

State board will decide in April if reprimand or removal is the fate for board chairman :

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Boysen bucks OEA at hearing

by Susan Allen Staff Writer

An attorney for Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen made an abrupt about-face Monday evening in closing comments to the state board of education, recommending that the board reprimand rather than remove rimand apparently was made by Floyd County board chairman Ray 'Shag" Campbell.

Boysen's attorney, Steve Wolnitzek, were made. and Office of Education Accountability investigator Steve Yater were overheard finalizing language for closing comments that would have asked the state board to remove Campbell for misconduct.

The change from removal to rep-Boysen, who conferred briefly with Wolnitzek outside the board meeting Just prior to making that request, room just before closing comments

The switch in plans apparently was a surprise for OEA investigator Yater, who stalked disgustedly from the room when Wolnitzek asked for a reprimand.

A final decision on Campbell's fate will be made by the state board in April. The board is not bound by Boysen's recommendations and could move for Campbell's ouster. A majority of the state board heard the document.

testimony for 11 hours Monday in relation to the charge of official misconduct filed against Campbell in January by Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen. Boysen charged that Campbell had entered into architect and construction management contracts in October 1991 for a 21-class-

room addition at Betsy Layne without the full board's approval and without the board's attorney reviewing

The misconduct charge against Campbell was brought by Boysen as the result of a two-year OEA investigation into the Floyd County system.

At the end of Monday's hearing, state board members decided to reconvene on the evening of April 5 for deliberations and are expected to render a decision on the morning of April 6.

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Magoffin man killed, murder is charged

> by Geoff Belcher Staff Writer

A friendly argument apparently exploded in violence early Sunday morning when a Floyd County man allegedly stabbed a friend to death in a drunken rage.

According to Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson, Chad Edward Lovely, 19, of Wayland, and Michael Lloyd Manns, 23, of Seitz, were engaged in a friendly poker match Saturday night at a friend's house at Estill. The two began arguing, Thompson said, and had apparently settled their differences when Lovely allegedly plunged a five-inch knife into Manns' back.

The incident occurred at around 12:45 a.m. Sunday.

Thompson said that Manns, with the aid of a bystander, staggered to a

Wheelwright man named in 12 counts :

Jury issues **34 true bills**

by Susan Allen Staff Writer

A Floyd County Grand Jury handed down 34 true bills Friday which included a 12-count indictment against a Wheelwright man who pulled a loaded gun and threatened to kill the police chief at a Wheelwright

Board okays modifications in contracts

by Susan Allen Staff Writer

Floyd County School Board mem- Magnum handgun after the two men bers decided to further review and modify controversial school construction management (CM) contracts. Board attorney Cliff Latta proposed several modifications to Martin Engineering's CM contracts, much to the dismay of the company's legal counsel, Bobby Rowe. The validity of those contracts and architect contracts are also in question because apparently the contracts were not brought before the full board of education for approval. Martin Engineering holds several CM contracts with the school district-South Floyd High School, South Floyd gym, Betsy Layne 21classroom addition and Betsy Layne: gym renovation—and those contracts: have brought state scrutiny and criticism. A provision in the company's contracts has been coined as "openended" which provides for continued monthly payments to the CM if the project is delayed through no fault of the CM. State Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen has said if the board does not vote to ratify the contracts, those contracts will be considered void.

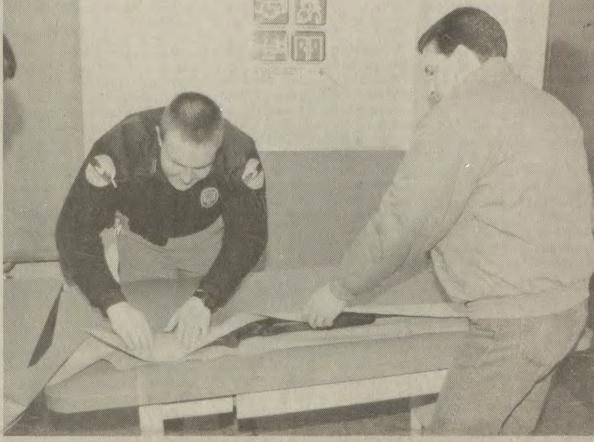
City Commission meeting last month. Grand jurors charged Rodney Thornsberry, 38, with criminal attempt to commit murder and 11 counts

of first degree wanton endangerment. Thornsberry was charged with attempted murder for pointing a loaded gun at Wheelwright Police Chief Bob Moore at a Wheelwright Commission meeting January 23.

Wanton endangerment charges resulted when Thornsberry wrestled with Moore over the gun which was pointed in the direction of 12 people who attended the meeting.

In other grand jury action, a Salt Lick man was indicted on two counts of first degree wanton endangerment and first degree assault for allegedly shooting Steven Gibson on January 24.

Russell Neeley, no age available, In a marathon session Saturday, allegedly shot Gibson with a .357 reportedly got into an argument. Neeley was charged with two counts of wanton endangerment for allegedly pointing a loaded gun at Gibson and Gary Shepherd.



Shooting death ruled accidental

Patrolman Rick Kendrick and Detective R.J. Conn of the Prestonsburg Police Department on Monday wrapped as evidence the shotgun that accidentally discharged, killing Theda Walters, of Prestonsburg. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Death of Prestonsburg woman

Latta proposed eliminating the

(See Contracts, page seven)

In two separate cases, two men were indicted under a new state law for first degree stalking.

Donnie Webb, no age or address available, was charged with intentionally stalking Laura Gilliam on January 15. The indictment alleges that Webb followed Gilliam and threatened to shoot her. Webb had previously been served with an emergency protective order which prohibited him from having any contact with Gilliam, the indictment said.

Teddy Hall, no age or address available, was charged in a three count indictment which included first degree stalking. Hall allegedly stalked Ruby Hall and threatened to kill her February 3 after he had been served with a protection order which forbade Teddy Hall to have contact with Ruby Hall.

Teddy Hall was also charged with first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly forcing Ruby Hall's car off the road. Teddy Hall was also charged with fourth degree assault for following Ruby Hall to her place of employ-

(See Indictments, page nine)

a tragic mishap, city police say

by Geoff Belcher Staff Writer

Tragedy struck in Prestonsburg Monday evening when a 32-year-old mother of three was apparently accidentally shot to death by her own 13year-old son.

Theda Rose Gayheart Walters, of Prestonsburg, died Monday as the result of a single gunshot wound to the side, Captain Darrel Conley of the Prestonsburg Police Department said Tuesday.

Conley and patrolman Rick Kendrick responded to reports of a gunshot at 405 North Central Avenue at around 6 p.m., Conley said.

There, Conley said, they discovered Walters lying on the floor surrounded by her three children. Walters' husband, Tony Ray Walters, told police that he was visiting a sick relative at the time of the incident.

Theda Walters was transported to Highlands Regional Medical Center, where she was pronounced dead by Floyd County Coroner Roger E. Nelson.

Conley said that the boy was ap-

loaded when the firearm discharged ally kept unloaded. accidentally, striking his mother.

The children told Conley that although the gun was kept hidden be-

12-guage that he thought was un- to any family member, but was usu-

Conley said that the gun was de-

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Driver in fatal accident had previous conviction for DUI

by Geoff Belcher Staff Writer

A Floyd County woman was killed at Ligon Monday evening in an auto accident that police say was an alcohol-related murder.

Cora Tackett Booth, 66, of Hi Hat, was a passenger in a vehicle driven south on Kentucky 979 by her daughter-in-law, 33-year-old Pearl Booth, when a northbound vehicle driven by Glennis Gayheart, of Beaver, crossed the center lane and struck the Booth vehicle head-on.

The accident occurred at around 6 p.m. Monday.

Cora Booth was pronounced dead at the scene by Floyd County Deputy Coroner Buddy Smith.

Pearl Booth, of. Olive Hill, and another passenger, four-year-old Matthew Hall, of Bevinsville, suffered multiple injuries and were transported to McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, where they were transferred to the University of Kentucky Medical Center at Lexington. Booth is currently listed in satisfactory condition and Hall is listed in stable condition.

Gayheart, 20, who was allegedly

neighbor's house to call for an ambulance and collapsed on the neighbor's front porch. Other witnesses then disarmed and restrained Lovely.

Manns, the brother of Lovely's parently playing with a single-shot hind a bed, it was readily accessible step-father, was pronounced dead at the scene by Floyd County Coroner Roger E. Nelson.

Responding to the scene were members of the Pikeville Post of the Kentucky State Police and deputies Johnny Layne, Bob Hackworth and Gary Blankenship of the Floyd County Sheriff's Department.

Lovely was taken into custody and charged with capital murder.

At his arraignment on Monday in Floyd District Court, Lovely's defense attorney, public defender David L. Williams, entered a not guilty plea on his behalf. Williams told Judge Danny Caudill that Lovely suffered from mental impairment, the result of a childhood accident, for which Lovely still draws a monthly disability check.

Caudill ordered Lovely held without bond in the Floyd County Jail. A preliminary hearing in the case has been set for next Wednesday, March

The incident is still under investigation by Trooper Bobby Day and Detective Lynn Cross of the Pikeville Post of the Kentucky State Police.

Litter control on Little Mud is 'picking up' thanks to residents

by Janice Shepherd Staff Writer

Travelers who enter the Little Mud area of Honaker may think they've made a wrong turn, but they haven't. It's the same place, just different the garbage lining the roadway is gone.

More than 32 community volunteers picked up trash along 2.7 miles of the roadway at Little Mud Saturday, February 20. The Adopt-A-Highway participants picked up enough trash to load eight pick-up trucks.

Among the garbage removed from the road were couches and appliances. "People are bringing it in here - bags full of trash, dead animals and making this a dumping ground, attack on trash were James Hall, Jo litter and report it to the authorities.

especially in the head (of Little Mud). Branham, Fran Hunter, Loretta Law-Adopt-A-Highway volunteer.

Glass bottles were also in abundance, Hall said, but aluminum cans ett, Karen Clark, Leonard Hall, Brent were not because of their recycling value. She questioned why Kentucky didn't require a deposit for glass containers as is done in Michigan. She believes if a deposit was required, glass bottles would disappear from and her children, Madeline Clark, the roadway.

should show no mercy to those who are caught violating litter laws. "If they don't have any money to pay a fine, then make them pick up trash." Among those participating in the

It's worse there because there are son, Heather Hunter, Tommy Hall, fewer homes," said Deidra Hall, an Zelma Lawosn, Susie Hunter, Dee Dee Hall, Sharon Kidd, Towanna Spurlock, Carolyn Case, Wade Tack-Clark, Deb Kidd, Denise Kidd, Dave Yates, Kathy Lykins, Nancy Kidd and her daughters, Scotty Yates, Helen Lawson, Mazie Tackett, Reba Lawson, Lois Adkins, Mabel Watts Claude Clark, Jessica Akers, Chris-She also believes that the county tian Kidd, and Denise Hunter.

> The Adopt-A-Highway members have pledged to continue their efforts to keep their community clean, planning to keep an eye out for those who



Trash attack

Little Mud Adopt-A-Highway volunteers worked for four hours Saturday to clean up their community. Residents say they are tired of people dumping trash in the area and plan to stop it by keeping a close watch on the situation. (photo by Fran Hunter)

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Student expelled for weapon possession

by Susan Allen Staff Writer

An Allen Central High School student was expelled from school for the remainder of the year for bringing a loaded gun to school on February 8.

Floyd County School Board members voted Saturday to dismiss the student and that an alternative course of education be sought for the student.

A hearings for the student was held Tuesday evening at the board's regular monthly meeting. The decision was postponed to Saturday because of a 10 p.m. time limit imposed on board meetings.

The board voted last month to continue regular meetings to 9 a.m. the following Saturday if their business was not finished by 10 p.m.

Also expelled Saturday was a student at Duff Elementary. Jeff Morgan, legal counsel representing the student, asked the board for an explanation of their decision.

Board attorney Cliff Latta advised the board they did not have to explain their actions and recommended the board not answer any of the attorney's questions.

Morgan hinted that he may file suit on behalf of the child because he said the student's disruptive behavior may be a result of the child's medical condition. Morgan said the student has had two brain tumors removed and the student is facing the removal of a third tumor.

"He's been through a lot and has anyone determined that his problems could have resulted from that?" Morgan asked.

The board ended their discussion without answering Morgan.

In other business Saturday, assistant superintendent Gary Frazier told the board that it will cost \$750,000 to equip the new South Floyd High School in order for the facility to be opened this fall.

Superintendent Steve Towler reported that the board could afford to spend \$300,000 for the equipment from the general fund this year. Towler suggested that the balance for the equipment could either come from next year's budget or the district could finance the purchase through a local bond sale.

The lack of money available to

Patton, whose educational district includes the South Floyd school.

