

Day/Time: Monday and Wednesday, 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. June 4 through July 9, 2001

Cost: \$40.00

Location: Prestonsburg Community College Prestonsburg, KY

Deadline for Registration is MAY 11, 2001

Class size is limited to 20

Conversational Spanish—Beginning Spanish with emphasis on law enforcement language

Day/Time: Tuesday and Thursday—6:00 to 8:00 p.m. May 22 through July 12, 2001

Cost: \$80.00

Location: Sheldon Clark High School Inez, KY

Deadline for Registration is May 11, 2001

Class size is limited to 20

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Although volunteers are frequently seen during performances, ushering and working in our coat check room, in reality, volunteers are involved in all phases of the Center. Prior to a

show, volunteers stuff playbills, and once the crowds are gone, they assist with cleaning the theater. On non-performance days, there is still work to be done at the MAC.

Quite simply, without the dedication and continuing support of our volunteer staff, the Center could not function.

If you are looking for something to do, or if you would like to be a part of this wonderful service opportunity, then we are interested in talking to you.

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The Kentucky Division of Forestry announces the 2001 Urban and Community Forestry Grant Program. This competitive grant provides funding for urban forestry projects designed to improve urban areas through proper tree management, community volunteer programs, educational projects, and urban forestry programs. Eligible applicants such as municipalities, educational institutions, civic organizations, and non-profit organizations may apply for up to \$10,000 to develop or enhance local and urban community forestry programs. The applications are now available from the Kentucky Division of Forestry. Completed applications will be due on June 1. To request an application, call the Kentucky Division of Forestry at 1-800-928-0045.

Technical grant writing assistance is available through the Big Sandy RC&D. Call (606) 789-7706, for more information.

Search for Mrs. Floyd County International announced

Applications are now being accepted for the title of Mrs. Floyd County, an official preliminary to the Mrs. Kentucky International Pageant, to be presented at the Huntington City Auditorium on June 16 and 17.

The woman chosen as Mrs. Floyd County International will become an ambassador from the Floyd County area, and will receive an official title and sash. The woman chosen as Mrs. Kentucky International will receive a prize package.

Competitions will include interview, aerobic wear and evening gown. There is no swimsuit competition.

Married women living in the Floyd County area, that are interested, should call (304) 453-6443.

Vaccines available for Veterans

All veterans enrolled for VA health care are encouraged to get flu and pneumonia shots. The vaccines are available at the Huntington VA Medical Center on Spring Valley Drive and at VA Outpatient Clinics located at 104 Alex Lane in Charleston, and on KY 321 in Prestonsburg. Appointments at the Prestonsburg Clinic may be scheduled by calling 606/886-1970.

Rules change for transportation

Sandy Valley Transportation Service hours for scheduling rides have changed. In accordance with a new state law and effective immediately, all Medicaid and Kentucky Works recipients must contact Sandy Valley at least three days before their scheduled appointment times and between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday, and 8 a.m.-1 p.m. on Saturday, to schedule transportation. Urgent care trips may be scheduled at any time.

To schedule transportation or for information, call 1-800-444-RIDE (7433).

Vet rep available

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Fibromyalgia support group meetings

The monthly meetings of Fibromyalgia Support Group are being held in the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Building. These meetings are scheduled on the first Tuesday of every month. Contact Sharon, 478-5224, or Phyllis, 874-2769.

Group sets meeting

The Ups of Down Syndrome support group now has a permanent meeting place and time. The group will meet the first Sunday of every month from 2-4 p.m., at the Pikeville YMCA, beside Pikeville Independent School. Call 606/377-6142 or 478-5099 for more information.

Domestic violence

Are you in an abusive relationship and feel as if there is no way out? Call our 24-hour crisis line and talk to Certified Domestic Violence Counselors, discuss ways you can remedy the problem, call 886-6025 or out-of-the-area 1-800-649-6605, because "Love Doesn't Have To Hurt."

Housing assistance in Wayland area

HOMES Inc. has opened an office in the Wayland Community Center to assist low income persons in the Right and Left Beaver areas with housing needs. Nelson

Hopkins is in the office on Wednesdays from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. to help persons who need repairs on their existing homes or with securing new housing. Area persons may call 358-9473 on Wednesdays to speak with Hopkins or leave a message on other days. Or they may call the HOMES Inc. headquarters in Neon, toll-free, at 1-877-271-1791, ext. 10.

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Community Action Agency is taking applications for the senior training program. For information, call Tammy Jervis, 606/886-2929. The program's primary goal is to create employment for those 55 and over. SCSEP helps prepare older workers to compete for jobs by providing minimal training and placing eligible applicants into permanent employment. Training sites are expected to develop the participant's skill and hire or release them.

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The Floyd County Local Planning Committee will conduct several PUBLIC FORUMS. This meeting is an informal gathering to encourage local participation through community suggestions relative to future utilization of existing facilities and construction of new school centers. These community suggestions or recommendations will be closely monitored by the Local Planning Committee in the development of a proposed Master Educational Facility Plan and District Facility Plan for the Floyd County School System. The scheduled dates, times and locations for the PUBLIC FORUMS are as follows:

Place	Date	Time	Meeting Place
Right Beaver	Tuesday, May 8, 2001	6:30 p.m.	Allen Central High School
Left Beaver	Thursday, May 10, 2001	6:30 p.m.	South Floyd High School
Betsy Layne	Tuesday, May 15, 2001	6:30 p.m.	Betsy Layne Elementary
Prestonsburg	Thursday, May 17, 2001	6:30 p.m.	Adams Middle School

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Kentucky farms battle to clean up state's air, water

Kentucky farms are the new front line in the battle to clean up the state's air and water, and the good news is that real progress is being made in both areas.

As Earth Day 2001 was observed this month, calling attention to environmental themes, farmers are quietly moving to embrace new technologies and practices that are reducing soil erosion, minimizing the use of inputs, and increasing wildlife habitat.

"It's the right thing to do," says Neil Allen, who heads up Kentucky Farm Bureau's Natural Resources Advisory Committee. "But in many cases, farmers are actually improving their production and their bottom line by making these changes."

"Core 4" is a catchy-sounding phrase that has recently come into vogue among conservationists. The label refers to four key farm management practices that can lead to better soil, cleaner water and greater

profits, according to the Conservation Technology Information Center, headquartered at Purdue University.

The so-called "Core 4" include conservation tillage, nutrient management, weed and pest management and conservation buffers. Taken together, the four practices reduce soil tillage and the resulting erosion, make more efficient use of fertilizer applications, minimize the use of herbicides and insecticides, and reduce soil and nutrient runoff by planting strips of vegetation along streambanks.

Allen, who produces tobacco, grain, forage and livestock on his Barren County farm, says conservation tillage, more commonly referred to as no-till, is the most important factor in reducing environmental damage by farms in his area.

"There's a lot more corn, soybeans and alfalfa grown no-till now than just four or five years ago," Allen said. "The majority of pastures are renovated now with no-till seeders. It's pretty much become a standard practice."

On his own farm, Allen says an experiment he conducted about five years ago drove home the advantages of no-till forage production.

"I sowed three different alfalfa fields, and I used no-till on one, minimum till on one and conventional plowing and disking on the third," he said. "The no-till field has performed the best consistently since that time, while the fully tilled field played our first. That really opened my eyes."

But the economic benefits of sound conservation practices aren't always so direct. That's where a bevy of new cost-share programs have provided an important boost to farmers who want to do a better job with their operations, but face expensive modifications to their practices.

Livestock producers are among the chief beneficiaries of the funding sources. A variety of animal waste handling systems are being installed on Kentucky farms, with part of the cost underwritten by state or federal conservation funds.

"These programs are having a tremendous impact," Allen agrees. "It's hard for a small-scale producer to afford making these changes on his own."

Allen, who is active with his local conservation board, says demand for the new system is putting a strain on the agency personnel that oversee the work.

"Our agency people are being worked hard," he explained. "They have to be involved in choosing sites, designing the systems and supervising a lot of the construction work. They're going to be very busy over the next few years."

That level of interest by farmers is music to the ears of another farm leader, Kentucky Farm Bureau President Sam Moore. He produces grain and livestock in Butler County, and in his leadership role, sees some cause for optimism that Kentucky farmers can accommodate environmental protection and still keep focused on a strong bottom line.

"I think it's doubly significant that farmers are making landmark changes in their practices to protect the land at a time when the farm economy has made it tough for everyone in agriculture to survive," Moore said.

"Farmers have a lot of experience at turning problems into opportunities. They know their land and water are their most valuable resources. And they are using the latest technology, combined with a good dose of common sense, to protect those resources for their families and for all Kentuckians."

Every day is Earth Day for the Carter Funeral Home

Earth Day comes but once a year for most of us, but for the Carter Funeral Home of Prestonsburg, it is year 'round.

The Carter Funeral Home makes arrangements to have a young tree planted for each service that they perform, to provide a living memorial in honor of the deceased, and to help renew the forest life in Kentucky.

These memorial trees are planted on public lands where professional planters determine they are most needed, and they serve more than one purpose. The plantings are meant to bring peace and comfort to the families and to contribute to the health and preservation of the forest, they cleanse the air and provide habitat for wildlife.

Demonstrating a strong commitment to the families they serve, and concern for the environment, the Carter Funeral Home is a member of the Lofty Oaks Association, a nationwide organization dedicated to renewing forests in all 50 states since 1981.

"There's something profoundly meaningful about a living memorial that touches peoples' hearts," says one funeral director. "The planting of a tree is one small but significant way we try to help people through a difficult time."

The Carter Funeral Home is aware that this is a positive contribution to their families as well as the environment, and are eager to participate to promote a better life.

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by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

Goodner equals
simplicity

First impressions are always well, first impressions. In other words, they definitely go a long way.

Coach Guy Morriss has UK heading in the right direction despite a recruiting scandal that leaves next season's future very shady. No word as to when the NCAA will lay down the punishment.

I met Coach Morriss over the weekend. He's a very personable person. Considering the hand he's been dealt, I think he's doing an outstanding job with the UK football program.

John Goodner, the University of Kentucky's new defensive coordinator, is equally impressive. Coach Goodner is very impressive in his approach. Goodner, a veteran defensive coach, comes to the Bluegrass State from Texas Tech where he was a defensive coordinator.

One might say, "Oooh, Texas Tech, big deal!" Well, John Goodner is a big deal. Listen to the seasoned defensive coach talk and you'll understand what I'm talking about. Goodner goes about getting his defensive players tuned into their defensive assignments and various jobs with a simple approach. Coach Goodner breaks down offenses, he has his players looking for things. He makes defense simple. At least understanding it anyway.

Coach Goodner can't go out and play the game for his players by no means. What he can do is give his players a simple approach to defense, like he's already done.

UK defensive players

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Baseball



photo by Steve LeMaster
Allen Central's Brandon Sizemore ran to first base during his team's road game at Prestonsburg on Monday. Allen Central beat the host Blackcats, 8-1.

Soccer

Floyd County
Wolfpack 2,
Pikeville
Dragons 1

The Floyd County U12 soccer team traveled to Pikeville and did battle with the host Dragons on Saturday. The Wolfpack played the best game of the season thus far, while squeaking out a 2-1 win over the scrappy Dragons.

The undermanned Wolfpack found themselves down 1-0 at halftime. Jared Willis had five saves as goalie until he injured a finger and had to leave the game.

The Wolfpack regrouped during the halftime period and came out to score two goals. Aaron Patton scored the first goal on fancy footwork past the Dragons defense. Patton later assisted Brittany Butcher for her first goal.

Wolfpack Coach Sharon Collins was impressed with the way her team played.

"It is always hard to play at Pikeville, and to come in with no substitutes is doubly hard," said Collins. "Thirty minutes of constant running is a long time to play with no rest. We had to switch positions con-

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FLOYD COUNTY
Sports

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- ▶ Kids Day in the Park • B2
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Caudill, UK defense a good fit with Goodner

Defensive Blue squad
wins spring game

KENTUCKY WILDCATS



photo by Steve LeMaster

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

Defense wins ball games. It really does. The Blue team proved that in the University of Kentucky's annual spring football game, held Saturday at Georgetown College's Rawlings Stadium. The Blue squad, under new defensive coordinator John Goodner, scored a 21-20 win despite not running an offensive play in the last three quarters.

The annual game, was moved to Rawlings due to the renovation being done at Commonwealth Stadium. A crowd estimated at 4,020 watched the game. The broadcast team of Tom Leach and Jeff Van Note carried the game live on the radio.

Jeremy Caudill, a former stellar performer at Prestonsburg High School, who started at UK last season as a true freshman started at a defensive tackle position, along with teammate Dewayne Robertson, another true freshman heading into a sophomore campaign after starting and thriving last season.

The first quarter of Saturday's spring finale featured UK alumni in a touch football game. The Blue alumni won the first quarter by a 12-0 score. The final three quarters of the game were played by the UK varsity in an offense vs. defense scrimmage, with the White team being on offense and the Blue team on defense.

Former UK nose guard, Joey Couch, a Paintsville High School alum, was just one of several former Wildcats who took part in the traditional alumni touch game.

