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Pepperoni Hot Pockets recalled

The Associated Press

LOUISVILLE — A recall has been issued for over 215,000 pounds of "Hot Pockets Pepperoni Pizza" made at an Eastern Kentucky plant.

Nestle Prepared Foods Co. issued the recall on Thursday after receiving complaints from consumers about foreign products inside the stuffed sandwiches. The recalled items were sold in 54-ounce, 12-pack cartons and produced on June 5 at the company's plant in Mt. Sterling.

The recalled products have the following printed on the sides of each carton: "8157544614D," "EST 7721A" and "BEST BEFORE JAN2010." The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection Service says each carton bears the USDA mark of inspection.

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Friday



High: 89 • Low: 62

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One jailed after P'burg shooting

by JACK LATTA
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — The condition of a Floyd County man shot during a confrontation Sunday has been elevated to stable after being treated for his injuries at St. Mary's

Hospital, in Huntington, W.Va. According to Kentucky State Police, Walter Lee Setser, 31, of Prestonsburg, was shot multiple times in the lower abdomen during a confrontation with William T. Wolfe at B&C Trailer Court in Prestonsburg. Setser's injuries

were so extensive that he had to be airlifted to Saint Mary's Hospital but is now listed in stable condition.

Wolfe, 29, of Prestonsburg, reportedly fled the scene into the hills, but later turned himself in to the Floyd County Detention Center. According

to Floyd County Sheriff John K Blackburn, the weapon used in the shooting, a 9 mm handgun, was also recovered.

Wolfe, who is being lodged in the Floyd County Detention Center, was arraigned in Floyd District Court on Monday, and his bond was set at \$50,000

cash. He is charged with first-degree assault, and a preliminary hearing has been set for Tuesday, Sept. 2.

No report as to a motive was given by Sheriff Blackburn. The shooting is still under investigation by the Floyd County Sheriff's Office.

ENTERTAINING THE BOARD



photo by Jarrid Deaton

Jesse Osborne, a sixth-grade student at South Floyd Middle School and member of the Kentucky Opry, sang "Waiting On the World to Change," by John Mayer, at the meeting of the Floyd County Board of Education on Monday.

Outgoing board member gives warning to South Floyd

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

HI HAT — A large part of the Floyd County Board of Education's meeting on Monday at South Floyd High School dealt with the school's recent test scores and what measures are in place to help teachers and students in problem areas.

According to a report released earlier this month by the Kentucky Department of Education, South Floyd High

School did not meet its Adequate Yearly Progress goals under the No Child Left Behind Act.

South Floyd High School did not meet the goals for all students in mathematics, white students in mathematics, free or reduced lunch students in mathematics, and students with disabilities in mathematics. Also, students with disabilities did not meet the goal for reading.

Under NCLB, a district or school must meet 100 percent

of its goals in order to qualify as having made Adequate Yearly Progress.

South Floyd High School has had difficulty in the past obtaining Adequate Yearly Progress, with last year's report showing nine out of 10 goals met, and the previous year showing seven out of 12.

Principal Joe Marson gave a report to the board on what the school is doing to improve scores, but Board Member

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Board tax rate inches downward

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

HI HAT — Due to high gas prices and a promise to think things over after arguments about tax rates last year, the Floyd County Board of Education voted to lessen the burden a little on taxpayers' wallets during a meeting Monday at South Floyd High School.

The board voted to lower the compensating tax rate to 52.3 cents per \$100 of assessed value, plus an allowable amount to recover prior year losses due to

exonerations of 0.5 cents per \$100 of assessed value. The motor vehicle and watercraft property tax rate will remain the same as last year at 55.4 cents per \$100 of assessed value.

"We think this is the right thing to do," said Jeff Stumbo, board chairman. "It will help the public to save a little money."

Supt. Henry Webb said that the decision to lower the tax rate was based in part on the board's current financial status.

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Poverty rate rises in Appalachia

by P.J. DICKERSCHIED
ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHARLESTON, W.Va. — The share of Appalachians living in poverty last year increased by 114,000 to 13.3 million, according to U.S. Census Bureau figures released Tuesday.

But there was good news in the numbers. Median incomes were up in all the 13 states that make up Appalachia except Kentucky, where the median income was \$39,678. However, with the exception of Maryland and

Virginia, those incomes across Appalachia still were below the national median of \$50,233.

And the number of people in the region who did not have health insurance last year fell to 13.6 million from 13.7 million from the year before.

Appalachia includes all of West Virginia and parts of Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, Maryland, Mississippi, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee and

(See POVERTY, page 16)

Cleanup keeps Tram man out of trouble

by JACK LATTA
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — A Floyd County man who was accused of animal cruelty and public nuisance by code enforcement and animal control officers in July was back in Floyd District Court this week for a review of his progress.

Code Enforcement officer Randy Bryant said Wayne Clark, 65, of Tram, who had been warned numerous times about the trash buildup on his property dating back to 2001, has made significant progress in the cleanup of his property.

"I'd say it's about 75 percent," said Bryant during the hearing. "He's done a good job of cleaning up."

Clark's attorney, Heather Gearheart, warned Clark not to be "ridiculous" after he questioned the extent of his cleanup.

"How much is enough?" Clark asked in regard to the cleaning of his property. "If I leave a broken hammer in the yard, does that count?"

According to Bryant, Clark's property had been littered with cars, tires, car parts and all manner of clutter.

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Wayne Clark was back in court Monday to give Judge Eric Hall and prosecutors an update of the cleanup of his property in Tram.

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Obituaries

Orbin "Sweet" Childers

Orbin "Sweet" Childers, age 72, of Lebanon, passed away Saturday, August 23, at his home.

He is survived by his wife, Joyce Childers.

Other survivors include three sons: James Orbin (Sherry) Childers, Billy (Tammy) Childers, and Martin Childers; two daughters: Penny (Jon) Stratton and Jo Anna (Bryan) Jones; one sister, Paula Rollins; four brothers: Ivan Childers Jr., Charles Childers, Talmadge Childers, and Phillip Childers; eight grandchildren, and special caregiver, Louise Sexton.

Funeral services for Orbin "Sweet" Childers were held at 1 p.m., Monday, August 25, at the Hindman Funeral Services Chapel, with John Schroll officiating.

Burial was in Mountain Memory Gardens, in Hindman.

Visitation was at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Hospice of Bluegrass, or Hindman United Methodist Church building fund

(Paid obituary)

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Wade Duff

Wade Duff, age 72, of Garrett, passed away on Friday, August 22, at St. Joseph Hospital-East in Lexington.

He was born June 15, 1932, in Garrett, the son of the late Green and Birchie Chaffins Duff.

He was a retired mechanic with Lima Electric and Garrett Gulf; a member of the Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church; and a member of James W. Alley Masonic Lodge No. 869 of Wayland.

He is survived by his wife, Sturnel Moore Duff of Garrett.

Other survivors include a son, Clinton Duff of Garrett; a daughter, Melody Ann Raines of Garrett; his brothers: Willie Duff of Langley; and Sidney Duff of Ft. Deposit, Maryland; his sisters, Pauline Cotter of Waynesville, Ohio; Vernia Rowe of Lima, Ohio; Helen Lowery of Roundhead, Ohio; and Olive Martin of Langley; three grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers: Irlan Duff and Bewel Duff; and a sister, Geraldine Duff.

Funeral services were held Sunday, August 24, at 11:00 a.m., in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Willie Duff, and others, officiating.

Burial was in the Chaffins Cemetery in Garrett, under the professional care of Hall Funeral Home of Martin.

Pallbearers: Matthew Moore, Kevin Moore, Duncan Rowe, Ricky Rowe, Greg Cotter, Dan Moore, Tim Lykins, Jeff Moore, Brad Allen, and Tod Class.

Honorary pallbearers: Keith Neigh, Frank Martin, Bryon Scott, Ben Moore, and Nathan Moore.

(Paid obituary)

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Theodore Joseph "Jody" Fannin

Theodore Joseph "Jody" Fannin, 81, of Prestonsburg, died Thursday, August 21, 2008, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Born February 17, 1927, in Fayette County, W.Va., he was the son of the late Glen Roscoe Fannin and Mable Spurlock Fannin. He was a retired employee of John Gray Pontiac. He was a member of Zebulon Lodge No. 273, F&AM, Prestonsburg; and a former member of the U.S. Air Force.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Marguerite White Fannin, on May 31, 1998.

Survivors include two sons: John Gray (Gina) and Huey Gray, both of Lexington; one daughter, Elizabeth Fannin Chaffin (Don) of Prestonsburg; two brothers: Billy R. Fannin of Utah; and Jack Fannin of Melbourne, Florida; and one sister, Naomi Steffey of Findlay, Ohio; seven grandchildren: Summer Osborne, Ashley Taylor Gray, John Huston Gray (Kim), Lesley Karen Gray-

Jones (Chris), Aderian Nicholas Chaffin, Evan Heath Chaffin, and Jeane Elizabeth Chaffin; four great-grandchildren: John Logan Gray, Madison Claire Gray, Emma Grace Gray, and Hannah Elizabeth Gray.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, Tom Fannin; and a dear friend, Rella Bentley, who passed away March 11, 2006.

Funeral services were held Saturday, August 23, at 11 a.m., at the Carter Funeral Home Chapel, Prestonsburg, with Pastor Bobby Joe Spencer officiating.

Entombment was in Highland Memorial Park, Staffordsville.

Masonic services were held Friday, at 7:30 p.m., in the funeral home chapel.

Contributions are suggested to: The American Cancer Society.

The family has entrusted arrangements to the Carter Funeral Home

Pallbearers: Johnny Gray, Huey Gray, John Houston Gray, Don Chaffin, Nick Chaffin, Heath Chaffin and Chris Jones.

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Cecil Hall

Cecil Hall, age 72, of Galveston, husband of the late Shelby Jean Hall, passed away Thursday, August 21, 2008, at the Pikeville Medical Center.

He was born September 17, 1935, in Galveston, the son of the late Fred Hall Jr., and Myrtle Keathley Hall. He was retired from U.S. Steel. He was a member of the Main Street Church of Christ, in Pikeville; the YMCA; and the U.S. Steel Workers Organization.

Survivors include a son, Scottie (Diana) Hall of Versailles; two daughters: Catherine (Emmit) Hamilton of Harold; and Rita Hall (Philip) Casingal of Charleston, West, Virginia; two brothers: Ned Hall and Dewey Lee Hall, both of Galveston; four sisters: Lucrissie Keathley and Magaline Hall, both of Galveston; Pearl Keathley of Betsy Layne; and Delcie Tarson of Lorain, Ohio; five grandchildren: Dustin Heath Hamilton, Christian Casingal, Nicholas Casingal, Ethan Casingal, and Jonathan Scott Hall.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters: Alma Lee Griffin, and Sara Ann Jones.

Funeral services for Cecil Hall were conducted Sunday, August 24, at 2:00 p.m., at the Main Street Church of Christ, in Pikeville, with Clergyman Keith Blackburn officiating.

Burial was in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel.

under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home, in Martin.

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Morgan McKinney

Morgan McKinney, 50, of Honaker, died Sunday, August 24, 2008, at St. Joseph, Martin.

Born March 18, 1958, in New London, Ohio, he was the son of Phyllis Hunter McKinney of Martin, and the late Eugene McKinney. He was a retired coal miner.

He is survived by Nadine Watson McKinney, his wife, of 32 years.

Survivors, in addition to his wife and mother, include his daughters and son-in-law: Anita McKinney of Honaker; and Merita and Lonnie Forst of Oak Grove; his brothers and sisters-in-law: Johnny and Charla McKinney, of Prestonsburg; Mark McKinney of Martin, and Gina McKinney; sisters and brothers-in-law: Arti Lou and Andrew Baca of Printer; and Cathy Jean and Shane Kretzer of Lancaster; granddaughters: Adrienne Howell, Madison Collins, and MaKayla Stewart; grandsons: Aaron Brett Howell, Payton Ryan Collins, and Jordan Ray Stewart; special nieces and nephews: Summer McKinney, Limikia Prater, Eula Bias, Kami Baca, Kari Collis, Corey McKinney, Zack McKinney, Austin McKinney, and Kris Baca; a special cousin, Gerald Harvey; and a special friend: Nora Martin.

In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by a brother, Larry Allen McKinney; a nephew, Shawn Dalton Collins; and a niece, Shawna Gail Collins.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, August 27, at 2 p.m., at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Rev. Ted Shannon officiating.

Burial will be in Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel.

Visitation is at the funeral home.

Active pallbearers: Danny Conn, Elvis Ray Hunter, Gerald Harvey, Shane Kretzer, Andrew Baca, George Boyd, John Thompson, Zack McKinney, Austin McKinney, and Danny Ray Conn.

Honorary pallbearers: Kris Baca, Johnny McKinney, Caner Hunter, Mark McKinney, Aaron Brett Howell, and Jordan Ray Howell.

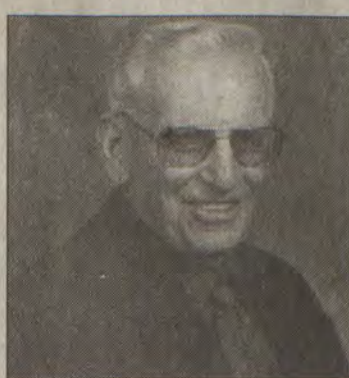
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James Franklin Powers

James Franklin Powers, age 82, of Somerset, passed away on Saturday, August 23, 2008, at Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital.

He was born September 11, 1925, in Bypro, the son of the



late Elbert and Cordelia Hall Powers Sr. He was a press operator for 32 years at the Chrysler Corporation in Warren, Michigan; and deacon at the Pilgrim Rock Old Regular Baptist Church in Waynesburg. He was a Korean War Army veteran, with the rank of Specialist Third Class.

He is survived by his wife, Betty Slone Powers, whom he married on June 10, 1950, in Pikeville.

Other survivors include a daughter, Lawana Sue (and Barry) Craig of Bronston; a sister, Vientia Powers Scott of Somerset; four grandchildren: Lindsay Lee Phillips, Rebekah Sue Phillips, Emily Jo Phillips, and Barry Allen Craig Jr.; three stepgrandchildren, Amber Renee (and Paul) Stapp, Samantha Jo Craig, and Rebecca Nicole Craig; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers: Arlie Hall and Elbert Powers Jr.; father and mother-in-law, Roosevelt and Margaret Casebolt Slone; three sisters-in-law, Lois Slone Powers, Subrina Slone Jones, and Dovie Hall; two brothers-in-law, Posey Scott Jr., and Berlin Jones; two special nephews: Clyde Scott and Ronald Scott; and a very special "adopted grandson," Marine Sergeant Phillip A. Bocks.

Visitation was Tuesday, August 26, after 5:00 p.m., at Lake Cumberland Funeral Home, 1046 West Highway 80, Somerset, and on Wednesday, August 27, after 10:00 a.m., at the Pilgrim Rock Old Regular Baptist Church, in Waynesburg.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, August 27th at 11:00 a.m., at the Pilgrim Rock Old Regular Baptist Church, in Waynesburg, with Bro. Carroll Addington officiating.

Burial will follow in the Lakeside Memorial Garden, in Somerset.

Condolences may be sent to the family at: www.lakecumberlandfuneralhome.com

Lake Cumberland Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

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Card of Thanks

The family of John Paul Wells Jr., would like to express our appreciation to all who sent, food, flowers, or perhaps said a kind word, and for the prayers that were spoken on our behalf. We especially want to thank Clergymen, Richard Greene, Buddy Jones, and Donnie Patrick, for all their comforting; the Riverview Health Care; the Floyd County Sheriff's Department; and Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional care.

THE FAMILY OF JOHN PAUL WELLS JR.

Card of Thanks

The family of the Doris Evelyn Cooley would like to humbly thank each and everyone who helped in any way during our recent loss. To those who sent beautiful floral arrangements, food, or even words of encouragement. To those who visited us at the funeral home; and to Clergyman Don Crisp for the peaceful words at the service; the Floyd County Sheriff's Department for escorting us safely to the graveside; the Hall Funeral Home staff for making our loss a little easier to bear; for anyone who may have helped in any other way, we lovingly say, Thank you, and God Bless.

THE FAMILY OF DORIS EVELYN COOLEY

Card of Thanks

The family of Martin Eli Johnson would like to sincerely say thank you to all of our wonderful friends and neighbors, who came to aid us in so many ways during and after the death of our loved one; those who sent flowers and food, or came by to share our burden; Clergymen Vernon Johnson and Tom Blackburn for their comforting words; the Floyd County Sheriff's Department for providing us with an escort to the graveside; and to the staff at Hall Funeral Home for a job well done. To all, we thank you. God Bless.

THE FAMILY OF MARTIN ELI JOHNSON

Card of Thanks

We, the family of Herbert Gene Salisbury, would like to express our sincere appreciation to all who came to our side after the passing of our loved one. If you sent flowers, food or just dropped by to share our sorrow, we say Thank You. A special thanks to the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words; the Pikeville Health Care Center; DAV, Chapter 128, Garrett, Ky.; the Floyd County Sheriff's Department; and to the Hall Funeral Home, for their kindness at a time when it meant the most. For those who helped in anyway, if only a gentle handshake, we say thank you, and God Bless.

THE FAMILY OF HERBERT GENE SALISBURY

Card of Thanks

The family of Alan Royce Case would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to friends, neighbors, and loved ones who helped comfort us during this time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, cards, prayers, or who spoke kind words. A special thanks to the Old Regular Baptist ministers, and all the other ministers; Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home; and his best friend, Harlos Hall, for being with him all these years. We also would like to thank our granddaughter's preacher, William and Anna Lou, for being there for her.

THE FAMILY OF ALLEN ROYCE CASE
Mother, Children, Brother, and Sister-in-Law

Card of Thanks

The family of Norma Faye Spears Hunt acknowledges with sincere appreciation, the comforting messages, floral tributes and other expressions of kindness during our time of sorrow. We especially want to thank Clergymen Willis Adkins, Virgil, Jack, and Mark Hunt, for all their comforting words; the Sheriff's Department for their escort to the cemetery; and to the Hall Funeral Home directors and staff for their kindness.

THE FAMILY OF NORMA FAYE SPEARS HUNT

The Floyd County Animal Shelter PET OF THE WEEK



This week's celebrity is Nora Absher. Ms. Absher is holding a six-week-old golden retriever mix named Nan.

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Apple Festival Pageants

Apple Pageant is Monday, September 29 at the Paintsville High School, 225 Second Street, Paintsville, Ky. Apple pageant times: Mini-Prince, 5 p.m.; Mini-Princess, 5:30 p.m., (ages 2 years thru 2 years 11 months); Prince, 6 p.m.; Princess, 6:30 p.m., (ages 3 years thru 5 years 11 months); Little Miss Apple Blossom, 7 p.m., (grades 1st, 3rd, and 5th); Pre-Teen Miss Apple Blossom, 7:30 p.m., (grades 4th and 5th). Rules and applications can be picked up at the Johnson County Public Library and City Hall in Paintsville and returned to Merle Norman Cosmetics.

Sponsored by Paintsville Varsity Cheerleaders. Chairperson: Jane Ann Daniels at 789-7107.

Floyd County Extension Council and District Board meeting, September 15

The Floyd County Extension Council and District Board will meet at the Floyd County Extension Office, (921 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg) on Monday, September 15, at 5:30 p.m. Please call the Extension Office 886-2668, to confirm your attendance. Educational programs of the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

12th Annual United Way Golf Scramble

The 12th Annual United Way Golf Scramble will be

held Monday, September 15, at the Paintsville Country Club, in Paintsville. Registration starts at 9 a.m. \$300 Registration. Play is limited to 30 teams. Play starts at 10 a.m.

Floyd County Extension District Board Meeting

The Floyd County Extension District Board will meet at the Floyd County Extension Office (921 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg) on Thursday, August 28, at 12 p.m., (noon). Please call the Extension Office, 886-2668, to confirm your attendance. Educational programs of the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability, or national origin.

Compton family reunion

Sunday, September 7, at Archer Park, Prestonsburg. Family and friends welcome. Bring a covered dish of choice. For information, 606-886-0462 or 606-886-3900.

Hicks Annual Family Reunion

The descendants of William and Naomi Reffitt Hicks are having their 10th Annual Family Reunion on Saturday, September 6, from 11-4 p.m., at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park. Registration will begin at 11 a.m., with a luncheon buffet at noon. Live entertainment will be provided at 2 p.m. Pictures and family records may be displayed throughout the gathering. All family and friends are welcome. For further information, call Delphia Hicks, at 886-3108.

Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group

Do you have a friend or loved one who suffers from Alzheimer's Disease or any other dementia? We can help! We will meet: Thursday, September 4, at 5 p.m., at Dr. Naved Ahmed's office, located at 4159 North Mayo Trail (Wedding Plaza), Pikeville.

At this support group, caregivers meet and develop a mutual support system that helps them maintain their own health and well-being, as well as optimally care for the person with Alzheimer's Disease.

For more information, contact the Fund's office at 606-432-1072, ext. 12, 13, or 14 or

Dr. Ahmed's office at (606) 432-5550.

Light refreshments will be served.

Hale reunion

Come join us on August 31, from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m., at Martin Community Center for our 3rd Annual Hale Reunion. Let's get together to eat and have a good visit with each other. If you wish, bring a dish. We look forward to seeing everyone.

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Wednesday, September 10, 2 p.m.-4 p.m., (8 weeks);
Thursday, September 11, 5 p.m.-8 p.m., (5 weeks).

Cost: \$30
Sewing Classes
Monday, September 8, 5:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m., (7 weeks);

Tuesday, September 9, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., (7 weeks)

Cost: \$20
Beginning Quilt Class
Thursday, September 11, 5 p.m.-8 p.m., (5 weeks)

Cost: \$20
Strip Quilt Class
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Wayland High School Class of '59 Reunion

The Wayland High School Class of 1959 will meet at the Wayland Historical Society Building on Saturday, October 4, at 11 a.m., in Room No. 208, to complete plans for their 50th reunion in 2009. For additional information, contact:

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Sclaypool@fuse.net
Judy music@bellsouth.net

Parsons Family Reunion

The Parsons Family Reunion, for the descendants of Isaac and Louisa Parsons will be held on Sunday, August 31, from 11 a.m., to 4 p.m., at the Isaac Parsons Cemetery. Cemetery is located on Parsons Branch Road, off Rte. 979 in Floyd County. Please bring a covered dish. Dinner will be served at 1 p.m. All family and friends are welcome. Call Mrs. E.J. Parsons at (865) 426-7585 or Ray Parsons (313) 383-7262 for more information.

Highlands Folk Festival General Information

The Highland Folk Festival Committee is now reserving booth space for the upcoming festival to be held September 19 and 20, at the Mountain Arts Center, in Prestonsburg. This year's theme is "From Heritage to Hero," and will include demonstrations such as woodcarving, basket making, and clogging, just to name a

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Viewpoint

Amendment 1

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Worth Repeating ...

Politics is not the art of the possible. It consists in choosing between the disastrous and the unpalatable.

— John Kenneth Galbraith

Our View

A crown jewel needing polish

We extend our congratulations to Ty Lindon, who recently was named the new park manager at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. At the same time, we also offer some advice:

Listen to the community.

We say this because that tendency has not been there in previous years, the most egregious example being in 2005, when state park officials, without notice to or input from the local community, closed the park's nine-hole golf course and converted it to a disc golf course.

To be fair, we cannot lay all of the blame for that decision at the feet of the local park officials at the time, as the impetus seemed to originate higher up in the state park system.

But the results were the same: A popular local attraction closed, its replacement hasn't attracted nearly as many users, and the local community felt ignored.

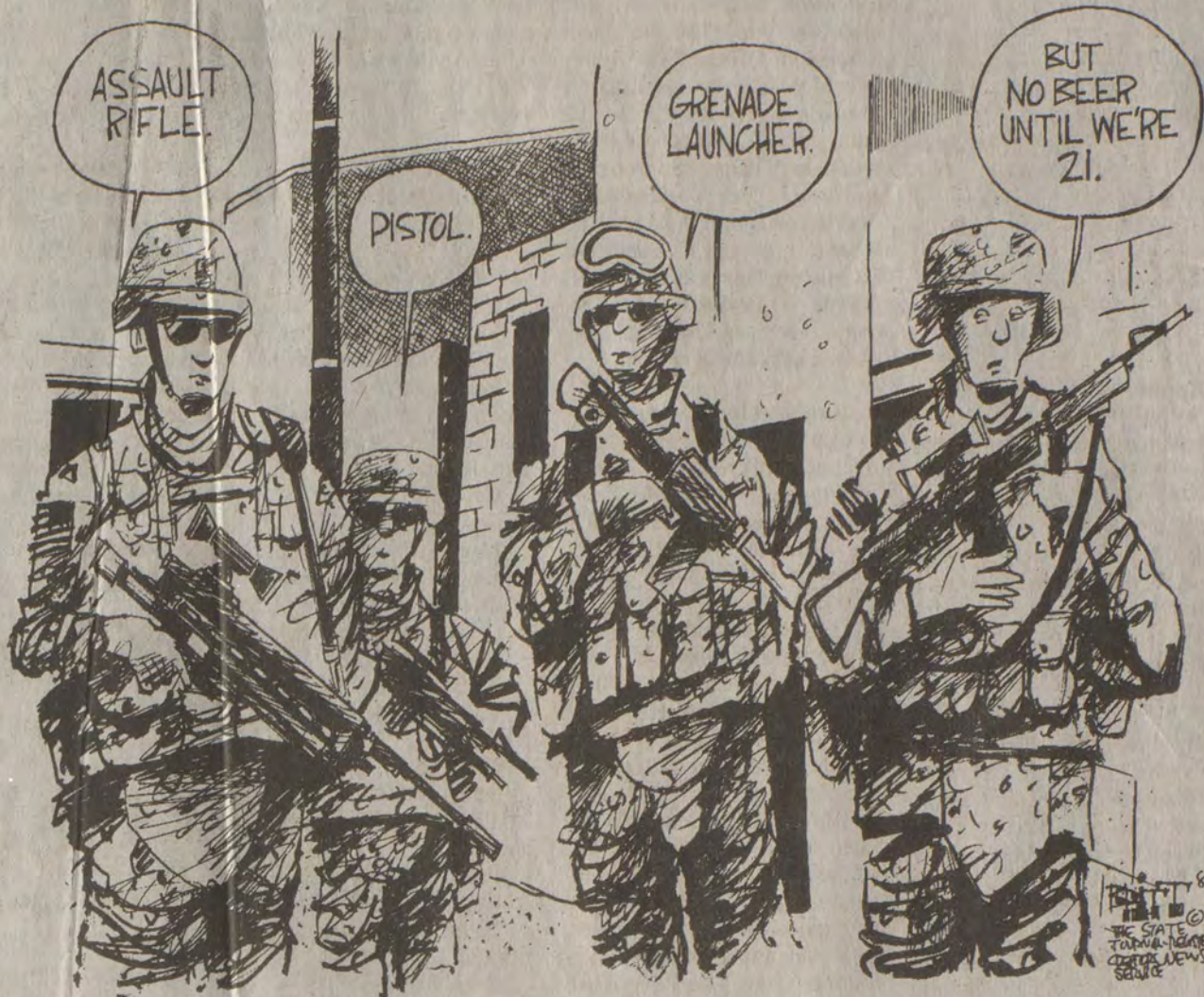
We are also concerned that Jenny Wiley, long a crown jewel in the state park system, appears to be showing its age. In addition to the closing of the golf course, another popular attraction, the park's pool, has been closed the past two summers. While other state parks frequently offer organized hiking and biking events, movie nights, even triathlons, Jenny Wiley often seems stuck on elk viewing tours. And when a national camping group recently listed the country's top 100 family campgrounds, five from Kentucky were on the list, but Jenny Wiley wasn't among them.

We offer this criticism not as an attack, but because we are truly concerned about the future of the park. Jenny Wiley has long been a source of pride not just for Floyd County, but for all of Eastern Kentucky. In many ways, it still is, with top-notch entertainment at Jenny Wiley Theatre, fantastic opportunities for water sports, excellent meeting facilities and outstanding natural scenery.

But the park runs the risk of fading into obscurity if it doesn't keep pace with recreational trends, such as the recent push for "adventure tourism." Tourists today want more than pretty scenery; they want to actively engage with nature. Jenny Wiley offers some of those opportunities, and recent events such as overnight canoe trips and bowfishing are a welcome change of pace. But more could be done, and certainly should be now that golf and swimming are no longer offered.

Now, with a new administration in Frankfort and new leadership in place at the park, we hope to see Jenny Wiley return to its rightful place as the tourism destination of Eastern Kentucky.

— The Floyd County Times



Guest Column

House week in review

by REP. HUBERT COLLINS

A program that is expected to save the state over \$12 million through 2010 by allowing inmates on parole supervision to receive credit toward their sentence—and eventual discharge from parole—drew both praise and fire before a state legislative committee last week.

Those who support the program, which has resulted in the release of at least 1,016 inmates from state prisons and county jails since it was included by state lawmakers in the Executive Branch budget bill House Bill 406 last session, say it is helping parolees both fulfill their sentence and become contributing members of society rather than sitting in the jail yard—regardless of their sentence, in most cases.

In fact, anyone except those sentenced to life without parole or death who does well on parole supervision is eligible for the credits, not just non-violent and/or nonsexual offenders, the Department of Corrections told the Interim Joint Committee on Judiciary at its Aug. 19 meeting. As long as someone does not commit an additional felony or break the rules of parole supervision, they receive the credit despite their sentence.

Those who are not happy with the program, including Kentucky

Commonwealth's Attorney Association President and Warren County Commonwealth's Attorney Chris Cohron, take issue with its possible impact on the public. Cohron told the committee that his office has been flooded with calls from crime victims in particular who worry how the provisions will affect them. He said statistics show that those who are discharged through the program will reoffend, adding that he feels the program undermines the court system by lessening the impact of lengthy sentences.

Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet Secretary J. Michael Brown tried to allay concerns about the program by explaining that parole credit does not equal early release. In all situations, he said, the inmates are under the supervision of the department until that time that they would be eligible for discharge from prison through "minimum expiration", or the minimum completion date, of their sentence without parole.

Parolees also face stiff penalties—like denial of bond—for committing another felony or violating parole supervision, according to Judiciary Committee Co-Chair Sen. Robert Stivers who said he is not sure the system could be any tougher beyond adding time to a person's sentence. If someone commits another felony while on supervision they will be punished, he explained, adding that the penalties are substantial.

That was not enough to make the program palatable to crime advocate

Jo Ann Phillips with Kentuckians Voice for Crime Victims, who called the new system an "unfunded mandate" on victims who often face medical, mental health or even funeral expense; as a result of criminal acts. After Phillips' testimony, committee Co-Chair Rep. Kathy Stein tried to reassure her that public safety is a legislative priority. And that, I can assure you, is the truth.

To prove it, the 2008 Kentucky General Assembly passed a resolution this year to create a Kentucky Penal Code Study Subcommittee of the Interim Joint Committee on Judiciary which will redraft the state's 34-year-old penal code. Doing so, many believe, will alleviate overcrowding in our state prisons and county jails and uneven penalties. The subcommittee will work with the Criminal Justice Council, the Governor's Office and others to modernize the code with a draft expected by December.

I am excited about the changes being made in our corrections system, both to improve the penal code itself and decrease the monstrous costs of the system. Kentucky already has one of the fastest growing number of inmates in the country according to the Pew Center, which reports that the number of inmates in the Commonwealth rose by 12 percent in 2007. We cannot afford the social or financial costs of that kind of system (our state spent \$454 million on corrections last year alone), and I look forward to helping to change it.

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PRIDE awards \$3,250 to May Valley Elementary

SOMERSET — In Floyd County, 365 students will gain hands-on experience in good stewardship practices during the school year, thanks to a \$3,250 PRIDE Environmental Education Grant.

The grant was awarded to May Valley Elementary. It will be used to enhance the school's outdoor classroom and buy books and multimedia materials. During the one-year grant period, 365 students are expected to benefit from the grant-funded activities.

PRIDE announced Monday that grants totaling \$235,760 were awarded to 70 schools and nonprofit organizations across 38 counties of southern and eastern Kentucky.

"Our goal is to help educators create fun, memorable lessons that will lead students to take care of the environment," said Tammie Wilson, vice president and chief operating officer for Eastern Kentucky PRIDE, the nonprofit organization that awarded the grants. "The grant applications showed that educators have solid project ideas, but they need resources to make their plans a reality, and that's where the PRIDE grants make such a difference."

"PRIDE has awarded education grants since 1998, and we're really seeing a return on that investment this year," said Jennifer Johnson, PRIDE program director. "Most grant recipients are building on projects that were started with previous PRIDE grants. For example, many grants will be used to enhance existing out-

door classrooms."

Since 1998, PRIDE has awarded 907 Environmental Education Grants. The grants were used to build 360 outdoor classrooms, 112 greenhouses, 60 nature trails, 49 wetlands/rain gardens and 38 school recycling programs. According to the grant applications, 535,685 students benefited from the grants in the years they were awarded.

The PRIDE Environmental Education Grant program awards up to \$3,250 annually to schools and nonprofit organizations. The funding supports projects that help young people understand the importance of a clean environment, personal responsibility and community pride. Grant recipients must match the grants with monetary or in-kind contributions worth 10 percent of the grant amount. Grant recipients may receive an additional \$300 to operate service-oriented PRIDE Clubs.

Eastern Kentucky PRIDE encourages and assists communities to improve water quality, clean up solid waste problems and promote environmental education. PRIDE, which is funded by a grant from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, was founded in 1997 by Congressman Hal Rogers (KY-5) and Kentucky Environmental Protection Secretary James Bickford.

For more information, please visit www.kypride.org or call the PRIDE office, toll free, at 888-577-4339.



PRIDE recently trained grant recipients to manage the funds. In this photo, Tammie Wilson of PRIDE presented a training certificate to Bridget Vanover of May Valley Elementary School.

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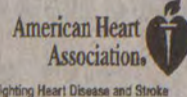
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County school finance director earns special designation

The Floyd County School District has announced that Matthew Wireman, director of finance and treasurer, has been awarded the designation of Certified School Financial Officer by the University of Kentucky's Gatton College of Business and Economics in Lexington.

Only 14 of the 174 Kentucky school finance officers have been designated as a CSFO.

The Certified School Financial Officer, "CSFO" is a special designation with more stringent requirements than the Certified School Financial Manager (CSFM) designation offered by the university. In addition to having completed the School Financial Managers Institute, passing the CSFM exam and maintaining certification as a CSFM, candidates must also have a minimum of a bachelors degree in any field of study, complete the application process for review by the Gatton College, have a mini-

mum of two years experience in a school district finance office, including a minimum of two years experience after successfully passing the CSFM exam for a total of four years combined additional experience.

Wireman has 12 years of experience in school finance, is a past president of the Kentucky Association of School Business Officials and earned the Certified School Financial Managers designation in July 2002. He has worked in the Floyd County School system since June 2000 and also serves as the Floyd County School District's Chief Information Officer where he provides leadership and management to the district's outstanding technology system and personnel.

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few. Musicians will also be demonstrating mountain musical instruments from banjos to dulcimers. There will also be a special tribute to Floyd County Veterans and Emergency Personnel. Don't forget the Second Annual Chili Cook Off! If you would like more information or if you would like to participate, contact Khrys Varney at (606) 889-9886, or 1-888-MACARTS; or Debi Manuel at (606) 886-0170.

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Democratic Woman's Club meets at May Lodge

The Floyd County Democratic Woman's Club meets the second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m., at the May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Need help with addiction?

Lifeline of Floyd County "Conquer Chemical Dependency" is a Christ-centered 12-step program offering support to those who are coping with addiction and learning to live drug-free lives. The support group meets on the following schedule:

Mondays, at Minnie (beside pharmacy), from 7-8 p.m.

Mondays, at Little Mud, Spruce Pine School, from 7-8 p.m.

Tuesdays, in Prestonsburg, in the Van Ark Building, from 2-3 p.m.

Tuesdays, at David, The David School, from 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Wednesdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.

Thursdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.

For more information, call Shirley Combs at (606) 434-8400, or Tom Nelson at (606) 478-2836.

Hope in the Mountains

Hope in the Mountains will host public meetings on Mondays, at 9 a.m., at the junction of U.S. 23 and Rt. 80, on Watergap Rd., behind the Trimble Chapel Church.

Meetings focus will be to offer information in regard to community resources available to women seeking freedom from drug abuse. Family members are also welcome to attend. The Hope initiative proposes to help women break

free from addictive lifestyles to become self-respecting contributing members of society. Call 874-2008 or 788-1006 for more information.

Prestonsburg Rotary Club

Prestonsburg Rotary Club meets, 12 noon to 1 p.m., at Made From Country at Heart. For additional information, contact Chris Daniel, 886-7354.

UNITE

The UNITE coalition of Floyd County will meet on the fourth Thursday of each month, at 5:30 p.m., at the New Allen Baptist Church. All interested persons welcome to join UNITE's fight against drugs.

"Living Free" - A support group sponsored by the Floyd County UNITE Coalition. Group will meet weekly at the old Allen Baptist Church, on US 23 N., between Allen and Banner, on Tuesdays, at 1:15 p.m.

Living Free is a faith-based 12-step support group open to all who are searching for recovery. There is no fee to attend. For more info., contact Shirley Combs at 874-3388 or 434-8400.

'Earn While You Learn'

The Big Sandy Area C.A.P. office is taking applications for its "Senior Training Program." You must be 55 or older to apply. In Floyd, call 886-2929; Johnson, call 789-6515; Magoffin, call 349-2217; Pike, call 432-2775; and in Lawrence, call 638-4067.

Senior employment program

Are you a senior citizen on a fixed income struggling with soaring medical bills and living expenses? Could you use some extra spending money but don't know how to get back into the workforce?

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Dixie: 3rd Thursday, 12:30 p.m., Dixie Community Room.
David: 1st Monday, 1 p.m., at St. Vincent's Mission.
Martin: 1st Tuesday, 6 p.m., Martin Church of Christ.
Maytown: 3rd Thursday, 6 p.m., Maytown Learning Center.

Cliff: 3rd Tuesday, 12 p.m., Community Center.

Prestonsburg: 2nd Tuesday, 10:30 a.m., Extension Office.

South Prestonsburg: 3rd Tuesday, 7 p.m., Home of members (call 886-2668 for info.)

Left Beaver: 2nd Tuesday, 10:30 a.m., Osborne Elem. School Library.

Special interest groups:
Nimble Thimble Quilt Guild: 1st/3rd Wednesdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Extension

Office.
Newbees Quilt Group: 4th Thursday, 6 p.m., Extension Office. (The Newbees do not meet during the months of January and February.)

Looking for a Support Group?

•Floyd County Alzheimer's Support Group meets regularly at Riverview Manor Healthcare Center. Call the center for meeting times.

•Domestic Violence Support Group - The Big Sandy Family Abuse Center holds meetings each Tuesday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The meetings are free of charge. Call 886-6025 for more information.

•Overeater's Anonymous - Meetings held each

Wednesday at 6:30 p.m., at the old Allen Baptist Church, located in Allen, just past red light. Call 889-9620 for more info.

•US TOO! Prostate Cancer Survivors Support Group - For all men with prostate cancer and their families. Group meets the 3rd Thursday of each month, at 6 p.m., at the Ramada Inn, Paintsville.

•Community Weight Loss Support Group - Meets Thursday's at 6:30 p.m., at the Martin Community Center. For more info., call 377-6658. Those who have had gastric bypass surgery most especially welcome to attend. Meetings being offered as support to anyone needing extra support in dealing with weight loss.

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Kentucky chosen for autism training partnership

FRANKFORT — Kentucky has been selected by the National Professional Development Center on Autism Spectrum Disorders to be one of only three states to receive technical assistance related to autism, which affects more than 2,300 school-aged children statewide.

Of nine grant applications nationwide, Kentucky, Michigan and Minnesota were selected to receive the assistance.

The Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) and the Kentucky Autism Training Center (KATC), located at the University of Louisville, partnered on the grant application.

KDE and KATC will work in collaboration with the FPG Child Development Institute at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, the Waisman Center at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and the M.I.N.D. Institute at the University of California Davis Medical School to implement the two-year project. KDE and KATC also will partner with the statewide network of Special Education Cooperatives and Early Childhood Regional Training Centers, Kentucky's Infant-Toddler Program (First Steps), the Parent Training and Information Network (KY-SPIN), the Kentucky Council

on Developmental Disabilities, institutions of higher education and many other state partners.