"All I want is a school just like every other school in the county," Patton said. "The students in that area have been in buildings built before World War II. Now it comes up to that, that we don't have the money for South Floyd. It makes me sick. Let's get with it."

The lack of money for equipment in the school and discussions about outfitting the South Floyd football team added to Patton's frustrations.

Wheelwright football coach Donnie Daniels expressed concern to the board Saturday morning about the type of equipment proposed to be ordered for the South Floyd football team. Daniels said the type of helmet listed to be bought for the players was "standard." The coach recommended that helmets which offered more safety measures be ordered instead. He also noted the omission of certain safety pads on the proposal.

Daniels also noted that the proposal did not include medical supplies and weight training equipment for the football team.

Outfitting 60 football players at the new school prodded board member Hattie Owens to ask if the board would be required to provided the same equipment for other schools.

"It allows this for one school, what about the others that come in here?" Owens asked. "How can we deny other schools. If we can afford to do it for one, can we afford to do it for everybody?"

Owens' questions moved Patton to point out that the board was considering building an athletic track in Owens district.

"How about your track Hattie?" Patton asked. "The board's ready to spend a \$100,000 on a track in your district."

"That's for everybody to use," Owens responded.

A cease fire was called and superintendent Towler asked for a spending limit on football equipment.

"I don't want to spend any more than you want, whether it be \$35, \$40, \$50, or \$60,000. I need some guidelines on purchasing helmets, pads, pants. . .'

Board member Billips, apparently

furnish the new school raised the dismayed at the long and intense disdander of board member Eddie cussion on the athletic equipment, piped up saying, "and textbooks, a couple of textbooks would be nice."

Finally, a \$40,000 spending cap was placed on the purchase of football equipment.

Also Saturday, Towler presented an allocation formula for funds to be distributed for Site Based Decision Making schools which included staffing requirements, student/teacher ratios and enrollments at each school.

Figures were based on the maximum class size of students and did not include a move to begin operating under the middle school concept at schools in the county. A district local planning committee suggested earlier this month that the school system could and should go to the middle school concept on current school campuses as soon as possible.

Board member Patton agreed and asked that the formula be reworked to include the concept.

We will continue to have inequity in Floyd County if we wait to build new middle schools in all the county before we go to the concept," Patton said.

Towler told Patton that it was planned to go to the middle school concept in all schools in the fall of

"Change that," Patton said. "Let's do it quicker than that."

Board member Billips asked that the formula be changed to reflect a 17 to 1 student/teacher ratio instead of the maximum class size.

The formula process, which is a state regulation, is due to be given to the schools in two weeks. That announcement prompted Billips to complain about the short notice to the board about the process.

"I fail to understand why we have to wait until the last minute to get this information," Billips said.

Towler said that the state school board did not approve the new regulations until December.

"Why do we wait for the state to hit us in the back of head?" Billips asked. "I fail to understand why we don't take the lead in some of these things instead of being prodded by the state. I find it hard to believe that we would be reprimanded by the state school board for getting extensive financial information to the schools earlier."

The financing report will be revamped to include several changes asked by board members.

In other business, the board adopted bid procedure recommendations made two years ago by State Auditor Bob Babbage and suggestions made over a year ago in the Cranfill report which was a result of an annual audit of the district's finances.

The new procedures call for:

· bidders to submit a written notification of ownership of all entities involved in their bid;

· no contract to be awarded to single bidders unless the contract has been advertised at least twice and there is adequate documentation to verify it has;

 that no contract over \$2,000 be awarded without the express consent of the board;

 all sub-contracts with the board be bid;

· bids to be submitted in bidder provided envelopes; and

· all bids submitted to be recorded in the official minutes of the board; Also Saturday:

· the board heard a report from assistant superintendent Pete Grigsby on Family Resource and Youth Service centers;

· the board agreed to extended public comment at meetings from 15 minutes to 30 minutes and impose a time limit on speakers if a large number of citizens request to speak and agreed personnel issues should not be discussed during that time;

· the board directed their attorney to prepare a deed for the Spruce Pine Elementary School to the Little Mud Creek Community Development Corporation;

 the board directed their attorney to research a 1915 deed between the district and Elk Horn Coal Corporation concerning property at the Wayland school site; and

· the board voted to include on next year's school calendar Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday as a school holiday.

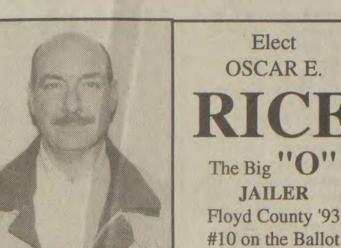
The next regular meeting of the board will be at Betsy Layne High School on Tuesday, March 16 at 6 p.m. The meetings are open to the public.

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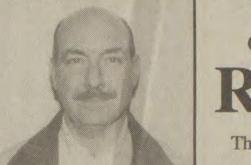
I graduated from Prestonsburg High in 1966, and my parents are Oscar Ola Rice and Nelle Compton Rice of Banner. Elder Sam Rice and Roscoe Compton were my grand-dads. My brothers, Howard Ray Rice and Lucian Rice, are well-known brick and block contractors in this area.

I am married to Juanita Barnett Rice, daughter of John "Quince" Barnett and Rainey Calhoun Barnett of Bucks Branch, Martin. Juanita has a son, John Alan Wright, attending Morehead University.

My in-laws include Herb and Bessie Dingus, Willard "Bub" Barnett and Justice Osborne Barnett, and Pauline Barnett of Bucks Branch, as well as Jerry and Carla Blackburn of Allen, and Jimmy "Gabe" and Donna Turner of Drift.

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Dingus indicted in DUI case

by Susan Allen Staff Writer

A state highway official, who was arrested for driving while intoxicated three times in just over a month, was indicted Friday on a first degree wanton endangerment charge for allegedly driving his state issued vehicle on the wrong side of a four-lane highway New Year's Day.

Also Friday, Floyd County District Judge Danny Caudill tentatively dismissed one DUI charge against the official, Bill "Crush" Dingus, 57 of Martin.

During a preliminary hearing Friday on the three DUI charges, the first DUI charge against Dingus was dismissed from district court because it pertained to the indictment.

stonsburg police officer Mack Stewart did not have probable cause to stop Dingus.

Stewart testified that he received a complaint on Dingus from fellow officer Gerald Clark who was told Dingus was "in no condition to drive" after he was released from jail on his first arrest New Year's Day.

When Dingus was stopped the second time, about 30 minutes after he was released from jail, he appeared disoriented, had slurred speech and failed three field sobriety tests, Stewart said.

At the time of his arrest, Dingus told officers he was taking prescription drugs.

Clark testified that deputy jailer Concerning the second DUI Jody Mullins, who observed Dingus

Babbage discusses teen voter registration

years old can register and vote in the opportunities. May primary election if they will be 18 on or by the date of the November election," Secretary of State Bob Babbage said.

sons who will turn 18 this year. Many will be eligible to register and to vote in this year's primary and general elections," he added.

Babbage said that the programs of Democracy Incorporated of Kentucky, a nonpartisan, nonprofit, privately funded voter education foundation, will include educating young Kentuckians about registration and voting.

Democracy Incorporated will work in conjunction with the State Board of Elections and the Secretary of State's office to reach as many of the Kentucky's eligible voting teens as possible, he said.

Many of the state's county clerks go to the high schools in their county to register eligible students. In other areas the clerk provides voter registration cards for the students' use to the school principal or the designated school official who informs the stu-

"Floyd Countians who are 17- dents of the registration and voting

"Important local offices are up for election in 1993," Babbage said. He explained that all the county officials, mayors and city councils, com-"Kentucky has about 54,000 per- monwealth attorneys, circuit court clerks and district judge seats will be filled by election in 1993.

> Citizens interested in registering to vote may obtain voter registration cards from their county clerk, Babbage explained.

The nationally acclaimed toll-free voter registration request phone line sponsored by MCI Communications-1-800-92K-VOTE-is in operation again, Babbage said.

The line is available to citizens around the clock, seven days a week, to call to initiate voter registration. Callers will be connected either to their county clerk, the state board of elections or to an answering device in the state board of elections office.

Callers give the information necessary to register over the phone to a registrar who enters the information into a computer. A registration card is completed and mailed to the caller.

charge, Judge Caudill ruled that Pre- in the parking lot from a window at the jail, told him that Dingus should not be driving. Clark said he ran to the window and saw Dingus getting into a car.

> Stewart testified that he had intended to stop Dingus because of the complaint. Stewart added that when he spotted Dingus' vehicle he noticed the license plate had expired.

> Dingus' physician, Charles Hardin of Salversville, testified that Dingus' health problems caused him to appear disoriented at times.

> Hardin said Dingus suffered from cirrhosis of the liver, depression and transient ischemic attacks (TIA).

> Someone who has a TIA has most of the symptoms of a stroke-paralysis and slurred speech, he added.

> Hardin testified that the condition lasts for about 24 hours. In evaluating a toxicology report from state police, the physician testified that Dingus did not have excessive levels of drugs in his system.

> Special prosecutor Lloyd Spear, Commonwealth Attorney in Greenup and Lewis counties, asked Caudill to reconsider the ruling to dismiss the second DUI charge, citing case law relating to probable cause.

> Caudill agreed to reconsider the ruling if Spear would file documents within a week outlining the case law.

> On the third DUI charge, Judge Caudill ordered a pre-trial hearing and the date will be determined later.

> Dingus was arrested February 5 by Kentucky State Police trooper David Maynard. Maynard also claimed that Dingus almost collided with him head on while driving on the wrong side of the road at Town Branch in Prestonsburg.

> After Dingus appeared in district court, he and his attorney, Gerald DeRossett, went before Floyd County Circuit Judge Harold Stumbo to plead not guilty to the first degree wanton endangerment charge.

> Stumbo allowed Dingus to remain free on a \$10,000 surety bond. A bond restriction included that Dingus not operate a vehicle without a valid driver's license and that he not operate a vehicle while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

> A March 19 pre-trial was set for Dingus on the wanton endangerment charge.



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New 911 service could be operational soon

by Susan Allen Staff Writer

A long-awaited 911 emergency response system could be operational in Floyd County in nine months if • government leaders agree to share the operation with Martin County.

Kentucky State Police Captain Robert Forsythe approached Floyd County Fiscal Court members Friday with a proposal for the two counties to share in costs and advantages of the Enhanced 911 system.

Forsythe explained that the system would be installed and operated by the Kentucky State Police who would, in turn, forward all emergency calls to the appropriate response agencies in the two counties.

"I have a personal, as well as a professional concern in this," Forsythe told the court. "911 saves lives. The state police would not control 911. A citizen's board would be appointed with equal representation for Floyd County and Martin County. They would control the system. We would just maintain the system and answer emergency calls."

An added plus to the agreement, Forsythe said, would be that any legal liability would fall to the state police.

Estimates indicated that subscribers in both counties would be required to chip in 82 cents a month to to pay for the operation of the system. It was not revealed if the 82 cents per month would be in addition to the 89 cents per month telephone customers have been paying for the last two years for the project.

It is expected to cost \$206,625 to install the system and \$17,267 monthly to operate it.

If Floyd and Martin County officials agree to the joint venture, a interlocal agreement will be developed for the two counties.

The court took no action on the proposal.

In other business Friday, the fiscal court rejected all bids received from companies vying to operate a transfer station to dispose of solid waste.

Negotiations are continuing with the four companies that submitted bids, including officials from Addington Incorporated, the company that last month submitted the lowest bid, Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo said.

The sticking point appears to the be that the company's bid of \$29.50 per ton of solid waste is a third higher quoted earlier.

Floyd County Attorney Jim Hammond described Addington's bid of \$29.50 as "highway robbery" and said the project will now be a 20-year plan. The county had proposed that companies submit two proposals on the project; one, a six-month bid on operating the transfer station; and two, a 20-year proposal. "It's too late (for a six month term)," Hammond told the court. "We're looking for a 20-year solution now.' Stumbo said the county could avoid bidding the transfer station by "running it through" the solid waste commission. He said it currently costs the county \$23 per ton to transfer its solid waste to West Virginia.

Sammons asked the court the status of the county's landfill that was closed last year and expressed concerns about rising garbage rates and illegal dumping.

Stumbo said the county had already capped the landfill and that new state regulations required the facility be monitored for two years.

Solid Waste director Dave Cooley and solid waste commissioner Bob McAninch both agreed that Floyd County will not be able to operate a new landfill.

"It's a dead issue," Cooley said. "We need to look at the situation realistically and get the best price (to

operate a transfer station). I'm scared of escalating costs. Dave Cooley is not ready to pay \$25 a month.

"Open dumping is becoming rampant," Cooley continued. "We need to do something quick and use levelheadedness. We need to get the ball rolling."