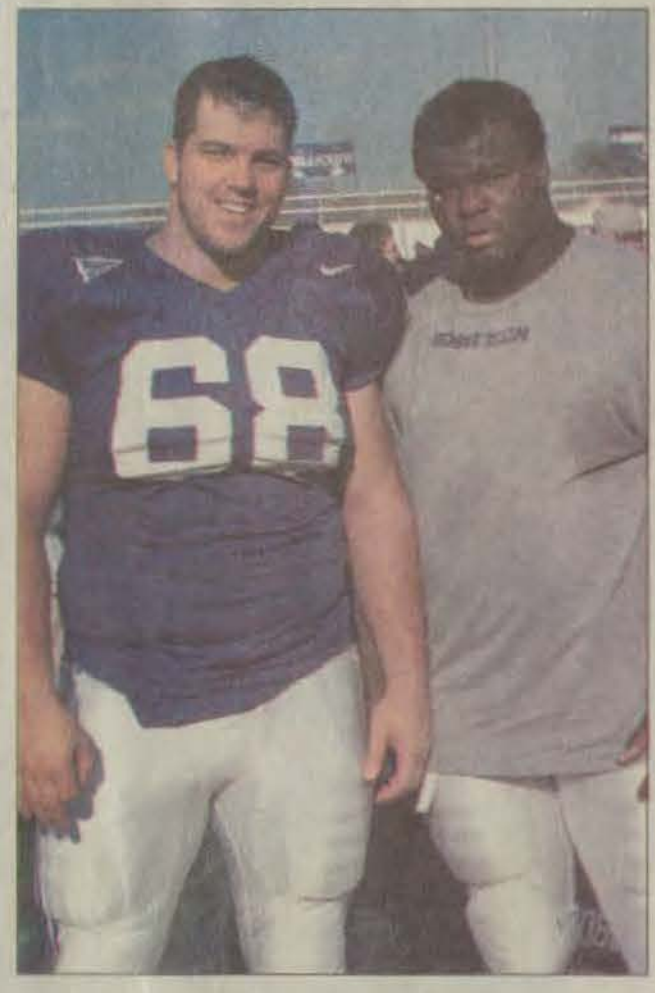
The Blue team added to its lead in the second quarter with a safety. A 51-yard punt by Anthony Thornton was downed on the one-yard line, and on the next play, White team running back Mike Kamphake was tackled in the end zone for the safety. The defense held the offense scoreless in the second quarter and the halftime score was 14-0.

Redshirt freshman Shane Boyd got the offense going in the third quarter. Boyd led the White team on a 60-yard scoring drive that was

(See UK, page three)

(Above) Kentucky Coach Guy Morriss talked with players at the conclusion of Saturday's Blue-White Spring Game.

(Right) University of Kentucky defensive tackles Jeremy Caudill (left) and Dewayne Robertson (right) will return as starters when the Wildcats kick the 2001 college football season off against the University of Louisville in the fall.



PHS tennis teams beat Paintsville, Magoffin Co.



photo by Steve LeMaster
Prestonsburg's Stephanie Webb returned a ball during tennis play Monday against Magoffin County at Archer Park.

TIMES STAFF REPORT

The Prestonsburg High School boys' and girls' tennis teams, under veteran tennis coach Bobby Hamilton, claimed strong victories over Paintsville on Thursday, April 19, and over another foe, Magoffin County, on Monday evening.

Scores
Prestonsburg vs. Paintsville (P'ville), 8-0
Boys
Singles
Jeremy Clark (P'burg) def. Cody Johnson (P'ville), 8-0
Tetsuya Isero (P'burg) def. Adam Rice (P'ville), 8-1
Dustin Music (P'burg) def. Chuck Hicks (P'ville), 9-7
John Mark Tackett (P'burg) def. John Compton (P'ville), 8-0

Josh Justice (P'burg) def. Joseph Spradlin (P'ville), 8-0
Chris Kidd (P'burg) won by forfeit Prestonsburg 6, Paintsville 0
Doubles
Rica, Hicks (P'ville) def. Ricky Powers, Josh Francis (P'burg), 8-4
Compton, Spradlin (P'ville) def. Chris Kidd, Mikael Fannin (P'burg), 8-0
Paintsville 2, Prestonsburg 1
Overall: Prestonsburg 7, Paintsville 2

Prestonsburg's Cynthia Fitzpatrick claimed an 8-5 victory over her Paintsville opponent, while teammates Stephanie Webb, Beth Crisp and Breanne Harmon also claimed victories en route to a 4-2 win in singles play. Webb and Taryn Harris teamed up for a 9-7 win in doubles play. The Prestonsburg girls downed Paintsville by a 7-2 final.
Magoffin County came to Archer

Park on Monday and found Prestonsburg's home tennis courts to be unkind. Eight Prestonsburg boys' players: Jeremy Clark, Tetsuya Isero, Dustin Music, Josh Justice, Jon Mark Tackett, Ricky Powers, Xavier Jiminez and Mikael Fannin, scored victories. Josh Francis, Ricky Powers and Chris Kidd contributed in doubles play as the Blackcats scored an 8-0 win over the visiting Hornets in boys' singles play.

Prestonsburg's girls tennis team took eight of nine singles events over their Magoffin County counterparts. Those Prestonsburg players claiming victories were Sasha Arovina, Cynthia Fitzpatrick, Taryn Harris (2), Stephanie Webb, Beth Crisp, Ashley Fish, Sarah Dixon and Tiffany Blackburn. Prestonsburg fell 3-0 in girl's doubles play, before settling for an 8-4 victory.

Track and field

Prestonsburg High School Track Schedule

Table with columns: Date, Location. Rows: May 1, 3, 5, 7, 15, 24, 26, June 1-2.

Allen Grade School Track Schedule

Table with columns: Date, Location. Rows: April 25, 30, May 5, 10, 14.

Prestonsburg keeps pace at track meet

The Prestonsburg High School track teams were in competition on Thursday, April 19 in Pikeville at Bob Amos Park. The Prestonsburg women's team came away with a third-place finish...

School records

Chris Spriggs set a school record in the discus and Aaron Neeley set a school record in the 300 hurdles for Prestonsburg High School in the track meet held last Thursday at Pikeville.

Coaches reminder

Coaches get your box scores in to the Times. Please send everything c/o Steve LeMaster. Phone: 606/886-8506 Fax: 606/886-3603 E-mail: sports@floydcountytimes.com

Basketball

NBA Playoffs First Round (Best of five) Tonight Orlando at Milwaukee, 8 p.m.

Fishing

Food City Open Bass Tournament

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The weigh-in show will be held at the Food City store in the Town and Country Shopping Center in Pikeville. When the tournament is concluded, police escort will lead the anglers from the lake to the weigh-in site.

Baseball

On the web MLB.com baseballinfo.com ESPN.com baseballamerica.com CHNLS.com

NL standings

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Rows: Philadelphia, Montreal, Florida, New York, Atlanta.

CENTRAL DIVISION

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Rows: Chicago, Houston, Cincinnati, Milwaukee, St. Louis, Pittsburgh.

WEST DIVISION

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Rows: San Francisco, Colorado, Los Angeles, Arizona, San Diego.

AL standings

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Rows: Boston, Toronto, New York, Baltimore, Tampa Bay.

CENTRAL DIVISION

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Rows: Minnesota, Cleveland, Chicago, Kansas City, Detroit.

WEST DIVISION

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Rows: Seattle, Texas, Anaheim.

Quote of the day...

"Above anything else, I hate to lose."

— Jackie Robinson

Reds Schedule

Table with columns: Date, Location. Rows: April 25-29, May 1-9.

High school

Table with columns: School, Date, Location. Rows: Allen Central remaining schedule, May 1-19.

Auto racing

Hamilton wins caution-free Talladega

Bobby Hamilton, driver of the No. 55 Square D Chevrolet made a move on leader Tony Stewart with two laps to go in Sunday's Winston Cup Talladega 500, and then outdrove the remainder of the field for his first victory for car owner Andy Petree.

When asked what strategy he used to win, Hamilton replied, "I watched that car last year and how he came from the outside. When I saw Joe (teammate, Joe Nemechik), come up behind me, I knew everything was going to be all right."

Busch victory goes to McLaughlin

Jimmy Spencer accused Mike McLaughlin of dirty driving after McLaughlin won Saturday's Busch Series Subway 300.

"Just dirty driving," said Spencer of McLaughlin's defensive driving. "That's the stonkiest, dirtiest little SOB I've ever seen. That's OK, though," McLaughlin didn't see it that way.

Fanfare: Pit Strategy

Pit stops and pit strategy can give a driver a win or take away a possible one. "I don't know how they are getting on pit road so good. We've been losing three or four seconds a pit stop. We're busting out 14- and 15-second stops and getting beat. Between our poor pit stops and getting in and out of pit road is how we lost the race," said Ward Burton after last September's Southern 500 at Darlington Speedway.

Teams gamble whether they should pit for fresh tires or stay out on the track. It's called "rolling the dice." Normally if the leader pits late in a race all other cars on the lead lap will follow. The cars that remain on the track are either out of sync on their pit stops, or they have no hope of winning if they pit.

and taking on two tires helped us," said Nadeau. The next time you hear a driver in Victory Lane thanking his pit crew you will understand why. Next Week: How is The Big Money Divided?

Weekend Racing: Both the NASCAR Busch and Winston Cup Series will be at California Speedway in Fontana, CA. The Craftsman Truck Series has the weekend off.

Answer To Last Week's Question: The first race was held at Talladega in 1969. Gerald Hodges/The Racing Reporter is a syndicated NASCAR columnist. If you have a racing question that you would like answered send it to The Racing Reporter, P.O. Box 160711, Mobile, AL, 36616, or e-mail it to: 110335.405@compuserve.com

Calendar

Demolition Derby Powell County site for demolition derby A demolition derby sponsored by the Powell County football boosters is scheduled for Friday, June 8 at 7 p.m. at the Powell County Lions Club Park.

Tennis Pikeville YMCA to hold camp The Pikeville YMCA is currently holding registration for tennis camp for ages 5-17 through June 11. The fee is \$60 for members and \$75 for non-members.

Gymnastics YMCA offering classes The Pikeville YMCA will hold gymnastics classes instructed by Jodi Justice every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. at the YMCA. Age groups will be 2-3 years old, 4-5 years old, and 6-10 years old.

Horse Show Christ Central School Horse Show A horse show will be held at Archer Park in Prestonsburg to benefit the Christ Central School on Thursday, May 12, at 5 p.m.

Fishing T. Valley Bass Anglers to hold open tourney The Tug Valley Bass Anglers will be holding the "Food City Open," an open-bass tournament at Fishtrap Lake, on Saturday, April 28. The tournament will be a one-day event starting at 7 a.m. and continuing until 3 p.m., when weigh-in will be held.

Fishtrap Lake Information For daily information on Fishtrap Lake call 606/437-9426. If you need to talk to the ranger staff call 606/437-7496.

Hunting

2001 Quota Elk Hunts

4 Bull hunts: October 6-12 6 Cow hunts: December 1-7 Apply by May 31. Cost: \$10. Hunters may apply once. No other fees are required.

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Softball

High School Schedules May 2 at Knott Co. Central 3 at Millard 9 at Prestonsburg 10 at Pikeville 14 at Millard 17 at Pike Central 18 at Pikeville

Betsy Layne Apr 27 Leave for Bishop Brossart May 1 at Prestonsburg 3 at Elkhorn City 4 at Pike Central 7 at Paintsville 10 at Johnson Central (DH) 12 at Perry Central (DH) 14 at Pikeville

South Floyd edges S. Clark, 6-5

TIMES STAFF REPORT The South Floyd Lady Raiders met up with the host Sheldon Clark Lady Cardinals Thursday, April 19 in a 15th Region softball encounter.

Tennis

Prestonsburg High School Tennis remaining schedule April 26 Boyd Co. home 5:30 April 28 East Carter home 9:30- TBA

Fitness

Pro-Fitness Outdoor Events

- April 29 - Dewey Lake Kayak Tour; convention center, 9 a.m. May 27 - German Bridge Mountain Trail Bike Ride; German Bridge Campground, 9 a.m. June 24 - Sandy Valley Century, Pro-Fitness, 7 a.m. July 29 - Little Shepherd Mountain Trail Bike Ride; Whitesburg McDonalds, 8 a.m. August 26 - Jenny Wiley Mountain Trail Bike Festival; Jenny Wiley Mountain Trail Bike Trails, 10 a.m. September 26 - Mountain Trail Bike Tour of Prestonsburg; Pro-Fitness, 1 p.m. October 7 - Levisa Cup river race; Prestonsburg River Park, 9 a.m. November 25 - Turkey Trot Mountain Trail Bike Ride; Pro-Fitness, 1 p.m. December 23 - Christmas Trail Run; Convention Center, 1 p.m.

For more information, contact Don Fields at 606/886-8604 or at profitness@multisports.net.

Sports Briefs...

Basketball

Penders resigns at George Washington Tom Penders resigned at George Washington last Friday, after a week of scandal involving possible NCAA rules violations and charges against a player. Penders quit effective June 30.

Baseball

Sanders honored

Deion Sanders, an outfielder for the Class AAA RiverBats, has been selected as the International League's batter of the week after having five multi-hit games while batting .700. His 14 hits in 20 at-bats included three doubles and two triples. He scored four runs, stole two bases and had on-base and slugging percentages of .727 and 1.060, respectively. Sanders is expected to be called up to the Cincinnati Reds in the very near future.

Football

Cats in NFL

Three University of Kentucky football players were chosen in the NFL draft, while five other players signed free-agent contracts with five different NFL teams. Eric Kelly, Marlon McCree and Quentin McCord were taken in the draft. Derek Homer, Matt Layrow, Kenneth Grant, Jimmy Robinson and Omar Smith each signed free-agent contracts.

LocoMotives fall to 0-4

LaVorn Caughin hauled in a 33-yard touchdown pass on the LocoMotives' first play from scrimmage, but the Lake Charles (La.) Land Sharks spoiled the Huntington team's inaugural home game, 19-18, Saturday night.



photo by Steve LeMaster

Jeremy Caudill (68) gave chase to redshirt freshman quarterback Shane Boyd during Saturday's Blue-White Spring Game.

An announced crowd of 4,160 watched the National Indoor Football League game at the Huntington Civic Arena.



photo by Steve LeMaster

Brevard Mountain High School Running Camp to be held in June

A camp for high school track & cross country runners in the mountains of North Carolina, June 18-23. The camp is directed by top elite coaches. US Olympians and Kenyan distance runners. Cool temperatures and great mountain scenery in Brevard, NC make for an exciting week of trail running, tubing and fun.