The National Professional Development Center on Autism Spectrum Disorders will provide professional development and technical assistance to help Kentucky promote implementation of evidence-based practices for early identification, intervention and education for children and youth with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD). These practices should produce the best possible outcomes for families and students with ASD, spanning the age range from infancy to early adulthood (21 years). In

addition, the center will help Kentucky establish model sites demonstrating evidence-based practices for ASD and in evaluating and measuring child, family, practitioner and system-level outcomes.

The purposes of the two-year project, which will begin in Kentucky in January 2009, are to:

- increase the number of highly qualified personnel (particularly teachers and practitioners) serving children and youth with ASD in Kentucky

- establish a sustainable system of professional development in evidence-based practices in ASD

- provide technical assistance support for early childhood practitioners, educational leaders, teachers and school-based personnel

Based on statistics from the U.S. Department of Education and other governmental agencies, autism is growing at the rate of ten to 17 percent per year. At this rate, autism could reach 4,000,000 Americans in the next decade. Each individual with autism accrues about \$3.2 million in costs to society

over his or her lifetime, with lost productivity and adult care being the most expensive components, according to a report in the April 2008 issue of Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine.

The National Professional Development Center on Autism Spectrum Disorders operates under a Cooperative Agreement with the U.S. Department of Education's Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP).

SBDC business seminar offered in Pikeville

PIKEVILLE — Morehead State University's Small Business Development Center will present "The ABC's of Marketing the Small Business," a seminar for both present and prospective small business owners who are interested in learning more about how to successfully market their products and business to the public.

The free workshop will be held at the Big Sandy Community and Technical College, 120 S. Riverfill Drive in Pikeville, on Tuesday, Sept.

16, from 1 to 3 p.m. Morehead State University/East Kentucky Small Business Development Center, Community Trust Bank and SCORE will sponsor the event.

Dennis J. Hillen, senior vice president and director of marketing and sales for Community Trust Bank, will be the presenter.

Topics to be covered at the seminar include marketing strategies, the strategic marketing mix, advertising segments, developing a marketing

culture and much more.

The program is funded in part through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Small Business Administration. Special arrangements will be made for those with disabilities if requested in advance. Training programs, sponsored or co-sponsored by SBDC, are

available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin.

For more information or to pre-register, you can call Mike Morley or Linda Casebolt at the East Kentucky Small Business Development Center at (606) 432-5848.

Pikeville Medical Center offers free health screenings

PIKEVILLE — Today and Thursday, Pikeville Medical Center and Wal-Mart stores around the region will offer free health screenings. Patients from Pike and Floyd counties are invited to take part in the screenings open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily.

The screenings will be offered at three Wal-Mart locations in Pikeville, Prestonsburg and South Williamson.

Among the screenings offered are blood pressure, diabetes risk, peripheral vascular disease risk assessment, cholesterol, oxygen saturation and heart rate. Pikeville Medical Center's professional medical staff will personally

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St. Joseph Hospital - Martin has an opening for a PRN (as needed) Cook in the Nutrition Services Department. Position requires 8 hour and 12 hour shifts.
Job Qualifications: High school diploma or equivalent preferred. Must be able to read, write and perform simple mathematical problems; Candidate must be able to frequently lift up to 25 lbs. at a time. Previous experience in a health care environment is preferred.
Job Summary: Responsible for the preparation of food in sufficient quantity to provide for all service requirements, utilizing appropriate procedures for preparation. Works in accordance with sanitary regulations and is responsible for cleaning of Nutrition Services Department and equipment.
Qualified candidates should apply at
St. Joseph Hospital - Martin, Human Resources Department
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Big Multi Family yard sale. At 3rd street in Allen. Looks for signs. Sale Friday 29 through Monday Sept 1st.

Large church yard sale & bake sale. Spurlock old regular baptist church. Next to highway 23 above old Holiday Inn. Clothes, dishes, what notes, pop, hotdog's, cake, pies, candy, soup beans & cornbread. Sale Sept 3, 4, 5, & 6. 9 am - dark.

Miscellaneous

52 inch Hitachi big screen for sale. Call 358-9351.

For Sale: 5 ft Balwin Baby Grand

House for sale. 572 Riverside Dr in Prestonsburg. 3 br, 1 bath. Quite neighborhood. In the process of being remodeled. Current price 48,000 or make offer. Call 859-294-7010 or 859-229-1916.

House for sale: \$58,000 Beside Allen Central High School. 2 Br, 1 1/2 bath. City water & sewer. Remodeled in & out. Also has carport. Call 358-0146.

House for sale: 572 Riverside Dr, Prestonsburg. Call 1-859-294-7010 or 1-859-229-1916.

3 br, 2 ba brick home for sale. Located in Prestonsburg 1/2 mile from the MAC at Spurlock Creek. First brick with fenced in yard, carport, .75 acre, fireplace, and a garden spot. Price reduced \$175,000. Call 889-0544 after 6pm Monday - Friday. Or call 791-3742.

House for sale. House for sale @ Bevinville, Ky. 3 br, 1 bath, lg. living room & large kitchen. 15x24 above ground pool. 10+ acres. \$35,000 firm. Call 452-4644. No land contract.

For sale: Manufactured Home at Valley View estates, Langley. 3 Br, family room, living room, dining room, kitchen has lots of cabinets. 2 full baths one has a jacuzzi tub and utility room. It sits on around 2 acres. Price \$ 95,900. Call 606-285-9694.

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LEGALS

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I C.A. No. 07-CI-00892 U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for the C-Bass Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2005-CB1 Plaintiff vs. Richard Brian Ratliff Defendant NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF DEFAULT Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 5th day of February, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$59,848.81, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 28th day of August, 2008, at the hour of 9:15 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:
Beginning at an iron stake at the County Road and land; thence running with the land and fence to the creek and with the creek a total distance of approximately 265 feet from the beginning to the line of James Ratliff to a stake; thence running with the line of James Ratliff approximately 150 feet back to a

stake at the County Road; thence running along the County Road approximately 185 feet to the stake and beginning.
Being the same property conveyed from James George Ratliff, single, to Richard Brian Ratliff, single, by deed dated 01-25-02, and recorded 01-31-02, in Deed Book 468, Page 447, in the Office of the Clerk of Floyd County, Kentucky.
A 1977 manufactured home is located on the subject property.

TERMS OF SALE:
(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or \$5,000.00 of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.
(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.
(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2007, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

TERMS OF SALE:
(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.
(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 07-CI-01462 American General Home Equity, Inc. Plaintiff vs. Dewey Collins Jr. Floyd County, Kentucky Defendants NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Default Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 22nd day of February, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$51,128.81, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 28th day of August, 2008, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:
The following described premises situated on Left Beaver Creek, Bryant Branch, in the County of Floyd, and State of Kentucky, to-wit:
Beginning at Bryant Branch Road up the hill with T.M. Mullins line 125 feet long or 80 feet wide.
Being the same property conveyed in Quitclaim Deed from Alice Collins to Dewey Collins, Jr., dated 06/30/2004, recorded 07/01/2004, in Deed Book 500, Page 165, in the County Clerk's Office for Floyd County, Kentucky.

TERMS OF SALE:
(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.
(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the

CDL DRIVER
Class B CDL driver needed at C&S Vaults in Inez, KY. Ability to perform physical labor. Load/unload/deliver steel grave vaults. Must be comfortable dealing with clients. Full-time position. Open interviews will be held on Thursday, August 28, 2008, from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at C&S Vaults, One Industrial Drive, Inez, KY 41224. Phone: 606-298-7716

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TECO Coal Corporation is seeking applicants for 1st class surface mine equipment operators to staff a new surface mine spread at its Premier Elkhorn Coal Company location at Myra, KY. Applicants must be able to operate at least one of the following pieces of equipment: Dozer, Drill, Excavator, Grader, 992-G Loader, or Backdump. Surface Mechanic and Blaster positions are also available. KY experienced miner certification required, CDL required for Mechanic and Blaster. State & Federal certifications required for Blaster. MET & EMT certifications are a plus.
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Myra, KY
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OFFICE MANAGER
Local manufacturing firm seeking Office Manager, Monday through Friday. Duties include answering phone; taking orders; talking to clients; distribute faxes, scanning, filing, and other general duties as needed. 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
Open interviews will be held on Thursday, August 28, 2008, from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at C&S Vaults, One Industrial Drive, Inez, KY 41224. Phone: 606-298-7716

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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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2007, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 07-CI-01023 Popular Financial Services, LLC Plaintiff vs. Rosie Brown, Unknown Defendant, Spouse of Rosie Brown, Unknown Defendant, Spouse of Willie Brown, on October 21, 1998, County of Floyd Defendant NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 8th day of February, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$108,940.91, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 28th day of August, 2008, at the hour of 9:30 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land situated on Tink Fork of Big Mud Creek in Floyd County, Kentucky, and being bounded and described, more

particularly, as follows:

Beginning at creek thence up the creek joining Edgar Howells property; J.D. Hamiltons line thence upon the drain with said property to the main coal road thence left handed with coal road joining John D. Hamiltons line thence back down the drain to the beginning. Containing one-fourth more acres. Being the same property conveyed to Rosie Brown and William Brown, husband and wife, from Homer Hamilton and Wanda Hamilton, husband and wife, by deed dated August 7, 1978, and recorded August 7, 1978 in Deed Book 240, Page 107, of the Floyd County Clerk's Records.

Being the same property conveyed to Rosie Brown, divorced, from William Brown, divorced, by deed dated November 5, 1998, and recorded November 16, 1998, in Deed Book 427, Page 254, of the Floyd County Clerk's records.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or \$5,000.00 of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2007, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

DIVISION III C.A. No. 04-CI-00209 Debra Jo Bush Combs Ousley Petitioner vs. Paul Townsel Combs Respondent NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Orders for Sale of Property, entered on the 20th day of March, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in connection with the divorce proceedings in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 28th day of August, 2008, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., the following described real estate, together with any and all improvements and appurtenances, located in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Beaver Creek, con-

taining five (5) lots, and described as follows:

Being Lots Nos. 58, 59, 60, 61 and 62 in the Melvin Frasure Subdivision of Arkansas, Floyd County, Kentucky, map of which is on file in the Office of the Clerk of the Floyd County Court, to which map reference is made for a more specific description of said property.

Being the same property conveyed to Paul Townsel Combs and Debra Jo Bush Combs, his wife, by deed dated February 15, 1985, from George Bush, Jr., and Betty Jo Bush, recorded in Deed Book 291, Page 152, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder 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 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 fiscal year 2007, and all subsequent years not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent Floyd County, real estate taxes will be paid from the sale proceeds.

(e) In the event that a lien holder herein 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 lien holder, and it shall 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

NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF INTENT TO REQUEST A RELEASE OF FUNDS

August 27, 2008
Kentucky Housing Corporation
1231 Louisville Rd.
Frankfort, KY 40601
Mark Offerman, Chief Operating Officer

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about September 13, 2008, Kentucky Housing Corporation (KHC) will request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to release Federal funds for the following project:

Project: Low Income Housing Coalition of East Kentucky, Inc.—Big Sandy Scattered Sites—Homebuyer.

Purpose: LINKS plans to build 6 new homes for very low and low income households on scattered sites located throughout their service area of Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike Counties. The houses will either be three-bedroom units or two bedroom units, depending on the needs of the occupants. Additional units may be completed in the next few years if the initial project goes smoothly. The project could also, under certain conditions, assist up to three families to rehabilitate their current dilapidated housing.

Location: Scattered sites located in Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike Counties, Kentucky.

Approximate HOME Funds in Project: \$175,248.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by KHC which documents the environmental review of the project. The Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request during normal business hours.

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by KHC to the Chief Officer, Attention: Crystal Harrod. Such written comments should be received at the above address on or before September 12, 2008. All such comments so received will be considered, and KHC will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

KHC will undertake the project described above with HOME funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990. KHC is certifying that KHC as State Participating Jurisdiction consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, KHC may use the HOME funds and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and other related laws and authorities. HUD will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) That the certification was not in fact executed by KHC's Certifying Officer; or (b) that KHC has failed to make one of the two findings pursuant to 24 CFR Part 58 Sec. 58.40 or to make the written determination required by Secs. 58.35, 58.47 or 58.53, for the project, as applicable; or (c) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at subparts E of 24 CFR Part 58 for the preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Assessment; or (d) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at subparts F and G of 24 CFR Part 58 for the conduct, preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Impact Statement, if applicable; or (e) KHC has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before release of funds and approval of the environmental certification by HUD; or (f) A Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality.

Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to: Ms. Virginia Peck, Director, Office of Community Planning & Development, U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development, 601 West Broadway, Room 110, Louisville, KY 40202. Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD. No objection received after September 27, 2008, will be considered by HUD.

NOTICE OF SALE

On the 10th day of June, 2008, the City Commission of the City of Wayland, Kentucky, adopted an Ordinance directing the sale, at public outcry, of a city electric power franchise. The Ordinance is in words and figures as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 2008-001

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WAYLAND, KENTUCKY, PROVIDING FOR THE ADVERTISEMENT AND SALE OF A FRANCHISE AUTHORIZING THE OWNER THEREOF TO OWN, MAINTAIN, CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE ELECTRIC POWER TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION LINES UPON, ALONG, OVER AND UNDER THE STREETS, THOROUGHFARES, ALLEYS, SIDEWALKS, BRIDGES, PUBLIC WAYS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES OF SAID CITY.

WHEREAS, the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, is incorporated under the provisions of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, and desires to grant a franchise for an electric power company to own, maintain, construct and operate its electric power transmission and distribution lines upon, along, over and under the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places of the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, and,

WHEREAS, there exists a public necessity for adequate service of electric power and energy to the citizens of the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, and

WHEREAS, it appears that it is in the interest of the public that a franchise be advertised and sold, granting and entitling the grantee to use the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and public places for the erection, operation and maintenance of lines for the transmission and distribution of electric power to the citizens of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, and to persons, firms and corporations beyond the limits of the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky.

THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WAYLAND, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1

That there be sold at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, the franchise, privilege, right and authority to acquire, maintain, construct and operate in, above, under, across and along the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places (as the same now exist or may hereafter be laid out) of the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, lines, poles, and equipment for the distribution of electric energy, either by means of overhead or underground conductors, with all necessary or desirable appurtenances for the purpose of supplying electric energy to said City and the inhabitants thereof, and persons and corporations beyond the limits thereof, for light, heat, power, and other purpose or purposes for which electric energy is now and may hereafter be used, and for the transmission of the same within, through or across said City.

SECTION 2

Said lines and appurtenances shall be constructed so as to interfere as little as possible with the traveling public in its use of the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges and public places.

SECTION 3

The franchise, privilege, right and authority shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years from the date of the passage of the ordinance granting it.

SECTION 4

The grantee of this franchise shall save the City harmless from any and all liability arising, in any way, from negligence of the grantee in the erection, maintenance or operation of said lines and appurtenances.

SECTION 5

The grantee of this franchise shall have the right and privilege to take up such portion or part of any pavement and make such excavation in the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways and other public places of the City of Wayland, as may be deemed necessary for the construction and maintenance of its lines, wires, or cables, but whenever the grantee of the franchise shall begin the erection of any lines or other equipment, it shall promptly and diligently prosecute the work to completion and leave the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways, and other public places where such work is done in as good condition of repair as before such work was commented.

SECTION 6

Wherever in this franchise, either the City of Wayland, or the grantee thereof is referred to, it shall be deemed to include the respective successors and assigns of either, and all rights, privileges and obligations contained in this franchise shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective successors and assigns of said City, and said grantee whether so expressed or not.

SECTION 7

The grantee of this franchise may make such rules and regulations covering the furnishing of said electric energy as may be fair and reasonable and consistent with the standard practice of the grantee. Said grantee may charge such rates for electric services as shall be fair and reasonable. The said grantee shall render service under said franchise of like quality that is adequate, efficient and reasonable to that now being rendered in said City.

SECTION 8

The consideration paid by the successful bidder for the franchise, privilege, right and authority provided for herein shall be complete compensation and consideration for said franchise, privilege and right, and for the use and occupancy of the streets, avenues, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, public ways, and other places of the City in lieu of any street or alley rental, or to the charge for the use or occupancy of said streets, avenues, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, thoroughfares, public ways or public places of said City and in lieu of any pole tax or meter tax.

SECTION 9

Sharon Anderson, City Clerk of the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, is hereby appointed Special Commissioner to sell said franchise, privilege, right and authority hereby ordered sold, and said Special Commissioner is directed to offer said franchise for sale at public auction and shall sell same to the highest bidder at the front door of the City Building in Floyd County, Kentucky, at 10 o'clock a.m., on September 9, 2008, after she has advertised the time, terms, conditions and place of sale, pursuant to law, by inserting a Notice of Sale in the Floyd County Times, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, a newspaper of general circulation in Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks prior to the date of said sale, said advertisement to include this Ordinance.

SECTION 10

Bids and proposals for the purchase and acquisition of the franchise, privilege, right and authority hereby granted shall be in writing and shall be delivered to the Mayor upon the date and at the time fixed by the Special Commissioner in said advertising for receiving bids. Thereafter, the Special Commissioner shall report and submit to the City Commission at the time and place of its next regular meeting said bids and proposals for its approval, and said City Commission reserves the right for and on behalf of the City of Wayland to refuse any and all bids for said franchise, privilege, right and authority. In the event the bids reported by the Special Commissioner shall be refused by the said City Commission, it may direct, by resolution or ordinance, said franchise, privilege, right and authority to be again offered for sale from time to time, until a satisfactory bid therefor shall be received and approved. Each bid shall be accompanied by a deposit, and each bidder shall post bond in accordance with the provisions and requirements of KRS 96.020. However such deposit and bond need not be made by a corporation or person already owning in or adjacent to the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, a plant and equipment sufficient to render the service required by this Ordinance.

SECTION 11

Each bidder for said franchise, privilege and right shall file, as part of his bid, a certified copy of a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity from the Public Service Commission of Kentucky, issued under the authority of KRS 278.020(3).

SECTION 12

The ordinance granting this franchise shall be accepted by the grantee thereof within sixty (60) days from the date of its passage.

Approved this 12th day of August, 2008.
TOMMY ROBINSON, Mayor
ATTEST: SHARON ANDERSON, Clerk
Introduction and First Reading, May 13, 2008.
Second Reading, June 10, 2008.

Pursuant to the direction of the City Commission of the City of Wayland, Kentucky, as set forth in the foregoing Ordinance, the undersigned will, on the 9th day of September, 2008, at the front door of the City Building in the City of Wayland, Floyd County, Kentucky, at 10 a.m., offer for public sale, at public outcry, to the highest and best bidder, an electric franchise on the public streets and thoroughfares of the City of Wayland, Kentucky, which electric franchise shall be in terms set forth in the foregoing Ordinance, and said sale shall be made, in all respects, in accordance with the Ordinance set forth above, and all bidders will be required to comply with the terms of said Ordinance.

WITNESS, Sharon Anderson, City Clerk, and Special Commissioner, this 12th day of August, 2008.
SHARON ANDERSON, City Clerk and Special Commissioner

sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Master

WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD COUNTY COURT DIVISION I C.A. No. 06-CI-00431 U.S. Bank N.A., as Trustee Plaintiff

vs. Doris J. Craft, aka Doris Jean Craft, fka Doris Rowe, et al. Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Agreed Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 7th day of April, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$74,320.73, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County

Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on **Thursday, the 4th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:30 a.m.,** the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Parcel No.: 095-10-07-033.00

Legal Description:

Tract 1: A parcel of land shown on the Ferguson map, prepared by A RF Elliot on June 6, 1929. Said parcel being Tract No. 4, which contains Lots 317, 318, 319, 320, and a 14.34 foot portion of Lot 321. In Block 12 on said map.

Being the same property conveyed to Doris Rowe, no status given, by virtue of a deed from Tina McDowell, unmarried, Palma Elkins and Ralph Elkins, her husband, Shirley Horn, u n m a r r i e d, Emogene Hogg Hartman and

James Hartman, her husband, dated May 25, 1999, filed June 16, 1999, recorded in Deed Book 484, Page 501, County Clerk's Office, Floyd County, Kentucky.

Tract 2: A parcel of land shown on the Ferguson map, prepared by RF Elliot on June 6, 1929. Said parcel being Tract No. 3 which contains a 10.66 ft. portion of Lot 321, All of lots 322, 323, and a 2.21 ft. portion of Lot 324, in Block 12 of said map.