Although no formal action was taken, the court will apparently continue to negotiate with companies to operate a transfer station.

Also Friday:

• the court held first reading of an ordinance to allow dining facilities which meet state law to stay open and sell alcoholic beverages until 2 a.m.;

· the court held second reading on an ordinance to refinance mortgage bonds;

· the court heard a report from Colleen Prater with Big Sandy Area Development District about the development of a Human Resources directory;

· the court appointed Joey Bolin supervisor for Public Works; and

approved an emergency budget amendment.

All members were present at Friday's meeting and the next scheduled meeting of the court will be Friday, March 19 at 10 a.m. The meetings are open to the public.

Council bans smoking at meetings

by Geoff Belcher Staff Writer

The Prestonsburg City Council on Monday unanimously approved two ordinances annexing previously unincorporated territory and, apparently following a growing national trend, voted to ban smoking in the council chamber.

The newly-annexed territory includes property on Route 3, near Watergap, which was annexed at the request of a resident; and portions of the Route 114 Lowe's property, which has been designated to contain the proposed Mountain Arts Center, the future permanent home of the Kentucky Opry.

The vote to ban smoking in the council room came at the request of Councilman Jerry Fannin, who, rubbing reddened eyes, said that the chamber was small and did not have adequate ventilation to accomodate all the smokers present at the city council's bi-monthly meetings.

Among those smokers are Councilman Billy Ray Collins, who voted against the ban, saying that when he was elected to his seat on the council, he was not asked whether or not he smoked cigarettes.

Collins said that he would do his best to follow the council's ruling,

a cigarette during a council meeting, he would.

Although the council voted to ban smoking, one bystander said, the new rule "has no teeth" because it included no punishments for disobeying it.

Among other topics discussed at Monday's meeting:

• The city is more than \$70,000 over budget for the 1992-1993 fiscal year, due primarily to an unexpected amount of worker's compensation claims and to the continued closure of the Floyd County Landfill, which necessitates the transport of the city's waste out of the county at a much greater cost.

· The council voted to grant Prestonsburg Fire Chief Tom Blackburn's request to train fire department personnel in the inspection and certification of air pack regulators. The air packs are vital to the safe performance of the fire department's duties, Blackburn said, and must be checked and certified regularly. Although the training will cost an estimated \$1,500-\$1,800, Blackburn said, the city will save money in the long run and, possibly, save lives.

• The council also granted Blackburn's request to supply the fire department with two plastic back

but added that if he wanted to smoke boards, used to package injured parties for transport to a hospital. Although the department already has wooden back boards, Blackburn says, the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration no longer authorizes their use because body fluids can permeate their surfaces.

· Mayor Ann Latta addressed the proposed hazardous duty retirement plan for city employees, offered for consideration at a previous meeting by Fannin. Although the plan could save the city money in its first year, providing that Blackburn retired, the overall initial cost of adopting the plan would set city coffers back more than \$50,000. Latta said she thought the plan had merits, but that it would cost too much for the city to endorse at this time.

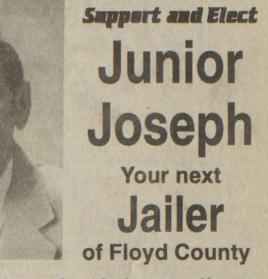
The council entered closed, executive session to discuss pending litigation.

All council members were present. The Prestonsburg City Council meets on the second and fourth Mondays of every month. The public is welcome.





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by Geoff Belcher Staff Writer

The city of Allen will soon be the beneficiary of nearly two million dollars worth of federal grants and loans earmarked for upgrading the counties. city's sewage collection system.

The funds, including a \$770,000 grant and a \$1,053,000 loan, were provided by the federal Rural Development Administration as part of a \$4 million region-wide project.

scheduled to receive funds include the city of Vicco, in Perry County, ers in the communities of Dwale, which will receive a \$320,000 grant Allen and New Allen, offering serand a \$715,000 loan to help extend vices to an estimated 375 new Floyd services into the Perry communities County customers.

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of Viper and Kodak and Knott County's Sassafras; and the Powell Valley Water District, which will receive a \$549,000 grant and \$631,000 loan to aid in extending sewer services to portions of Estill and Powell According to a press release is-

sued last week from Fifth District Representative Harold "Hal" Rogers' Washington, D.C. office, the funds channeled to Allen will be used to extend sewage collection lines about Other communities and collectives five miles and to build new sewage treatment facilities to serve custom-

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ALLAN S. PERRY III—Publisher-Editor

Liberty of thought is the life of the soul-Voltaire

Will blunders never cease?

by Scott Perry

Beyond the local concerns, deliberations in Frankfort over the fate of a Floyd County school board member point to some curious characteristics in the relationship between Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen, the state Office of Education Accountability and the state Board for Elementary and Secondary Education.

It is perhaps only a coincidence that the Floyd County case, involving charges of misconduct against board chairman Ray "Shag" Campbell, is caught in the middle of an apparent rift between Boysen, the OEA and the state board.

in that hearing, Boysen caught everyone, his own attorneys included, off guard by renewing his request for a reprimand against Campbell despite conclusive evidence that laws had been violated.

The results of Boysen's peculiar eleventh-hour plea for leniency is a certain widening of the gap between the Department of Education and the OEA, which formulated the case against Campbell, and a real potential for compromising further investigations into Floyd County's educational woes.

Whether or not the Commissioner's request serves to circumvent the state board's decisionmaking process in the case is yet to be seen, but he has certainly put members of that board in a difficult position by predisposing the outcome.



"I don't think many congressmen are in the mood for sacrifice . . . especially the ones out there chaining themselves to their pork barrels."

-Letters to the editor-

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Editor:

On behalf of the Betsy Layne Family Resource Center, which provides many activities for our community, we would like to thank the following businesses and individuals for their support in implementing our program. Words cannot express our deep

appreciation for their help. Wal-Mart, Pic-Pac Supermarket,

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Stevens, Kristy Stevens, Gwen Straton, Judy Johnstone, Debbie Hamilton, Katie Keathley, Teresa Isaacs, Jody Patterson, and Mary Morton.

Our program is progressing beautifully due to their continuing support. It has been our pleasure to talk with many representatives of these businesses.

Thank you for your help in getting the Betsy Layne Resource Center started.

Michael Rodreguiz

be in school where they belong.

The old "goober" mentality still held by same parents that education is not important no longer holds water. Kids can't drop out and find good paying jobs mining and trucking like dad or grandad once did. How many families can live off what you'd make in a convenience store or fast food place? Not many, and how many jobs are available if they wanted to try?

Those who don't go to school have lots of time to get into trouble drinking and partying, getting pregnant and the like and while truancy costs the school system daily student money which is badly needed, the long term costs are much higher because without a good education and proper training these kids will end up on the draw leeching off the rest of us for years to come.

The case against Campbell has offered us at least a hint that the three agencies charged with directing Kentucky's educational effort aren't the coziest of bedfellows.

The differences between the three became obvious when allegations against Campbell first surfaced.

Commissioner Boysen asked that Campbell be merely reprimanded on charges of misconduct which stemmed from the awarding of school construction contracts.

The state board rejected that wish in favor of stricter measures, which led to a removal hearing this week. After eleven hours of testimony

Normally, we would expect those responsible for policing education reform to march to the same beat if for no other reason than to provide a united front against its enemies.

With Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen, though, we have come to expect the unexpected.

Boysen's irresponsibility has mystified Floyd Countians before, but this latest surprise takes the cake.

And it took so long to bake it.

Diane King Terisa Hall **Debbie Hayes** Betsy Layne Resource Center staff

Get smart, stay in school

Editor:

I don't know Brent Allen but I do agree with him. There does need to be a strong stand taken on truancy in Floyd County and unexcused absences. We have taken a lot of steps forward in Floyd County to provide our children with better schools and the tools to get a good education, thus giving them a chance for a good life,

That's half a million or more that we working people will have to pay out to keep the academically ner do well clothed and fed during their life-

We don't have funds available for an alternative school for Floyd County, so we must make do with what we have and I urge the School Board and the County Attorney to take a strong stand on truancy. Schools are for learning and all children belong in school until they are at least 16 years of age.

Charles E. Scoville Ivel

Coffee Break

Got a face-to-face look at the health care crisis last week when Mr. Flu paid us a visit, leaving us physically unfit and fiscally fit to be tied.

We were able to cut our losses, thanks to a healthy stockpile of prescription antibiotics left over from previous encounters with disease, but whatever we saved by skipping the doctor's visit we lost on over-the-counter "remedies."

At last count, we had about fifty bucks invested in cough syrup, sinus medication, "flu therapy" concoctions and various and sundry ibuprofins.

Probably would have found as much "relief" by sticking a leech on our wallet.

There is one expense associated with illness that has yet to be included in the debate over health care cost controls.

The price of sympathy.

You know things are bad when you have to pay your kids to feel sorry for you.

The special session on ethics is over in Frankfort and about the only thing we know for sure about the outcome is that the new law cost taxpayers about 600 grand.

The folks who passed the law herald it as "the toughest in the country" while critics claim it has more loopholes than a five-yearold's sneaker.

In reality, it matters little who is right and who is wrong.

Legislators who want to be crooks will find ways to be crooked and those who are honest will find ways to remain honest.

Meanwhile, those of us who pay the tab will shell out six hundred thousand clams for the privilege of learning that nothing has really changed.

We've been the responsible parties all along.

Let's make a deal.

The president, it seems, is "selling" his

economic package by "buying" the support of Congress with a \$31 billion public works package the prez hopes will be approved quickly and before any of the "painful" parts of his program are delivered for approval.

Back here in Frankfort, word has it that Governor Brereton Jones is dangling a few hundred million in tourism-like funding out as bait for legislative acceptance of his health care reform proposals.

Critics suggest both deals are nothing short of legalized bribery, but there is a more definitive characterization of the buy-sell arrangement.

Politics. Nobody does nothin' for nothin'.

The Kentucky Supreme Court has upheld the state board of education's authority to oust school officials, including board members, for cause.

The decision also legitimizes the authority of the watchdog Office of Education Acby Scott Perry

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countability, which has led the effort to ferret out the wrong-doers.

No doubt a few more heads will have to roll before the impact of the court's decision sinks in, but there is hope now that accountability will soon be as common in our schools as it has been absent in the past.

And the walls come tumbling down.

In Bangladesh a mother elephant was so upset over her calf being struck by a train that she blocked the path of another and battered the engine until it was inoperable.

In America, reports are becoming alarmingly more frequent about small children injured or killed after being left to fend for themselves, for hours and sometimes days, while their parents are off doing who knows what.

Such a contrast raises an important question.

Which parents are the animals?

Around the Region



The Numbers Game: Kentucky Lottery Results

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Martha resident says oil field contaminated

by Sandra Osborne **Big Sandy News**

A number of Martharesidents have been gathering together in private homes to try to find answers to their questions about the delayed cleanup of radioactive sludge from oil field pits on their property and possible health risks the sludge might carry.

Martha residents Donald and Marguerite Skaggs brought the issue to the Lawrence County Fiscal Court's attention Friday. Mrs. Skaggs read a two-page prepared statement in which she accused Ashland Oil Inc., the • owner of the oil wells, of showing "little concern for the state of the land in Martha or the health of its occupants."

Skaggs said one of the pits was located on her property, approximately 100 feet uphill of Blaine Creek. "Ashland promised to clean up the pit, however, instead of cleaning up, and hauling away the contaminated soil, the pit was just bull-dozed off the side of the hill, scattering the debris over a wider area," Skaggs said in her statement.

She went on to say that it is pos-• sible to find a layer of sludge, sometimes a few inches thick, in the bed of Blaine Creek in Martha and that this sludge has been found by state officials to have abnormally high levels of radiation. "There are pieces of this sludge all over our farm in addition to the large pit," Skaggs stated. Ashland Oil Spokesman Roger

Schrum said Monday that he could not comment on the particular complaint Mrs. Skaggs was making because he was not familiar with the location. However, Schrum said Ashland Oil "would be glad to review any locations" in which a property owner has a question or concern. We're "going to follow the letter of the law in reclaiming those locations," Schrum said, "and would be glad to talk to Mrs. Skaggs." Schrum said the clean-up of the Martha fields has been delayed because "there is no state regulations or laws dealing with Naturally Occurring Radioactive Material (NORM)" and, consequently, the state had not been able to tell the company how to proceed with the cleanup. According to a news release Schrum sent the Big Sandy News Tuesday, "Naturally occurring radioactive materials (NORM) are found throughout the natural environment and in man-made materials such as building materials and fertilizer. NORM also may be present in oil and gas operations at some locations, and can accumulate in well and surface piping, vessels, pumps and other producing and processing equipment." Schrum said at one time there were 2,000 oil wells in the Martha Oil Field, in production from the 1920s through the 1980s. In October 1987, Ashland Oil entered into an agreement with the federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to plug the wells, which involved the removal of surface equipment, pulling the pipe from underground, and filling the wells with cement. The concern at that time, Schrum said, was potential groundwater contamination from brine (or salt water) getting into fresh water supplies.

ported that Dr. John Volpe, manager of the Radiation Control Branch of the Cabinet for Human Resources, said that if a person were to spend 25 percent of their time outdoors in Martha, they would be exposed to four times the normal amount of radiation.