Around the corner

8th Annual Kids Day in the Park Saturday, April 28

The 8th Annual Kids Day in the Park will be held at Archer Park on Saturday, April 28, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The popular event is sponsored by Food City and WMDJ.

Competitions for kids ages nine and under include:

- Hot Shot basketball Sack race Kickball Hole-in-one golf Football toss 50-yard dash Big Wheel race

Trophies will be awarded in every event. Free snack/drink stops will be available for kids ages nine and under.

Other attractions include:

- The Prestonsburg Fire Dept. Little Pumper The Giant Three Story High Food City Shopping Cart The KFC Chicken Army Corp of Engineers Safety Squirrel Smokey the Bear UK Medical Transport Helicopter Respond Ambulance

Free goodie bags will be available for all kids ages nine and under. Free pony rides and a petting zoo will also be available for children ages nine and under from 10 a.m. to noon.

After noon, kids may ride ponies for \$2 per ride. Everyone over nine years of age is asked to support the Allen Central Jr. ROTC by making food and drink purchases from their concession stands. If it rains, or if inclement weather occurs April 28, Kids Day in the Park will be held May 5.

Car owner Petree offered a bargain

by STEVE MICKEY
NASCAR COLUMNIST

In recent years the races at Talladega have become two of the more anticipated stops on the schedule. This year there was more interest than usual with Talladega's first race because of the circumstances that surrounded the season opening race at Daytona. Saddled with the same rules that the Daytona 500 was ran under, Talladega was expected to become a crash filled event with the winner being more of a survivor than actually winning the race out right.

To the credit of 43 of the best drivers in the world, the Talladega 500 was a caution free race with 29 lead changes with the final lead change courtesy of Square D driver Bobby Hamilton. The win gave his owner, Andy Petree his first ever Winston Cup victory since becoming an owner in 1996.

Even though it was his first trip to victory lane with his own team, Petree's resumé in the sport is one that shows he has one of the best mechanical minds in the garage area. His first taste of winning in the series came back in 1981 when he changed tires for Darrell Waltrip who won the series cham-

ampionship that year.

Five years later at the age of 28 he became crew chief for Leo Jackson's operation which fielded cars with the Skoal Bandit sponsorship. Between 1989 and 1992, Petree teamed with Harry Gant to win nine races including an outstanding stretch of four consecutive wins in September of 1991.

His success with Jackson caught the eye of Richard Childress who needed a replacement for Dale Earnhardt's crew chief, Kirk Sheldermine who left after the '92 season. The union between Petree and Earnhardt wasn't an instant success as Childress had to play the role of matchmaker between the two during that first season. Childress made the two go to dinner together one night to settle their differences of opinion. Looking back, Petree says that was the turning point of his relationship with Earnhardt.

Earnhardt went on to capture his sixth championship in 1993 followed by a seventh title in 1994. The Goodwrench driver fell just 35 points short of scoring an unprecedented eighth crown when Jeff Gordon beat him in 1995. In three seasons, Petree and

Earnhardt won 15 races, two championships and just under \$10 million.

When the '95 season ended, Jackson persuaded Petree to return to the team that gave him his first crew chief's job. Part of the deal in his return was that Petree would end up with ownership of the team.

When the '96 season began, Petree filled the role of both owner and crew chief with Robert Pressley as his driver. The following year Ken Schrader became the driver of his Skoal Bandit Chevrolet. He hired Kenny Wallace to drive a second car for his operation and in the process, Wallace brought Square D with him for his old team to become the sponsor.

Wallace announced last season that he would be leaving for another ride in 2001, but Square D stayed put with Petree. Bobby Hamilton was hired to replace Wallace in his #55 Square D Monte Carlo and become the teammate of Joe Nemechek who was now in Petree's #33 Oakwood Homes Chevrolet.

Going into Sunday's race, Hamilton was in seventh place in the points standings proving that Petree made the right decision in

putting him in the Square D car. The car was strong, but the truth was that the Square D sponsorship was on shaky ground. It costs between \$7 million and \$12 million a year for a team to be in a position to be competitive each week and Square D just couldn't match those numbers.

Square D had already given Petree permission before Talladega to shop around the rear quarter panels and rear deck lid to would-be sponsors in an attempt to make the team stronger.

The cost to get your name on this part of a car is around \$1.6 million a year, but Petree needed cash and was offering the spot for \$100,000 a race.

Yes, \$100,000 a race sounded like a big investment, but just think of the bargain that Petree was letting a sponsor in for. The Square D Chevy won the race and in the process received a lot of air time plus Hamilton did his part for a would-be sponsor by conducting

his post-race interviews sitting beside the car which afforded TV cameras a shot of the rear quarter panels. In a sport which seems to cost more and more each year, Andy Petree may have given sponsors the last real chance at a bargain.

Race Preview

Event: NAPA Auto Parts 500
Track: California Speedway (2-mile D-shaped oval, 14 degrees of banking)
Date: April 29, 2 p.m.
Radio: MRN

Betsy Layne tops South Floyd, 14-1

The Betsy Layne girl's softball team traveled to South Floyd on Monday night and came away with a 14-1 win over the Lady Raiders.

Natasha Stratton led off the game for Betsy Layne by getting on base. Stratton eventually came around to score the game's first run.

South Floyd went quietly in the bottom half of the first inning. Betsy Layne plated two more runs in the second inning, four in the third and six in a big, run-scoring fourth inning to take a commanding 13-0 lead. Megan Ousley, a leadoff hitter, scored South Floyd's only run of the game in the top half of the fifth inning. Devon Reynolds scored Betsy Layne's final run of the game as the visiting Lady Cats scored an all-important district win.

Kim Tackett pitched Betsy Layne to the one-run win, while Minnie Tackett took the loss for South Floyd.

In Game

PC Spring Football Game to be held Saturday

The Pikeville College football team will hold its inaugural spring football game Saturday at Bob Amos Park. A tentative game time has been set for 3 p.m. Former Prestonsburg Blackcats turned Pikeville

College Bears, Adam Bailey and Hank Mullins, will participate in the game.

UK recruiting coordinator sends message

UK recruiting coordinator Rick Smith sent a message at the recent

spring football coaches clinic by saying, "If you've got a player that you think can play at the University of Kentucky, then send us some film on him. Smith added, "If he can play in the Southeastern Conference we'll

tell you he can play in the Southeastern Conference. If he can't play in the Southeastern Conference then we'll tell you he can't play in the Southeastern Conference," Smith later added, "We're not going to beg any player to come and play football at the University of Kentucky." The entire UK football staff has expressed a strong desire to recruit in-state players.

Sizemore to sign

Allen Central senior Shannon Sizemore will sign today to play her college basketball at Alice Lloyd College in nearby Pippa Passes. The signing is set for 1 p.m. at Allen Central High School. Sizemore was a solid athlete throughout her four-year high school career at Allen Central.



University of Kentucky defensive tackle Jeremy Caudill (center) took time for his family following the Blue team's 21-20 win in the Blue-White game held Saturday at Georgetown College's Rawlings Stadium.

UK

capped with an 11-yard run by junior running back Artose Pinner. Boyd hooked up with redshirt freshman wide receiver Tommie Cook three times during the drive for a total of 45 yards. Boyd also added a 10-yard scramble. The extra-point attempt was missed, leaving the

Blue squad with a 14-6 lead.

Boyd set up the second White touchdown march, a 47-yard scoring drive. Boyd found tight end Eric Arling on a six-yard score. Kyle McDaniel made the extra point to make it a 14-13 game, with the Blue squad still in control.

The White team fought back ahead in the second quarter when sophomore quarterback Jared Lorenzen guided a 72-yard touchdown drive. Pinner had a 32-yard jaunt, taking the ball to the one-yard line, setting

up a Lorenzen one-yard touchdown score. Sevin Sucrovic's extra point kick gave the White team a 20-14 lead.

Junior safety Jeb Bassett intercepted a Boyd pass on the next series and returned it 45 yards for the touchdown. Stephen Scaldafieri came on for the extra point, hitting it and making it a 21-20 final.

Boyd completed 10-of-13 passes during the game for 83 yards, one touchdown and one interception. Lorenzen connected on six-of-19 attempts for 57 yards. Lorenzen rushed for 35 yards while Boyd tallied 21 yards on the ground.

Pinner led UK in rushing with eight carries for 51 yards and one touchdown. Sophomore Chad Scott rushed seven times for 38 yards and junior Martez Johnson ran five times for 24 yards.

Several defensive players gave quality performances in the final spring scrimmage game. The two starting defensive tackles, Caudill and Robertson, each gave great pressure. Junior defensive end Dennis Johnson had two tackles for loss, including a quarterback sack. Junior cornerback Derrick Tatum had a pass breakup along with a tackle for a three-yard loss. Junior linebacker Morris Lane led all defenders in tackles with five.

Goodner, whose last coaching stop was at Texas Tech,

comes in with a simple approach much to UK Head Coach Guy Morriss' liking.

"Coach Goodner's system is very simple. It is easy to teach and learn. It lends itself to let your athletes make plays for you," Morriss said. "I think our kids need a predictable environment and they are getting that with Coach Goodner. The kids love him to death because he comes through the door the same way every day."

The Blue-White Spring Game marks the end of spring practice, which began on March 26, with 15 total workouts.

Caudill and the rest of his teammates will now focus on weight training and preparation for the upcoming season.

Coach Goodner sees Caudill making an even bigger impact than he did in his true freshman campaign. The former Texas Tech assistant is extremely pleased with Caudill and the entire UK defense.

"Jeremy (Caudill) is a real physical specimen," said Goodner. "He's a great kid to coach. He's one of those players you know will come in and work hard every day."

With spring practice over, players will return to weightlifting and preparation for spring examinations. The examination period is in early May. Coaches will now prepare for the recruiting period that begins on Monday, April 30.



Prestonsburg's Joey Willis (17) awaited the next pitch from his defensive position at first base during Monday's 58th District baseball game between the host Blackcats and the visiting Allen Central Runnin' Rebels.

Soccer

stantly to allow some players to catch their breath. I am really proud of them. I have to give special mention to Justin Riley who did everything asked of him and more. He was everywhere. Jared Willis also came in as a defender after his injury and just played a whale of a game. Justin Moore, a first-year player, has improved

with each game and played very well. Kristen Little, Nathan Lazar and Jesse Brock also played hard."

P.J. Collins had two saves in the Wolfpack win.

The Wolfpack will be back in action at home on Saturday when they host the Letcher County Typhoons at 10:30 a.m.

Sideline

love Coach Goodner. Defensive tackles coach Tom Adams is involved more in UK's defense this season. The UK defensive tackles really like Tom Adams. The entire UK defense played well in Saturday's spring game at Rawlings Stadium in Georgetown.

Spring football games don't really say much, or do they? One thing, was loud and clear at Saturday's Blue-White Spring Game: This UK football team is a more aggressive football team than the one of a year ago. Morriss likes it physical and Goodner makes it simple. Jeremy Caudill, Dewayne Robertson, Derek Tatum — all of the defensive players seem to like it more physical. Football is a physical game. Hey, football is football.

This season, the University of Kentucky and the University of Louisville will hook up at

Commonwealth Stadium to get the season started. The Kentucky-Louisville game is important. Don't let anyone tell you it isn't. It takes six wins for a college football team to be bowl eligible. Yes, six wins is six wins.

Caudill Watch

Jeremy Caudill is doing real well for himself at the University of Kentucky. Caudill gave a good effort on each defensive play during Saturday's Blue-White Spring Game. The Prestonsburg High alum will be a sophomore when the college football season kicks off in the fall. A sophomore starting for a second season as a defensive tackle in the Southeastern Conference. Enough said. Expect big things from Jeremy Caudill. He Will Deliver. Just Watch.

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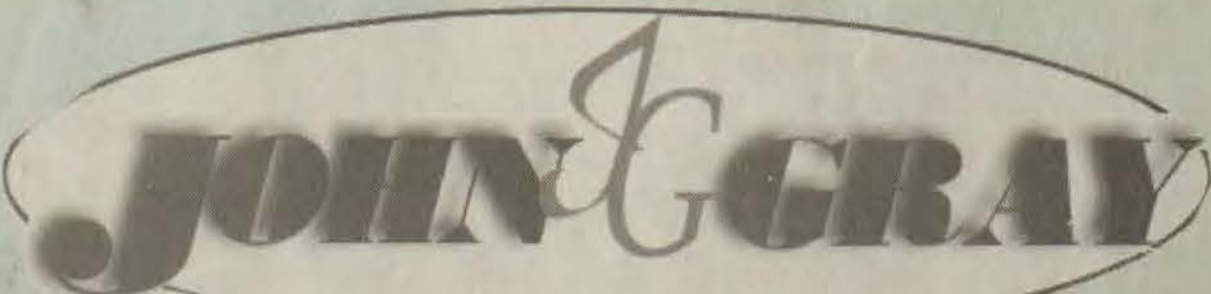
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A worthy adversary

by CLYDE PACK

I've no idea when Time suddenly began to pick up speed, but it certainly has. As remembered by the man the boy became, for this coal-camp kid, Time was a terrapin creeping through the weeds to eat ripe tomatoes in Dad's garden; it was the long walk home after darkness had driven us off the baseball field in the school house bottom.

But sometime when I wasn't looking, time, like these new-fangled transformer toys, became a gazelle. Since I've never seen one, at least it became what I've always imagined a gazelle to be.

There was once a time in my life when I considered Time to be my buddy. When Mom would say, "Wait till your daddy gets home," I knew Time would go to work on her memory and make her forget whatever I'd done that she felt was too serious for her to handle herself. When Mr. Chandler, our principal at the Muddy Branch school, would announce that the school nurses would "be here next Tuesday" to give us our yearly round of vaccinations, I knew that "next Tuesday" was light years away and lost no sleep over it...at least not until "next Monday" night.