Being the same property conveyed to Doris Rowe, no status given, by virtue of a deed from Ron Hall, no status given, dated May 23, 2002, filed February 20, 2003, recorded in Deed Book 483, Page 337, County Clerk's Office, Floyd County, Kentucky.

Legal description corrected and conveyed by deed to Doris Rowe, no status given, by virtue of a deed from Paul R. Slackburg, no status given, dated February 17, 2005, filed June 13, 2005, recorded in Deed Book 513, Page 703, County Clerk's Office, Floyd County, Kentucky.

Parcel Number: 095-10-07-033.00
Address: 168 Poplar Street, Harold, KY 41635

Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highways and easements. Commonly known as: 168 Poplar Street, Harold, KY 41635

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2007, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD COUNTY COURT DIVISION I C.A. No. 08-CI-00057 Household Finance Corporation II Plaintiff vs. Adam Crum, Mika Crum, Tax Easement Investments 1, LLC, KEC Land Assets, County of Floyd Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Final Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 22nd day of April, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$97,214.61, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door,

South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on **Thursday, the 4th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 10:00 a.m.,** the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Being Lot Nos. 3 and 4 in Block 1 of the Osborn Addition to Martin, Kentucky, a map is filed with the Clerk of the Floyd County Court of said addition.

Being the same property conveyed to Adam Crum and Mika Crum, his wife, from Jackie M. Gayheart and April L. Gayheart, dated June 16, 2000, recorded June 19, 2000, in Deed Book 448, Page 299, Floyd County Clerk's Records, and being known as 11124 Main Street, Martin, Kentucky 41649.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restric-

tions 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD COUNTY COURT DIVISION I C.A. No. 07-CI-00568 Deutsche Bank National Trust Company as Trustee Plaintiff vs. Michael McCoy, aka Michael Gene

McCoy, Jennifer McCoy, aka Jennifer Sue McCoy, Rocky Rowe Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 17th day of September, 2007, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$79,386.32, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 4th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:15 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Brandy Keg Creek, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pin on the upper side of the Corn Fork Highway (now known as Route 3386 West) and on a fence corner with Donald Bill Whitaker; thence running with the highway right-of-way up Corn Fork about 100 feet to an iron pin; thence leaving the highway right-of-way at a right angle up the hill about 160 feet to an iron pin; thence down Corn Fork about 100 feet to an iron pin in the fence on the line of Donald Bill Whitaker; thence with the fence and Donald Bill Whitaker's line down the hill about 150 feet to the iron pin at the point of beginning.

The grantors convey to Grantees a 12' wide road right-of-way from Route 3385 west to the above-described tract at the place is now located to provide ingress and egress for the tract conveyed by this deed. Being the same property conveyed to Michael McCoy and Jennifer McCoy, husband and wife, from Babe Roger Rowe, II (aka Rocky Rowe) and Sheila Marie Rowe, husband and wife, by deed dated August 26, 2005 and recorded September 9, 2005, in Deed Book 516, Page 567, in the Office of the Floyd County Court Clerk.

McCoy, Jennifer McCoy, aka Jennifer Sue McCoy, Rocky Rowe Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 22nd day of February, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$79,386.32, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 4th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Land situated in the County of Floyd, State of Kentucky, is described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Brandy Keg Creek, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on the upper side of the Corn Fork Highway (now known as Route 3386 West) and on a fence corner with Donald Bill Whitaker; thence running with the highway right-of-way up Corn Fork about 100 feet to an iron pin; thence leaving the highway right-of-way at a right angle up the hill about 160 feet to an iron pin; thence down Corn Fork about 100 feet to an iron pin in the fence on the line of Donald Bill Whitaker; thence with the fence and Donald Bill Whitaker's line down the hill about 150 feet to the iron pin at the point of beginning.

The grantors convey to Grantees a 12' wide road right-of-way from Route 3385 west to the above-described tract at the place is now located to provide ingress and egress for the tract conveyed by this deed.

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TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or \$5,000.00 of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2007, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD COUNTY COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 07-CI-00521 U.S. Bank National Association as Trustee Plaintiff vs. Glen Little Angela Little County of Floyd Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 17th day of September, 2007, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$79,386.32, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 4th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:15 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Brandy Keg Creek, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on the upper side of the Corn Fork Highway (now known as Route 3386 West) and on a fence corner with Donald Bill Whitaker; thence running with the highway right-of-way up Corn Fork about 100 feet to an iron pin; thence leaving the highway right-of-way at a right angle up the hill about 160 feet to an iron pin; thence down Corn Fork about 100 feet to an iron pin in the fence on the line of Donald Bill Whitaker; thence with the fence and Donald Bill Whitaker's line down the hill about 150 feet to the iron pin at the point of beginning.

The grantors convey to Grantees a 12' wide road right-of-way from Route 3385 west to the above-described tract at the place is now located to provide ingress and egress for the tract conveyed by this deed. Being the same property conveyed to Michael McCoy and Jennifer McCoy, husband and wife, from Babe Roger Rowe, II (aka Rocky Rowe) and Sheila Marie Rowe, husband and wife, by deed dated August 26, 2005 and recorded September 9, 2005, in Deed Book 516, Page 567, in the Office of the Floyd County Court Clerk.

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or \$5,000.00 of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF INTENT TO REQUEST A RELEASE OF FUNDS

August 27, 2008
Kentucky Housing Corporation
1231 Louisville Rd.
Frankfort, KY 40601
Mark Offerman, Chief Operating Officer
TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about September 13, 2008, Kentucky Housing Corporation (KHC) will request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to release Federal funds for the following project:

Project: Low Income Housing Coalition of East Kentucky, Inc.—Big Sandy Scattered Sites—Homeowner Rehab.

Purpose: LINKS plans to demolish and rebuild 6 owner-occupied for very low-and low income households on scattered sites located throughout their service area of Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike Counties. The houses will either be three-bedroom units or two bedroom units, depending on the needs of the occupants. Additional units may be completed in the next few years if the initial project goes smoothly. The project could also, under certain conditions, assist up to three families to rehabilitate their current dilapidated housing.

Location: Scattered sites located in Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike Counties, Kentucky.

Approximate HOME Funds in Project: \$99,000.

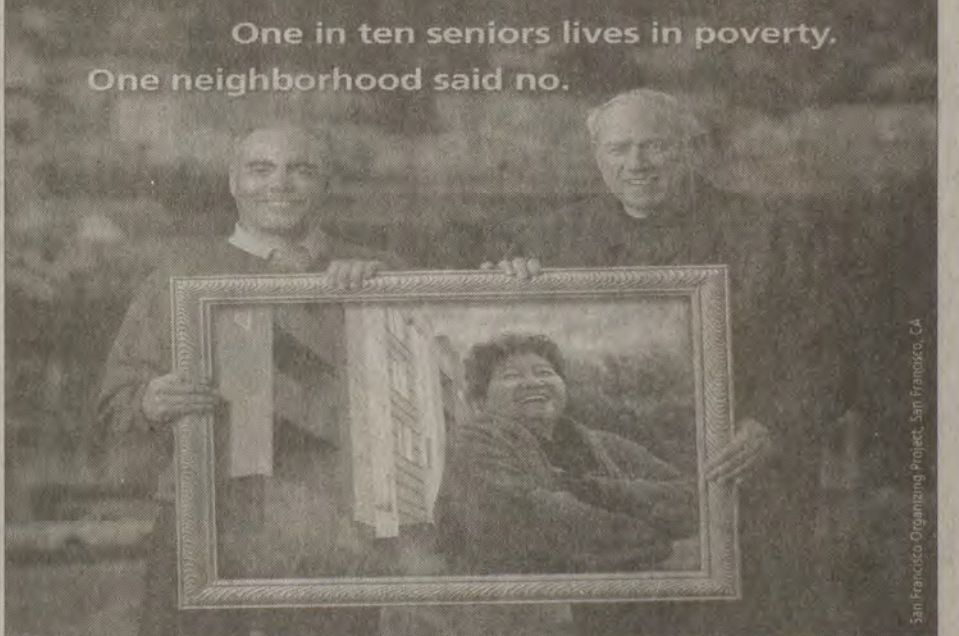
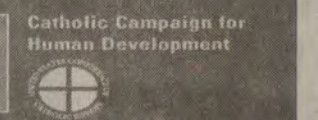
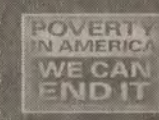
An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by KHC which documents the environmental review of the project. The Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request during normal business hours.

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by KHC to the Chief Officer, Attention: Crystal Harrod. Such written comments should be received at the above address on or before September 12, 2008. All such comments so received will be considered, and KHC will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

KHC will undertake the project described above with HOME funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990. KHC is certifying that KHC as State Participating Jurisdiction consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, KHC may use the HOME funds and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and other related laws and authorities. HUD will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) That the certification was not in fact executed by KHC's Certifying Officer; or (b) that KHC has failed to make one of the two findings pursuant to 24 CFR Part 58 Sec. 58.40 or to make the written determination required by Secs. 58.35, 58.47 or 58.53, for the project, as applicable; or (c) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at subparts E of 24 CFR Part 58 for the preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Assessment; or (d) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at subparts F and G of 24 CFR Part 58 for the conduct, preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Impact Statement, if applicable; or (e) KHC has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before release of funds and approval of the environmental certification by HUD; or (f) A Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality.

Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to: Ms. Virginia Peck, Director, Office of Community Planning & Development, U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development, 601 West Broadway, Room 110, Louisville, KY 40202. Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD. No objection received after September 27, 2008, will be considered by HUD.

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ed in Frasure's Creek in Floyd County, Kentucky, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a marked rock near the Walnut Hollow adjoining Ernest Bleivins property; thence a straight line down the hill top to the branch; thence down the branch to a poplar tree located near the barn; thence a straight line back to the point of beginning.

There is excluded from this conveyance the barn and tract of land designated as Tract 2 in that deed from (Edkar) Edger Howell and Bessie Howell to Alvin Gayheart and Myrtle Gayheart dated April 14, 1978, recorded in Deed Book 227, Page 102, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Being the same property Glen Little and Angela Little obtained title by the deed dated October 4, 2005, executed by Billy L. Hamilton, et ux, of record in Deed Book 517, Page 415, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of the successful bidder, if the

other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or \$5,000.00 of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 valorem taxes for the year 2007, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

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Hon. William S. Kendrick,
Floyd Master Commissioner

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
FLOYD COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT
DIVISION II
C.A. No. 07-CI-1176
U.S. Bank National Association, Trustee for the "JPMac 2005 WMC1 J.P. Morgan Acquisition Corp. 2005-WMC1" Plaintiff vs. Stella Lafferty Defendant**

STATEMENT OF PUBLIC FUNDS RECEIVED AND DISBURSED BY PUBLIC OFFICERS OF THE FLOYD COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2008

PUBLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH KRS 424.220

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AND SUPPORTING DATA BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT FLOYD COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT FROM SEPTEMBER 3, 2008 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M.

RECEIPTS

BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR IN LOCAL BANK ACCOUNTS	1,511,396.72
FEDERAL FUNDS	785,396.97
STATE FUNDS	745,849.96
PUBLIC HEALTH TAXING DISTRICT FUNDS	286,798.40
SERVICE FEES - ALL SOURCES	1,220,207.90
beginning outstanding deposit	16,864.03
less ending outstanding deposit	-212,664.62
TOTAL RECEIPTS	4,353,849.36

DISBURSEMENTS

GROSS SALARIES	1,582,712.87
INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE	11,830.61
2008 KPHA CONVENTION	275.00
ABBOTT LABORATORIES	1,638.85
ABELL ELEVATOR	384.15
ACOG DISTRIBUTION CENTER	96.50
ADVANCED TECH TILE & GROUT	1,340.62
ALANA CLINE	840.00
ALLISON HOOVER	2,854.48
ALTMAN, MCGUIRE, MCCLELEN, & HILL	4,675.00
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS	219.90
AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER	2,325.31
AMERIPATH LABORATORY	310.00
AMERISOURCE-BERGEN CORP.	2,045.84
ANDREW GOODMAN	30.00
ANGIE WATSON	50.00
ANSELL HEALTHCARE, INC.	378.00
ANTHEM BC/BS	38.35
APPALACHIAN WIRELESS	3,973.04
ARCHER CLINIC LAB	257.62
ARCHER PARK	200.00
ASEPTICO	6,417.00
ASHLAND OFFICE SUPPLY	1,271.08
AT&T	7,343.52
AT&T ADVERTISING	258.71
B & D TECHNOLOGIES	1,780.89
B. W. PARKS INN	2,776.40
B/C B/S DELTA DENTAL	7,076.10
BARNES AND NOBLE #067	1,295.40
BARREN RIVER DISTRICT HEALTH	224.00
BAYER HEALTHCARE INC.	758.52
BEST WESTERN REGENCY	59.08
BETHANY TACKETT	100.00
BILLY RAY'S RESTAURANT	50.83
BLUEGRASS KESCO, INC.	2,400.00
BODY RECALL	50.00
BONNIE LYNCH	313.00
BP OIL	15,123.57
BRANDON SLOAN	964.76
BRENDA HUMPHREY	5,795.25
BRENDA MOORE	30.05
BREVIS CORPORATION	126.53
BRIAN HOLBROOK	2,397.22
BRIDGET SLOAN	396.65
BROCK MCVEY	150.24
BROWN'S FOOD SERVICE	128.85
BURKE F. GARNER	15.00
CAPP, INC.	137.55
CAROLYN BOND	3,588.31
CDW GOVERNMENT INC.	9,751.08
CHANDRA R. CHANDLER	245.08
CHANDLER'S PLYWOOD PRODUCTS	13,496.15
CHARLES ARNETT, MD	88,820.43
CHERYL YOUNCE	1,703.57
CHESA SHELTON	3,181.88
CHRISTOPHER YOUNG	1,206.42
CHRISTAL BARTRUM	140.00
CITY OF PRESTONSBURG	0.00
CITY OF WHEELWRIGHT	100.50
CLARA MARTIN	162.29
CLAYTON CASE	36.00
COALFIELDS TELEPHONE CO.	2,618.13
COLLAGE VIDEO	59.84
COMMONWEALTH CREDIT UNION	-30.00
CONNIE HAMILTON	64.68
COOLEY APOTHECARY	135.53
COUNTRY AT HEART	46.50
CRN SOLUTIONS, INC.	336.00
CTA ACOUSTICS	1,112.00
CUSTOM DATA PROCESSING, INC.	1,632.00
CUTTING EDGE LAWN SERVICE	540.00
CYRACOM	60.50
DAVE BOWLING	75.00
DEBRA FLANNERY	2,924.97
DEFINITIVE MEDICAL SOLUTION	1,794.00
DELL MARKETING I.P.	14,600.57
DENVER TACKETT, DMD	140.40
DIANNE AKERS	15.00
DISCOVERY EDUCATION	87.50
EAGLE COMPUTER SYSTEMS	421.84
EASTERN KY IMAGING PSC	4,714.00
EFILLIATE, INC.	156.57
ELECTRONIC SPECIALTY CO.	675.50
ELLIOTT SUPPLY & GLASS, INC.	5,500.00
EVENFLO CO., INC.	2,247.58
EXECUTIVE WEST	224.61
F.S. VANHOOSE & CO.	18.91
FIRE PUMPS & EQUIPMENT	90.00
FISHER SCIENTIFIC	67.79
FLOYD COUNTY BROADCASTING	3,500.00
FLOYD CO. EMERG. & RESCUE SQUAD	1,470.00
FLOYD CO. H.D. PETTY CASH	187.01
FLOYD CO TIMES	3,368.37
FOOD CITY #457	2,274.62
G. NEIL CO.	42.01
GAULT HOUSE	429.68
GATEWAY DIS. HEALTH DEPT.	62.50
GIOVANNI'S	140.00
GLAXOSMITHKLINE PHARM	544.60
GMAC	5,387.59
GORDON E. STOWE & ASSOC.	356.00
GRAND HYATT WASHINGTON	690.44
GRAYCO RENTALS INC.	1,366.00
GREAT KIDS, INC.	1,274.80
GROGANS	11,925.33
HELEN CRIDER	826.42
HELMER	4,021.96
HEMOCUE	4,572.00
HIGHLANDS REGIONAL MED. CTR.	7,619.24
HIGHLANDS SURGICAL ASSOCIATES	3,444.00
HILLYARD, INC.	804.38
HITECH SIGNS & GRAPHIX	1,196.09
HOPKINS MEDICAL PRODUCTS	227.85
HUMANA HEALTH CARE PLAN ID & A, INC.	27.50
IKE WALKER ORGANIZATION	1,048.40
IKON OFFICE SOLUTIONS	720.00
INGENIX	1,983.44
INNOVATIVE MARKETING & DIST.	284.32
INSTANT CANOPIES	1,872.00
INTERMOUNTAIN CABLE	1,300.76
J-O-M PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES	135.00
JANET DEAN LCSW	15,056.78
JEAN ROSENBERG	87.00
JEANNIE LAFFERTY	7,297.50
JEFFERY A. SLOAN	61.00
JENNY WILEY FLOREST	15.00
JOHN B. TACKETT, PSC	396.97
JOHN D. RAMEY	5,100.00
JOHN HAMILTON	75.00
JOHN K. BLACKBURN, SHERIFF	75.00
KACO ALL LINE FUNDS	461.98
KACO WORKERS COMP.	26,652.78
KAREN OSBORNE	17,531.63
KAREN RICE	175.18
KATHERINE W. WALZ	6.88
KELLY DICKERSON	15.00
KEN LAKE STATE RESORT PARK	306.88
KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY	207.90
KENTUCKY STATE TREAS. (INS)	19,283.86
KENTUCKY STATE TREAS.	1,658.28
KENTUCKY STATE TREAS. (HEALTH INS)	20,706.95
KERA UNLIMITED	219,463.96
KHDA	24.95
KIEFER & ASSOCIATES	100.00
KIMBERLY KILGORE	98.81
KINGS SUPPLY CO	210.00
KING'S DAUGHTER MEDICAL CTR	4,866.92
KRAMES DIV. OF STAY WELL	17,127.00
KSNA	282.13
KY HEALTH DEPT ASSOCIATION	280.00
	1,015.00