Dr. Volpe denied making this statement, saying that while he had found elevated levels of radium 226, the elevated levels have been confined to the areas where the sludge pits are. "It's not something that's spread over the whole county," Dr. Volpe said Monday, "it's very welldefined areas." Dr. Volpe said he did say if a person spent 25 percent of their time around one of the sludge pits or built a home above one of the reclaimed sites, then they might eventually be exposed to the radium 226 or radon.

Prolonged exposure to radon can cause lung cancer.

In contrast, Schrum said Ashland Oil's expert on the issue, Dr. Max Scott from Louisiana State University told the company that someone could lie on a stack of NORM-affected equipment for 10 hours a day for 200 days straight and only be exposed to the amount of radiation they would get from one dental x-ray.

Dr. Volpe admitted that Ashland Oil has been unable to proceed with a cleanup as the process is still in negotiation. "Basically it's still up in the air because we don't know for sure the extent of the problem," he said. Volpe said he didn't know where the holdup in the negotiation process is, saying he had forwarded his information to his superiors.

As far as a concern about some residents in the Martha area still using wells for their water, Dr. Volpe said his office has not tested wells in the area as it doesn't know who is using them. He said residents still using wells could contact his office and a water sample would be taken for testing. Dr. Volpe also informed The Big Sandy News that he would be in the Martha area Tuesday, with federal EPA officials to "show them the lay of the land" as an "informational type of thing.'

In her statement, Mrs. Skaggs re- tion burns but said it had received no confirmation from any medical source that the information was correct.

> Talmudge Cantrell, father of the three-year-old, denied Schrum's statement, saying that typed medical reports from Paintsville Dr. E.E. Musgrave had been forwarded to the company. Cantrell said he had also told Dr. Volpe and Sam Lester about the incident.

Cantrell said his son was diagnosed by Dr. Musgrave to have "alpha-particle radiation burns to both feet," Cantrell said his son received the burns last summer while playing outdoors on their farm near the Lawrence-Johnson County line. Since that time, Cantrell said his son has been seen by Dr. Musgrave several times and is now checked monthly to monitor his white blood count which has been low. Reports from each visit have been forwarded to Ashland Oil, Cantrell said.

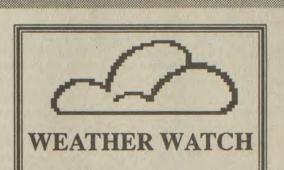
Cantrell said his son's feet blister and peel over and over and at night they turn bright red and hot, just like a sunburn.

Cantrell said he himself has been diagnosed with "alpha-particle radiation damage to both arms, from elbow to wrist" which occurred when he cleaned up some oil pipe on his farm.

The Big Sandy News attempted to reach Dr. Musgrave Tuesday morning for confirmation of the diagnosis, but he was not available when we called and did not return our phone call by press time Tuesday.

Skaggs also reported in her statement that "we have become aware that Benzene and other hazardous petroleum decomposition products are present in Martha's groundwa-

Both Dr. Volpe and Schrum denied any knowledge of findings of Benzene contamination in the local water supply. Lester said he didn't know of any Benzene turning up in the groundwater, but noted that the state EPA has not really done any work on groundwater contamination as the testing has been handled by the federal EPA. He said the state has done some surface water testing, but they were mostly looking for chlorides and salt water discharges and haven't tested for any hazardous substances.



Saturday's

Results

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Wednesday (today) Mostly sunny and cold in the morning with increasing clouds by afternoon. High in the mid 30s.

Wednesday night

Mostly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of late night snow. Low 15-20.

Thursday

Cloudy with a 60 percent chance of snow likely. High in the mid 30s.

Friday Chance of rain or snow. Lows in the upper 20s. High in the upper 30s.

Information provided by the Jackson Weather Service.

Regional **News Briefs**

Body of missing man found near Phelps

A Stopover man was found dead last Friday evening after having been missing for about four days.

The body of Milton Eugene Blankenship, 48,

Three arrested after Chloe Creek fight

Three Men have been charged in connection with a fight on Chloe Creek Road that led to gunfire.

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Pikeville City Police said Michael Slone, 27, and Shane Luster, 20, both of Chloe Road, and Joey Luster, 19, of Betsy Layne, were arrested early Friday morning.

Reportedly, the three men were partying Thursday night in a vacant house on Chloe Road when the two Luster men began an argument with Slone. Authorities said Slone was "beaten severely" in his face and hands with a vodka bottle.

Police said he managed to get away, but returned a short time later with a Thompson .45caliber rifle. Slone allegedly fired two rounds toward the abandoned house.

Slone was taken to the Pikeville Methodist Hospital where he received a number of stitches and was released. He was charged with two counts of first-degree wanton endangerment.

Shane Luster was treated as well for cuts he sustained after knocking out a window in a Kentucky State Police cruiser. He was charged with second-degree assault, disorderly conduct, and alcohol intoxication.

Officals said Joey Luster was arrested without incident and charged with second-degree assault.

All three men were lodged in the Pike County Detention Center.—Appalachian News-Express.

Cop killer arrested for assaulting son

A fishtrap man convicted of killing a Kentucky State Police trooper in 1980 was arrested Tuesday for allegedly assaulting his 13-year-old mentally retarded son.

Champion Chaney, 66, was released from the Pike County Detention Center Thursday on a \$5,000 bond

It was during that time that Ashland Oil paid for water line extensions from Paintsville into the Martha area due to brine contamination concerns.

While the cleanup was underway, the company discovered that some of the production equipment was contaminated with radioactive material when a truckload of spent pipe removed from the oil field was rejected by a Boyd County scrap metal yard and the cleanup was stopped. Since that time, no progress had been made on the issue.

Sam Lester, manager of field operations for the Division of Water, will also be on the Tuesday visit.

In her statement read before the fiscal court, Mrs. Skaggs reported that Lester "said radioactive water was found two farms down from us, but we haven't been able to get any sort of report from his office either on the radioactivity of the water or its toxicity."

Lester admitted that the pits triggered the radioactive monitors but said he had not yet received the results from water and settlement samples.

"We know it's (radioactivity) in some of the sludge and sediment in the pits," Lester said, "and sediment in the pits could be carried out by water running out. That's one of the things we are trying to determine. Potentially some of the sediment with radioactive material could be discharged."

In her statement, Mrs. Skaggs reported that "an area child was recently diagnosed with radiation burns from playing in water that ran off of a hill at a nearby farm."

Neither Dr. Volpe nor Lester said they had received notice on that incident. However, Lester said if the information were true, the pit where the water came from needed to be identified and everyone kept from its location

Schrum said Ashland Oil had been contacted about the report of radia-

EDITORIAL DEADLINES
WEDNESDAY EDITION: Lifestyles, Business, All Pictures Obituaries, Calendar litems Obituaries, Calendar litems (Calendar litems (Calendar litems, reunions, meetings, special classes, will appear in the Wednesday and Friday editions only prior to the event.) FRIDAY EDITION:
News copy, All pictures

Lester said extensive groundwater testing was done by the federal EPA and he didn't know the results of those tests although that would be one of his questions during Tuesdays site visit.

However, Lester did caution that if any Martha resident's water has the taste or odor of crude oil or gas, he would advise them not to use it until their water has been tested.

Lester said the lead agency on this issue was really the Cabinet for Human Resources and Dr. Volpe through the Radiation Control Branch. "At this point Dr. Volpe is trying to get as much first-hand information as he can." Hopefully, the Cabinet "can use that information and decide how best to handle the cleanup," Lester said.

After Mrs. Skaggs read her statement to the fiscal court Friday, local DES coordinator, Fred Jones, said he had visited the Martha pipeline site and notice that the water was "rusty." Jones said he notified FIVCO Health Department and the federal EPA but had not received any response. he urged County Judge-Executive Clyde Johns to get an investigation underway

Johns agreed, making a motion to empower the county attorney to enact a resolution to be sent to the appropriate officials in Washington D.C. or Frankfort. Magistrate Harold Daniels seconded the motion and it was passed unanimously.

Monday, County Attorney Nelson Sparks told The Big Sandy News that he had drafted a letter over the weekend that would be sent to Sen. Wendell Ford, Sen. Mitch McConnell and Congressman Jim Bunning.

Ashland Oil Spokesman Roger Schrum said Company representatives would be happy to meet with Martha residents or county officials on this matter and might bring in their experts to help explain their position.

was discovered by one of his neighbors on an old CCC Trail off Smith Fork at Big Creek Mountain near Phelps, according to Pike County Sheriff Charles "Fuzzy" Keesee.

Blankenship was pronounced dead at the scene by Pike County Coroner Charles Morris.

Keesee said the deceased died from an apparent self-inflicted sunshot wound to the head. A note was found nearby, but Keesee could not reveal its contents.

The sheriff said an autopsy was to be performed.—Appalachian News-Express

According to a warrant served by KSP Detective Donnie Jack Phipps, Chaney hit the boy in the face Monday evening, blacking his eye and bruising the right side of his face.

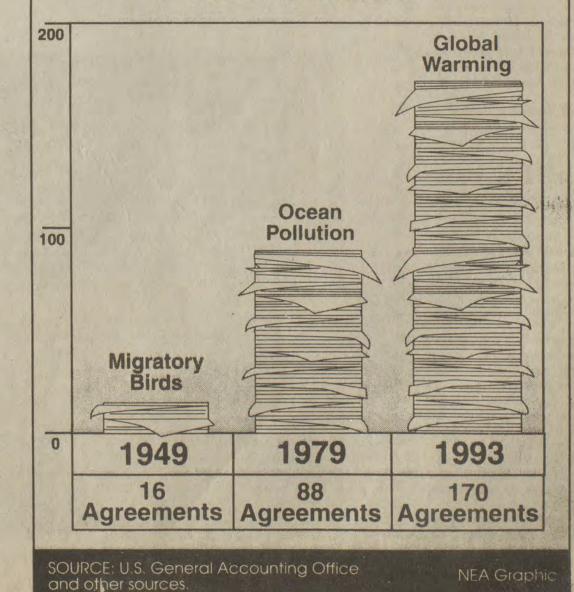
Chaney served 10 years in prison for the September 16, 1980 slaying of KSP Trooper Jerome "Butch" Clifton.

Chaney shot Clifton in the stomach with a .22caliber rifle after Clifton, KSP Detective Don Weedman and several other officers attempted to arrest him after he shot his wife, Ermalene Chaney. - Appalachian News Express.

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International Environmental Agreements Involving the United States



Campbell

Boysen had recommended last month after a summary hearing was held to review the charges that Campbell be reprimanded.

The state school board rejected Boysen's move for a reprimand at the summary hearing and voted to convene February 22 for a removal hearing on Campbell's charge.

On Monday, the state board allowed attorneys one week to get a deposition from former board member James Duff.

Campbell's attorney, Pierce Whites, presented an affidavit he said was Duff's, but the document was not notarized.

In that alleged statement from Duff, the former board member said that he understood that the board had authorized Campbell to enter into the two contracts. The statement claimed that other board members present at the October 8, 1991 meeting also had knowledge of the contracts.

Former board member Dr. Mary Hall, however, disputed that claim in a deposition taken Friday. Hall's statement, which was read into the official record Monday, said she would have never approved the CM contract if she had known the board's attorney, Cliff Latta, had not reviewed it. Hall said she objected to an "open-ended" clause that was contained in the CM contract

First to testify Monday was Office of Education Accountability investigator Steve Yater who said that there was no review or negotiation of the two contracts, which is required by law.

Yater added that the \$1.3 estimated cost on the BG-1, an outline of the construction project, misrepresented the total cost of the project which now stands at \$3.8 million.

Chairman Campbell testified Monday that he thought he had authorization to enter into the contracts with architect Paul Hoffman and CM Sam Martin Jr.

Campbell said Hoffman's contract, which contained the maximum fee of 5.1 percent of the total project, was brought to him by Hoffman for his signature just after the October 1991 meeting adjourned.

When asked by Wolnitzek why he did not show the document to the board's attorney, who was sitting to his left, Campbell answered that Latta "didn't ask" to see the document and that he assumed the attorney knew he had the contract.