Now, it seems that Time has become a worthy adversary; one that doesn't fight fair. When I wasn't looking it sneaked up and pulled out a lot of my hair, making my forehead at least two inches longer. What it didn't pull out, it turned gray, at least around my temples. It caught me asleep and painted bags under my eyes. It implanted an inflated inertube just under my skin where my waist used to be.

Time cheats. It even fights dirty. But more than anything else, and as far as I'm concerned, the worst thing it has done is speed up.

When I was a kid, birthdays, like Christmas, came cons apart. When I was ten, I always said I was ten, going on 11. When I was 20, I couldn't wait to turn 21. But just as soon as I turned 21, I was suddenly 30. Then 40. Then 50. Then 60, and on and on.

Well, what this is all leading up to is the fact that my birthday suddenly pounced upon me again a couple of weeks ago. I didn't mention it to anybody, probably thinking that if I didn't, Time would forget it too. But, like a gentle breeze flips the pages of a book, the days kept whizzing by, and even Vicki Rice, our circuit clerk, got wind of it and reminded me that since I was having a birthday this month, I needed to have my driver's license renewed.

Now that's always an ordeal, because in her office is the most unforgiving camera in the world. This year was no exception. I'd gladly pay her another \$8 if she'd just let me use the face that was on the old license. This new one is at least 10 years older than the one she put on the little plastic card four years ago.

Anyway, Wilma got me a nice cake. I got some interesting cards from family and friends and even had an extended conversation with granddaughter, Alison, in Florida. Everyone seemed to understand my dilemma, because the print on the cards was larger. Alison talked much louder than usual, and Wilma's cake, although decorated beautifully, had a flavor of Geritol.

Oh well, I survived, and before I can turn around twice, I'll have to survive another one...I hope.

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The Cane with a Brain

by MARY MUSIC
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"Let me begin by telling you a story," said Russell Rice, sitting on the edge of his chair. "There was once a saplin' growing up in the woods. It was surrounded by tall trees, and it was trying hard to live because the shadows of the big trees prevented it from getting much sunlight."

Rice pauses a moment before he continues. "Then, one day, there comes this vine, and it wraps itself around the little saplin'. Before you know it, the saplin' is all choked up, and it can't grow tall enough to reach the sunlight."

Rice says he tells this story to children he visits at schools across the county.

"I tell those children that this story will help them while they're young. The vine is their bad habits, and they have to be careful of bad habits, like smoking, drinking, or taking drugs."

If you've ever had the pleasure of meeting Russell Rice, 81, Little Paint Creek, then you have been given the opportunity to hear his opinion of life, and how much he enjoys being a part of it.

After his retirement from the legal department of Kentucky West Virginia Gas some 21 years ago, Rice decided he needed something to "occupy his mind."

"I have heard that an idle mind is the devil's workshop," declared Rice, "and I certainly don't want any part in that."

Rice, who had no formal training in art throughout his educational career, began painting pictures years ago. Soon, however, he found himself incorporating his passion for painting into a different type of art. That's when he began making walking sticks and canes.

Rice has made hundreds of canes throughout his retirement, each intricately decorated with his ideals and interpretations of life. Each cane is distinct, and overwhelmingly beautiful.

He puts his heart into his work, he says, because each cane is important. Each one has a different meaning, each one, a different story to tell.

"I like to take the wood that others pass by," said Rice. "I try my best to take something that don't mean anything and make it into something nice."

Rice puts no time limit on making the canes. He says the process is done in steps, and each step is vitally important. Often Rice works on more than one cane simultaneously as he waits for the wood to season or paint to dry.

In his younger days, he would search the hills to find the perfect branch or root, but he says, it has been five years since he has been able to cut a piece of wood. Now, Rice relies mostly on his friends and neighbors to supply him with wood.

Rice said that he didn't particularly know why he started making canes, nor is he able to tell what he will create when he begins working with the wood.

He uses a variety of wood to make the canes. He says the easiest to work with is sassafras, but he also uses sour wood, maple, dogwood, cedar, and even poplar, on occasion.

"You have to get the wood when the sap is down," said Rice. "Otherwise, it just won't work."

After a piece of wood is selected, Rice sands it using chards of glass, a technique of sanding which began years ago. He then carves the wood using a pocket knife or drill.

Rice says detailing his work is the hardest part about making the canes, but he insists that it's all worthwhile. For this task, he uses surgical tools that are small enough to carve tiny lines or images into the wood.

He finishes his masterpieces by painting them, meticulously adding more detail as he goes along. Each work is titled, named, numbered, signed, and distinctively cataloged by Rice.

"I don't know how much longer the good Lord will



(See CANE, page three.)

Small World: Lord Willing...

We were having Bible study from the book of James at church recently and dealing with the passage where we are instructed not to boast about tomorrow, that we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell and get gain... "For that ye ought to say, if the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that."

That reminded our pastor of the old guy he'd heard about who was sitting on a park bench, passing the time, when he saw an acquaintance approaching. "Where are you going, friend?" he asked.

The man replied that he had just come into some money and was on his way to

deposit it at the bank.

The old fellow must also have studied the book of James, for he said, "You ought to say, 'Lord willing, I'll deposit it in the bank.'"

But his friend was making no allowances. "It's my money and the Lord doesn't have anything to do with it, so I'm taking it to the bank."

After a while, as he still sat on the park bench, he saw the friend coming back his way, only now his shirt was torn, his face cut, and there were a few bruises here and there. "Whatever happened to you?" he asked.

"I was beaten and robbed," the man replied.

"Well, what are you going to do now?" "Lord willing," he heard the man say. "I'm going to go home."

Whether the weather

This has been a very strange spring as the weather can't seem to decide if it wants to be winter or summer. Our tulip tree, which was planted a little far north, once again budded out only to have the frost cover it and turn the buds all brown and ugly.

Once in a great while, the forces of nature cooperate and the tree comes to full bloom. It's a thing of beauty when it does and worth the wait through all the years it doesn't make it.

When we went to Lexington for an indefinite hospital stay, the weather was cold and I took warm clothing. Then it turned just warm enough for me to smother in those and I had to buy a few new things to lighten up. It seemed we left in winter and came back in summer.

Just a few mornings ago, I got up all set to put on the spring clothes and looked out the window to see snow on the ground. This is one season I've worn my winter coat out, just putting it away and getting it back out.

When planning my wardrobe, I guess I'll have to be like the old man who got robbed and say, "Lord willing, I'll wear this or that."



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Balancing work and family Time: A precious commodity The Frustration Factor

Are you frustrated by lack of time to do things you want to do? Managing a household and finding time for family activities is no easy task when both parents are employed. Routine family and household activities can take up to six hours a day. Add to that time to sleep (seven hours), commute (one hour), and work on the job (eight hours), and you've got just two hours to do what you want! The laundry may get washed and the lawn may get mowed, but often there isn't time to relax, talk, and "be together" with friends and family. In many cases, we spend time doing jobs that need to be done instead of what we want to do.

It takes a conscious effort to schedule time for leisure activities. In his book *The Harried Leisure Class*, Steffan Linder discusses consumption time, the time it takes to consume goods and services (such as listening to records or reading magazines). If you don't pay attention to, and schedule consumption time, your frustration can increase.

Even when we are efficient in using our time, we may not be effective. To paraphrase management expert Peter Drucker, although we're "doing things right," we're not necessarily "doing the right things"—those that are important to us. The activities we've planned and scheduled may not be moving us toward our goals.

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The ease or difficulty with which working parents manage time is influenced not only by their skills in time management but also by other factors in their families, the community, and the larger society. When things don't go smoothly and time slips away, working parents may blame themselves rather than recognize that other factors influence their ability to manage time.

A time "budget" that works

The same basic process of setting up a financial budget can be used to set up a "time budget." Just as a spending and savings plan affects and is affected by all family members, a time budget relies on the input and cooperation of all family members.

Step 1. Setting Goals

What are your individual and family goals? It's easy to set tangible or financial goals, such as a vacation or a child's college education. You can plan for these goals, and you know you've achieved them when you're lounging on the beach, or attending the graduation ceremony.

But many family goals are intangible. You probably have a goal to raise happy, well-adjusted children. But by what date? How will you know you've reached your goal? Budgeting time for "childhood happiness" is important, but knowing when or if you've reached your goal is difficult.

Experts agree you should write down your goals. When you are 75, what would you like to feel you have accomplished? Take a few minutes to write the goals you have for yourself and for your family.

"Keep it simple" is a motto to help you reach your goals. Too often lives get cluttered with commitments and possessions left over from previous goals. If one of your goals is a strong

family life, consider unplugging the telephone during dinner. Even though salespeople, neighbors, and relatives may find it harder to reach you, your family will be able to eat and talk without interruption. Review what you bought during the past month—how much of it contributed toward family goals? Everything brought into your home—toys, housewares, clothing—requires time for maintenance and cleaning.

Step 2. Slices of Time

In money management, people are encouraged to keep a financial diary to get an idea where their money goes. You can't change spending patterns until you know what they are! The same holds true for time. You may want to keep a time diary to see how you spend your time. Try keeping track for a few days this week, a few days next week, and maybe the weekend.

Once you have your time diary, examine your activities and compare them with the goals listed in Step 1. If there are activities in your diary that don't fit with your goals, ask yourself why you spent time in those ways. Family activities can be goal oriented (planning a vacation) or "maintenance" oriented (mowing the lawn—although having a nice lawn may be one of your goals). You need to budget time for both goal and maintenance activities.

Next, think about activities you usually do that were not included in your diary or on your goal list. For example, you may volunteer once a month at a food pantry or attend a monthly church committee meeting. You'll want to plan time for those activities.

Step 3. Allocating Your Time

Researchers who study how families use their time usually

divide time into paid work, family work, and leisure time. Family work includes time spent in meal preparation; home, yard, clothing, and car care; and care of family members.

Recent research points out that a person's total work load (in job and home combined) is a greater determinant of stress than the number of roles he or she fills. Filling many different roles may actually benefit a parent's well-being, especially if he or she has some choice in the roles. A parent who enjoys his or her job feels less stressed than one who must work at a dull job just to make ends meet.

Dividing the work. Men are

spending more time in family work than in the past, and women are spending less. It appears that two-earner households adjust work loads by sharing work, changing standards, and using other resources. You can use a variety of methods to divide household work.

In the resource method, the people who have the resources (skills, strength, and time) do the tasks that require those resources. The mathematics whiz handles household accounts, the stronger person shovels snow. The resource method perpetuates some sex-role stereotypes (he does yard work, she cleans the house), and it deprives other family mem-

bers of the chance to learn household maintenance skills.

In the rotating chores method, household tasks are identified and a routine for rotating chores is developed. For example, this week you cook, I do laundry, John cleans, and Sue mows the lawn. Next week we rotate: I cook, John does laundry, Sue cleans, and you mow the lawn. Everyone gets to try his/her hand at all the tasks and to learn necessary household skills. It takes time to develop some skills—you may have to invest time teaching John how the washer and dryer work and how to sort laundry.

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School Happenings

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center

May 4: Law Day presentation for seventh grade students.

May 7-II: Teacher Appreciation Week

May 7: Open House for parents, 6-8 p.m.

May 7: Site-Base elections for Parent Representatives at 6 p.m.

May 11: Presentation for students on "Harassment."

May 14: Youth Services Center Advisory Council meeting at 4 p.m. Open to the public.

May 15: Fifth grade visit day for Prestonsburg Elementary and Clark Elementary students.

Center is open weekdays, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. or later by appointment. For more information about the center or any of the listed activities, call 886-9812.

Counselor in center on Wednesdays to see students in need. Contact the center for more information, 886-9812.

Allen Central Middle School Youth Service Center

Hours are 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., or later by appointment. Call 358-0134 for more information. If your child has lost a coat at school, please check in the Youth Service Center.

Allen Elementary Family Resource Youth Service Center

Service Center Hours: Mon.-Fri., 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
After School Child Care available 3:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Telephone: 874-0621

Call Allen Elementary Youth Service Center

at 874-0621 to schedule your child's 6th grade entry physical, Hepatitis B vaccination, immunizations, and WIC appointment.

G.E.D. classes offered-FREE-each Friday, beginning 8:30 a.m. and lasting through 11:30 a.m. Instructor: Linda Bailey

Betsy Layne High School

Open House, Thursday, May 10, 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Clark Family Resource Center

After school child care, 3-5:30 p.m., school days, openings available.

Nurse in the center on Thursdays. Appointments for sixth grade physicals now being scheduled. 886-0815.

May Valley Elementary

Family Resource Center Advisory Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 25 at 4 p.m. in the school library. This meeting is open to the public and all are invited to attend. Contact Donna Samons at 285-0321 for more information.

McDowell Family Resource Center 377-2678

The McDowell FRC After-School Program has openings for students who need a safe place to stay until their parents get off from work or out of school. Call 377-2678.