KY MEDICAL SERVICES FOUNDATION	2,500.00
KY PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION	100.00
KY RETIREMENT SYSTEMS	133,597.04
KY RIVER DIST. HEALTH DEPT.	18,402.67
L J PRODUCTIONS	2,080.00
LAYNE'S HARDWARE & PAINT	1,203.12
LESLIE MINIX	79.90
LINDA COLEMAN	38.27
LORA HAMILTON	2,041.87
LOUISVILLE METRO HEALTH DEPT.	384.71
LOWELL OGDEN	15.00
LYLE B. SNIDER PHD, PLLC	46,931.56
LYNETTE SCHINDLER, CPA	19,800.00
LYNN FLETCHER	503.44
MADE FROM SCRATCH	3,528.84
MAGGARD'S FURNITURE	2,026.00
MAGIC MEDIA	3,642.00
MAGOFFIN COUNTY HEALTH	173.32
MARTIN CO. HEALTH DEPT.	180.00
MCBEE SYSTEMS	507.67
MCI	464.36
MEDI HOME CARE	145.00
MEDICAL LEADER	252.00
MEDICAL SERVICES OF AMERICA	43.00
MERCK AND CO. INC.	3,814.08
MIDLAND FOOD SERVICES LLC	41.48
MIKE'S TV AND APPLIANCE	1,500.00
MILOT FARIA, MD	386.00
MONTGOMERY HEALTH DEPT.	510.00
MOUNTAIN COMP CARE CENTER	500.00
MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE & DATA	211.75
MUD CREEK DENTAL CLINIC	1,236.00
MUSIC CARTER	4,509.37
NACCHO	305.00
NATIONAL BUSINESS FURNITURE	1,396.00
NATIONAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES	50.00
NCES INC.	438.33
NEW WEST LLC	1,375.00
NIMCO	833.70
OCE IMAGISTICS, INC.	23,053.90
OFFICE DEPOT	3,230.36
OFFICE OF HOUSING, BLD. & CONST.	100.00
ORACLE ELEVATOR CO.	1,220.70
OUR LADY OF THE WAY HOSPITAL	5,635.00
PAM WALKER	327.54
PARENTS ACTION FOR CHILDREN	18.88
PATHOLOGY & CYTOLOGY LAB	2,400.00
PEKING RESTAURANT	245.25
PFIZER	430.50
PHYSICIANS FOR WOMEN	7,071.00
PIG N POKE	85.00
PIKE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT	15,000.00
PLAK SMACKER	354.24
PMC MEDICAL LEADER	99.00
POSITIVE PROMOTIONS	875.45
POSTMASTER	4,903.00
PRESTONSBURG CITY UTILITIES	6,913.95
PROFESSIONAL MARKETING	744.63
PROFESSIONAL PATHOLOGY	5,060.00
PRORIDER, INC.	228.00
R & S NORTHEAST, LLC	9,987.14
RAMADA CONFERENCE CTR	74.89
RDJ SPECIALITIES	1,031.65
REBECCA GILLIS	8,158.99
REBECCA MOON DBA CUSTOM MAID SERV.	35,702.00
REED ENGINEERING, INC.	646.50
RICHIE PHARMACAL CO	2,188.80
RICOH AMERICA'S GROUP	810.79
RICOH BUSINESS SOLUTIONS	51.85
RITCHIES HALLMARK	170.00
RUSSELL H WALLACE	233.28
S & S WORLDWIDE	140.88
SAFEGUARD BUSINESS SYSTEM	528.00
SANDY'S RESTAURANT	75.00
SANOFI PASTEUR, INC.	29,026.41
SERVICE OFFICE SUPPLY	312.73
SETH HYDEN, DMD	164.40
SHARE-IT	422.80
SHIRLEY GOFF	230.80
SHIRT GALLERY	4,869.15
SMARTDRAW.COM	380.95
SOUTHERN WATER AND SEWAGE	134.75
SPECIAL OCCASIONS	56.14
SPEEDWAY	140.00
STANBIO	228.00
STATE OF HEALTH PRODUCTS	1,887.72
STATEWIDE PRESS	30,156.64
STERICYCLE	2,750.97
STRAND THEATRE	2,000.00
SUBWAY RESTAURANT	601.77
SUDDENLINK	390.75
T & K SIGNS	171.00
TACKETT BP	44.50
TAMMY MOSLEY	5.94
TED HALL	75.00
TERMINEX	720.00
THE COMPETITIVE EDGE.COM	745.00
THOMPSON'S HEALTHCARE	59.95
THURSA SLOAN	1,128.95
TORA SLOAN	2,451.74
TPA TEXAS DIVISION	10.17
TREASURER, KY UEMPLOYMENT INS	4,604.36
TRIANGLE COMPOUNDING	370.00
TRISTA TACKETT	100.00
TWIN BRIDGE AUTO PARTS	67.17
UK HEALTHCARE HOSPITALS	96.00
U.S. POSTAL SERVICE	5,000.00
UMWA FUNDS HEALTH PLAN	10.00
V. FRANCIS DANIEL	417.41
VALLEY NATIONAL GASES	151.06
VERIZON BUSINESS	1,081.17
VERONICA MCKINNEY, DMD	2,274.00
VERSAPHARM, INC.	338.12
VICARS BP	54.08
V.V.A. ELECTRIC	2,641.70
W.C. THORNDYKE, MD	250.00
WAL-MART	1,407.29
WAL-MART COMMUNITY BRC	12,992.23
WASTE CONNECTIONS INC.	203.70
WHAYNE SUPPLY CO.	937.57
WILDCARD ASSOCIATES	8,961.16
WMDJ	3,100.00
WQHY	500.00
WRS GROUP INC.	373.90
WYATT/ROCK LANDSCAPING	1,160.50
WYMT	750.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	2,878,970.42

BEGINNING OUTSTANDING CHECKS 418,498.51
 ENDING OUTSTANDING CHECKS -114,648.73
TOTAL CASH DISBURSEMENTS 3,182,820.20

 CASH BALANCE 1,171,029.16

This is to certify that at the close of business on June 30, 2008, a balance of \$607,079.14 was credited to the checking account of the Floyd County Health Department.

Rogin Hall
 (Officer or Cashier of Bank)
Citizens National Bank
 (Name of Bank)

This is to certify that at the close of business on June 30, 2008, a balance of \$212,700.21 was credited to the certificate of deposit of the Floyd County Health Department.

Thursa Sloan
 (Officer or Cashier of Bank)
US Bank
 (Name of Bank)

This is to certify that at the close of business on June 30, 2008, a balance of \$351,249.81 was credited to the certificate of deposit of the Floyd County Health Department.

Rogin Hall
 (Officer or Cashier of Bank)
Citizens National Bank
 (Name of Bank)

Witness our hands this the 25th day of August, 2008.

Thursa Sloan
 Public Officer
Floyd County Health Dept.
 Health Department

Commonwealth of Kentucky
 County of *Floyd*

Subscribed and sworn to by *Thursa Sloan*
 before me on the 25th day of Aug., 2008.
Bonnie Lynch
 Notary Public

NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF INTENT TO REQUEST A RELEASE OF FUNDS
 August 27, 2008

Kentucky Housing Corporation
 1231 Louisville Rd.
 Frankfort, KY 40601
 Mark Offerman, Chief Operating Officer

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about September 13, 2008, Kentucky Housing Corporation (KHC) will request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to release Federal funds for the following project:

Project: Federation of Appalachian Housing Enterprises, Inc. (FAHE)—FAHE 2008 HOME Investment Partnership in Appalachian Kentucky

Purpose: FAHE proposes to finance and facilitate the development of ten (10) new single-family homes in their rural Appalachian service area. Additional units may be completed in the next few years if the initial project goes smoothly. The project could also, under certain conditions, assist up to three families to rehabilitate their current dilapidated housing.

Location: Scattered sites located in Bath, Breathitt, Carter, Clark, Clay, Elliott, Estill, Fleming, Floyd, Harlan, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Leslie, Letcher, Madison, Magoffin, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Perry, Pike, Rowan and Wolfe Counties, Kentucky.

Approximate HOME Funds in Project: \$240,000

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by KHC which documents the environmental review of the project. The Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request during normal business hours.

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by KHC to the Chief Officer, Attention: Crystal Harrod. Such written comments should be received at the above address on or before September 12, 2008. All such comments so received will be considered, and KHC will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

KHC will undertake the project described above with HOME funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990. KHC is certifying that KHC as State Participating Jurisdiction consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, KHC may use the HOME funds and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and other related laws and authorities. HUD will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) That the certification was not in fact executed by KHC's Certifying Officer; or (b) that KHC has failed to make one of the two findings pursuant to 24 CFR Part 58 Sec. 58.40 or to make the written determination required by Secs. 58.35, 58.47 or 58.53, for the project, as applicable; or (c) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at subparts E of 24 CFR Part 58 for the preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Assessment; or (d) KHC has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at subparts F and G of 24 CFR Part 58 for the conduct, preparation, publication and completion of an Environmental Impact Statement, if applicable; or (e) KHC has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before release of funds and approval of the environmental certification by HUD; or (f) A Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality.

Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to: Ms. Virginia Peck, Director, Office of Community Planning & Development, U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development, 601 West Broadway, Room 110, Louisville, KY 40202. Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD. No objection received after September 27, 2008, will be considered by HUD.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 11th day of April, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$83,396.46, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 4th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:45 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Being two lots in the Richmond addition to the town of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky. Said lots fronting on the south side of Riverside Avenue, twenty-five feet each and running back by parallel lines to the low water mark of Big Sandy River, being lots number 16 and 17 of said addition.

Being the same property conveyed from G.L. Collins and Anis Collins, his wife, to Martha Miller by Deed of Survivorship dated 10-18-45 and recorded 10-31-45 in Deed Book 128, Page 266, in the Office of the Clerk of Floyd County, Kentucky. Martha Miller died on 01-08-93, intestate.

Being the same property conveyed from Affidavit of Descent to Stella Lafferty, daughter of the said Martha Miller, of record in Deed Book 370, Page 465, filed on September 23, 1993, in the Office of the Clerk of the Floyd County, Kentucky.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or \$5,000.00 of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County

Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 08-CI-00094 HSBC Mortgage Services, Inc. Plaintiff vs. Pauline Mullins Defendants NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Final Judgement and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 12th day of May, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$117,216.34, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 11th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

TRACT 1: A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Floyd

County, Kentucky, on the Right Fork of Bull Creek, more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the edge of Bull Creek Road and the line of Thelma Wallen up the hill in a northerly direction to an oak tree; thence around the hill in a westerly direction a distance of seventy-seven feet to a stake; thence in a straight line down the hill to the Bull Creek; thence in an easterly direction with the road one hundred-twenty-five feet to a stake at the point of beginning. TRACT II:

A certain tract of parcel land lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the Right Fork of Bull Creek, more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the line of the Grantees and the County Road; thence in a westerly direction with the County Road a distance of twelve feet; thence on a northerly direction up the hill a distance of approximately 190 feet to a stake; thence in a northerly direction around the hill a distance of 12 feet to the line of the Grantee; thence running down the hill in a southerly direction with the line of the Grantee to the point of beginning being a tract of land fronting twelve feet on the County Road adjoining the property now owned by Grantee and running up hill parallel with Grantee's line.

Being the same property conveyed to Pauline M. Mullins, a single person, by deed dated the 18th day of February, 1999, executed by Jerald F. Combs, a single person, of record in Deed Book 430, Page 552, in the Office of the Floyd County Clerk.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5501 Renewal No. 4

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., 587 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has applied for a Renewal of a permit for an existing underground mining operation, affecting 7.60 acres of surface disturbance, and underlies 560.0 acres, for a total permitted acreage of 567.60 acres, located 0.25 mile northwest of Beaver, in Floyd County.

The operation is approximately .25 mile northwest from Tackett Fork Road's junction with KY 979, and located .20 mile west of Mud Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 23 minutes, 55 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 39 minutes, 32 seconds.

The operation is located on the McDowell 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area is owned by The Elkhorn Coal Corp. and Clifford Reynolds. The operation underlies land owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corp., Noah Vance, Willie Tackett, Timothy Reynolds, Samuel Hamilton, Walker and Ella Hall, Crit and Daisy Mitchell, and Carl Mitchell.

This application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resource's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed

with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow Complex, Frankfort, KY 40601.

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that Brian Lafferty, 6166 St. Rt. 850, has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to place a small amount of fill. The property is located one-half mile on Kentucky Route 850, off Kentucky Route 550, at Hippo, Ky. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 14 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 08-CI-00261 U.S. Bank, NA Plaintiff vs. Stuart E. Swanberg and Deborah L. Swanberg Defendants NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgement and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 25th day of April, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$48,527.86, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 11th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Tax Parcel ID Number: 048-30-08-018.01 Being Lots 6 and 7 in Block "H" in the Osborne Addition to the City of Martin, Kentucky. Being the same property conveyed to Stuart E. Swanberg, from David L. Dickinson and Ethel Dickinson, his wife, by deed dated October 14, 2005, and recorded October 17, 2005, in Deed Book 517, Page 506, in the Office of the Floyd

County Clerk.

TERMS OF SALE: (a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at

the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION I C.A. No. 08-CI-00198 U.S. Bank, NA Plaintiff vs. Anthony R. Hall and Amanda L. Hall Defendants NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgement and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit

Court, entered on the 15th day of April, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$130,003.99, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 11th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:15 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Tax Parcel ID Number: 067-00-00-070.01 PARCEL NO. 1: Real Estate located in Floyd County, Kentucky, Per Deed Book 362, Page 433, in Floyd County Clerk's Office, and a 1993 Fleetwood Mobile Home.

A certain tract or parcel of land, located at 69 Rough Branch, McDowell, Floyd County, Kentucky, which is more particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land, located at 69 Rough Branch, McDowell, Floyd County, Kentucky, which is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a Stake adjoining the right of way with Ky. 680, running approximately eighty (80) feet to a stake; thence back to the beginning, which is a rectangle of land bounded by Ky. 680 and a public road and the remainder of the property with dimensions of approximately eighty (80) feet by one hundred (100) feet rectangle.

There is excepted from the above described property the following portion of same previously conveyed by Randall Tuttle, single, to Donna Jean Tuttle, by Quitclaim Deed dated April 6, 2004, of record in Deed Book 497, Page 254, in the Office of the Floyd County Clerk, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, being a certain tract or parcel of land located at 69 Rough Branch, McDowell, Floyd County, Kentucky, which is more particularly described as follows:

Starting at a stake mark No. 1 where state route No. 680 and county road Rough Branch Road joins; thence running up said Rough Branch Road 45' feet to a stake marked No. 2; thence turning right across said bottom 57' feet to a stake marked "A"; thence turning (left) up said bottom 48' feet to a stake marked "B"; thence turning right across said bottom 14' feet to a stake marked "C"; thence turning (right) down said bottom 100' feet to a stake marked "o"; thence back across said bottom 80' feet running along state route 680 to the beginning slake marked No. 1. (Description supplied by the Grantor)

PARCEL NO. II: Beginning at a stake marked "A" along the county road, Rough Branch; thence running (east), across said bottom 57' to a stake marked "B"; thence turning (right) down said bottom 75' feet to a stake marked "c" along with Donna Tuttle's line; thence back across (turning right) said bottom 66' to a stake marked "D" against Rough Branch Road; thence back up said bottom running along with county road Rough Branch 98' 4" to the beginning stake marked "A". (Description Supplied by the Grantor)

Also included on this property is a Year 1993 Make FLEE Model 28x60, Serial Number GAFLN35A0649211 H, HUD DATA SERIAL NOS: GEO 707642 and GEO 707643, manufactured home which is permanently affixed to the property and is considered it part of this mortgage.

Being the same property conveyed to Anthony R. Hall and Amanda L. Hall, his wife, to Randall Tuttle, single, by deed dated August 10, 2004, and recorded August 11, 2004, in Deed Book D50 1, Page 478, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at

the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 07-CI-01420 U.S. National Bank Association ND Plaintiff vs. The Unknown Spouse of Jonah Isaacs, Jr. and The Unknown Heirs of Jonah Isaacs, Jr. and Charlene Nelson and The Unknown Spouse of Charlene Nelson Defendants NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF In-Rem Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 12th day of May, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of

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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 07-CI-01420 U.S. National Bank Association ND Plaintiff vs. The Unknown Spouse of Jonah Isaacs, Jr. and The Unknown Heirs of Jonah Isaacs, Jr. and Charlene Nelson and The Unknown Spouse of Charlene Nelson Defendants NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF In-Rem Judgment and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 12th day of May, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of

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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

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 September 27, 2008, at 10:00 a.m.

Settlement	Case Number	Estate Of:	Fiduciary	Date Filed
Final	08-P-00016	Berton Martin	Stella Jean Martin	07-24-08
Final	07-P-00391	Sesco Adkins	Geraldine Adkins	07-28-08
Final	07-P-00023	Grace Flanery	Emma Lois Pigman	07-30-08
Final	07-P-00242	Roy C. Montgomery	Betty J. Montgomery	07-30-08
Final	06-P-00329	Bruce A. Johnson	Jennifer Johnson	07-05-08
Final	07-P-00421	Joe Elliott Howard, Jr.	Ada Jayne Howard	08-06-08
Final	00-P-00341	William Sargent	Michael D. Vance, MBA	08-07-08
Final	08-P-00050	Dillard Shepherd	Judith Shepherd	08-12-08
Final	07-P-00437	Reevis Carroll	Dorvin Carroll	08-15-08
Final	06-P-00212	Vivian Hale	Barbara J. Letton	08-15-08

LEGAL NOTICE: NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY COUNTY OF FLOYD 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
07-10-08	08-P-00257	Dovie Collins	Shirley Hicks	Anita Johnson
07-24-08	08-P-00278	Greta Tackett	Terry Tackett	
07-24-08	08-P-00279	Gladys Hicks	Linda Brown	
07-25-08	08-P-00283	Aileen Mullins	Lewis Collins, Jr.	
07-28-08	08-P-00285	Eimo Allen	Jency A. Allen	B.D. Nunnery
07-29-08	08-P-00288	Stella M. Stumbo	Johnny Stumbo	
08-06-08	08-P-00301	John Grubb, Jr.	Louise Grubb	
08-07-08	08-P-00303	Bertha Ratliff	Sydney Ratliff	
08-07-08	08-P-00304	Glenna Lavon Childers	Brittany Erin Johnson	Anthony Craig Davis
08-12-08	08-P-00313	Ronald L. Porter	Deborah Porter	Dustin R. Williams
08-15-08	08-P-00315	Christine Kidd	Christa Robinson	
			Sherry Ray	
			Sharon Hall	
			Anita Hall	
08-19-08	08-P-00318	In Re: Zachary Hall	Teresa Little, Guardian	C. Graham Martin
08-20-08	08-P-00319	Ternia Francis Gearheart	Sandra K. Gearheart	

\$53,916.92, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 11th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:45 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and described as follows:

Bounded and described as follows: Beginning at Big Mud Creek on a stake at or near the holly bush and a corner to Walter Newsome up the hill with said Newsome's line to Henry Hamilton's line thence on up the hill to an X on the rock on top of the point thence back down the hill with the company line and across the bottom to a stake in the creek near a sycamore thence up the creek to a stake near the mouth of holly bush the beginning corner.

TRACT II: Beginning at the lower side of State Road at edge of road thence a straight line to the high tension pole 4 1/2 feet south thence west to center of creek to Robert Isaacs line thence turning east running with Isaacs line to State Road; thence running back to beginning point.

Being the same property conveyed to Charlene Nelson, by deed dated February 24, 2006, of record in Deed Book 521, Page 582, in the Office of the Floyd County Clerk.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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 city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II C.A. No. 08-CI-00424 U.S. National Bank Association, as Trustee for the Structured Asset Securities Corporation Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates Plaintiff vs. Johnny S. Johnson a/k/a Johnny Johnson Patricia Johnson County of Floyd City of Prestonsburg Black Acre Enterprises, LLC Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF Judgement and Order of Sale, referring to Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 27th day of May, 2008, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, in the principal sum of \$69,102.42, together with interest, costs and fees, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 11th day of September, 2008, at the hour of 9:30 a.m., the following described real estate, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly

described as follows:

Being Lots 67 and 68 of Block 5 in the Layne and Dingus Addition to the town of Lancer, front 50 feet on Fourth Street in said addition and running back by parallel lines 125 feet to the line of William Boyd. Said property is bounded on the North by Fourth Street on the East by property of Sylvia Springs; on the south by the property of W.M. Boyd, and on the West by property of Dingus Griffith. Reference is made to map of said Layne and Dingus Addition on file in File Book 2, Map 54, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Being the same property conveyed to Johnny Johnson and wife, Patricia Johnson, by deed dated April 11, 2006, executed by Nora Mae Elkins, as unmarried widow, of record in Deed Book 523, Page 400, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

TERMS OF SALE:

(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or \$5,000.00 of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right 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

city and county ad valorem taxes for the year 2008, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent city and county ad valorem 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.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd Master Commissioner

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5498 Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., 587 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has applied for a permit for an existing underground mining operation, affecting 10.98 surface acres, and underlies 413.81 acres, for a total permitted acreage of 420.77, located 1.9 mile southeast of Printer, in Floyd County.

The operation is approximately 1.4 mile southeast from KY 122's junction with KY 2030, and located .85 mile east of the confluence of Spurlock Creek and Left Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 31 minutes, 32 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 43 minutes, 40 seconds.

The operation is located on the Harold 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area is owned by Black Diamond Land Company. The operation underlies land owned by Black Diamond Land Company.

This application

has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow Complex, Frankfort, KY 40601.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE Pursuant to Permit Number 836-0265

(1) In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Locust Grove, Inc., P.O. Box 958, Hazard, Kentucky 41702, has applied for a Phase II bond release on permit number 836-0265, which was last issued on July 11, 2000. A Phase II release is being requested for Increment 1. The application covers an area of approximately 112.28 surface acres, located 4.00 miles southeast of Martin in Floyd County.

(2) The permit area is approximately 1.20 mile east from Big Branch-Honaker Road's junction with KY 2030, and at the head of Gunstock Branch of Spurlock Creek. The latitude is 37°30'50". The longitude is 82°42'20".

(3) The bond now in effect for Increment 1 is \$199,400. Phase II will release approximately 25% of the original bond amount.

(4) Reclamation work performed for a Phase II release, includes: Establishment of revegetation in accordance with the approved reclamation plan, and productivity standards have been met and the permit area is not contributing excess suspended solids to stream flow or runoff outside the permit area.