"Mr. Latta's been told to speak up and I assume he knew I had it.' Campbell said.

Campbell said he did not negotiate either of the contracts.

Latta's deposition, though, said he did not hear the word "contract" mentioned at the October 1991 meeting or he would have asked to review the document.

contracts until last week, when ment worked with he and Hoffman to Wolnitzek presented them to him. He develop the CM contracts. Luscher said he would not have voted to approve those contracts without the board attorney reviewing them.

Whites asked Billips why he had not asked to see the contracts and said Billips' "lack of knowledge" about the documents could be "laid at his own doorstep."

Billips defended his actions.

asked publicly about these accounts is when I received my first death threat," Billips said. "When I made a public statement about where these construction funds were going and contracts, I received my second death threat and a threat on my children.

"How many times should I have to ask for these, counselor?" Billips replied. "I consider myself fortunate to get what little information I did get."

In Campbell's defense, Robert Rowe Jr., legal counsel for Martin Engineering, said the "standard" CM contracts used by Martin were written in 1986 with the help of Hoffman and Mike Luscher and Gary Bale, employees of the Kentucky Department of Education.

Rowe said when any questions about the contracts were raised, he and education officials addressed the concerns.

Rowe said he did not actually write the Betsy Layne CM contract, that CM contracts have been prepared "in-house" at Martin Engineering.

Wolnitzek argued that there is no "standard" CM contract approved by the state. He asked Rowe why he did not supply Latta with a copy of the CM contract, which was signed the day after the October 1991 meeting at Campbell's house.

"I assumed the board attorney would have a copy," Rowe answered. In earlier testimony, Luscher dis-

puted Rowe's claim that the depart- submitted on the BG-1.

testified that there is no state approved contract for CMs.

Luscher apparently shocked several state board members with his description of how school construction projects are handled by the department and the lack of oversight by the state.

The actual cost of school con-"The first time I stood up and struction projects is not known until the projects are bid, Luscher said, and a BG-1 is only an estimate of what projects will cost. Luscher indicated that there is no thorough review of school projects with local districts to determine if the districts can afford the cost if local funding is required or, once a project is started, if it can be finished as designed.

"What do you do with your time every day?" state board member Tom Gish asked Luscher.

"At this point and time, our thrust is design," Luscher answered.

Architect Paul Hoffman, who is also an attorney, testified that former superintendent Ron Hager had told him the hiring of an architect would be on the October 1991 agenda and that he brought along his contract, with his fee based on the \$3.8 million figure, "hoping" he would be hired for the project.

Hoffman testified that Latta "showed no interest" when Campbell was signing his contract after the October 1991 meeting.

When asked why he did not tell Latta he had a contract, Hoffman replied that his "cap" that night was of an architect and he didn't think he was under any legal obligation to do

The architect testified that the board, as well as himself, knew the project could not be built for \$1.7 million, the original cost estimate

Hoffman proudly testified that he inserted the maximum fee allowable for architects on school projects into his contracts.

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"I have the highest regard for the way I've been treated (by the Floyd County board)," Hoffman said. "If I had a choice of clients, they are one of the better ones I had."

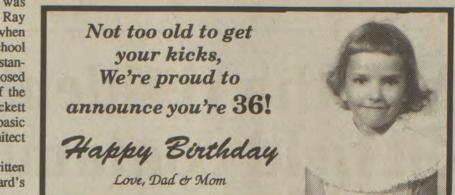
Also testifying Monday, was former Floyd superintendent Ray Brackett who said that in 1986, when he was finance officer for the school district, the board negotiated the standard contract terms behind closed doors, an apparent violation of the state's Open Meeting Laws. Brackett said the board agreed on the basic contract terms of CM and architect contracts.

Brackett said there was no written policy approved to reflect the board's 1986 discussions.

COMPUTER CLASSES TO BEGIN AT PCC

Continuing Education/Community Services of Prestonsburg Community College will offer three different computer classes from February 27-April 3, both in Pikeville and Prestonsburg. Introduction to Computers/DOS will be offered from 9:00-11:00 a.m., WordPerfect 5.1 from 11:30-1:30 p.m. and Lotus 1-2-3 from 2:00-4:00 p.m.

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Floyd man indicted in double murder case

by Susan Allen Staff Writer

A Floyd County man was indicted on two counts of capital murder Friday for allegedly shooting his estranged wife and her boyfriend on the Betsy Layne High School campus January 31.

Phillip Hunter, 46, of Honaker was indicted one day after the children of Darrell Blackburn, who Hunter allegedly killed, filed a wrongful death civil suit in Floyd County Circuit Court.

Harold and called authorities to tell them what he had done. Hunter was arrested at the store shortly after he called police.

Bryan Blackburn, 21, of Pike County, and Darrell Robert Blackburn, 23, and Mary Ellen Blackburn, 19, both of Floyd County, filed the wrongful death suit Thursday, February 18 in Floyd County Circuit Court.

The lawsuit seeks unspecified damages against Hunter and a trial by jury.

The suit also seeks additional damages for conscious pain, burial expenses and other damages.

"That on every occasion, since I've been board attorney, and the word "contract" has been used in a meeting, it's like sending up a red flag to me. . ." Latta's deposition said.

Latta said the first time he saw the architect and CM contracts was in May 1992 when he was provided with them by the Office of Education Accountability. He said he would not have recommended signing the CM contract because the open-ended provision was contained in the document

Board member Eddie Billips, who was absent from the October 1991 meeting, testified Monday that there was no mention of hiring an architect or CM in the agenda book he received prior to the October meeting. Billips said he learned through the news media and from people who attended the October meeting that Hoffman and Martin had been employed.

Billips said he did not see the two

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fective and would not eject shells and shell hulls when broken down. Police are considering testing the gun to determine how easily it can be made to fire.

"I'm a 20-year veteran of the (police force)," Conley said, "but this is the first case I've worked ... where a child had a firearm that accidentally discharged. And I hope it's my last."

"I just hope people take this as a warning," Assistant Police Chief Roy Roberts said Tuesday, "that you can't just leave weapons lying around (in the reach of) children."

The incident is currently being investigated as an accidental shooting, Conley said, and no charges have been filed in the case.

Walters' three children have been staying with relatives pending further action.

Funeral services for Walters will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Hall Funeral Home chapel.

Hunter is charged with murdering his wife, Ella Hunter, 42, and Blackburn, 45, of Pike County, by shooting them each twice with a shotgun.

Ella Hunter was a martial arts instructor and was preparing to teach a class at Betsy Layne High School when she was shot and killed at the a grand jury the case warrants further gates to the campus.

Police say after Hunter shot the two, he drove to a grocery store at the plaintiff's cause for action.

Through the first quarter of this fiscal year, bills to Kentucky's Medicaid program averaged \$150 million a month on a full year budget expected to top \$2.2 billion. Ten years ago Kentucky's Medicaid bill totaled \$424 million.

Pikeville attorney Miller Kent Carter represents Blackburn's children.

Note: an indictment is not an indication of guilt, but a determination by judicial review.

Added note: a civil suit lists only

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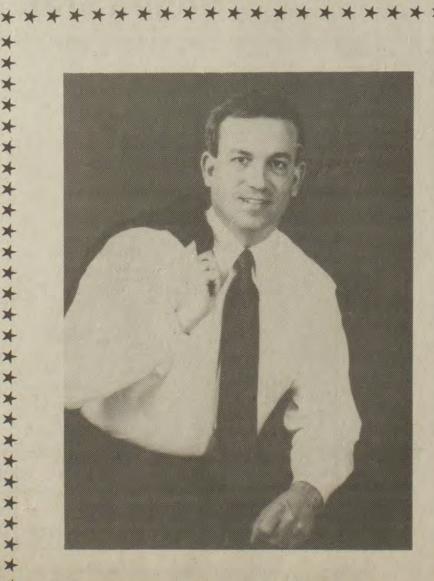
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monthly payments to the CM and instead make payments on a percentage of completion basis. He also proposed that the CM received no additional compensation if a project is delayed; that no bids be awarded to any individual or company which has blood or marriage ties to the CM without that information being disclosed to the board; and that no single bid contracts on school projects be recommended for approval unless the board is informed it is a one-bid contract.

Rowe argued his client's case before the board Saturday morning saying he "had no problem" with the modifications except for the percentage of completion payments.

Rowe claimed the percent of completion recommendation would not be in the "best interests of the board or taxpayers" because it would allow the CM to received a large portion of his fees up front. He suggested the payments be spread out in monthly payments because a CM could be penalized if a contractor is not getting the work performed on time.

That response prompted board member Eddie Billips to question what a CM's role is on a school construction project.

"My understanding of the CM concept is that a CM oversees the prime contractors on a job and if there are delays or they fall behind, the CM or his agent is to come to this board and recommend what action needs to be taken," Billips said. "A percentage of completion payment would be an incentive to the CM to make sure the prime contractor delivers as they should."

"That's right," Rowe replied. "But, you need to avoid a disincentive to get it done fast and not done right. I have a middle ground approach that would serve the CM and the board better. I don't want the CM to rely on the individual contractors to receive his pay."

Billips suggested that the board review the CM contracts on all the school construction projects separately instead of "en masse" so there would not question about the board's actions.

That suggestion apparently caught Rowe off guard, who said said he was unaware that the modifications pertained to all existing contracts.

"I don't know how these changes would affect the other contracts," Rowe said.

Rowe said payments have already been made to the CM on a contract for the physical education facility at South Floyd and that that contract was not open-ended.

"I don't know," Billips said. "I still haven't seen (that contract)." Board member Eddie Patton didn't feel the validity of the contracts was in question and recommended the board incorporate the proposed changes into future contracts. "No court has told us that (the contracts) are illegal," Patton said. ". . . if we take the position these people don't legally have a contract it will be in court and that would delay a project very dear to my heart, Left Beaver. I question whether the commissioner has the authority to say these are not valid contracts."

monthly payments to the CM and instead make payments on a percentage of completion basis. He also proposed that the CM received no additional compensation if a project is delayed; that no bids be awarded to any individual or company which has Superintendent Steve Towler reminded the board that they have been directed by Commissioner Boysen to review the contract for the Betsy Layne 21-classroom addition. If the board does not ratify the contract it will be declared void, Towler said.

> The board agreed that Latta and Rowe should meet to work out an agreement and that a "generic" contract be brought back before the board for full review.

> The board also voted not to ratify any existing contracts awarded for the construction of a new Prestonsburg High School. Architect and construction manager contracts were awarded for that project in 1989.

> Billips moved that the board not ratify known and unknown contracts for that project since the construction project has been abandoned.

A district local planning committee has recommended that Prestonsburg High School be renovated and expanded. The board voted February 9 to accept the committee's recommendation.

In other school construction issues discussed Saturday, Billips said up that he has not been provided with the amount of additional costs on the Betsy Layne addition resulting from an error in determining the flood plain elevation.

"The architect said Alchemy Engineering performed the work and the additional costs are yet to be seen," Billips said. "Over that snafu on the site, the architect handed the potato

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driving under the influence of alco-

holic beverages, was admitted to

McDowell Appalachian Regional

Hospital with multiple injuries.

Trooper Ghomer Prater of the

Pikeville Post of the Kentucky State

Police said Tuesday that Gayheart is

expected to be charged with murder.

29,1992, of operating a motor ve-

hicle under the influence of intoxi-

cating beverages. Under the state's

first offenders program, Gayheart was

not sentenced to jail, but his operator's

license was revoked for at least the

mandatory 90 days and he was or-

dered to pay a fine.

Gayheart was convicted on June

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to Alchemy. I've never seen a contract for Alchemy."

Latta responded he has never reviewed a contract for Alchemy.

"If Alchemy has a contract with the board, I've never seen it," Latta said.

Another construction issue raised Saturday was a situation concerning the continued settlement of the Adams Middle School.

In response to Billips' question on the problem, Architect Randy Burchett reported that the building is "still moving" and no repairs to the building's foundation can be made until the movement stops.

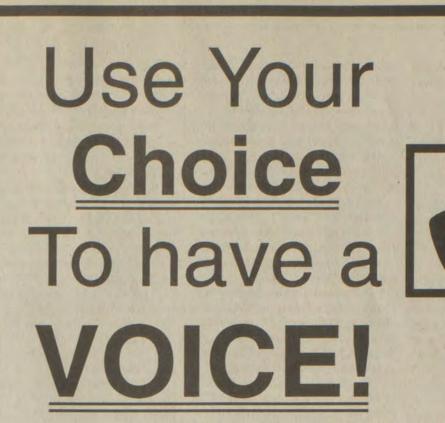
Billips asked if it has been determined who is a fault—the construction contractor or the site preparation company— and what actions should be taken against the responsible parties. He also asked if the settling could be blamed for roof leaks at the school and if it has affected other areas of the building.