Call the FRC to schedule fifth grade student physicals and immunizations update, required by law. Floyd County Health Department nurse is at the Center one day a week to administer these and

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Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago (April 24 and April 26, 1991)

The Agape House (Prestonsburg Adult Day Care Center) will officially open its doors to the public, Wednesday, April 24, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. in a grand opening celebration. Opening remarks by dignitaries will begin at 11 a.m. Among those speaking will be Mrs. Libby Jones, wife of gubernatorial candidate Brereton Jones; John M. Stumbo, Floyd County Judge Executive; Ann Latta, Prestonsburg Mayor; Linda Napier, representing the state Division of Aging; Roger Recktenwald, executive director, and Doug Lawson, Big Sandy Area Development District's Division of Aging. Rev. Mike Taylor will present the invocation and Rev. Ron Masters will close with the benediction. Floyd County's turn at testifying before a state transportation committee was cut short Tuesday by checkout time at May Lodge, but the contingent did get in a few licks before the two-day session was adjourned. Members of the state's Legislative Task Force to Study Highway Needs convened the District 12 highway meeting, Monday but reserved Tuesday for public comment on the seven-county region's road needs. The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Committee will meet Thursday, April 25 at 10 a.m., at Prestonsburg City Hall. The meeting will be to discuss the Kentucky World Trade Center locating an office in the Prestonsburg area. Floyd County Coroner Roger Nelson has been elected president of the Kentucky State Coroners' Association. Nelson is the first Eastern Kentucky coroner to hold the office. Nelson's election was announced at the association's 24th annual conference held recently in Louisville, where he was also recognized for his cooperation with the Sudden Infant Death Syndrome program. Floyd County Attorney Jim Hammond advised Floyd County Fiscal Court members, Friday, not to pay for work performed at the county jail, because the company and the county jailer appeared to have violated state bidding laws. The dispute, between the fiscal court and Disponette Service Co., of Lexington, centers on the method used to obtain the air conditioning expansion job. A roof fall in a Knott County mine on Tuesday, which killed two miners, including one from Floyd County, has sparked a state investigation questioning the length of the bolts which held the roof in place. Thirty-inch bolts were used at the Bullion Hollow Mining Co.'s No. 1 Mine at Big Branch several miles south of Hindman. Roger Reynolds, super-

visor of the state Department of Mines and Minerals' Hazard office, said Wednesday that this length may have been inadequate to adhere the 30-inch-thick seam of slate to the above layer of even thicker sandstone. Development of a 500-acre industrial park near Ivel took a giant step forward this week when state officials okayed construction of a bridge spanning the Big Sandy River near the site. There died: Wesley Keith Evans, one-month-old son of Ronald Keith and Deborah Lynn Newsome Evans of Patterson, N.C., formerly of Floyd County, Sunday, at the Brenner Childrens Hospital, Winston Salem, N.C.; Gusta Branham Martin, 76, of Virgie, Saturday, at the Central Baptist Hospital, in Lexington; Wade Little, 70, of Melvin, Tuesday, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Dorothy Marie Hensley, 65, of Melvin, Monday, at the Wheelwright Clinic; Oscar Collins, 83, of Harold, Friday, at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Claude Samons, 63, of Martin, Thursday, at Phelps Nursing Home; Betty Ray Conn, 55, of Lexington, formerly of Pikeville, Friday, at Saint Joseph Hospital, Lexington; Charles L. Taylor, 63, of Hueysville, Thursday, in a fire that destroyed his home; Willard Jeffery Bailey, 28, of Langley, April 23, at the Bullion Hollow Mining Company, Hindman, from injuries sustained in a mining accident; Nokomis Moore, 80, of Hi Hat, Thursday, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Twenty Years Ago (April 29, 1981)

Highlands Regional Medical Center administrators were unable to successfully negotiate a deal to get their striking employees back to work Monday. The strike is in its sixth week. Judge-Executive Bill Wells said Monday that the new landfill would be open and the collection system operational on May 18. The board chairman has resigned, the general manager has been dismissed, records are impounded, and an investigation appears possible, following allegations that Beaver-Elkhorn Water District funds have been mismanaged. Clark Elementary School teachers and parents are concerned that the good reputation their school has earned through their own hard efforts may ultimately result in a reduction of the school's overall quality as parents from other districts seek to enroll their own children in the school. There died: Frankie Goble, 72, of Martin, Sunday at his home; Marcus Crittendon Hurd, 67, of Ypsilanti, Mich., formerly of Prestonsburg, April

22 at his home; Della Bradley Wicker, 80, of Mousie, Thursday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; William Hall, 75, of Craynor, Sunday at a Lexington hospital; Adelene Patton Daniel, 59, formerly of Emma, April 16 at her home in Decatur, Ga.; John Vaughn Jr., 66, formerly of Garrett, April 8, at his home in San Diego, Calif.; Jacqueline Collins, 51, of Warsaw, Ind., April 20 at a Fort Wayne hospital; Odd Clay, 86, of Dwale, Monday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Rosie Anna Hall, 79, of Bevensville, Sunday at the McDowell ARH; Willie "Bill" Bentley, 59, of Beaver, Wednesday, at McDowell ARH; John Trent Woods, 53, of Allen, Sunday at the home of Ray Clifton in Allen; Bee Howell, 89, of Meta, Friday at the home of a son; Margaret Martin, 50, of Hazard, at her home Thursday; Rhoda Nickles Jones, 74, of Dema, at McDowell ARH; Eva Coles Hunt, 58, of Stanville, Saturday enroute to Methodist Hospital, Pikeville; Tilton Hall, 67, of Dry Creek, Thursday at UK Medical Center, Lexington; and James L. Chandler, 74, of Melvin, Thursday at McDowell ARH.

Thirty Years Ago (April 29, 1971)

What this county will do with its solid waste will be given serious study at a meeting scheduled here Wednesday afternoon of the fiscal court. Construction of Highlands Hospital near Auxier is now 40 percent complete and completion may be expected next summer. The mounting attack on those factors which pollute the environment will almost inevitably saddle Prestonsburg with the major part of the \$600,000 cost of a secondary sewage treatment plant. Floyd County's third annual elementary track and field day will be held at the high school football field here, May 15. The Kentucky Attorney General has advised that the state could accept as a gift a monolith inscribed with the ten Commandments, to be set up on the Capitol grounds in Frankfort. Whether it's the result of fertilization or not, the fish population at Dewey Lake last year stood at a record high. Miss Lois Allen, of Martin, received the Ph.D. degree from the University of Michigan, this term. She will join the staff of the Nucleic Acid Research Institute in Irvine, Calif. There died: Bessie DeRossett Daniels, 68, of the Abbott Mountain near here, last Tuesday; Francis M. Moles, 57, of Ashland, formerly of Auxier, Friday in a Huntington hospital; John Hyden,

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Weddings



Mrs. Sue Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Crum would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their children, Kristi Michelle and Claude "Lafie." The wedding is scheduled to take place at the McDowell First Baptist Church, McDowell, on Saturday, May 26, 2001 at the afternoon hour of 3:30. The gracious custom of an open wedding will be observed.

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other services.

■ GED classes, free, Mondays, 8 a.m. -11:30 a.m.

Piarist School

■ Entrance examination to be held on Saturday, May 5, at 9 a.m. at the school, located on Route 80 in Martin. Exam is for students who will be entering their freshman or sophomore years of high school in the fall.

The Piarist School is a private, tuition-free, college preparatory high school. For more information, call 285-3950, or e-mail: piarist@kih.net or visit: www.geocities.com/piarist.

Prestonsburg Family Resource Center

■ Center is open weekdays, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. After School Child Care, 3-6 p.m., school days.

■ Counselor from Mountain Comprehensive Care at center one day a week to see students in need of counseling. Call 886-7088 or stop by.

South Floyd Youth Services Center

■ April 24, 6 p.m., Open House & Staff Appreciation Dinner. All parents of South Floyd High School and Middle School students are invited to attend. Parents and teachers will be provided the opportunity to conference in regard to student progress.

■ May 7, 8, 23, 29, 30 - CPR Training

■ May 21 - "Stay Out - Stay Alive" assembly presented by U.S. Mines Safety and Health Administration.

■ Walking track open to public, except during special event.

■ Adult education classes available.

■ The center has a one-stop career station satellite that is available to the community as well as students.

■ All new students and visitors, please stop by the center and see Mable Hall. The center is located on the South Floyd campus in room 232. For more information call 452-9600 or 9607 and ask for Mable Hall, ext. 243, or Keith Smallwood or Misty Dawson, ext. 242.

W.D. Osborne Rainbow Junction Family Resource Center

■ Located in the W. D. Osborne Elementary School, hours of operation - 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., or later by appointment.

■ Lending Library is available to school and community.

Cane

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bless me to paint a straight line," said Rice. "So, I just do the best I can to make each piece beautiful."

Rice's favorite type of canes to make are the ones that have been "choked" by vines. Sometimes, he leaves the vines attached to the sapling. With a few strokes of a brush, the vine turns into a snake crawling up the cane.

"I try to leave all the nature that I can on the wood," said Rice.

Sometimes, he leaves bark on the wood to add texture. He turns budding branches into noses, or he leaves roots on the stems to add an abstract appearance.

One cane, among the many on display at his home, was marked with burrows on the surface made by a worm that nested under the bark. Instead of sanding, he left the indentions, which curled around the pole in no particular fashion.

He painted the burrows blue and painted scenery around the cane. The result was a cane called "Nature's Lakes and Streams."

Rice gives credit to his wife, Malta, who passed away last year, for the arrangement of color in his work. "I would finish a cane and bring it in for her to see, and she would look at it and tell me that I needed to change the color," said Rice. "I never once criticized her for it. I just went back out to the shop and worked it over like she said."

Rice portrays a variety of themes on his canes. He has several "Derby Canes," which mark the winners of every Kentucky Derby since 1875. He also makes canes with animal themes, canes of the presidents, the first ladies, and canes with marbles in the

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Happy Birthday



One-year old has party

Olga and Junior Trusty, of Garrett, recently hosted a birthday party for their one-year old great-granddaughter, Eden Mae Bates, of Lexington. Debbie Trusty Rumble, of Florence, their daughter and grandmother of Eden, attended the celebration along with her son, Dr. Nathan Bates, and his wife, Dr. Paige Bates. The Bates' are residents at the University of Kentucky Medical Center. Dr. Fred Nucifora, friend of the Bates' and Eden's Godfather, also attended and enjoyed the festivities. Dr. Nucifora, who is involved in Huntington's Disease research, just completed his Ph.D at Johns Hopkins University in Maryland. Also attending the party was Eden's great-uncle, John Trusty, of East Point. Darlene Rowe, of Garrett, supplied a beautifully decorated birthday cake, and Olga supplied a memorable meal. The menu included shuck beans, cracklin' bread, fried chicken, biscuits, gravy, pork chops, and fried apples, which was greatly enjoyed by the visiting "city dwellers."



Jacob Austyn Kent McKinney, son of Marty and Sheila McKinney, turned one year old on March 28. He celebrated his special day with his "big sister" Whitley McKinney, as well as many other friends and family, with a party held at his home in Martin. He enjoyed his "Bear in the Big Blue House" birthday cake, as well as the many gifts and hugs and kisses that he received. He is the grandson of Charles "Bob" and Shirley McKinney, of Printer, and Randall and Barbara Scarberry, of Langley.



Turns two

Will Hedrick celebrated his second birthday on March 30 with friends and family members. Will was given a "Blue's Clues" theme party held at the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church. He is the son of Billy and Tracey Hedrick, of Auxier, and the grandson of Dee and Bunnie Caudill, also of Auxier, and Bill and Debbie Hedrick, of Prestonsburg. He is the great-grandson of Mary Hedrick, of Prestonsburg, and Lucille Ginther, of Flat Gap.



Annabeth Grace Lyon, the infant daughter of Paul and Kimberly Hughes Lyon, of Lexington, was born March 15, 2001 at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington. She weighed 6 lbs., 10 oz., and measured 19 inches in length. She is a most precious blessing to her proud grandparents Paul and Bonnie Hughes, of Prestonsburg, and Bob and Judy Lyon, of Wilmore, KY.



Brooke is three!

Sarah Brooke Potter celebrated her third birthday on March 31. She had a "Barbie Princess" theme birthday party and enjoyed the company of many friends and family members who attended her party. Sarah is the daughter of Randy and Lena Potter, of McDowell. Her maternal grandparents are Herl and Linda Stumbo; her paternal grandparents are Clarence Jr. and Patricia Potter, all of McDowell.



Seemingly alone in a sea of grass, this little girl searches for a colorful surprise.

photo by Kathy J. Prater

Yesterdays

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80, of West Prestonsburg, last Monday; Silas C. Williams, 77, Monday at his home at Honaker; Dee Osborne, 60, of Ligon, victim of a heart attack, Monday; Mrs. Maxie Ham, 68, of Garrett, at a McDowell hospital, Sunday; Milford Hall, Sr. 80, of McDowell, Tuesday in a Lexington hospital; William Lee Triplett, 65, at his home at Garrett, Wednesday; Mrs. Julia Castle Hall, 106, at her home at McDowell, Monday; Carl Samons, 62, of Munith, Mich., formerly of Martin, Sunday, in Munith.

Forty Years Ago (April 27, 1961)

Two men, Worth and Frank Music, who still have confidence in the coal business in this area, expect to complete, this week, the construction of a new coal preparation plant at West Prestonsburg. It will cost an estimated \$15,000. They expect to mine and ship 300 to 400 tons daily...Arvid Dotson of the US Department of Agriculture at Atlanta, said this week he expects needy families in the county will begin buying food with the food stamp coupons in early June. The food stamps will add an estimated \$2,000,000 a year to the economy of the county...Highway construction work, begun this week between Auxier and Paintsville, included the closing and partial dismantling of the 40-year-old suspension bridge across the river at Auxier...The Prestonsburg-Paintsville airport was one of 15 such new projects in Kentucky which the FFA this week said should be completed within the next five years...The first Kentucky Veterans' bonus checks issued for Floyd County were delivered Wednesday afternoon to two Gold Star Mothers...There died: Mrs. Aileen Spears, 25, of McDowell at the McDowell Memorial Hospital; J.R. Hayes, 80, of Mousie, following an illness of seven months; Green Moore, 60, former Left Beaver resident, on a construction job at Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. Laura Caudill, 83, of East McDowell at home; Mrs. Verdine N. Platkus, 51, at McDowell Hospital; Robert Stratton, 70, of Betsy Layne at home; Mrs. Laura Caudill, 83, of East McDowell, at home; Mrs. Audrey Young, 58, of Allen, at a Lexington nursing home; A.D. Warrix, 79, of Water Gap at home.