(5) Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, October 20, 2008.

(6) A public hearing

on the application has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m., on October 21, 2008, at the Department for Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by October 20, 2008.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE Pursuant to Permit No. 836-0254

(1) In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Locust Grove, Inc., P.O. Box 958, Hazard, Kentucky 41702, has applied for a Phase II and III bond release on permit number 836-0254, which was last issued on September 10, 2001. A Phase II and III release is being requested for Increments 3 and 7. The application covers an area of approximately 55.98 surface acres, located 1.50 mile southwest of Northern, in Floyd County.

(2) The permit area is approximately 1.00 mile southeast of the junction of KY 80 and KY 680, and located 0.40 mile southwest of Goose Creek. The latitude is 37°29'03". The longitude is 82°47'54".

(3) The bond now in effect for Increment 3 is \$46,800. Phase II and III will release approximately 40% of the original bond amount.

(4) Reclamation work performed for a Phase II release, includes: Establishment of revegetation in accordance with the approved reclamation plan and productivity standards have been met, and the permit area is not contributing excess suspended solids to stream flow or runoff outside the permit area. Phase III reclamation includes Establishment of the post mine land use of Pastureland and meeting the

reclamation liability period.

(5) Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, October 20, 2008.

(6) A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m., on October 21, 2008, at the Department for Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by October 20, 2008.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5537

Operator Change In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that HWP, LLC, 2532 Abbeywood Place, Lexington, KY 40515, intends to revise permit number 836-5537 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Jaguar Mining, Inc., 10237 Ky. Rt. 122, McDowell, KY 41647. The new operator will be Coal Diggers, Inc. 710 Punctureon Road, Kite, KY 41828.

The operation is located 0.4 mile southwest of Tram, in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.6 mile southwest from U.S. 23 and Ky. Rt. 460 junction with Mare Creek Road, and located approximately 0.01 mile east of Powell Branch. The operation is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map, at latitude 37°34'02", and longitude 82°39'07".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5532

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., 587 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has applied for a permit for an underground coal mining operation Located 1.3 miles east of Drift in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 7.2 surface acres. And will underlie 367 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 374.2 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.6 mile southwest of Morgan Fork's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located 0.20 miles south of the Simpson Branch.

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Dorothy Martin, Earl Martin and Cassie Martin. The operation will underlie land owned by Dorothy Martin, Earl Martin, Clayborn Bailey, Reba Martin, Myrtle Salisbury, and Cassie Martin. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road KY Route 1426. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Mining Division, Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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Board

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Carol Stumbo was quick to say that more should be done and that everyone involved should take responsibility.

"The intentions and the skills are there, and I know the teachers are capable," Stumbo said. "It's not right that we are sending students out of Floyd County that are not ready for college work."

Board Chairman Jeff Stumbo agreed that work needs to be done and everyone should play a part in helping South Floyd reach its goals.

"It's everyone's responsibility to pull together and help the school," Jeff Stumbo said.

Marson outlined some of the initiatives that will be utilized in an attempt to improve the test scores and education of the students.

"We will be focusing on student learning through the analysis of student work and assessment, and this will drive instruction," Marson said. "We will also be focusing on improving instructional strategies through increased classroom monitoring, evaluation, and high quality professional

development."

Stumbo went on to question the longevity of South Floyd High School as a school if changes aren't made.

"How is it possible to not meet those scores?" Stumbo asked. "We've got some changes that we need to make and we can't offer any excuses. There might not be a South Floyd High School if we can't do better inside that school. We have to be accountable, and I think you have a good start, but I'm going to keep asking questions."

Stumbo, who is not running for reelection to the Floyd County Board of Education, said that she will continue to pose questions to make sure that the students in the county are getting the best education possible in order to prepare them for success in the future.

Marson said he would be happy to address any questions posed by Stumbo or any other member of the board.

"We are not happy with these scores, but we are working on them," Marson said. "I welcome the questions."

Cleanup

Though improvement has been made on Clark's property, Bryant and animal control officer Warren Jarrell say Clark still has animals under his care, despite agreeing at his last court appearance to get rid of the animals.

Clark said he was still in possession of two goats, three dogs, and a horse. Bryant said that neighbors have been complaining that Clark is allowing the animals, particularly the goats, to wander free. Jarrell also complained that the horse has no

feed or hay. "He (Clark) said it was eating grass," Jarrell said. "Well, there is no grass to be eaten where he is tied up."

Clark's attorney, Heather Gearheart, maintained that the horse was under good care. "Children ride it, he takes it to family reunions."

Jarrell said that the horse was tied up about the neck with a rope. "You can't tie a horse up by the neck."

"He agreed to get rid of his animals at the last hearing, and now he wants to back out of that

agreement," said assistant county attorney Jimmy Ray "Blue" Marcum. "I could charge him with contempt of court."

"I'm tired of dealing with him," said Marcum. "I'll redo the whole thing and charge him with cruelty to animals. That's a 12-month sentence."

Gearheart pleaded with Marcum to agree to monitor the condition of Clark's animals. "We can work this out," said Gearheart.

Marcum agreed to the conditional diversion of Clark's

charges for two years, with the assurance that Clark will finish cleaning his property in 90 days, and code enforcement and animal control officers find no more evidence of animal cruelty.

No mention was made of Clark's accusation during the preliminary hearing that he had been assaulted by Jarrell.

Prosecutors say if there are any more reports of animal cruelty, or if the property is not clean within the 90-day timeframe, they will seek to have Clark held in contempt of court.

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Poverty

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Virginia had the biggest increase in the number of people living in poverty, from 709,000 in 2006 to 743,000 a year later. Alabama, Kentucky, Maryland and Tennessee also had increases in the number of people living in poverty.

In West Virginia, where the number of uninsured increased by about 9,000, an advocate of more government health care programs said the figures weren't as bad as they could have been.

"I'm delighted the increase isn't bigger," said Perry Bryant, executive director of West Virginians for Affordable Health Care.

Bryant's group, which has pushed for the expansion of the state Children's Health Insurance Program, said the numbers also show that private employers are struggling to provide coverage to their workers.

"The state needs to make a concerted effort to help stabilize private employee health plans," he said.

Since President Lyndon B. Johnson declared war on poverty, the poverty rate in Appalachia has been slashed from 31 percent in 1960 to 13.6 percent in 2000.

Officials rely on census figures to help determine funding for economically distressed regions.

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"We are pretty sound financially at this point," Webb said.

Also at the meeting, the board voted to approve a change order for the Betsy Layne High School renovation project after the contractor encountered a large rock that had to be excavated which caused a significant price increase. The total listed for the change order was \$28,064.50. The current total for the

Betsy Layne High School renovation project is \$1,340,963.75.

The board also approved the creation of one additional instructional assistant position for May Valley Elementary and two AmeriCorps Mathematics and Drug Education tutoring positions.

A new district organizational chart with an amended district logo and motto was also approved by the board during a

mass approval of consent items.

During the spotlight on students, staff and community at the start of the meeting, Betty Newman, with the Quality Kids program, Matt Wireman, director of finance, and Greg Adams, director of facilities, were all recognized for their recent achievements.

Board Member Sherry Robinson was not present at the meeting.

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Wildcat offense better in final preseason scrimmage

Cats manage to move football

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — A week after being kept out of the end zone by the defense in the first major scrimmage, the Kentucky offense showed improvement during a 90-minute scrimmage in sweltering conditions Saturday afternoon at

Commonwealth Stadium.

The format was first-team offense and defense going against their second-team counterparts. The scrimmage was situational, with the offense getting the ball in different locations on the field and also some two-minute drill work.

"I thought there were a lot of good things," Coach Rich Brooks said. "We got a lot of situations covered. We scored touchdowns. We found the end zone and a lot of our young receivers stood up and made some catches. I thought Hartline and Cobb (quarterbacks Mike Hartline and

Randall Cobb) handled the offense well and made some plays.

"We had much better protection today (by the offensive line). We had a couple of breakdowns that would have been sacks, as we did not allow the quarterbacks to be hit today. There were some good runs made and some holes. There was some push, moving the pile a little bit. It looked more like I thought it was going to look today than it did last week."

Brooks indicated that some of the up-and-down performance by offensive line has

been a result of good play by the Wildcat defensive line, particularly at the tackle positions.

"I feel like (Corey) Peters, (Myron) Pryor and (Ricky) Lumpkin are loads inside, and we have some other young guys doing some decent things, but those three guys are the real deal inside," Brooks said. "They're going to give everybody a test. Certainly they've given us a test in fall camp."

"It's a little scary, obviously, when you go against yourself. You never know who's doing something good and who's doing something not so good because you're going against

yourself. There were a lot of good individual plays today. We looked like we were not quite as quick as we need to be, a little beat-up, tired, dead-legged. We have a light practice tomorrow and a day off Monday. We start our normal morning practices on Tuesday. We need to freshen up and get some bounce back in our step now."

Brooks said that offensive guard Stuart Hines, safety Marcus McClinton, wide receiver E.J. Fields, offensive tackle James Alexander and quarterback Will Fidler did not participate in today's scrimmage because of injuries. Wide

receiver DeMoreo Ford also did not participate, as he was attending his brother's funeral.

COMING FRIDAY: LOCAL PICKS

In Friday's edition, see what local fans are saying about this year's Governor's Cup matchup. Kentucky pulled off a stunning win in last season's game versus Louisville.

UK Football season ticket sales surpass 2007 season

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — The excitement over the 2008 Kentucky football team continues to spark ticket sales, as more than 52,800 season tickets have been issued, already surpassing the total for 2007 with two weeks remaining before the home opener.

For the general public, less than 700 season tickets remain at a cost of \$230 (upper level sideline) or \$195 (upper level goalline) each. At this time, the only way for the public to acquire tickets for the South Carolina and Georgia games is by purchasing a season ticket.

The 52,800 number includes 5,540 season tickets purchased by students. Student sales continue at a brisk pace and the final number is expected to surpass the student record of 5,568 season tickets bought last year.

"The fans have been great," Coach Rich Brooks said. "It's obvious they're anticipating the upcoming season as well. I'm hopeful that we can close out the remaining tickets in the next couple of weeks and have a complete sellout in season tickets, which we're very close to doing. Now we need all of them in there screaming like crazy at every home game."

The UK Athletics Ticket Office, located in the Joe Craft Center, has extended window hours until the first home game. Ticket office window sales will be available from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, through Sept. 5. Tickets also can be purchased online at www.ukathletics.com. The phone number is 800-928-CATS or 859/257-1818.

Wildcat fans broke every school record for attendance last season: Total attendance of 550,588 in eight home games; Average attendance of 68,824 per game; Single-game record of 71,024 for the Florida game.

Game times set for UK home games

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — Game times have been identified for the 2008 Kentucky home football schedule and are listed below.

Important note: game times are confirmed only for the Norfolk State and Middle Tennessee games. All other game times are tentative. Beginning with games of Sept. 27, game times and television plans will be finalized 12 days in advance following the selections made by the Southeastern Conference's TV partners — CBS, ESPN and Raycom Sports.

The 2008 Kentucky Football Schedule: Aug. 31 at Louisville, 3:30 p.m., ESPN; Sept. 6 Norfolk State, 6 p.m.; Sept. 13 Middle Tennessee, 7 p.m.; Sept. 20 Open; Sept. 27 Western Kentucky, 7 p.m.; Oct. 4 at Alabama, TBA; Oct. 11 South Carolina, 7 p.m.; Oct. 18 Arkansas, 7 p.m.; Oct. 25 at Florida, TBA; Nov. 1 at Mississippi State, TBA; Nov. 8 Georgia, 1 p.m.; Nov. 15 Vanderbilt, 1 p.m.; Nov. 22 Open; Nov. 29 at Tennessee, TBA.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL



photos by Jamie Howell
Prestonsburg hosted Sheldon Clark Friday in a final preseason matchup. The Blackcats will open the season Saturday at home versus longtime rival Paintsville. Prestonsburg senior running back Allen Craynon (3) was injured during the scrimmage. Craynon is listed as questionable for Saturday's season-opener versus Paintsville. Kickoff for the Prestonsburg-Paintsville game is set for 7:30 p.m.



Deer hunting: Early season is prime time to harvest a buck

by HAYLEY LYNCH
KENTUCKY AFIELD

FRANKFORT — Kentucky's statewide archery deer season begins Sept. 6. Despite the heat and mosquitoes, early season is prime time for buck hunters. "The first 5-10 days of the season are the best time if you're going to harvest a mature buck in velvet," said Bill Mitchell, the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources' management foreman at Taylorsville Lake Wildlife Management Area. "Bachelor groups of bucks are frequenting clover and alfalfa fields. They're getting that last shot of protein into their antlers."

Bucks are still in their summer patterns this time of year. It's not uncommon to see them coming into food plots and pastures just before dark, or even earlier if the weather is mild. "They're probably the

most vulnerable they're going to be, in September and early October," said David Yancy, a wildlife biologist in Kentucky Fish and Wildlife's big game program. "They haven't gone secretive yet. They are much more visible, reliable and predictable. When they start to peel the velvet off their antlers and female deer come into heat in mid to late October, the predictability starts to fall off."

Yancy recommends that hunters set up along paths that lead to fields or food plots, rather than on the edge of the opening itself. "It would probably be better to set up on a trail back into the woods," he said. "Try to pattern them, and find trails going in and out of pastures. Work back from those trails and find a place where two trails come together and merge into one, then set up there."

Mitchell said setting up on trails that lead to fields

allows hunters to catch deer before dark. "They'll wait till that last bit just before dark and they'll start stirring," he said. "If the deer are waiting for dark, you can intercept them before they get to the field."

Setting up in these areas also reduces the chance a hunter will spook deer when climbing out of a tree stand. "If you spook them one time, more than likely the older deer will become more nocturnal," Mitchell said. "Then you just undid all of your scouting."

Early morning and late evening are the most productive times to hunt. Just like people, deer don't want to move around during the heat of the afternoon.

"They spend the hot part of the day in the shade," said Yancy. "In the cooler evening, they'll wander down the trail and out into the field. If the weather stays pleasant like it's been lately, they'll be coming out

while there's still some shooting time left."

Successful early season hunters should be careful to get their deer meat cooled down quickly. Mitchell cautions that simply putting a bag of ice in a deer's body cavity isn't enough on a hot day.

"I would advise prior to going on a hunt like that, be prepared to immediately skin that deer and get him in the cooler within an hour; two hours at the most," he said. "You've got to get it cooled or you're going to lose that meat."

Before going after their early-season buck, hunters should be sure to review a copy of the 2008-09 Kentucky Hunting & Trapping Guide, available wherever hunting licenses are sold. The guide details complete regulations on bag limits, licensing, hunter education and equipment restrictions.

Cats, Cards eager to focus on football

by WILL GRAVES
ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOUISVILLE — Trent Guy has healed. The scar in the middle of his back, however, remains a painful reminder of how quickly things can change.

The Louisville wide receiver was in a local nightclub during the July 4th weekend when someone inappropriately touched his fiancée. Words were exchanged. When Guy left the club he was attacked outside a parking garage. The assailants fired 19 times, hitting Guy once in the back.

Remarkably, less than two months later, Guy is ready to return to the field.

While it's doubtful he'll be able to play on Sunday when Louisville hosts Kentucky in the Governor's Cup, the game will provide a return to normalcy for Guy.

"Just to be out there with my teammates, that's what it's all about," Guy said. "I just want to play."

The same could be said for the state's two premier programs, who are only too eager to put a sometimes bumpy offseason riddled with several off-the-field distractions behind them.

Kentucky coach Rich Brooks dismissed Curtis Pulley earlier this month after two run-ins with the law. Quarterback Will Fidler was arrested on disorderly conduct charges last month getting in a dispute outside a Lexington restaurant.

Things have been perhaps even more difficult at

(See FOCUS, page three)

8th annual P'burg Cheer Clinis set for Saturday

by STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG — The 8th Annual Prestonsburg High School Cheer Clinic will be held on Saturday, Aug. 30 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. The cheer clinic is for cheerleaders in preschool through fifth grade. Those who pre-register and pay their fee by Wednesday, Aug. 27 will receive a T-shirt on the day of the clinic. Registration for the clinic is scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Saturday morning.

The fee for the clinic is \$25 per individual and \$20 for each for siblings. Participants will receive free refreshments and a goodie bag. In addition, participants will also have the opportunity to cheer pre-game with the PHS varsity squad on Friday, Sept. 5. Registration forms should be completed and returned to Prestonsburg Elementary School, Allen Grade School or Wesley Christian School. For more information on the cheer clinic, call Michelle Hammonds at 874-0432.



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Quintanilla homers in 12th, Rockies beat visiting Reds

Focus

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DENVER — In a game that featured nearly everything, Omar Quintanilla finally gave it an ending.

Quintanilla homered with one out in the 12th inning and the Colorado Rockies took advantage of five Cincinnati errors to beat the Reds 4-3 on Sunday.

"We had a balk, a wild pitch, a homer, errant throws, walk-off home run," Rockies manager Clint Hurdle said. "We played for the cycle. Both teams across the board."

Colorado, which stranded 18 runners, tied it in the ninth thanks to two errors and a balk. Matt Holliday scored the tying run on a wild throw by right fielder Jay Bruce.

Quintanilla, who entered as a defensive replacement at second base in the 12th, hit Mike Lincoln's 1-2 pitch into the right-field bleachers for his second homer of the season.

"I tried to get on base for Matty. I got a pretty good pitch to hit, took a hack at it," Quintanilla said. "It felt good right away. It was an unbelievable feeling."

Quintanilla has been used sparingly since shortstop Troy Tulowitzki returned from the disabled list on July 21. Before homering Sunday, he was 3-for-26 since July 26.

"That was very appropriate that that happened for him today because he does his work so professionally," Hurdle said. "Whatever you ask him to do, he does it. And he does such a good job when he's out there."

Lincoln (1-5) was the seventh Reds pitcher in the game.

"I wanted a sinker down and away and it ended up down and in on him," he said.

Ryan Speier (2-1) worked a scoreless inning for the win.

Reds starter Johnny Cueto left after three innings with soreness in his right triceps tendon and will be examined Monday in Cincinnati. Cueto gave up one unearned run but didn't allow a hit and walked three.

The Rockies trailed 3-2 entering the ninth against reliever David Weathers. Holliday reached on an error by second baseman Brandon Phillips, went to second on Weathers' balk and advanced to third on a flyout to right. Bruce's throw to third went

into Cincinnati's dugout, allowing Holliday to score.

"I didn't see that balk on Weathers. I don't think anybody else saw it, either," Reds manager Dusty Baker said. "That was a big play in the game today."

Garrett Atkins and Ian Stewart singled and Chris Iannetta walked to load the bases, but Willy Taveras grounded out to send the game into extra innings.

"Errors kind of got to us today," Cincinnati's Jeff Keppinger said. "The Reds took a 2-1 lead in the fifth on Paul Bako's sacrifice fly."

Chris Dickerson made it 3-1 with his third home run of the year — and second in two games — to lead off the sixth. Rockies starter Ubaldo Jimenez loaded the bases with three walks but escaped further damage when Corey Patterson grounded out to end the inning.

Jimenez allowed three runs, two earned, struck out six and walked four in six innings.



Bengals QB treated for broken nose

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — Bengals quarterback Carson Palmer broke his nose during Saturday night's preseason game against the New Orleans Saints, but coach Marvin Lewis said he should be ready for the regular season opener.

Lewis said in a statement Sunday that Palmer had a small crack in one of his nose bones and it took doctors about 10 minutes to put it back in place.

Palmer is listed as questionable for

Cincinnati's preseason finale Thursday at Indianapolis, but is expected to start the opener Sept. 7 against Baltimore.

The team said fourth-year quarterback Ryan Fitzpatrick will make his first Bengals preseason start if Palmer is unable to play.

Palmer was sacked three times by the Saints in the first half, the last on a safety blitz by Kevin Kaesviharn with 2 seconds left. The quarterback walked off the field with blood spilling down the front of his

face, his nose already showing a prominent bump. He didn't return for the second half.

Palmer got knocked to the ground five times during a 27-10 loss to Detroit a week earlier.

He was 11-of-16 against the Saints for 105 yards, working without Pro Bowl receivers T.J. Houshmandzadeh and Chad Johnson due to injury. Two of their backups also were hurt in the week leading up to the game.