"When do we take action against who is responsible?" Billips asked. "This board shouldn't bear the expense of fixing leaks in the roof."

Burchett said it has not been determined who is at fault but he has notified both bonding companies that a problem exists with the school.

Burchett added that he did not feel the roof problems were a result of the settlement problem. He recommended the geotechnical engineer, Bowser-Morner evaluate the situation again.

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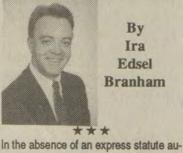


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pear before a grand jury after he has recovered in order to determine the extent of the charges against him.

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The accident is still under investigation by Trooper Bobby Day and Detective Lynn Cross of the Kentucky State Police.

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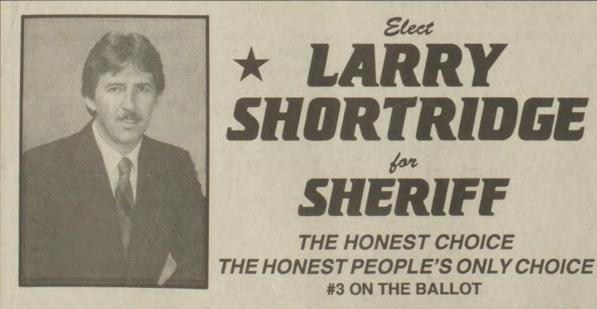
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Obituaries

James Walter Henegar

James Walter Henegar, 60, of Wayland, died Monday, February 22, at South Williamson Appalachian Hospital, South Regional Williamson.

Born July 18, 1932 in Vicco, he was the son of the late Hugh B. and Alice Workman Henegar. He was a paper carrier for 22 years before he became disabled.

Survivors include two brothers, Hugh Henegar and William D. Henegar, both of Wayland; and one sister, Rose Mary Mason of Columbus, Ohio.

Funeral services will be Thursday, February 25, at noon, at the Martin Branch Free Will Baptist Church at Estill with the Rev. Clinton Jones officiating.

Burial will be in the Richie Cemetery at Fisty under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Theda Rose Gayheart Walters

Theda Rose Gayheart Walters, 32, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, February 22, at her residence.

Born July 9, 1960 at Martin, she was the daughter of Rolland and Gertrude Dye Gayheart of Hillsboro.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband, Tony Ray Walters; two sons, Mark Anthony Walters and Gregory Todd Walters, both of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Tonya Roseann Walters of Prestonsburg; one brother, Hank Junior Gayheart of Hillsboro; and two sisters, Patty Ann Cole of Ashtabula, Ohio, and Rolleen Bentley of Allen.

Funeral services will be Thursday, February 25, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Ted Shannon officiating.

Burial will be in the Drift Cemetery under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Earnest Moore

Earnest Moore, 68, of Martin, died Thursday, February 18, at Parkview Manor Nursing Home in Pikeville following a short illness.

Born June 12, 1924 in Knott County, he was the son of the late Tommie and Katie Triplett Moore. He was a self-employed logger and a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his wife, Opal Hall Moore.

Survivors include one daughter, Kathy Hall of Marion, Ohio; one brother, Ed Moore of Langley; two sisters, Louise Church of Eastern and Mary Alice Shropshire of Columbus, Ohio; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, February 21, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating

Burial was in the Webb Cemetery at Turkey Creek, Langley, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Hatler Jones

Hatler Jones, 45, of Beaver, died Friday, February 19, at U.K. Medical Center, Lexington, following an ex-

Beaver and the late Dorsie Jones. He the Baptist Hospital East. was a disabled coal miner.

survived by one brother, Efford Jones late William O. and Florence E. Tackett, Ardie Tackett, and Elva the Bethlehem Baptist Church and Blankenship of Teaberry.

Funeral services were Monday, February 22, at 10 a.m., at the Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church at Teaberry with the ministers of the Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Jones Cemetery on Tackett Fork of Beaver under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home

Cora Tackett Booth Cora Tackett Booth, 66, of Hi Hat,

died Monday, February 22, at Ligon, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Born April 23, 1926 at Beaver, she was the daughter of the late Ben and Martha Tackett. She was a member of the Samaria Regular Baptist Church at Teaberry for 34 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Eugene Booth.

Survivors include one son, Phillip Gene Booth of Hi Hat; one daughter, Martha Rhodean Johnson of Hi Hat; one brother, Jim Tackett of Hi Hat; four sisters, Millie Moore of Hi Hat, Fannie Newman of Lexington, Mary Hall of Weeksbury, and Martha Mae Howell of Adelphia, Ohio; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Friday, February 26, at 11 a.m., at the Samaria Regular Baptist Church at Teaberry with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

Burial will be in the Newman Cemetery at Hi Hat under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

John Albert Calder

John Albert Calder, 78, of Louishe was the son of Dennis Jones of ville, died Saturday, February 20, at

Born March 16, 1914 in Lynn, In addition to his father, he is Massachuttes, he was the son of the of Beaver; four sisters, Arzionia Sinclair Calder. He was a member of Jones, all of Beaver, and Liza the Teamsters Local No. 783. He was a truck driver for 32 years, formerly employed by Sealtest Dairy. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

> Survivors include his wife, Sarah Margaret Conley Calder, formerly of Prestonsburg; three daughters, Nina Cotter of Indianapolis, Indiana, Judith Harris of Lexington, and Connie Calder of Prospect; one sister, Frances Knupp of Salem, Virginia; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral services were Monday, February 22, at 1 p.m., at the Arch L. Heady and Son Funeral Home with the Rev. T.L. McSwain officiating. Burial was in the Penn Run Memorial Park under the direction of Arch L. Heady and Son Funeral Home.

Cora P. Robinette

Cora P. Robinette, 83, of Harold, died Monday, February 22, at Parkview Manor Nursing Home, Robinson Creek.

Born May 6, 1909 at Harold, she

Clarence "Dog" Slone

Clarence "Dog" Slone, 69, of Langley, died Sunday, February 21, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin, following a short illness.

Born March 16, 1923 at Blue brief illness. River, he was the son of Julia Bailey Slone of Langley and the late Emory he was the son of the late Will and Slone. He was a heavy equipment operator for 40 years and was formerly employed by Potters and Walters Coal Company, Black Hawk Mining, M & W Coal Company and retired from Coal Mac, Inc. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II Old Regular Baptist Church in Plyand a member of the Living Word mouth, Ohio. Pentecostal Church at Gunlock.

survived by his wife, Brenda Yates Slone; six sons, Clarence Slone Jr. of Wabash, Indiana, Glen Slone and Ronnie Slone, both of Hueysville, Bill Slone and Joey Slone, both of daughters, Sonja Thornsberry of Ply-Langley, and Terry Slone of Mexico; two stepsons, Randy Hagans of Prestonsburg and David Hagans of Tampa, Florida; five daughters, Patricia Hagans of Martin, Rhonda Handshoe and Melissa Gibson, both of Gunlock, Tammy Slone of Clarkof Warren, Michigan; 18 grand-Wayland, and Allison Slone of Lan- children and five great-grandchildren. gley; one stepdaughter, Lynda Bowen of Ashland; two brothers, Jack Slone of Ypsilanti, Michigan, and Glen "T-Model" Slone of Langley; four sisters, Ruby Halbert of Langley, Ruth Martin of Eastern, Emogene Patton of Hueysville, and Molly Murray of

great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be Wednesday, February 24, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Clergyman Vernon Slone officiat-

Ohio; 25 grandchildren and three

Burial will be in the Steward Cemetery at Langley under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Easter Mae Lowe

Easter Mae Lowe, 56, of Harold, died Tuesday, February 16, at the University Hospital, Augusta, Georgia, following a long illness.

Born February 24, 1936 at Glo, she was the daughter of the late Charles Kendrick and Ida Belle Simpson Kendrick Crum. She was a member of the Vogel Day United Methodist Church at Boldman, for six years.

Survivors include her husband, James R. Lowe; one son, James R. Lowe Jr. of Harold; four daughters, Shirley Marie Baker of Tram, Lou Ann Lujan of Houston, Texas, Tina Ruth Hollifield of Harold, and Sabrina Dianna Parks of Augusta, Georgia;

Luther Thornsberry

Luther Thornsberry, 71, of Willard, Ohio, formerly of Wheelwright, died February 15, at Mercy Hospital, Willard, Ohio, following a

Born December 28, 1921 at Kite, Alice Slone Thornsberry. He had lived in Willard, Ohio, for the past 33 years. He was a former coal miner with Inland Steel Company in Wheelwright. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army. He attended the Little Rebecca

Survivors include his wife, Eve In addition to his mother, he is Johnson Thornsberry; four sons, Edgel Thornsberry of Mansfield, Ohio, Gary and Jimmy Thornsberry, both of Willard, Ohio, and Tommy Thornsberry of Bellevue, Ohio; two mouth, Ohio, and Priscilla Cline of Goldsboro, North Carolina; one brother, Olby Thornsberry of St. Marys, Ohio; four sisters, Artie Amburgey and Hattie Hall of Bypro, Ruth Huff of Bevinsville, and Odessa

> Funeral services were February 18 at the Secor Funeral Home in Willard, Ohio, with the Rev. Virgil. McClain officiating.

Burial was in the Maple Grove: Cemetery at New Haven, Ohio.

Oakie Shepherd

Oakie Shepherd, 82, of Gunlock, died February 13, at his residence following an extended illness.

County, he was the son of the late John B. and Sarah Hale Shepherd. He was a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church and a former tool dresser for the Kentucky Department of Highways.

Survivors include his wife, Lynda Bailey Shepherd; four sons, Talmadge Shepherd of Warsaw, Indiana, Palmer Shepherd of Claypool, Indiana, Dexter Shepherd of North Webster, Indiana, and Ray Shepherd of North Manchester, Indiana; four daughters, Maize Lacy of Shelby, Ohio, Janice Cooley of Gunlock, Ruth Newsome of Prestonsburg, and Cleo Patrick of Salyersville; 16 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and two-step great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, February 16, at 11 a.m., at the Little Martha Old Regular Baptist Church with Raymond Lawson and Bee Johnson officiating.

Burial was in the Shepherd Cemetery at Gunlock with Dunn and Kelley/Prater and Dunn Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

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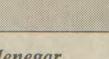
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same families are the first to this type of frustration," he said. feel the pinch.

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birth certificates with the Department for Health Services' vital statistics office within 10 days of the birth. Meeting this deadline is essential for many Kentucky families, said Roben Hurst, state registrar.

before newborns can be issued a social security number, which is a requirement before taxes are filed," he said. "A social security number is also required to open bank accounts for newborns, and they are needed to apply for public assistance.

"If hospitals haven't filed the birth certificate with the vital statistics office soon after the birth, parents have problems if they are trying to open bank accounts, file taxes or apply for public assistance."

Parents should also request a certified copy of their baby's birth certificate within a month of the child's birth to check for accuracy.

In 1989, Kentucky hospitals took an average of 30 days to file birth certificates with the state. Last year, that average had improved to eight days.

"Kentucky hospitals have made a real effort to improve their compliance with state requirements, which really means that they-and we-are better serving the public," said Hurst.

Hurst says that death certificates are also essential for families in the days after someone's dcath.

"An official death certificate is required for many of the tasks that

Funeral directors initiate the State law requires hospitals to file completion of death certificates by filling out part of the document. The attending physician or coroner fills out another part and returns it to the funeral director, who files it with the vital statistics office in Frankfort.

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lecting life insurance.

The entire process takes approxi-"Birth certificates have to be filed mately two weeks when everything goes smoothly.

> Hurst says that when families come to Frankfort or call his office to request a death certificate and his staff discovers that the certificate has not been filed, the office immediately begins an investigation into the status of the certificate.

> "We are very aware of the importance of death certificates and the family's frustration when they feel the bureaucracy is not working," he said. "So we do our best to track down the certificate for them.

> "By and large, Kentucky's 500plus funeral homes do a great job in getting the certificates to Frankfort."

Hurst says that birth and death certificates are also beneficial to the public in an indirect, but important, way.

"From these documents, we put together an enormous amount of health information on the citizens of Kentucky," he said. "Among other things, they are used to figure infant mortality, leading cause of death, low birth weight percentage and the number of teen births.

"The information that comes from them is essential to health plannersboth public and private," he said.

was the daughter of the late James and Minnie Akers Perry. She was a retired school teacher, formerly employed by the Floyd County School System. She was a member of the Church of Christ at Harold.