Fifty Years Ago (April 26, 1951)

Fire departments at Martin, Prestonsburg, and Wayland joined, Wednesday afternoon, in helping suppress a fire which threatened a sizable portion of the town of Allen...Floyd County's school musicians this week were tuning up for the fifth annual Floyd County Music Festival, which will be held in Martin and Prestonsburg, May 4 and 5...J.R. Hurt was elected president of the Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce by its directors...Commonwealth's Attorney Bert T. Combs of Prestonsburg, Tuesday, became a judge of the Kentucky Court of Appeals...W.B. (Bill) Africa was honored Tuesday night for 25 years of unbroken service to the Floyd Post, American Legion...The new Boy Scout campsite on Dewey Lake will be put to its first official use this weekend...Governor Lawrence W. Wetherby will be guest speaker at the annual Appreciation Dinner for Scout leaders of Lonesome Pine Council at Wheelwright, May 7...Cpl. Billie Hughes Jr., who was reported missing as of Feb. 13, in Korean action, is in a hospital at Pusan, Korea, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Hughes of Hueysville, have learned...Born: a son, their first child, on April 20 to Mr. and Mrs. D.T. Ferrell...There died: Harry Watkins, 80, last Thursday at his home at Brainard; Dave Mullett, 65, April 21 at his home at Whitaker; Mrs. Nettie Elam Burchett, 59, of Prestonsburg in a hospital here Friday; C.L. Lester, 76, April 19 at his home in Paintsville; Mrs. Dent Ansel, 58, Friday at her home at Ligon.

Sixty Years Ago (April 24, 1941)

Free education extending even to the professions was announced this week as available to nine boys graduating from Floyd County high schools. This further education to be made possible by the Caney Creek Community Center...With the distribution this week of 250 quail in Floyd County, District Conservation Officer, E.R. Burke, Prestonsburg, announced that 250 more will be liberated later in the week...Prestonsburg children will have a playground this summer, complete with chutes, swings, bars and every modern equipment according to plans nearing completion by the Lions and Kiwanis Clubs...The thirty-three mines included in the Big Sandy-Elk Horn Mining Institute produced 856,382 tons of coal in March with but one fatality and 71 injuries...There is no poisonous matter such as acids or iron in the water which pours from the Elk Horn Coal Corporation's coal washer into Right Beaver Creek, but the coal dust is detrimental to fish life, and is at times lethal...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hopson at their home here, an eight-pound daughter, Bonnie Joyce...There died: Harry D. Auxier, 64, East Point, when he was struck by a car on the Mayo Trail; William B. Calkill, at his home at Pikeville.

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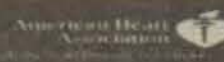
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Support for Alzheimer's caregivers...

"Where did I put my keys?" "What's that person's name?" Sound familiar? All of us at one time or another are forgetful. For most of us, everyday forgetfulness is just that, everyday forgetfulness, often related to stress. However, for 4 million Americans who suffer from Alzheimer's disease it goes beyond the simple everyday forgetfulness. Alzheimer's disease is a progressive, degenerative disease

that attacks the brain and results in impaired memory, thinking, and behavior. As Alzheimer's disease progresses, eventually the person becomes unable to care for themselves. About 70% of persons with Alzheimer's disease are cared for at home by a family member.

In Floyd County alone, it is estimated that there are nearly 700 persons with Alzheimer's disease. The Lexington/Bluegrass Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association provides support and assistance to persons with Alzheimer's disease and their families through awareness and education, services and support, advocacy and support of research toward prevention and cure of Alzheimer's disease. The chapter serves a 52-county area of Kentucky, including Floyd County.

To help those who care for persons with Alzheimer's disease, the Lexington/Bluegrass Chapter of

the Alzheimer's Association sponsors a caregiver support group in Prestonsburg at the First Presbyterian Church, at 7:00 p.m.,

on the second Tuesday of every month. The group provides a relaxed, confidential atmosphere where fellow caregivers can

exchange experiences, methods of dealing with unique problems, and the latest information about available services and research.

Meetings are free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Alzheimer's Association at 1-800-288-2323.

Cane

handles. Occasionally, he makes canes of famous people, like Dolly Parton, or Elvis Presley.

"Now that's the root of a sassafras tree," stated Rice, pointing at the grain on one of his canes. "Would you believe that anything under bark would be that beautiful?"

Throughout the years, Rice's work has been put on display at several craft shows and art museums. He has received many awards and has been recognized by several universities for his artistic talents.

Although Rice is no longer physically able to visit craft shows, people travel from all over the country for the chance to see his work.

Their visits are always welcomed by Rice. He enjoys the company, and since information about his canes travel only by word of mouth, it gives him the opportunity to share his work.

"No one new leaves my house without taking a pair of owls," said Rice. During his wife's illness, Rice spent much of his time inside the house, making little owl magnets out of pine cones, which he now gives

away to people who visit him.

Although Rice has spent much of his time during his retirement painting and carving, he insists that his work with his church, First Church of God in Little Paint, comes first.

"I never miss a prayer meeting. I never miss church on Sunday morning or Sunday night," Rice said.

When he isn't telling stories to our youngsters about the importance of leading a good life, he is visiting friends and neighbors, or visiting nursing homes or hospitals in the area.

"Making these canes don't

'mount to a hill of beans," said Rice, "but what I do otherwise is what's going to count."

If you ever find yourself driving along Little Paint Creek, you might want to stop for a visit at the Rice residence. You may leave with more than just a piece of art. You may find, as you say goodbye, that you have incorporated into yourself a small piece of Rice himself.

Anyone who would like more information on Rice, his collection, or to learn a trick or two of his trade, can contact him at (606) 886-2643 for more information.

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The each-person-for-himself method is often used in families whose after-school and evening activities make it difficult to coordinate schedules. In this method, each person in the household is responsible for his/her own meals, laundry, and clean-up. Some economies of scale are lost (it takes less energy to cook four hamburgers at once than one at a time) and some "family" tasks still need attention (such as household repairs and yard work).

In the substitute method, one resource (money) is substituted for another (time). Goods and services are purchased in the market and substituted for home-produced goods and services. For example, you could buy convenience food, eat out, pay for child care services, hire a cleaning person, or hire a handyperson to do household repairs. You would then have more free time for leisure activities.

Gaining cooperation. One way to gain cooperation is through negotiation. Teaching your children to see others' points of view and to work out compromises will help them be successful in life. Successful negotiation begins by stating needs clearly and in a way that respects others. Contrast the following statements:

We all like to eat. We're all busy at the end of the day. Now that I'm going to be working full time I'd like to rethink how supper gets cooked.

Nobody ever helps around here. You all want supper, but you don't want to help. I can't do everything.

Once you've stated a need, ask other family members what is important to them and what solutions they suggest. Be willing to try even the most creative idea. Give others a chance to do household work their way.

Using the basics. Basic time management principles and tools can help you allocate and use your time effectively and efficiently.

There is no substitute for a good set of plans. Plans are like

road maps that chart your course and help you stay on track. Planning means taking time to list goals, formulate strategies, and plan a schedule for accomplishing tasks. You'll find that a calendar with spaces to write in is helpful for planning. Good plans are flexible, to allow for emergencies and unexpected events.

What you don't do is as important as what you do. Identify time wasters and eliminate them. Delegate tasks to others. Learn to say "no" without feeling guilty.

Effective use of time requires that you establish priorities. Priorities can be set according to urgency (you've got to pay the mortgage or rent today) or importance (reading to Sarah is more important than cleaning the living room).

Use the salami technique: slice big jobs into small, easier-to-accomplish tasks. List steps and cross off each as it is completed. If your goal is to clean the garage, you may be able to break the job into small ones (this weekend we organize garden equipment, next weekend we organize car maintenance tools.)

Allocate blocks of time for activities that are important to you and your family Thursday evening may be family movie night—everyone knows it and plans it.

Know your prime time and use it to your advantage. Some people function best in the morning, some in the afternoon, and some at night. At work and at home, schedule your highest-priority activities for your primetime.

Remember the 80-20 Rule: 80 percent of the work gets done in 20 percent of the time. Find the 20 percent (probably a block of prime time) when you can get 80 percent of your work accomplished.

Identify alternative resources that could do the job. Can you substitute money for time? Can someone else (another family member or someone you hire) do it?

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Reconsider your standards: don't expect or demand perfection. Do you expect to rake up every leaf in the fall? How neatly pressed must your clothes be?

Habits die hard. Just as it's difficult to change your eating and spending patterns, it's difficult to change the way you use your time. Your time diary may show time wasted on non-goal-oriented activities. Curtailing that use of time is difficult—like going on a time diet. If you want to use your time effectively, it may be necessary to change some habits.

Step 4. Reviewing the Plan

A plan is like a road map; check it periodically to see whether you're still on course. Are you making progress toward your goals? If not, what can you do differently? If you're short of ideas, review the "Allocating Your Time" section and consider these tips from time management experts:

- Have a prioritized to-do list.
- Dovetail—do two things at once when possible (such as laundry and letter writing).
- Practice effective waste-basketry—don't open junk mail.
- Keep a calendar for all family members to schedule activities.
- Reward yourself and others when you accomplish important tasks.
- Expect interruptions, but learn to get back to the job you're doing.
- Help children become more independent by delegating tasks according to age and ability.
- Clear the clutter. Organize a home business center for bill paying and record keeping so you don't waste time looking for receipts, warranties, or other papers.
- Run and hide. Get up early, stay up late, or go into your bedroom and close the door to find the time and space to do the work you want.
- Don't expect perfection. It may be necessary to adjust standards to spend time elsewhere.
- Avoid procrastination by using the salami technique or promising yourself a special reward after completing a task.

For employed parents, the ultimate goals of time management are an enjoyable, healthy family life and a productive work life. Too often, busy working parents become efficient at "getting things done," forgetting that quality of life depends largely on how much we enjoy what we do, alone and as a family. "Quality time" with children can occur while cutting carrots or trimming bushes if you are emotionally available to them when you work together. Quality time depends much more on your appreciation of each other than on what you're doing.

For more information, contact: Theresa Scott, Floyd County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences, phone, 886-2668.

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Ranger Stoney Burke, of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at Dewey Lake, presented a certificate of appreciation to Reed Omer, Environmental Inspector III/Bond Release Specialist with the Pikeville Regional Office.

Fielden to direct Ob/Gyn Services at HRMC



Cheryl Fielden, R.N., BSN, ICCE, CLC, has been named Director of Obstetrics and Gynecology in the Birth Place at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Fielden, was formerly the Director of OB Services at Touchette Regional Hospital, in Centerville, Ill., a 100 bed facility with an average of 800 - 1000 births per year and a Level II Nursery.

She received her Bachelor's Degree in Nursing from Southern Illinois University. She is an International Certified Childbirth Educator

through the International Childbirth Association and a Certified Lactation Counselor through the Healthy Children 2000 Project, Inc. She brings to Highlands over 14 years of OB experience.

Her previous work experience includes the St. Louis Children's Hospital Neonatal ICU Department; Anderson Hospital LDR/P Nursing Unit; Belleville St. Elizabeth's Hospital Level II+ Nursery; and Touchette Regional Hospital. She also developed the ROSE Program (Reaching Optimum Success in Expectancy), a comprehensive prenatal program.

Jim Bergeron, Highlands Chief of Clinical Operations commented, "I'm looking forward to having Cheryl as part of our management team. She has worked in a community that has similar health needs as our own. She has been successful in establishing programs that recognize mothers who are at high risk due to diabetes, hypertension and other medical conditions that affect pregnancy. She also has experience in Post Partum care issues such as mother/baby bonding, breast feeding and new born care. I believe Cheryl will be instrumental in affording our patients the best care available."

Fielden added, "I'm looking forward to getting started. I believe in a team approach focusing on our patients. I want our patients, from the moment they arrive in our facility, to know they are our most important priority. I want our patients to feel welcome and to know we appreciate them."

LINKS...to better housing

by Beth Lake

The Low Income Housing Coalition of Floyd County, Inc. (LINKS) has been given this column space to notify citizens of housing programs, housing projects, and housing issues. LINKS has been in operation since January 2000 and has since seen the tremendous need for safe, decent and affordable housing for very low and low-income citizens in Floyd County as well as surrounding counties.

LINKS has, in the past, worked with volunteer groups and other agencies to repair homes. Last summer over 79 homes were repaired; one food pantry was built, one building rehabbed for a medical clinic (Boone Clinic in David, KY), and two new homes were constructed. The total cost was over \$600,000 in materials and labor with an estimated \$300,000 coming from volunteer donations. This was a tremendous effort in collaboration between local agencies, local volunteer groups, and out of state volunteer groups.

As of this date, LINKS has over 290 clients on their waiting list who are in need of various repairs and possible new construction. These repair needs range from wheelchair ramps, holes in the floors and ceilings, leaking roofs, and installation of approved septic systems. Clients who are in need of new homes due to their sub-standard housing conditions and/or are homeless are encouraged to move into public housing until funds are available for construction. LINKS is in the process of applying for funding from loans and grants that will, when combined with volunteer labor and donations, can make a house payment an affordable option for our clients. LINKS has already received some funding for specific projects due for completion next year.

CHAMBER NOTES



Banquet entertainment

The "Foggy Bottom Boys" will provide entertainment for the 2001 Floyd Co. Chamber Awards Banquet on May 10th at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park Convention Center. The Chamber is very pleased to be able to present this renowned band at their annual banquet event.

To get a true feeling for this band and their style of music, check out the movie, "O, Brother, where art thou" featuring George Clooney. This band truly excels in the true Appalachian Ballad form of music. Set in the Great Depression, this film offers blues, gospel, string band hoedowns, work songs and vaude-

ville hokum.

The music is a classic collection that has been passed down through the ages. The title track of "O, Brother, where art thou" is "A Man of Constant Sorrow." Other songs include: "Down To The River", "You are My Sunshine" and "I'll Fly Away" to name a few.