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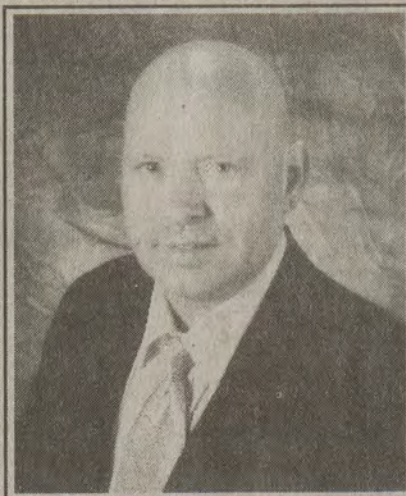
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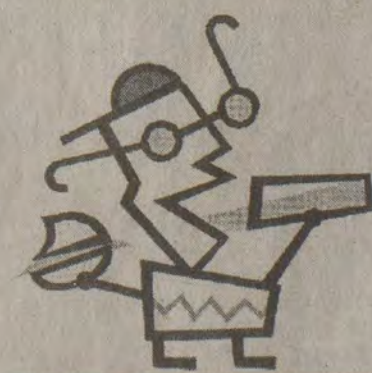
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Edwards bumps Busch aside for Sprint Cup victory

by HANK KURZ Jr.
ASSOCIATED PRESS

BRISTOL, Tennessee — Carl Edwards nudged Kyle Busch out of the lead to win the Sharpie 500 NASCAR Sprint Cup event Saturday, heightening the ill feeling in their growing rivalry.

Edwards saw Busch lead 415 consecutive laps Saturday at Bristol Motor Speedway, then used his bumper to nudge Busch's Toyota aside with 30 laps to go, causing it to wiggle just enough so Edwards could drive by for his second consecutive victory in the Sprint Cup Series.

"It's one of those deals where I couldn't get by him, I couldn't get by him, and I just had to ask myself, 'Would he do that to me?'" Edwards said after doing his trademark backflip off his Ford in Victory Lane. "And he has before, so that's the way it goes."

And there's no remorse in the offing, Edwards said.

"Let's make it real clear — I'm not apologizing for it," Edwards said, citing sev-

eral instances where he felt like Busch took him out of races to gain positions. "We're even."

The triumph was the sixth of the season for the Roush Fenway Racing driver, allowing him to close the deficit of bonus points he's likely to have to make up when the 12-race Chase for the championship begins. Busch has eight wins, and each is worth 10 Chase bonus points.

No other driver has won more than twice this season.

After taking the checkered flag, Edwards was on his run-down lap around the track when Busch drove up and bumped his car. Edwards clearly wasn't amused, and when he responded by driving the nose of his car into the right side of Busch's, the fans cheered wildly.

"They keep talking about rivalries," Edwards said. "We might have one now."

Busch, who still leads Edwards by 212 points in the standings with just two races left in the regular season, said it's unlikely his relationship with Edwards will

improve soon.

"He hit me getting into Turn 1," Busch said. "Whatever. Carl's going to say he's sorry, that he didn't want to race that way, but he always does. We'll take it, we'll go on and we'll race him that way in the Chase if that's the way he wants to race."

Busch finished second, followed by Joe Gibbs Racing teammate Denny Hamlin and the Chevrolet pair Kevin Harvick and Jeff Gordon — three drivers needing good nights to bolster their playoff prospects.

"We needed it pretty bad," Gordon said of the solid finish, which followed a 42nd last week at Michigan. He remained ninth in the standings, 92 points inside the cutoff for the 12 drivers that will proceed to the Chase.

Ryan Newman was sixth and was the only car not in Chase contention in the top 10. Clint Bowyer was seventh, followed by Tony Stewart, Matt Kenseth and rookie David Ragan.

Bowyer went from tied for 13th to 12th in the points

race. Ragan remained 13th and Kasey Kahne was the only driver to move out of the top 12. He crashed before the midpoint of the race and finished 40th, dropping from 11th to 14th in the points standings.

Until the end, it looked like another showcase for Busch, who has used his first season in the Gibbs stable to become the most dominant driver in all of racing. Besides his eight victories in the premier series, he's also won six Nationwide and three truck series races.

Busch used a daring move on the 55th lap to grab the lead. He had worked his way into third place and was watching Edwards try for several laps to get around the lapped car of Juan Pablo Montoya. When that effort caused Edwards to swing wide in the second turn, Busch angled his Toyota toward the inside line, a three-wide maneuver that took him from third to first.

Busch twice tried to hang onto the lead on restarts in the final 50 laps, and while he seemed to pull away on

the first one, Edwards didn't give him a second reprieve.

NASCAR-Sprint Cup Sharpie 500 Results

Saturday
At Bristol Motor Speedway
Bristol, Tenn.

Lap length: 0.533 miles
(Start position in parentheses)

- (1) Carl Edwards, Ford, 500 laps, 132.2 rating, 190 points, \$344,625.
- (9) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 500, 145, 180, \$220,675.
- (21) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 500, 112.9, 165, \$202,716.
- (6) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 500, 111.2, 160, \$184,511.
- (3) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 500, 115.5, 160, \$167,561.
- (11) Ryan Newman, Dodge, 500, 109, 150, \$156,950.
- (22) Clint Bowyer, Chevrolet, 500, 92.3, 146, \$125,425.
- (28) Tony Stewart, Toyota, 500, 102.1, 142, \$152,261.
- (25) Matt Kenseth, Ford, 500, 81.4, 138, \$149,591.
- (27) David Ragan, Ford, 500, 80.7, 134, \$115,775.

Burton, Kahne take hits in Chase standings

by HANK KURZ Jr.
ASSOCIATED PRESS

BRISTOL, Tenn. — Championship contenders Jeff Burton and Kasey Kahne had rough races Saturday night, neither making it to the midway point of the Sharpie 500.

Burton, who started the night fifth in points, was running fifth on lap 196 when his car was hit from behind and he couldn't avoid slamming into the spinning car of Sterling Marlin in front of him. Burton climbed from his car and he never made it back onto the track.

It seemed the drivers behind Burton hadn't seen the accident unfolding before them.

"Typical Bristol wreck," Burton said. "But if you look in front of you, you tend not to hit stuff. I was trying to be smart and cautious, but it didn't do me any good."

Burton, though, was in no danger of falling out of the playoffs with one bad night.

Kahne, who started the night 11th in points, was caught up in an accident that

started when Casey Mears tried to move into the front of a line of cars, clipped the one of Michael Waltrip right behind him and triggered impact that sent cars spinning and banging all over.

"We were just blocked in behind a bunch of cars and then a bunch of cars in front of me started wrecking," said Kahne, who dropped to 14th in the points race with three races left. Only the top 12 drivers can contend for the championship.

Mears was less than amused to have caused the melee and blamed his spotter, saying he only tried to move into the front of the line after hearing his spotter assure him it was clear.

"I like my spotter. He's a good guy, but man, that's ridiculous," he said. "We just took out a bunch of cars for no reason, and ourselves. I'm pretty upset about it."

The mess caused a red flag delay of 12 minutes, 19 seconds.

The race was also a bust for Jimmie Johnson, who was

involved in an early mishap that caused him to pit twice under green, dropping him 13 laps off the pass when he came out.

He rallied to finish 34th and fell one spot to fourth in the point standings.

CHILDRESS' FOURTH: Casey Mears has a new home for the 2009 season.

As expected, Mears was introduced Saturday as the fourth driver for Richard Childress Racing, joining Jeff Burton, Kevin Harvick and Clint Bowyer in RCR's Chevrolet stable.

"I've watched Casey's career from the time he first came in and he's always impressed me," Childress said at Bristol Motor Speedway.

Recalling watching a race at Michigan with Mears in contention, Childress said, "I think I was pulling for you about as hard as I was for our cars."

Mears, who is leaving Hendrick Motorsports at the end of this season, will drive the No. 07 car with Jack Daniels as its primary sponsor, Childress said. Clint Bowyer,

who is driving the 07 and has it close to making it into the top 12, and thus the 10-race Chase for the championship, will move to the new No. 33 with sponsorship from Cheerios and Hamburger Helper.

The points earned by Bowyer will stay with the 07, Childress said, but he added that he is not ready to make any announcement about whether Bowyer will have a cushion in the No. 33.

Teams that carry over points from the previous year can use them for the first five races of the following season, at least to avoid having to race their way into each event.

Teams without points have to qualify in the top 35 or risk not making the race.

"We've got some things working on that," Childress said without elaborating.

Bowyer joked about the possibility of starting next year with no points.

"It beats beating dents in a body shop," he said.

For the next three weeks, however, Childress said the team will focus on the last

three races that set the field for the Chase. Burton (fifth) and Harvick (eighth) started the Sharpie 500 on Saturday night inside the top 12 and Bowyer was tied for 13th, 26 points off the pace.

Mears, who started Saturday night's race with one career victory in 203 starts, said he looks forward to joining the atmosphere of cooperation that exists among the RCR teams.

"I'm a team player, and that's how I like to race," he said.

IMAGE PROBLEM: Jeff Gordon is one of the drivers most loudly cheered — and lustily jeered — by fans during driver introductions every week, and said he has no issue with that.

"To me, what makes this sport what it is is the fans' avidness, whether it's for or against," the four-time champion said. "It's that they're so interested in what's going on that they know all they know about the teams, the drivers, the races and they form an opinion. That's the key, getting

people involved with their opinions whether we like them or not."

Gordon's popularity, and lack thereof, grew exponentially as his success increased earlier in his career, and has waned only slightly during his ongoing 28-race winless streak.

That streak, he said, has taken on a life of its own because of his history.

"You know, it's just part of the expectations that are on this team," he said. "We've been at a very high end of competition and in the limelight a lot of the years. That's a good thing. To win four championships and 81 wins, all those things those are fantastic."

The success of Hendrick Motorsports overall, which includes back-to-back championships by Gordon's teammate, Jimmie Johnson, "only creates more expectations," Gordon said. "When the expectations are high and you don't live up to them, it's going to create a story."

Busch-Edwards' feud adding spice to Chase for the Championship

by HANK KURZ Jr.
ASSOCIATED PRESS

BRISTOL, Tenn. — NASCAR has a new rivalry: Carl Edwards vs. Kyle Busch.

Edwards called the latest installment payback and Busch promised that retribution will come down the road.

During a season in which Busch and Edwards have dominated Victory Lane celebrations, their growing feud is adding spice to the Sprint Cup series and the upcoming Chase for the championship.

Edwards won the latest battle, nudging Busch aside with 30 laps to go Saturday night at Bristol Motor Speedway and continuing on to his second consecutive victory and sixth overall. Making it sting all the more for Busch was that he had led the previous 415 laps.

"It was all going fine there until the end," said Busch,

who showed his frustration by retaliating after the race.

During the cooldown lap after Edwards took the checkered flag for Roush Fenway Racing, Busch drove alongside Edwards and bumped his car. Edwards responded by driving the nose of his car into the right side of Busch's, spinning him out as the fans cheered.

Edwards defended bumping Busch during the race, saying he was merely using history as his guide.

"A real smart racer explained it to me this way after he wrecked me and I was real mad. He said, 'I just had to look at your rear bumper and decide if you would do this to me, and you had, and so it was a real simple decision,'" Edwards said. "I'd do it again."

Drivers tend to remember moments like that.

Edwards recalled a

Nationwide race earlier this season when Busch "was a lot faster than me and went ahead and got to my back bumper and just smoked the back bumper of my car and sent me up the racetrack. Afterward, he said, 'Sorry, man, my car was just faster.'"

Busch remembered a different incident, and said Edwards' good-guy image allows him to knock another driver out of a race, then claim he didn't mean to do it.

"He does that and he'll always come back and say he's sorry," Busch said. "He did it at Milwaukee and he's done it a few other times. It's just his normal fashion."

Edwards' victory put him 212 points behind Busch at the top of the standings and 20 back in bonus points with two regular-season races to go before the 10-race Chase begins.

Busch has eight wins for

Joe Gibbs Racing. Each win is worth 10 bonus points that are used for seeding at the beginning of NASCAR's postseason.

"We'll go on and we'll race him that way in the Chase if that's the way he wants to race," Busch said before both were summoned to the NASCAR hauler for an explanation.

No matter what was said behind closed doors, the feud can't hurt NASCAR moving forward. Edwards' surge has been a blessing, creating at least a two-horse race for the championship.

And perhaps a new rivalry along the lines of Jeff Gordon and Rusty Wallace?

"Boy, you know, I don't know," Edwards said. "I guess it remains to be seen. It's like I said last week — if there's only one guy I have to race, that's awesome."

Logano, 18, picked to replace Stewart in No. 20

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

HUNTERSVILLE, N.C. — Joe Gibbs Racing has selected 18-year-old Joe Logano to replace Tony Stewart in the No. 20 Sprint Cup Toyota next season.

Logano was introduced Monday at the team's race shop, less than two months after he made his debut in the Nationwide Series.

Home Depot will remain the primary sponsor of the car, and Greg Zipadelli will

continue as crew chief.

Logano became the youngest winner on NASCAR's second-tier series in June. While he's considered by many to be NASCAR's next big star, Logano has never driven in a

Sprint Cup race.

Logano will take over for Stewart after he leaves JGR at the end of the season to co-own and drive for the team now known as Haas-CNC.



photo by Jamie Howell
LOOKING DOWNFIELD: Prestonsburg senior quarterback Michael Burchett looked to send a pass downfield during Friday's home scrimmage versus Sheldon Clark.

2008 NASCAR Sprint Cup Series

Remaining Races

Aug. 31 — Sprint Cup 500, Fontana, Calif.

Sept. 6 — Chevy Rock & Roll 400, Richmond, Va.

Sept. 14 — Sylvania 300, Loudon, N.H.

Sept. 21 — Dover (Del.), 400

Sept. 28 — Kansas 400, Kansas City

Oct. 5 — AMP Energy 500, Talladega, Ala.

Oct. 11 — Bank of America 500, Concord, N.C.

Oct. 19 — TUMS QuikPak 500, Martinsville, Va.

Oct. 26 — Pep Boys Auto 500, Hampton, Ga.

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Nov. 9 — Checker Auto Parts 500, Avondale, Ariz.

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POISON OAK

Papaw kept his cool

"Summertime and the living is easy..."

Those Gershwin lyrics from "Porgy and Bess" fit pretty much all of us these days, since we run our air-conditioners 24-7. Yet we complain about it being too hot when we have to walk the 25 or 30 steps from the cool comfort of our house or office, to the cool comfort of our car. Old-timers would likely accuse us of being spoiled. We prefer to think of ourselves as just being conditioned to a softer way of living.

Of course, that's the way it should be, but still I can't help but wonder sometimes what my grandparents, who were born back in the 1800s, would have thought of all the grumbling we do today, when the weather turns hot.



Clyde Pack

I doubt they ever saw an air-conditioner, and would likely have wondered how such hardy stock as themselves could have produced such a generation of weaklings.

My maternal grandparents, (the only grandpawnts I ever knew), were Liss and Ellen Baldrige, and lived at Whitehouse, in far eastern Johnson County. Regardless of the temperature, whether it was 20 or 95 degrees, Papaw always dressed the same: bibbed overalls, a blue work shirt with the sleeves rolled up to about his elbows, and long underwear. Everybody else would be burning up, and he'd be sitting in the shade of the front porch, smoking his ever-present pipe, loaded with something he referred to as Half and Half, as cool as a cucumber.

I was fascinated with him; a fascination that went beyond the fact that he had ducks and geese and goats and guineas, and a mule that stood with his head stuck over the drawbars next to the barn. He must have had that mule for years, and every time we'd go down there, it'd be standing in the same place.

Mostly, Papaw would talk about his garden, about how he'd hoed twelve rows of beans that morning before the sun got hot. He'd talk about walking down to Freddie Meade's store to get a five-pound bag of sugar and a box of kitchen matches. He'd talk about the big blacksnake he'd seen in one of the barn stalls, and how he'd never kill one, because they were as good as a cat when it came to keeping the mouse population to a minimum; and they would also kill copperheads.

He was intelligent and soft-spoken, and the twinkle in his eyes told the world that he loved the land, and the people who inhabited it. Matter of fact about the only thing I ever heard him complain about was maybe the terrapins eating his tomatoes, or how one of his hogs kept rutting under the pigpen fence and getting out. But even though he never got to enjoy William Haviland Carrier's marvelous invention, I never once heard him complain about it being too hot.

Guess my grandfather was pretty cool—in more ways than one.

CABIN OF CAMARADERIE

Childhood friends to reunite 50 years after building log cabin

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

The log cabin is a structure that is so ingrained in Kentucky's mythology that the mere mention of it brings about a sense of history and wonder to a wide variety of people, and for a group of teenage boys in Melvin 50 years ago, it provided a place where their imaginations could wind wild through the trees and form friendships that would last for a lifetime.

Willis Little, one of the boys who built the log cabin, sees it as a reminder of a simpler time in the country's history.

"I sincerely believe that the 1950s were a casualty of the Vietnam War, just as Margaret Mitchell indicated that the plantation culture of the South died as a result of the American Civil War," Little said. "Teenagers of the 50s looked forward to getting a good job, marrying their childhood sweetheart, buying a car and a home, and living happily ever after. Vietnam and the defiant attitude of the 60s changed that lifestyle."

In 1958, Little and a group of friends took to the hills in Melvin and built a log cabin. Now, 50 years later, they are coming together for a reunion to celebrate the time in their lives where possibilities were infinite and an escape to the woods was all it took to get away from the world. Just a few years after building the log cabin, the United States underwent a dramatic change with the onset of the Cuban Missile Crisis and the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Not long after this tumultuous time, the Vietnam War seemed to bring an end to the age of innocence for many once care-free teenagers. Little looks back at the log cabin as a way of remember a life unburdened by looming disasters and turmoil, and as a centerpiece of his childhood well worth reminiscing about.

"The log cabin was instrumental in our lives," Little said. "It provid-



This log cabin, located in Melvin, was built in 1958 by Willis Little and his friends.

ed lots of fun and definitely kept us out of trouble. We spent lots of hours working on it and it was an excellent place for camping out. As

a result, our lives were a mirror of the culture of the 50's, a decade many have referred to as one of the greatest decades in the history of the

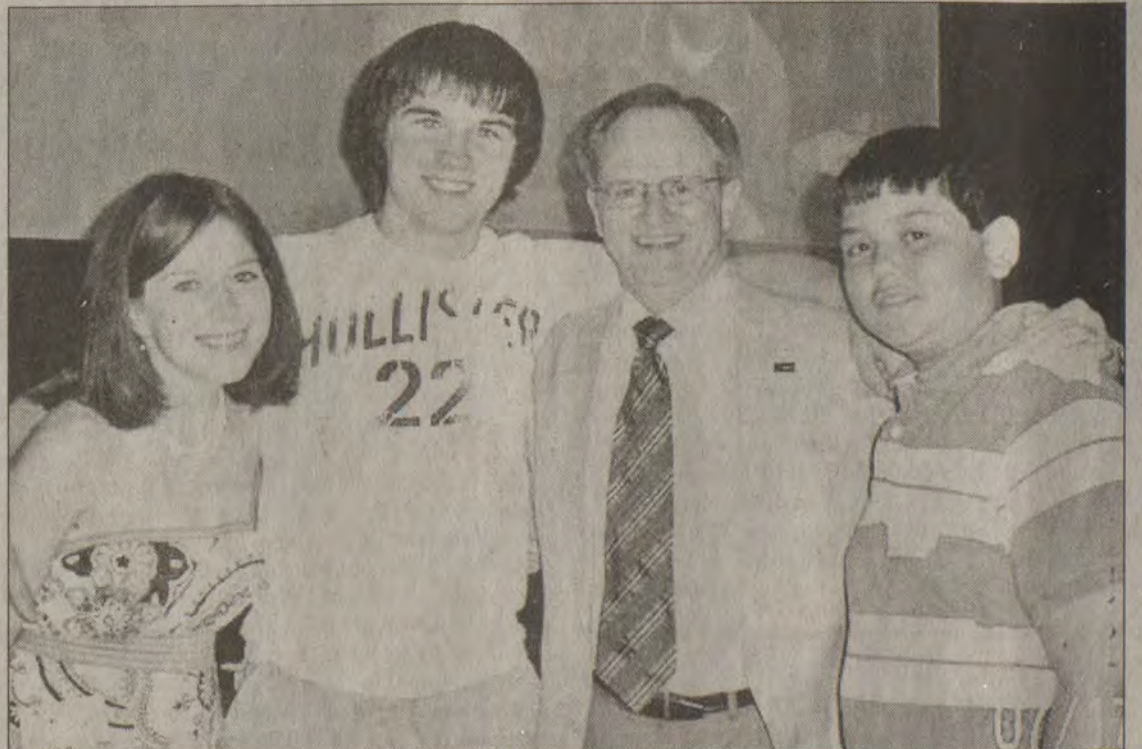
United States, if not the best." The reunion is scheduled to be held on August 31, at the Weeksbury Community Park.