Survivors include her husband, Pervis Elbert Robinette; three sons, Gerald Robinette of Harold, Rex Robinette of Pikeville, and Ronald Robinette of Hunter; and two daughters, Roselane Tackett of Harold and Rowena Evans of Golden, Colorado.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, February 24, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel wth the Clergyman Hubert Harmon officiat-

Burial will be in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

two brothers, Gary Roger Crum of Tram and Bobby Gene Crum of Pikeville; six sisters, Thelma Goble of Sullivan, Ohio, Pamela Watson of Stanville, Pansy Lois Gumm of Somerset, Trudy Crum and Gloria Jean Pugh, both of Pikeville, and Rosina Thompson of Harold; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Friday, February 19, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Dan Frederick officiating.

Burial was in the Ratliff Cemetery at Pikeville under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Jeff Baker, Charlie Baker, Steve Stewart, Dorsie Lowe, Tim Lowe and David Lowe.

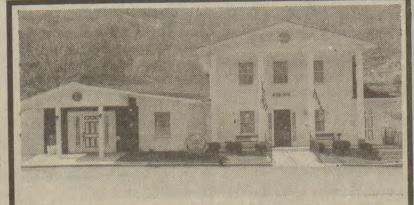
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The family of Elder George A. Rice would like to extend their appreciation to everyone who sent flowers, food, and other contributions during our time of sorrow.

Special thanks to those who spent sleepless nights, cooked, and to the United Baptist ministers for their comforting words.

Also, thanks to Dr. Charles F. Arnett, Dr. Edith Roe, Home Health Nurses, Floyd County Sheriff's Department, and Hall Funeral Home staff for their services.

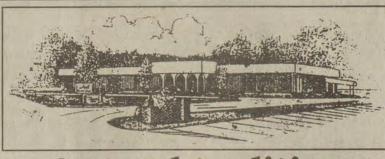
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Indictments

ment and beating her.

Other indictments, no ages or address available, returned Friday:

Paul Roberts, second degree assault for allegedly shooting Clyde Lawson with a shotgun on February 13 and first degree criminal trespass for allegedly unlawfully entering the home of Phoebe Caldwell.

Arnold Miller, first degree wanton endangerment, for allegedly shooting into a house on January 11 occupied by Janet Miller, John Paul Miller, Jerry Miller, Jessica Miller, Jamie Miller, Marsha Hall and Darrell Hall.

Tommy Conley, first degree wanton endangerment, for allegedly operating a coal truck at a high rate of speed on August 11, 1992, running a red light and colliding with a vehicle operated by Wanda S. Garza.

Brian Faust, two counts of first degree wanton endangerment, for allegedly operating a motor vehicle on September 27, 1992, while under the influence of an intoxicating substance and hitting a vehicle belonging to Kentucky State Police trooper Scott Hopkins and occupied by Hopkins and Tracey Burchett. Faust was also charged with second degree assault for allegedly operating a motor vehicle on September 27, 1992, while under the influence of an intoxicating substance that caused injury to Ray Hatfield Jr.

Brenda Burke Slone, first degree

Blood centers need your help

Central Kentucky Blood Center is declaring a blood emergency for the Central and Eastern Kentucky area. Blood inventory levels have dropped 600 units below what is considered adequate. Blood center officials say if the situation does not turn around immediately, patient care will be compromised. Back-up frozen blood is currently being utilized for routine transfusions.

The flu virus that has shut down school systems all over Kentucky coupled with severe weather in the last week has kept vast numbers of regular donors from giving blood. CKBC is urging anyone who had not donated blood in the last 56 days and is in good health to donate blood. and 16 rail bars and anchors valued at

ramming a vehicle and knocking it over an embankment on November 29, 1992, that was driven by Rodney Shepherd. Slone was also charged with operating a motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicants and first degree criminal mischief for allegedly hitting and damaging a truck

belonging to Carl Shepherd. John R. Baldridge, two counts of first degree wanton endangerment and two counts of second degree assault, for allegedly operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicants on January 16 and striking a vehicle occupied by Pamela Haynes and Paula Martin and injuring Haynes and Martin.

Michael Gibson, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicants, fourth offense, operating a vehicle while license revoked for suspended for DUI and second degree escape, for allegedly operating a vehicle on January 23 and escaping from the custody of KSP trooper Tim Mullins after being ar-

rested for DUI and operating on a suspended license. Gibson was also charged with possession of marijuana for allegedly knowingly possessing less than eight ounces of marijuana.

Kenneth W. McAskill, bigamy, for allegedly marrying Thelma Allen on February 2, 1983 while legally married to Mary Louise McAskill.

Larry Collins and Rebecca Collins, trafficking in marijuana, for allegedly possessing on October 17, 1992, and intending to sell approximately four pounds of marijuana.

Charles Kidd, trafficking in marijuana, for allegedly possessing on October 6, 1992, and intending to sell approximately three pounds of marijuana.

Eugene Gibson, fourth offense of allegedly driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicants.

James M. Howell, third offense of allegedly operating a motor vehicle while license revoked or suspended for DUI.

Anna Hitchcock, third degree arson, for allegedly intentionally setting fire to a vehicle on February 5 that belonged to Oss Farmer Jr.

James William Davis and Benny Ray Stacey, two counts of receiving stolen property, for allegedly having in their possession on February 12

wanton endangerment, for allegedly \$3,540.30 knowing them to have been stolen.

> Randall Caudill, third offense of allegedly operating a motor vehicle while license revoked or suspended for driving under the influence.

> Elvie Akers, third offense of allegedly operating a motor vehicle while license revoked or suspended for DUI and fourth offense for allegedly operating a motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicants. Akers was also charged with possession of marijuana for allegedly having in his possession on September 25, 1992 less than eight ounces of marijuana with the intent to sell the marijuana.

> Eric Collins, third degree burglary, third degree criminal mischief and theft by unlawful taking, for allegedly entering the Martin Prescription Center on January 25 and damaging property and taking prescription medication from the pharmacy.

> Gordon Davis, second degree forgery, for allegedly signing the name of Oval Bailey to a check on June 26, 1992 in the amount of \$85.

> Glen Vance, second degree criminal possession of a forged instrument, for allegedly possessing a forged check on November 11, 1992 in the amount of \$350 on the account of William Vance.

> Glen Vance, second degree forgery, for allegedly signing the name of William Yance to a check on October 17, 1991 in the amount of \$150.

> Glenn Vance, second degree burglary, for allegedly unlawfully entering the home of Burnis Jones on November 23, 1992 with the intent to commit a crime.

> Ed Shepherd, willfully removing a boundary marker, for allegedly removing fence lines in February 1992 from land belonging to Dewey Shepherd.

> Billy Shepherd and Byron K. Martin, receiving stolen property, for allegedly having in their possession on October 21, 1992 a vehicle belonging to Mack Jacobs knowing it to have been stolen.

Bryan Fraley, theft by deception, for allegedly issuing a check to Appalachian Cellular on November 11, 1992 knowing the check would not be honored.

Harold Baer Jr., theft by unlawful taking, for allegedly taking a vehicle in January belonging to Carol Neeley valued at more than \$300.

Lucky Collett, theft by deception,

- (Continued from page one)

for allegedly issuing a check to Todd Hamilton on December 20, 1986 for \$400 knowing the check would not be honored.

Cornelius Rowe, theft by unlawful taking, for allegedly taking two rolls of conveyor belt on October 29, 1992 belonging to Oliver and Allen Yarbar.

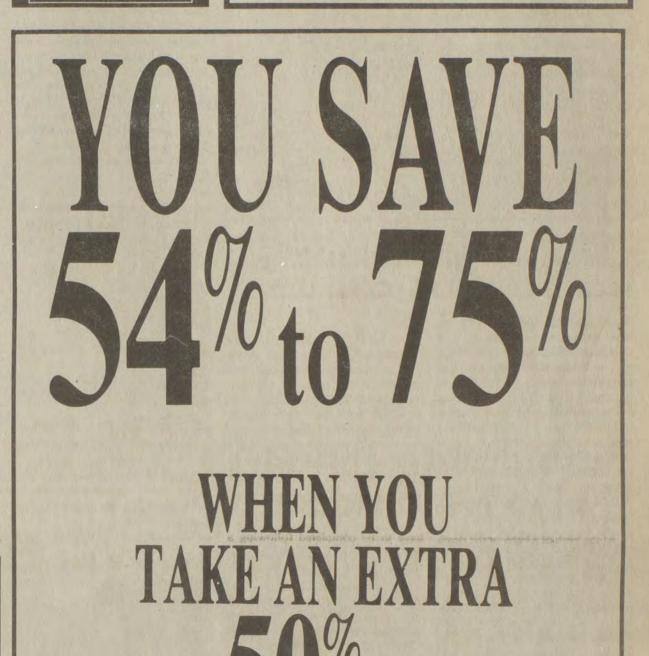
Truly Tuttle Woods, 26 counts of second degree forgery and 25 counts of criminal possession of a forged instrument, for allegedly forging the names of Patty Slutz, Raymond Baker and Johnny McKenzie to checks and allegedly having in her possession those checks totaling \$7,567.29.

Note: An indictment is not an indication of guilt but a determination by a grand jury that the case warrants further judicial review.

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I was born and raised in Stephens Branch, Manton, in Floyd County. I graduated from martin High School where I played some very exciting years of basketball for Coach "Hoss" Halbert.

My Mother, Deliah Hale Click, still lives at Stephens Branch and my Dad the late Robert "Bob" Click worked 34 years at Stephens Branch Tipple until he retired. My paternal grandparents were Joe Click and Bassine Martin Click. My maternal grandparents were Wess Hale and Sara Kennedy Hale.

I have three brothers and four sisters. My brothers are, Ezra (Jug) Click of Lexington; Bobby Joe Click of Stephens Branch; and Edgar (Pee Wee) Click of Stephens Branch. My sisters are Marcella Howard of Johnson County; Madeline Deaton of Oregon; Parthena Martin of Stephens Branch; and Pauline Conley of Rock Fork, Garrett.

I am married to Emalou Howard Click. We have two children, Robbie Click and Tiffany Click both of whom are graduates of Allen Central High School. My wife's parents were Dillard Howard and Elaine (Bud) Slade Howard of Martin. My wife's paternal grandparents were Earl Howard and Emma Reed Howard. Her maternal grandparents were Edgar C. Slade and Lula Elliott Slade of Martin. She has two sisters, Sharon H. Dingus of Martin, and Kristi H. Ratliff of Trimble Branch, Prestonsburg.

I have volunteered my time for over 20 years working with young boys and girls in different sports. I have coached Little League and Pee Wee Baseball and I have helped coach grade school basketball and girls high school basketball. I also coached Jr. Pro Basketball for girls and boys. I really enjoy working with young people.

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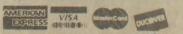
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Allen Family Resource

Center upcoming events

a.m.-2 p.m.; and night classes, Tues-

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•G.E.D. day classes, Tuesdays, 9

For more information, call the

Allen Family Resource Center at 874-

Maytown Family Resource

Center upcoming events

ter is sponsoring GED classes every

Thursday, starting at 9 a.m., upstairs

over the Maytown Fire Department.

ents, teachers and community. Date

changed from February 23 until

March 1, at 6 p.m. in the school

library. Anyone who deals with chil-

For more infromation, call 285-

Betsy Layne Family

Resource Center activities

•February 24: GED classes, 9 a.m.

•February 25: Anxiety and De-

dren should attend. (Adults only).

·Drug education program for par-

It is open to the public.

·Maytown Family Resource Cen-



Pilot check

Pictured is Doug Stratton and his Cessna 172 upon returning from his private pilot check ride in December. Both plane and pilot are based at the Paintsville/Prestonsburg Airport.

Five area residents earn wings during pilot training school

Several area residents have graduated from the Short School of Aviation at the Bert T. Combs Paintsville/ Prestonsburg Airport during 1992. Among those completing the necessary studies and obtaining their private pilot license are Robert Bevins, photographer, Pikeville; David Neeley, attorney, Prestonsburg; Jim Skaggs, of Big Sandy Heating and Cooling, Lowmansville; Doug Stratton, who also recently passed his instrument written exam, service

station owner, Betsy Layne, and Larry Warrix, engineer, Prestonsburg. Also, Jim Thacker, who already had a private pilot license, attained an instrument rating during 1992.

In addition to these, several other students began their training in 1992, have passed their written examinations and/or have had their first solo flight and are working toward their private pilot certificates.

Short Aviation is owned and operated by Larry Short of Allen.

Community Calendar

spring semester. Editor's Note: As a service to the

An organization meeting will be held Thursday, February 25, at 6 p.m. in the Mayo School auditorium. Anyone interested in enrolling should apply at the school office, in person or by phone, and be present at the organizational meeting. Those persons who have preregistered will be given priority.

For further information, please call Mayo School at 789-5321.