A rave review was given to this group of musicians by a Washington D.C. tour group who visited Prestonsburg last week. Mark your calendar for May 10, and plan to attend the 2001 Annual Awards Banquet.

The Floyd County Chamber reminds all members that there

will be NO MEMBERSHIP MEETING IN MAY, because of the Annual Awards Banquet.

Chamber Calendar Events:
 ■ May 4th-Asset Mapping Training, 10 to 3 at Jenny Wiley Lodge.
 ■ May 10th -2001 Annual Chamber Awards Banquet, beginning at 6 p.m. at the Jenny Wiley Convention Center.
 ■ May 23rd -Tourism Initiative Meeting, 1 to 3 at the Pikeville Extension Office.

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Country. \$350 month + deposit. 886-1175.

3 BR HOUSE,

very clean, nice yard & neighborhood, storage bldg. 2 mins. from GlynView Plaza. \$500/mo. Some restrictions, lease req. 886-0226.*

640-Land & Lots

LOT AVAILABLE: Between P'burg & Paintsville, at Airport Trailer Court. 1992 models and up only. 886-9007.

TRAILER LOT:

Located in Stone's Trailer Park, 6 miles from P'burg. 886-6186 or 886-8286.

TRAILER LOT:

Located on Cow Cr. Ref. req. \$80 per month. 874-2802.

MOBILE HOME LOT:

In Stone's Trailer Park. 886-6186 or 886-8286.

TRAILER LOTS:

City water. Front land of Storm Hollow Driving Range & Flea Market, beside of U.S. 23 four lane at East Point. 889-9902.

MOBILE HOME SPACE FOR LEASE:

Will accommodate doublewide. Private drive, farm setting, city water, Van Lear area. \$135 to \$155 monthly + \$135 to \$155 dep. (606)789-5296 or collect; 1(803)957-5931.*

650-Mobile Homes

TRAILER FOR RENT

on Abbott Rd. Call 886-3492.*

3 BR, 1-1/2 BA:

Private lot at Banner. \$350 + utilities, \$150 dep. Call 886-0690.

2 BR MOBILE HOME:

At Emma. \$265 mo. + util. No pets! 874-2219.*

2 BR TRAILER

on hillside in Allen. HUD approved. 874-8170.*

2 BR MOBILE HOME:

Total electric, no pets. \$300 rent, \$300 deposit. 874-8530.*

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Stephens Br. of P'burg, KY. Within 2 miles of PCC & near all city amenities, water & sewer provided. HUD approved only. Available May 1. (606)874-2162 or (606)874-9852 evenings.*

2 BR MOBILE HOME:

1 BA, Between P'burg & Paintsville. No Pets! 886-9007.

1994 16X70 MOBILE HOME

on 100x100 lot. 2 BR/2 BA, nice yard, 4-car paved parking, storage bldg. 2 mins. from GlynView Plaza. \$450/mo. Some restrictions, lease req. 886-0226.*

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NOTICES

805-Announcements

MISS KENTUCKY AMERICAN TEEN/PRETEEN/PRINCESS SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT for girls 3 - 20. Free Video & Brochure 1-800-664-6851. No make-up allowed for young girls (3-12).

812-Free

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

FREE FOR CUTTING:

3 large trees, not near any structures. 377-2550.*

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-8046, Renewal

(1) In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Mars Creek Sand Company, Incorporated, P.O. Box 367, Allen Kentucky 41601 intends to file for renewal of permit number 836-8046. The operation disturbs 3.97 acres, no new acreage is affected by this renewal.

(2) The operation is located on the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River at Emma in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 4,200 feet southwest of State Route 1428's junction with State Route 194 on the North bank of the Levisa Fork. The operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minutes quadrangle map at latitude 37d 37m 58s North and longitude 82d 42m 28s West. The surface area is owned by David May.

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

This is the final advertisement of this notice. All comments or objections must be received within 30 days of today's date.

REMINDER TO CUSTOMERS OF PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES

On January 24, 2001, Prestonsburg

City's Utilities Commission mailed letters announcing sewer service availability to customers in the Allen, New Allen, and Dwale areas and giving instructions for signing up for sewer service and getting connected to the new sewer system. For the most part, response to that letter has been good; however, some customers still have not signed up for sewer service.

The City of Allen's Ordinance #001-95 requires its residents to connect to the sewer system. In addition, because of the seriousness of our areas groundwater and surface water contamination, and as a requirement for receiving federal funds, Floyd County Ordinance #99-004 requires all Floyd County residents to connect to an approved public sewer system within three months of the system's availability unless they qualify for a waiver.

Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission, the owner of the new sewer system in the Allen, New Allen, and Dwale areas, will work with the City of Allen, the County, the Health Department, the Kentucky Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, and other applicable agencies to make certain that everyone connects to the new sewer system, to ensure compliance with Ordinances #001-95 and #99-004, as well as applicable state laws.

Funding for construction of the new sewer system was awarded to resolve an ongoing enforcement case between the City of Allen and the Kentucky Division of Water. A significant number of residents in the Allen, New Allen, and Dwale areas have failing septic systems, straight pipes, or discharge directly to the existing storm sewer system. If those persons fail to connect to the new sanitary sewer system, they may also be subject to enforcement action by the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet.

As of May 1, 2001, all customers that can be served by the new sewer system in the Allen, New Allen, and Dwale areas will be deemed to be receiving sewer service and will be billed accordingly. If you're not sure whether your home or business is already connected, please call us at (606) 886-6871 and we'll help you in any way we can. We look

forward to serving you.

Jim Calhoun, Chairman
Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission
2560 South Lake Drive
Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

Floyd Circuit Court Division No. II Civil Action No. 99-CI-000583

United Companies Lending Corporation..Plaintiff VS:

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Ricky Akers, Diane Akers, Key Federal Savings Bank; and County of Floyd..Defendants
By virtue of Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered on the 26th day of March, 2001, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled cause, for the following sums as of February 12, 2001:

- Principal \$50,830.26
- Late Charges \$1,082.71
- Interest from 4/1/98 \$19,303.93
- Suspense Balance (\$66.46)
- Advancements for the protection of the property, including taxes and insurance (negative escrow) \$2,184.12
- BPO/Appraisals \$233.60
- Attorney fees (KRS 411.195) \$950.00
- Total \$74,518.18

for which total amount in rem judgment is hereby rendered in favor of the Plaintiff and against the primary Defendant, together with interest at the rate of 18.45 per diem from the above date until paid, plus court costs herein and any sums expended by Plaintiff for insurance, ad valorem taxes, or for preservation of real estate until date of sale, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, 3rd Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center) to the highest bidder, at public auction on Thursday, the 26th day of April, 2001, at the hour of 9:30 a.m., the real estate which is located at 194 Gerald Branch Road, Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, 41653, and more particularly described as follows:

TRACT I
Beginning at the private road and the line of George Henry Jarrell; thence in an easterly direction a

distance of approximately 70 feet to a metal stake; thence in a northerly direction a distance of approximately 60 feet to a metal stake at the property line of Woodrow Jarrell, thence in a westerly direction with the property line of Woodrow Jarrell a distance of approximately 70 feet to a marked road; thence a southerly direction with a private road a distance of approximately 70 feet to the point of beginning.

TRACT II

A tract on Slick Rock Branch of Cow Creek, beginning at John H. Jarrell's line running around the hill for a 48 feet and then running down the hill for 94 feet to the road. Following the road 48 feet to John H. Jarrell's line and running 94 feet back up the hill to the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Ricky Akers and Diane Akers (a/k/a Diane L. Akers), husband and wife, by deed dated 09/18/89, of record in Deed Book 330, Page 711, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The property hereinabove described cannot be divided without materially impairing its value and therefore will be sold as a whole by the Master Commissioner of the Court with the proceeds therefrom distributed to the parties as set out hereinbelow.

The property hereinabove described shall be sold by the Master Commissioner as more particularly set forth in order to satisfy the debt owed the Plaintiff, interest, costs, and outstanding Floyd County, Kentucky, Ad Valorem taxes owed by the primary defendants.

The liens herein adjudged shall attach to the proceeds of said sale of the real estate in priority as follows: The Plaintiff, United Companies Lending Corporation, is adjudged to have a first and superior lien (subject only to any appropriate liens of and Floyd County, Kentucky and sale fees and costs) upon the hereinabove described real property.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
Floyd Circuit Court
Division No. 1
Civil Action No. 00-CI-000963
Inez Deposit
Bak...Plaintiff
Vs:
NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Hilton Roberts; Hilton Roberts, Executor of the Estate of Lorene Roberts; Drusella M. Roberts; Firststar Bank (formerly Transfinancial Bank); County of Floyd; and Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation...Defendants

By virtue of Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered on the 22nd day of March, 2001, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled cause, for the principal sum of Fifty Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Three Dollars and Twenty Cents (\$50,653.20), together with accrued interest thereon from the date of judgment, at the rate of 12% per annum, and with interest thereafter at the lawful rate until paid; and an attorney fee in the amount of 15% of the judgment herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, 3rd Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center) to the highest bidder, at public auction on Thursday, the 26th day of April, 2001, at the hour of 9:15 a.m., the property set out in that certain mortgage between Hilton Roberts and Lorene Roberts in favor of the Inez Deposit Bank of record in Mortgage Book 247, page 54, and Mortgage Book 315, Page 439, Floyd County Records, and located and lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

TRACT I: A certain tract or parcel of land located on Orchard Fork of Prater Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, and being more described as follows:

Lot #27 of Orchard Branch Subdivision as shown at Plat by Baldridge Engineering Co., dated September 26, 1981, and recorded in Map file No. 1-1-162, of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

And being part of the same land conveyed to Hilton Eugene Roberts and Lorene Roberts, his wife, by deed dated the 29th day of July, 1982, from Leonard Hall and Bulavene Hall, his wife, recorded in Deed Book 268, Page 182, and being the same land in Deed of record in Deed Book 314, page 188, dated October 22, 1987, from Hilton Roberts and Lorene Roberts to Drusella M. Roberts, in the office of the Floyd County Court Clerk.

TRACT II: A certain tract or parcel of land located on Orchard Fork of Prater Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, and being more described as follows:

Lot #26 of Orchard Branch Subdivision as shown at Plat by Baldridge Engineering Co., dated September 26, 1981, and recorded in Map File No. 1-1-

162, of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office. And being part of the same land conveyed to Hilton Eugene Roberts and Lorene Roberts, his wife, by deed dated the 29th day of July, 1982, from Leonard Hall and Bulavene Hall, his wife, recorded in Deed Book 268, Page 182, and being the same land in Deed of record in Deed Book 314, page 188, dated October 22, 1987, from Hilton Roberts and Lorene Roberts to Drusella M. Roberts, in the office of the Floyd County Court Clerk.

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And being part of the same land conveyed to Hilton Eugene Roberts and Lorene Roberts, his wife, by deed dated the 29th day of July, 1982, from Leonard Hall and Bulavene Hall, his wife, and recorded in Deed Book 268, Page 182, in the office of the Floyd County Court Clerk.

The property hereinabove described cannot be divided without materially impairing its value and therefore will be sold as a whole by the Master Commissioner of the Court with the proceeds therefrom distributed to the parties as set out hereinbelow.

The property hereinabove described shall be sold by the Master Commissioner as more particularly set forth in order to satisfy the debt owed the Plaintiff, interest, costs, and outstanding Floyd County, Kentucky, Ad Valorem taxes owed by the primary defendants.

The liens herein adjudged shall attach to the proceeds of said sale of the real estate in priority as follows:
The Plaintiff, Inez Deposit Bank, is

adjudged to have a first and superior lien (subject only to any appropriate liens of and Floyd County, Kentucky, and sale fees and costs) upon the hereinabove described real property.

TERMS OF SALE:
(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 20% down, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.
(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 2410 or KRS 426.530.

(d) The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all Floyd County, Kentucky, real property taxes for the year 2000, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent Floyd County, Kentucky, real estate taxes will be paid from the sale proceeds.

(e) In the event the Plaintiff is the purchaser of the above described property for an amount equal to, or less than, its first lien, it shall take a credit against said lien for the amount of the bid and no bond shall be required of the Plaintiff, and it shall only be obligated to pay court costs, the fees and costs of the Master Commissioner and any real estate taxes assessed against the real estate.

Any announcements made on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.
This the 5th day of April, 2001,
William S. Kendrick
Master
Commissioner
P.O. Box 268

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Master
Commissioner
P.O. Box 268

Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653
(606 886-2812)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that the original was forwarded to Floyd Circuit Court Clerk, which true and correct copies of the foregoing duly mailed, postage prepaid, this the 5th day of April, 2001 to:

Hon. John R. Triplett
P.O. Box 2128
Inez, KY 41224,

Drusella M. Roberts
P.O. Box 85
Dana, KY 41615-0085

Green Tree Financial Servicing Corporation
4965 US HWY 42, Suite 1500
Louisville, KY 40222

Hilton Roberts, individually and Hilton Roberts as Executor of the Estate of Lorene Roberts
707 Orchard Branch
Honaker, KY 41615

Firststar Bank
Junction Rt. 122, Rt. 80
Martin, KY 41649

Hon. Keith Bartley
Floyd County Attorney
P.O. Box 1000
Prestonsburg, KY 41653

WILLIAM S. KENDRICK
Master
Commissioner

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to 405 KAR 8.010, Section 16(5), the following is a summary of permit-

ting decisions made by the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Division of Permits with respect to applications to conduct surface coal mining and reclamation operations in Floyd County.

FCDC Coal Incorporated
836-5371
ISSUED010328

PUBLIC NOTICE

Stumbo Family Cemetery
Located at
Minnie, KY

This cemetery is a private cemetery for the use of the heirs of William and Elizabeth Stumbo only. The adjoining property belongs to the Wentz Heirs-the boundaries of the cemetery are the graves of H.H. Stumbo, Woodie Stumbo and Wentz

and Pauline Stumbo, these graves are private property. Any graves beyond this point must be relocated if you have any questions as to the boundaries of the cemetery. Call 377-2243.