Local students take part in UK program

Floyd County rising juniors Emily Bryant, Clyde Hamilton II, and Cody McCoy were chosen to represent their schools as part of the 2008 Class of Kentucky on July 17, at the University of Kentucky in Lexington. The program was developed to encourage Kentucky's best and brightest students to attend the University of Kentucky. The students were honored at a luncheon in which several community leaders, including University of Kentucky President Lee Todd, spoke. The 2008 Class of Kentucky will be recognized during the UK football game at Commonwealth Stadium, September 6.

Bryant, McCoy and Hamilton were also chosen to participate in the Hugh O' Brian Youth Leadership (HOBY) Seminar this summer at Transylvania University. HOBY is a four-day seminar with many activities and speakers involving the importance of leadership, volunteerism, excellence and diversity. It also highlights organizational integrity, innovative thinking, and community partnerships as part of its seven core values. The seminar motivates students to make a positive difference in society through understanding and action, based on effective and compassionate leadership.

Hamilton and McCoy were also chosen to participate in the Pikeville School of Osteopathic Medicine Professional Education Preparation Program (PCSOM-PEPP). PEPP is an intensive two-week academic program where students spend time in both medical education and hospital settings. Classes in basic human physiology and anatomy are taught by second-year PCSOM students, who also serve as mentors. At PCSOM, the program is designed to provide a better under-



Pictured are Emily Bryant, Piarrist School, Cody McCoy, Prestonsburg High School, University of Kentucky President Lee Todd and Clyde Hamilton, II., Allen Central High School.

standing of rural medicine, what it takes to get into a medical education program, and the dedication needed to succeed in the medical profession. It also helps to build confidence and self-esteem and provides students with encouragement to seek challenging course work as they prepare for

higher education. Emily Bryant is the daughter of Leona and Steven Slone of Prestonsburg and Delbert Bryant of Martin. Clyde Hamilton II is the son of Clyde and Shirley Hamilton of Garrett. Cody McCoy is the son of Gary and Terri McCoy of Prestonsburg.

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YESTERDAYS

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Ten Years Ago

(Aug. 28 and Sept. 2, 1998)

Carl Douglas Collins, Jr., 25, of Prestonsburg, was arrested, Tuesday, by KSP trooper Steve Slone and lodged in the Floyd County Adult Detention Center, accused of assaulting his mother. He is charged with fourth degree assault, disorderly conduct, and resisting arrest.

Felony assault and wanton endangerment charges against Crit Douglas Caudill, 38, of McDowell, were dismissed in Floyd District Court this week after the alleged victims indicated they did not want to press charges, which were a result of an alleged verbal argument between Caudill and 22-year-old Stevie Mitchell. Police say the argument turned violent when Caudill attempted to shoot Mitchell, who was not injured in the altercation, and shot Laura Blackburn, 23, of Beaver, in the leg.

The Floyd County Animal Shelter got a welcome surprise from the Prestonsburg High School Dance Cats this month. Members of the troupe recently delivered 400 pounds of dog and cat food to the shelter, which is located on Sally Stephens Branch Road.

District One board member Johnnie Ross is literally eating up a suggestion from the Kentucky School Board Association. Beginning Friday, Ross will be having breakfast periodically at each of the schools in District One throughout the rest of the year as part of a Board & Business Breakfast Program. Ross said he heard about the program from the Kentucky School Boards Association and came up with a modified model of the event.

Jeremy Pennington, 18, of Beaver, began serving more than 50 days in jail, Wednesday, when he pleaded guilty to charges which arose from an incident prior to the alleged assault of a police officer. He entered a guilty plea, Wednesday, in Floyd District Court to charges of alcohol intoxication, third offense; third degree escape, and criminal mischief, third degree.

Prestonsburg High School English teacher Jerry Lafferty was terminated from his job, Tuesday, by school officials on a charge of conduct unbecoming a teacher.

The body of Chester Dempsey, 76, a Floyd County man was discovered in the West Garrett area, Friday, approximately three weeks after he died from an apparent heart condition.

Prestonsburg fire official held a special tribute, Tuesday, for fire chief Tom Blackburn's six-year-old grandson, Adam Patrick Blackburn, who was killed at the fire department, Saturday afternoon, in a tragic mishap.

Sixteen Floyd County residents were among national guardsmen who participated in a humanitarian effort to provide children in Ecuador with facilities for receiving a quality education, and medical attention. The guardsmen from the Prestonsburg Armory were the final two units that completed the construction of these schools and three medical clinics in Ecuador.

There died: Maxie Wayne Wright, 53, of Deep Water, West Virginia, formerly of Floyd County, Thursday, August 20, at Montgomery General Hospital; John Mark Stephens, 79, of Pikeville, Monday, August 24, at Salyersville Health Care Center; Lovell A. Mace, 65, of Elkview, West Virginia, formerly of Floyd County, Friday, August 21, at his residence; Robert Virgil England, 82, of Melvin, Tuesday, August 25, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; James Bruce Hubbard, 75, a native of Floyd County, April 29 at home in Chicago; Donald H. Layne, August 29, at his home in Ivel; Edwin P. Reffett, 78, of McArthur, Ohio, formerly of Georgetown, Tuesday, August 25, at his residence; Audrey May Beverly, 86, of Columbus, Ohio, formerly of Prestonsburg, Sunday, August 30, at her son's residence; Chester Dempsey, 76, of Garrett, Friday, August 28, at his residence; Karla Darice Phipps Shortridge, 21, of West Prestonsburg, Sunday, August 30, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident; Jeanette Jarrell Akers, 74, of Dana, Friday, August 28, at her residence; Roy Jr. Lawson, 51, of Price, Sunday, August 30, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; William Jerry Lockard, 56, of Matewan, West Virginia, Friday, August 28, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Christian Blake Thornsberry, infant son of Tommy Thornsberry and Alicia Fields of Topmost, was stillborn, Saturday, August 29, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Bethel Reffitt, 79, of Pyramid, Friday, August 28, at Mountain Manor Nursing Home in Prestonsburg; Adam Patrick Blackburn, six-year-old son of Timothy and Tami Lynn Blackburn, of Prestonsburg, at Cabell-Huntington Hospital in Huntington, West

Virginia; Rev. Raymond Wright, 72, of McDowell, Wednesday, August 26, at Central Baptist Hospital, in Lexington.

Twenty Years Ago

(August 31, 1988)

New election laws require four people to file for precinct officer's jobs.

Hopes for a new Prestonsburg High School may be wishful thinking, according to the state's facilities report issued this month.

A Floyd County grand jury found Walt Carroll Jr., 20, of Martin, guilty of reckless homicide for the November 19, 1987, slaying of his brother.

Floyd Sheriff's Deputies seized a cache of marijuana, with the latest find being at Johns Creek, near the German Bridge area.

Due to a reduction in funding, the Floyd County Health Department planned to begin charging fees for services, September 1.

There died: Willie D. Adkins, 22, of Salyersville, August 21, at the Paul B. Hall Medical Center in Paintsville; Britton C. Burke, 99, of Stanville, August 27, at his residence; Edna Garrison, 63, of Wayland, August 25, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Naomi Hall Hamilton, 59, of Harold, August 25, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg; Ronald Ray (Duck) Hunter, 43, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, August 27; Jimmy Kinney, 53, of McDowell, August 30, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Mary Louise Music, 68, of Prestonsburg, August 28; John H. Rice, 68, of David, August 24, at the residence of Frank Delano Reynolds; Joe F. Stumbo, 63, of Flat Rock, Missouri, August 21, at the Missouri Baptist Hospital in St. Louis; Morris Ray (Peanut) Stumbo, 34, of Minnie, August 25, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; and Roberta Tackett, 58, of Beaver, August 29, at her residence.

Thirty Years Ago

(August 30, 1978)

Prestonsburg's hopes of enlisting Corps of Engineers assistance toward additional flood control projects were dashed recently on completion of the Corp's reconnaissance report on the flood problem here.

Jack M. Friar, of Allen, Floyd County extension agent for 4-H, has received national recognition for his efforts in youth career guidance.

The fiscal court, last Tuesday, rescinded its August 8 order terminating the contract of Big Wheel, Inc., contractor on Phase I construction at the county park office at Allen.

An assistant attorney general, last week, handed down an opinion to the effect that ex-Sheriff Joe W. Lewis may not be employed, in any capacity, in the office of his son, Sheriff Doug Lewis.

The grand jury for the September criminal term of circuit court got off to a belated start, Monday, when two of its members failed to appear, but began its study of violations by noon.

There died: Mrs. Mary Jane Allen, 78, formerly of this county, Friday, at Greenup; Dewey Gilbert Stumbo, 49, formerly of Minnie, Monday, at the University of Minnesota Hospital; Abraham L. Nunnery, 80, formerly of this county, recently in Marathon, Florida; Gary Whittaker, 76, formerly of Prestonsburg, August 20, in Veteran's Administration Hospital in Tennessee; Johnnie Moore, 67, of McDowell, Saturday, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Archie Burrus, 58, of Prestonsburg, August 22, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Mrs. Peggy Collins, 69, of Orkney, Monday, at Mountain Manor Nursing Home; Troy Whitt, 75, of Prestonsburg, Thursday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Forty Years Ago

(August 29, 1968)

A new site for the regional hospital, planned for the Prestonsburg vicinity, by the Highlands Hospital Corporation, has been selected, it was announced this week by Chalmers H. Frazier, Prestonsburg General Hospital administrator. The new location is a 17-acre tract on US 23, near Auxier.

Registration at Prestonsburg Community College stood at 420 at the end of the regular registration period, Tuesday afternoon.

Dewey Lake claimed its first victim of the year, Sunday afternoon, when a 10-year-old Martin County girl drowned, after the boat in which she and four others were riding, sank.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the long-planned clubhouse which will be erected on the grounds of the Floyd County Fish and Game Club will be held Sunday at the club's annual fish fry.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Harris, of Topmost, a daughter, August 12, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Roger N. Bentley, of Dema, a daughter, August 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shepherd of Drift, a son, August 23; to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shepherd of Hueysville, a son, August 25.

There died: Mrs. Ruby Lumpkins, 34, of Manton, Sunday, at Lima, O.; John Owens Jr., 27, Monday, at his home at Garrett; Mrs. Thelma Collins, 62, of Ivel, Wednesday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Steward Horne, 55, of Little Paint, Friday, en route to the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Joe I. May, 71, Tuesday, at his home in Harold; Mrs. Elizabeth Lathem, 57, formerly of Floyd County, Saturday, at Inkster, Michigan.

Fifty Years Ago

(August 28, 1958)

Dynamiting of an automobile in front of the home of Councilman Wm. G. Goff, of Martin, before daybreak, last Thursday, was regarded this week as an attempt to intimidate the official, rather than to create major damage or cause him or his family injury.

A suit filed in circuit court here, last week, by two creditors of Floyd County attacks county spending for non-governmental and unnecessary purposes, and seeks to enjoin fiscal court from spending from its funds.

L. B. (Lennie) Moore, Prestonsburg, announced this week he will be a candidate for Railroad Commissioner, Third District of Kentucky.

The county's second historical highway marker was erected, Friday, commemorating Daniel Boone's discovery of the salt springs at the present David, on Middle Creek, in 1767.

Jarvis Allen, office deputy and legal adviser to Sheriff Hershel Warrens, said this week, that crime in Floyd County is increasing.

Public assistance recipients in Floyd County received \$68,395 in June, it was announced recently by the Department of Economic Security, Frankfort.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gunnell, of Pedro, O., a son, Dennis Gordon, August 14, at

Ironton, Ohio; and to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wright, a daughter, Andrea Christian, August 24, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Holbrook of Brainard, a son, August 26.

There died: Rev. Lee Moore, 71, Wednesday, at his home at Price; Mrs. Emma Zell Music, 85, formerly of Prestonsburg, August 21, at the home of a daughter in Asheville, North Carolina; Mrs. Louisa R. Spradlin, 67, of Betsy Layne, Saturday, at a Lexington hospital.

Seventy Years Ago

(August 25, 1938)

Coal from District 8 of Price Area No. 1 under the National Bituminous Coal act, which was invalidated, last February, will be reestablished, October 1, according to the belief of coal operators.

While working at the Inland Gas Company on Middle Creek, Alka Hicks and Jimmy Prater, of Hippo, and others, killed 18 copperhead snakes.

In a report to the Secretary of State, G. Tom Hawkins, of Praise, listed election expenses in his campaign for United States Senate as \$9.07; John A. Kreke, of Newport, nominee for representative of the Fifth Congressional District, reported he spent nothing.

Martin Policeman Tavis Flannery noted a pick-up in "business" last week, when 12 persons were jailed in Martin's lock-up on various charges within one day. But when he opened the door the next morning, he found that business had fallen off. Eight prisoners had escaped.

When Rev. E. Howard Cadle, nationally-known radio preacher was forced by a storm to land in Louisa, he held impromptu services during which 12 persons were converted.

Married were Miss Ella Belle Akers and Mr. Tom Moore.

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There's no shortage of bad news these days, is there? Gas prices, a roller-coaster stock market, soaring food prices...just "pick your poison."

So how about some good news for a change--a great example of something that really, really works and resulted from research funded by your tax dollars? Here goes!

You've no doubt seen the news stories about outbreaks of illness caused by harmful bacteria in various vegetables, from spinach and tomatoes to an ever-widening list of suspects. Of course, fruits and veggies aren't the only types of food that have been implicated in food-poisoning outbreaks over the years; meat and dairy products have also had their

uncomfortable moments in the spotlight.

But the U.S. meat industry is definitely benefiting these days from food safety research conducted by the scientists of the Agricultural Research Service (ARS) at the agency's Roman L. Hruska U.S. Meat Animal Research Center in Clay Center, Neb.

After a multi-state outbreak of E. coli O157:H7 infections from hamburgers in the western United States from November 1992 to late February 1993--an outbreak that sickened hundreds and killed four children--the ARS scientists in Nebraska began a massive investigation into E. coli O157:H7.

One of the most fascinating discoveries to come out of that investigation has been that the principal source of E. coli O157:H7 in ground beef isn't somewhere inside the cow; it's

the animal's hide.

Previously, most of the activities to try to prevent E. coli O157:H7 contamination of meat focused on eliminating the pathogen from the cow's feces. But the research at Clay Center led to a major shift in thinking, resulting in the ARS scientists' development of hide-targeted intervention techniques to reduce and eliminate pathogenic E. coli and other dangerous microorganisms from the ground beef supply.

Although E. coli O157:H7 can wreak devastation on the human body by deactivating ribosomes and destroying kidney cells, cattle can carry the same pathogens with no ill effects. The ARS research revealed that the pathogen tends to gather on the cattle's hides. This can become a serious problem if the meat becomes contaminated while

the hide is being removed from the carcass.

First the scientists experimented with chemically removing the hair from the hide. This process proved very effective, reducing the bacterial prevalence from 50 percent to 1.3 percent in one study. But the process was prohibitively expensive, and therefore seemed impractical for widespread industry use.

So the scientists turned their attention to cleaning the hide before removal--and there they hit the jackpot.

They developed a system in which the hide-on carcass is cleaned in a washing cabinet with high-pressure water to remove excess organic matter from the hide. Next, the hide is sprayed with an antibacterial compound. The scientists came up with an impressive list of compounds that proved effective, from phosphoric

acid to substances with tongue-tangling names like cetylpyridinium chloride.

Remember that great Ralph Waldo Emerson quote about "Build a better mousetrap, and the world will beat a path to your door"? The U.S. meat industry has embraced the ARS scientists' "better mousetrap," and an estimated 40 percent of U.S. feedlot-raised beef cattle now undergo the washing treatment. By targeting the hides, this technology has reduced the national incidence of E. coli O157:H7-positive ground beef samples by 43.3 percent.

And the benefits reach beyond stopping E. coli O157:H7. Since the beef industry began using the washing cabinets, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention have also noted significant reductions in illnesses caused by the pathogens Listeria, Campylobacter, Yersina and Salmonella.

American Fresh Foods and American Foodservice--that use the hide-wash system have high praise for it. Those two corporations produce more than 350 million pounds of ground beef every year for supermarkets, commercial fast-food outlets, and casual dining. They sample their products every 20 minutes to test for E. coli O157:H7, and conduct more than 15,000 additional tests each year for other pathogens.

How do they describe the hide-washing system? As their chief food safety officer put it, "It's incredibly effective...It's almost unbelievable."

Don't you just love it when something really works? I do!

The Agricultural Research Service is the chief in-house scientific research agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. You can read more about ARS discoveries at <http://www.ars.usda.gov/news>

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Highlands Regional Medical Center staff came out to support the Floyd County School System on Thursday, August 14. HRMC provided a large booth of information regarding diabetes, cardiac health, heartburn treatment, behavioral health, and other important health related topics. Nurses and staff were on hand to offer blood pressure and blood sugar



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The Betsy Layne High School Class of 1958 held their 50 reunion on July 19, 2008, at the Ramada Inn in Paintsville. Classmates came from Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio, Indiana and North Carolina. Those in attendance were: Patty and Charles Hornback, Judy R. Layne, Evelyn A. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Price, Lowell Mitchell, Allie Marie H. Hause, Billy Jo and Carol Stephens, Gloria C. Layne and son, Kay T. Stallwood, Lindsey Pilat, Billy Ray and Edith DeLong, Ray and Marianna Clark, David and Norma Hinchman, Pete and Joann Mullins, Bessie H. and Charles Maynard, Harold Akers, Bonnie C. and Charles Ruggles, Connie and Troy Cole, Donald Blevins, Bonnie Holsen, Susan Akers and Gaynell M. Lebeda. Candles were lit in memory of the 12 that had passed away: Leon Steffey, Alafa Mullins, Ronnie Layne, Graham Boyd, Georgia Boyd, Jackie Martin, Palestine Riley, Hugh Akers, James Hall, Jackie Stone, Anita Webb and Bonnie Fisher. Everyone had a great time, and past memories were thought of fondly while new ones were made.



Brandon McKaye Gearheart graduated from Alice Lloyd College in December of last year. He recently accepted a position as social studies teacher at Betsy Layne High School. He is the son of Sandra Kay Gearheart, of Printer.



George and Lynn Isaac, of Hueysville, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jessica Lynn Isaac, to Ronald Joseph Bryant. Bryant is the son of Eonnie and Sheila Bryant, of Martin. He is currently employed by the Kentucky National Guard and serving his country in Afghanistan. He is a 2003 graduate of Allen Central High School and a 2007 graduate of Big Sandy Community and Technical College where he obtained an Associates Degree in Surveying and Mapping. Jessica is a 2004 graduate of Allen Central High School and a 2008 graduate of Big Sandy Community and Technical College with a degree in Associates in the Science of Nursing. The upcoming wedding ceremony will be held on September 20, at 4:30 p.m. at Graceway Methodist Church, in Langley. Reception is to follow.

Five Floyd County students graduate from UK Law

Times Staff Report

Five Floyd County residents recently graduated from the University of Kentucky College of Law, and many of them already have plans for their future after passing the bar exam.

Allison Ball, daughter of Ron and Amy Ball, of Prestonsburg, will be clerking for Fayette County Family Judge Tim Philpot. Ball is a graduate of Mars Hill Academy and Liberty University.

Tyler Green, son of Steve and Jane Green, of Hueysville, plans to join the Pike County Commonwealth's Attorney's office. Green is a graduate of

Allen Central High School and Pikeville College.

Ashley Brown, daughter of Greg Brown and Dedria and Lawrence Carpenter, plans to join Clark & Ward, PLLC as an associate. Brown is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School and the University of Kentucky.

Autumn Dmytrewycz, daughter of Curt and Rhonda Branham, will be starting as an Assistant Commonwealth Attorney in Mt. Sterling when she passes the bar in October.

Matt Goeing, of Wheelwright, is a graduate of the Piarist School, and also plans to pursue his career in law.

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