COMMONWEALTH

NOTICE (OF FINAL SETTLEMENT)

I, Douglas Ray Hall, Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following settlements of estates have been filed in my office. Anyone desiring to take exceptions to said settlements must do so on or before May 30, 2001, at 9:00 a.m.

Settlement	Case Number	Estate Of:	Fiduciary	Date Filed
Final	99-P-00092	Bernice Nichols Salisbury	Ervin R. Salisbury	03/12/01
Final	99-P-00097	Eimer Case	Pheba Case	03/20/01
Final	99-P-00073	John Ellis Branham	Bernice Branham	03/20/01
Final	99-P-00105	Lila Little	Clinton Little	03/21/01
Final	99-P-00100	Effie Hopson Hopkins	Bonnie & Paul Spencer	03/21/01
Final	99-P-00087	Paul Turner	Sharon Marie Riley	03/23/01
Final	00-P-00260	Bertha D. Risner	Emzy Risner	03/26/01
Final	99-P-00107	Ashland DeRossett	Lula Mae Derossett	03/27/01
Final	00-P-00386	Minerva Cooley	Woodrow Holbrook	03/27/01
Final	99-P-00075	Sally G. Ferguson	Ben D. Ferguson	03/29/01
Final	99-P-00049	Boone Frasure	Brenda Hicks	03/29/01
Final	99-P-00003	Cynthia Hale Dove	Rosa Lovely	03/30/01
Final	99-P-00080	Iberay Johnson	Rick Johnson	03/30/01
Final	99-P-00096	Malcolm Lewis	Florence Lewis	03/30/01
Final	99-P-00084	Elsie Pack	Patsy Griffith	03/30/01
Final	00-P-00262	Carl E. Bentley	Anna R. Bentley	03/30/01
Final	99-P-00098	Hatler Collins	Mable Louise Collins	04/03/01
Final	00-P-00310	Hallie Hager	Ronald L. Hager	04/04/01
Final	98-P-00347	Naomi Goble Gagle	Jane Bond	04/05/01
Final	00-P-00009	Luther Hall	Freddy W. Hall	04/05/01
Final	98-P-00375	Bert Case	Frankie Case	04/05/01
Final	99-P-00180	Hattie M. Hall	Derzil Hall	04/06/01
Final	00-P-00261	Ralph Little	John Harris	04/10/01
Final	98-P-00321	Townzel Newsome	Shirley K. Newsome	04/11/01
Final	00-P-00288	Frank Howell	Lucille Howell	04/11/01
Final	00-P-00180	Gracie B. Campbell	Ronald V. Campbell	04/12/01
Final	00-P-00280	Brenda C. Salisbury	Belinda R. Newsome	04/12/01

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT


I, Douglas Ray Hall, Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following persons have been appointed fiduciaries by the District Court. All persons indebted to an estate should settle with the fiduciary within six (6) months from the date of appointment.

Date of Appointment	Case Number	Estate of:	Fiduciary	Attorney
03/23/01	01-P-00114	Illa Triplett Branham Box 106 Wayland, KY 41666	Gary Branham P.O. Box 334 Wayland, KY 41666	
03/27/01	01-P-00115	Jessie J. Collins RRT Box 371 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Susie Collins RRT Box 371 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	
03/27/01	01-P-00116	James Edgle Stone 6281 St. Rt. 850 Hippo, KY 41637	Linda G. Stone 6281 St. Rt. 850 Hippo, KY 41637	William S. Kendrick P.O. Box 268 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
03/28/01	01-P-00117	Charles T. Turner Wayland, KY 41666	Lottie Turner P.O. Box 264 Wayland, KY 41666	
03/29/01	01-P-00118	Walker Tackett 20 W. Tackett Dr. Teaberry, KY 41860	Mearl Frasure Tackett 20 W. Tackett Dr. Teaberry, KY 41860	Gregory D. Stumbo P.O. Box 511 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
03/29/01	01-P-00119	Moses "Pete" Moore Box 8 Minnie, KY 41651	Sandra Rose Moore Box 8 Minnie, KY 41651	Gregory D. Stumbo P.O. Box 511 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
04/02/01	01-P-00120	Charlie Akers KY. RT. 1750 East Point, KY 41216	Cindy Estep KY. RT. 1759 East Point, KY 41216	
04/03/01	01-P-00121	Anne Newsome McDowell, KY 41647	Willis D. Newsome P.O. Box 80 Ivel, KY 41242	
04/03/01	01-P-00122	John Hunter Printer, KY	Varney C. Hunter 233 Maygar Willington, OH 44090	G. C. Perry, III
04/03/01	01-P-00123	Eddie E. Conn 400 Justice Br. Dana, KY 41615	Margie L. Conn 400 Justice Br. Dana, KY 41615	
04/03/01	01-P-00124	Walter L. Akers 6877 Ky. Rt. 1426 Banner, KY 41603	Minnie Akers 6877 Ky. Rt. 1426 Banner, KY 41603	Anthony C. Davis P.O. Box 220 Betsy Layne, KY 41605
04/06/01	01-P-00126	Don Tackett Box 2 Wheehwright, KY 41669	Carolyn Tackett P.O. Box 268 Virgie, KY 41572	Edward Atkins P.O. Box 1079 Pikeville, KY 41502
04/06/01	01-P-00127	Claude Bentley 5347 Ky. Rt. 680 Grethel, KY 41631	Roxana Bentley 5347 Ky. Rt. 680 Grethel, KY 41631	
04/09/01	01-P-00128	Anna Frasure Martin 2459 Ky. Rt. 3379 Grethel, KY 41631	Eimer G. Martin 2459 Ky. Rt. 3379 Grethel, KY 41631	Anthony Craig Davis P.O. Box 220 Betsy Layne, KY 41605
04/09/01	01-P-00129	John M. Luxmore 407 Bryant Br. Hi Hat, KY 41636	Betty Aileen Luxmore 407 Bryant Br. Hi Hat, KY 41636	
04/09/01	01-P-00130	Rita Sue Whicker Hall 1292 Left Beaver St. Martin, KY 41649	Alan Wicker Martin, KY 41649 Lorraine Shepherd 198 Daniels Creek Rd. Banner, KY 41603	Timothy Parker P.O. Box 927 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
04/10/01	01-P-00131	Flossie D. Adkins 63 Lawson Lane Harold, KY 41635	Harold L. Adkins 63 Lawson Lane Harold, KY 41635	
04/10/01	01-P-00132	Gracie Johnson Box 337 Melvin, KY 41650	Tommy Cole Box 337 Melvin, KY 41650	
04/11/01	01-P-00133	Phyllis Mae Moore Box 77 Langley, KY 41645	Edd Moore Box 99 Langley, KY 41645	
04/12/01	01-P-00134	Beulah Ann Walker Tram, KY 41683	Geneva Walker P.O. Box 35 Tram, KY 41683	
04/13/01	01-P-00135	Francis Huff Eastern, KY 41622	Bethleen Francis P.O. Box 247 Garrett, KY 41630	
04/17/01	01-P-00137	Shawn Burkett, Minor 105 Wells Dr., Apt. 24 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Janie Robinson, Guardian 105 Wells Dr., Apt. 24 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Arnold Turner, Jr. P.O. Box 388 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
04/16/01	01-P-00136	Myrtle Lawson Hunter P.O. Box 164 Printer, KY 41655	Sharon Case P.O. Box 95 Stanville, KY 41659	
04/18/01	01-P-00139	Helen Louise Burke 1064 N. Lake Dr. Prestonsburg, KY 41653	John W. Burke Sr. 1064 N. Lake Dr. Prestonsburg, KY 41653	
04/19/01	01-P-00140	Doffie Henderson 2178 Mink Branch Craynor, KY 41635	Burliana Henderson 2178 Mink Branch Craynor, KY 41635	
04/20/01	01-P-00142	Hester Hall HC 74, Box 610 Banner, KY 41603	David M. Hall P.O. Box 14 Banner, KY 41603	J.D. Johnson P.O. Box 1546 Banner, KY 41603

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OF KENTUCKY
Floyd Circuit Court
Division No. 1
Civil Action No. 00-
CI-1050
Firstmerit Bank,
NA...Plaintiff
Vs:
**NOTICE OF
COMMISSIONER'S
SALE**
Tommy Hicks;
unknown spouse
of Tommy Hicks;
and Commonwealth
of Kentucky, County
of Floyd...Defendants
By VIRTUE of
Default Judgment,
Judgment on the
Pleadings and Order
of Sale of the Floyd
Circuit Court entered
on the 20th day of
March, 2001 in the
Floyd Circuit Court, in
the above styled
cause, for the sum of
447,773.57, plus
interest on the princi-
pal portion thereof at
the rate of 6.5% per
annum from July 25,
2000 until paid, and
is awarded its rea-
sonable attorney
fees, court costs, any
applicable late
charges and any cost
of preserving the sub-
ject real property, I
shall proceed to offer
for sale at the Old
Floyd County
Courthouse Door, 3rd
Avenue,
Prestonsburg,
Kentucky, (behind the
new Floyd County
Justice Center) to the
highest bidder, at
public auction on
Thursday, the 26th
day of April, 2001, at
the hour of 9:00 a.m.,
the following
described real prop-
erty located in Floyd
County, Kentucky:
Being the same
property conveyed to
Thomas R. Hicks,
single, from Olus
Johnson and Georgia
Johnson, his wife, by
deed dated April 30,
1999, of record in
Deed Book 433,
Page 210, in the
Office of the Floyd
County Clerk, and
being a certain tract
or parcel of land lying
in Floyd County,
Kentucky, on the
waters of Laynes
Branch of Beaver
Creek, containing 1/4
acre, more or less,
which is more partic-
ularly described as
follows:
Beginning on a rock
in branch then to big
chestnut on a hill,
then around the hill in
a westerly direction to
a buckeye, then run-
ning down the hill
across the bottom in
a north direction to a
Sycamore stump at
the branch, then
down the branch to a
distance of 112 feet
to the place of begin-
ning.
The property here-
inabove described
cannot be divided
without materially
impairing its value
and therefore will be
sold as a whole by the
Master
Commissioner of the
Court with the pro-
ceeds therefrom dis-
tributed to the parties
as set out hereinbe-
low.
The property here-
inabove described
shall be sold by the
Master
Commissioner as
more particularly set
forth in order to sat-
isfy the debt owed the
Plaintiff, interest,
costs, and outstand-
ing Floyd County,
Kentucky, Ad
Valorem taxes owed
by the primary defen-
dant, Tommy Hicks.
The liens herein
adjudged shall attach
to the proceeds of
said sale of the real
estate in priority as
follows:
The Plaintiff,
Firstmerit Bank, NA,
is adjudged to have a
first and superior lien
(subject only to any
appropriate liens of
and Floyd County,
Kentucky and sale
fees and costs) upon

the hereinabove
described real prop-
erty.
TERMS OF SALE:
(a) At the time of
sale, the successful
bidder, if the other
than the Plaintiff,
shall either pay cash
or 10% down, with
the balance on credit
for thirty (30) days.
(b) The successful
bidder shall be
required to execute a
bond with good sure-
ty thereon for the
unpaid purchase
price of said property,
if any, bearing inter-
est at the rate of
twelve percent (12%)
per annum from the
date of sale until
paid, having the force
and effect of a
Judgment.

(c) The property
shall be sold subject
to any easements
and restrictions of
record in the Floyd
County Clerk's Office
and such right of
redemption as may
exist in favor of the
United States of
America and/or the
record owners there-
of, pursuant to 28
U.S.C. 2410 or KRS
426.530.
(d) The purchaser
shall be required to
assume and pay all
Floyd County,
Kentucky, real prop-
erty taxes for the
years 2001, and all
subsequent years
which are not yet due
and payable. Any and
all delinquent Floyd
County, Kentucky,

real estate taxes will
be paid from the sale
proceeds.
(e) In the event the
Plaintiff is the pur-
chaser of the above
described property,
the Plaintiff may take
credit against the
amount of the judg-
ment herein for the
required deposit and
purchase price to the
extent that the sale
price is sufficient to
pay such judgment,
and the plaintiff shall
not be required to
post bond or pay a
deposit, and it shall
only be obligated to
pay court costs, the
fees and costs of the
M a s t e r
Commissioner and
any real estate taxes
assessed against the

real estate.
(f) The Master
Commissioner is
authorized and
directed to accept
one bid by telephone
or facsimile from the
Plaintiff or its counsel
and any bid so
received shall consti-
tute the initial bid at
the sale. The Master
Commissioner shall
not disclose any such
bid until the time of
the sale.
Any announce-
ments made on date
of sale takes prece-
dence over printed
matter contained
herein.
This the 5th day of
April, 2001.
WILLIAM S.
KENDRICK
M a s t e r

Commissioner
P.O. Box 268
Prestonsburg,
Kentucky 41653
(606) 886-2812
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Attorney
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The City of
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6, 2001. Contact the
City Clerk at 452-
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details. The City
reserves the right to
reject any or all bids.
Mayor David
Sammons


PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby
given that James C.
Harmon, Stanville,
Kentucky, has filed
an application with
Natural Resources
and Environmental

Protection Cabinet to
place one 28x68
manufactured house
next to the Levisa
Fork at level,
Kentucky. The prop-
erty is located on US
23, 5 miles south of
the intersection of US
23 and KY 1428 at
Allen. Any comments
or objections con-
cerning this applica-
tion shall be directed
to: Kentucky Division
of Water, Water
Resources Branch,
14 Reilly Road,
Frankfort Office Park,
Frankfort, Kentucky
40601. Phone: (502)
564-3410.

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