World War II revisited

During the spring semester at PCC, "shared experiences" meetings will be held so that the people of the Big Sandy valley can share what they were doing fifty years ago during the Spring of 1943. The meetings will be hosted by Dr. Don Barlow, professor of history at PCC, and will be held on February 22, March 24, and April 15, from 6:30-8:30 p.m., Johnson building, room 111. The meetings are free and open to the public.

John W. Hall Lodge

to confer M.M. degree John W. Hall Lodge No. 950 F.&A. will be conferring the Master Mason Degree Saturday, February 27, at 6 p.m. All Master Masons are welcome. Lodge members are requested to bring a covered dish. Paul Jacobs, Master.

Writers reading

"Writer Reading" with host Ernestine Collins will air on WPRG-TV 5 on Monday, March 1, and Tuesday, March 2, at 11 a.m., with guest June Johnson.

Living well with diabetes

The Living Well with Diabetes class will meet Thursday, February 25, at 6 p.m., in the Floyd B Class room at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Pancake Breakfast The Ladies Auxiliary of the Auxier Volunteer Fire Department is sponnoon at the Auxier Grade School cafeteria. Adult, \$3 and children under 10, \$2.

D.A.R.E. workshop

There will be a D.A.R.E. Workshop for parents, guardians, and teachers Tuesday, March 2, at the Allen Elementary School at 6 p.m.

Officer Rick Thornsberry will provide a film and discussion concerning drugs, children, and parental involvement. The workshop is free and is sponsored by the Allen Family Resource Center. For more information, call 874-2165.

Martin P.T.A. to meet

The Martin Elementary P.T.A. meeting will be March 1, at 7 p.m., at the school lunchroom. The third graders will perform. Everyone is invited.

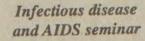
P.H.S. reunion committee to meet

The reunion of the Prestonsburg High School classes of 1918 through 1933 is making plans for the "grand" reunion scheduled for Saturday, June 5, at May Lodge in Jenny Wiley State Park.

Former Prestonsburg High School students who graduated in 1918 through 1933 and interested in attending this reunion, should contact James B. Goble, HC 66 Box 1490, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, or call (606) 874-2325.

Clark school-based council to meet

A meeting of the Clark Elementary school-based decision making council will be held March 3, at 6 p.m. in the school library. All concerned parents and citizens are welcome.



A seminar will be held Saturday, February 27, in the Prestonsburg City Hall training room to discuss infectious disease and AIDS. The seminar, approved by the Cabinet for Human Resources for E.M.T. in-service, will begin at 10 a.m. A \$10 fee will be charged.

The instructor will be Larry Adams.

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Christian Appalachian Project recognized for its philanthropy

The Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) will receive national recognition for its philanthropy on March 1.

The National Society of Fund Raising Executives (NSFRE) will present CAP with its Outstanding Philanthropic Organization Award at its International Conference on Fund Raising in Atlanta, Georgia. Fr. Ralph Beiting, Founder and Chairman of the Board of CAP, will accept the award on behalf of CAP. Former Atlanta Mayor Andrew Young will speak at the awards banquet.

The award recognizes organizations whose long-term achievements have had a national impact.

CAP is a nonprofit, interdenominational Christian service organization based in Lancaster, which works to cut the roots of poverty in the Appalachian region. Founded in 1964, it seeks long-term solutions as well as providing for immediate needs caused by chronic poverty in the re- operates approximately 60 programs gion. It works on the philosophy of "helping people help themselves." CAP's philanthropic impact has been in forms of direct allocations of funds or of in-kind goods to individuals, families or organizations. Since 1985, CAP has contributed nearly \$91 million to meet existing needs in home-repair, grants, scholarships and commodities. Of that amount, more than \$67 million worth of inkind gifts of books, food, clothing, building supplies, etc. have been given to religious, human service and governmental organizations in the mountainous areas of 11 Appalachian states, as designated by the Appalachian Regional Commission, through its commodity distribution program, called Operation Sharing. Operation Sharing has also shipped goods to ethical standards in the fund-raising other states and the District of Co- profession.

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In CAP's Community Service Scholarship Program, high school seniors in Eastern Kentucky who have given their time and talent to service projects in their communities and who continue with their education in higher education or vocational school are recognized with a grant that is applied to their first year's educational expenses.

Churches and religious, community and governmental organizations which perform work similar to CAP's work in the region receive assistance from CAP through its Human Development Grants Program.

In nine Eastern Kentucky counties, including Floyd, homes for elderly, disabled and low-income people are made safe and livable through CAP's Home Repair Program

pression Seminar with Darlene McCoy of Mountain Comprehensive Care, 6 p.m. at the center.

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•February 25: The advisory council will meet immediately after school at the resource center. Various items will be discussed. The public is encouraged to attend.

Evening classes offered Mayo State Vocational-Technical

soring a Pancake Breakfast, Satur-School is offering a number of day, February 27, from 6 a.m. until evening classes during the 1993

The Christian Appalachian Project which serve people in all of Kentucky's Appalachian counties and in other Appalachian states. It provides services to families through educational development, visitation, independent living, counseling, health education, outreach and youth activities, touching lives from infants to the elderly.

The National Society of Fund Raising Executives (NSFRE) has more than 14,000 members and more than 125 chapters located throughout North America. Through its advocacy, education and certification programs and its research library, the Society fosters development and growth of fund-raising professionals, works to advance philanthropy and volunteerism, and promotes high



JOBS scholar

Robert Stewart, JOBS participant, received his associate degree from Prestonsburg Community College. He maintained a 3.35 grade average. Pictured above, left to right, are Donna Allen, FSS; Regina Whitt, case manager; Robert Stewart and Frank Salyers, JOBS coordinator.

"Women of Coal" exhibit at PCC

Jim Wayne Miller, the women of our area have largely been described by historians as "confined and suppressed by a male-dominated culture." This stereotype is not confirmed by the experiences, activities and views of the women represented in the "Women of Coal" exhibit.

"Women around here are very, very strong," Gwen Jackson says, while many men have "missed the purpose of life" and "lost any sense Humanities Division. of pride."

Miller sees these women as "admirable, articulate, and resourceful." They are "giving and caring, and they care about the things that matter: family, work, community. Nila Bolling is devoted to her husband and children. Edna Gulley's heart goes out to people who can't afford to buy clothes; she is concerned for the future of her community. Elaine Purkey is a forceful spokesperson for her union. Cosby Totten says, 'Work gives people their dignity.' She's working on the issue of parental leave, determined that 'Someday, it's going to be a law.'

If you want to see wonderful photographs of these women and read their stories in the brochures given out in the exhibit, come to

According to Appalachian poet Prestonsburg Community College from February 25-March 7 to see "Women of Coal."

Professor James Goode from Southeast Community College will speak about these women of coal on February 25 at 6:30 in the Prestonsburg Community College Art Gallery. The exhibition is funded by the Kentucky Humanities Council, Appalachian Writers Center, and Prestonsburg Community College's

Receives degree at Berea College

Novella Anne Snyder of Garrett has received a bachelor of arts degree in child development from Berea College.

She was among the 73 mid-year graduates recognized at services in Phelps Stokes Chapel in December. Dr. Richard Drake, retired Julian-Van Dusen Professor of American History at the college, addressed the candidates for graduation.

Snyder, a graduate of Mountain Christian Academy, was a dean's list student at the college. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth of Coburn of Garrett.

Card Of Thanks

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

> THE FAMILY OF **EDITH COLLINS NAPIER**

Card Of Thanks

The family of Raymond Lewis would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help in the loss of our loved one: those who sent food and flowers, or just spoke comforting words. We deeply appreciate you all. A special thanks to the Free United Baptist ministers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

> THE FAMILY OF **RAYMOND LEWIS**

acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, relatives, and neighbors in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to the Rev. John W. T. Weise for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

The family of Billie B. Little wishes to gratefully

THE FAMILY OF **BILLIE B. LITTLE**

Card Of Thanks

The family of Willie Donald Bradley wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors, and family who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers and words of comfort expressed. A special thanks to the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

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THE FAMILY OF WILLIE DONALD BRADLEY



St. Martha's Catholic Church ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES NOON MASS AND 7:00 P.M. MASS Ashes will be distributed at both services. For more information call 874-9526. SUNDAY MASS is at 11:00 a.m. each week. ALL ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

Wednesday, February 24, 1993 A11



DISTRICT COURT

Editor's Note: All first offense DUIs are allowed to do two days public service in lieu of \$200 of the total court costs and fines. All individuals who are charged in cases involving alcohol or drugs are referred to alcohol or drug counseling. Johnny Joe Poe of Prestonsburg, AI, \$92.50; John M. McKenzie, 20, of Prestonsburg, AI, ten days in jail; Jimmy D. Hall, 29, of West Prestonsburg, AI, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, ten days in jail;

Tommy E. Shepherd, 18, of Martin, AI, ten days in jail; Anita R. Noble, 34, of Pikeville, AI, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, \$82.50 and ten days probated; Timothy K. Shepherd, 22, of Prestonsburg, DUI (first offense, BA .11), operating on suspended license, AI, charges merged, \$442.50;

Adrian E. Lamartz, 28, of Minnie, DUI (BA .23, second offense), \$207.50 and seven days in jail; Sherman Poston of McDowell, third degree criminal trespass, \$107.50; Jeromie Lee Farny, 22, of Paintsville, AI, drinking in public, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, \$82.50 and ten days probation;

Eric Neil Osborne, 20, of Sitka, DUI (second offense, BA .13), expired plates, operating on suspended license (due to previous DUI conviction), no insurance, no registration, failure to register or transfer, \$207.50, seven days in jail or 14 days home incarceration:

Tim Shepherd, 22, of Prestonsburg, leaving scene of accident, \$67.50, 60 days in jail and 57 days probation; Tennis Rogers, 37, of Harold, DUI (BA .15, first offense), \$207.50 and two days public service;

Bill T. Shepherd, 41, of David, AI, disorderly conduct, amended to menancing, \$92.50 and 10 days probation;

Glenn Vance, 36, of Beaver, attempting to elude, reckless driving, improper start, charges merged, \$107.50; Mark Milburn, 30, of Prestonsburg, AI, disorderly conduct, seven days in jail, credit time served;

Gary J. Adkins, 36, of Raccoon, AI, \$67.50 and 10 days probation; James D. Nelson, 30, of Prestonsburg, possession of marijuana, drug paraphernalia, \$97.50 and three days probation; Arlena Music, 28, of Auxier, possession of marijuana, drug paraphernalia, \$107.50 and three days probation;

\$557.50, seven days in jail or 14 days McShane at 886-9274.

home incarceration;

Teresa G. Mosley, 22, of Auxier, no insurance, DUI (second offense, BA .22), \$557.50 and seven days in jail;

James E. Bray, 35, of Grethel, drinking in public, \$57.50; Ernest Hall, 40, of Galveston, DUI (BA .20, third offense), speeding (26 mph over), \$757.50; Glenna Endicott, 33, of Allen, DUI (third offense, BA refused), \$207.50 and thirty days in jail; Michael Fitzpatrick, 24, of Prestonsburg, no operator's license, \$82.50 and five days public service.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Ross D. and Norma Morgan to Billy E. and Clora Morgan, property location not listed; Julianne and George Chad Perry III, Max and Diane Kofford to East Kentucky Power Cooperative Inc., transmission line easement to property on Johns Creek;

Eleanore F. Walker, Joseph T. Hartman, Terrell R. Johnson, Robert W. Bugel and George E. McCarty to Charlene Darrell, property in Timberline Subdivision; Todd and Bar-

Prestonsburg Jaycees along with the Kentucky **Jaycees sponsors Jesse Stuart book project**

The Prestonsburg Jaycees along with the Kentucky Jaycees are once again sponsoring their annual event-The Jesse Stuart Book Project. The project involves providing a reading book, written by one of Kentucky's best authors, Jesse Stuart, to every sixth grade student in the state. The book this year is titled "A Penny's Worth of Character" and will be delivered in the spring.

The Prestonsburg Jaycees have committed to purchase 750 books at \$1 each for the sixth graders of Floyd County and need assistance in purchasing them. At this time, approximately 15 percent of the monies needed have been collected and the deadline for payment is quickly approaching.

Contributions, which of course are tax deductible, will be greatly appreciated. To contribute, simply mail a check payable to the Prestonsburg Jaycees, to P.O. Box 602, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 or give to any local Jaycee member.

Please donate to our community's most valuable resource: our children. Lloyd H. Hall, 55, of Teaberry, For further information, contact Lisa DUI (second offense, BA refused), Roberts at 478-2025 or Melissa

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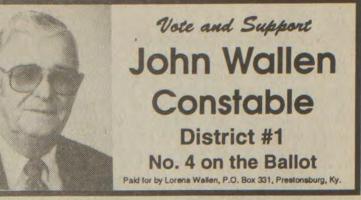
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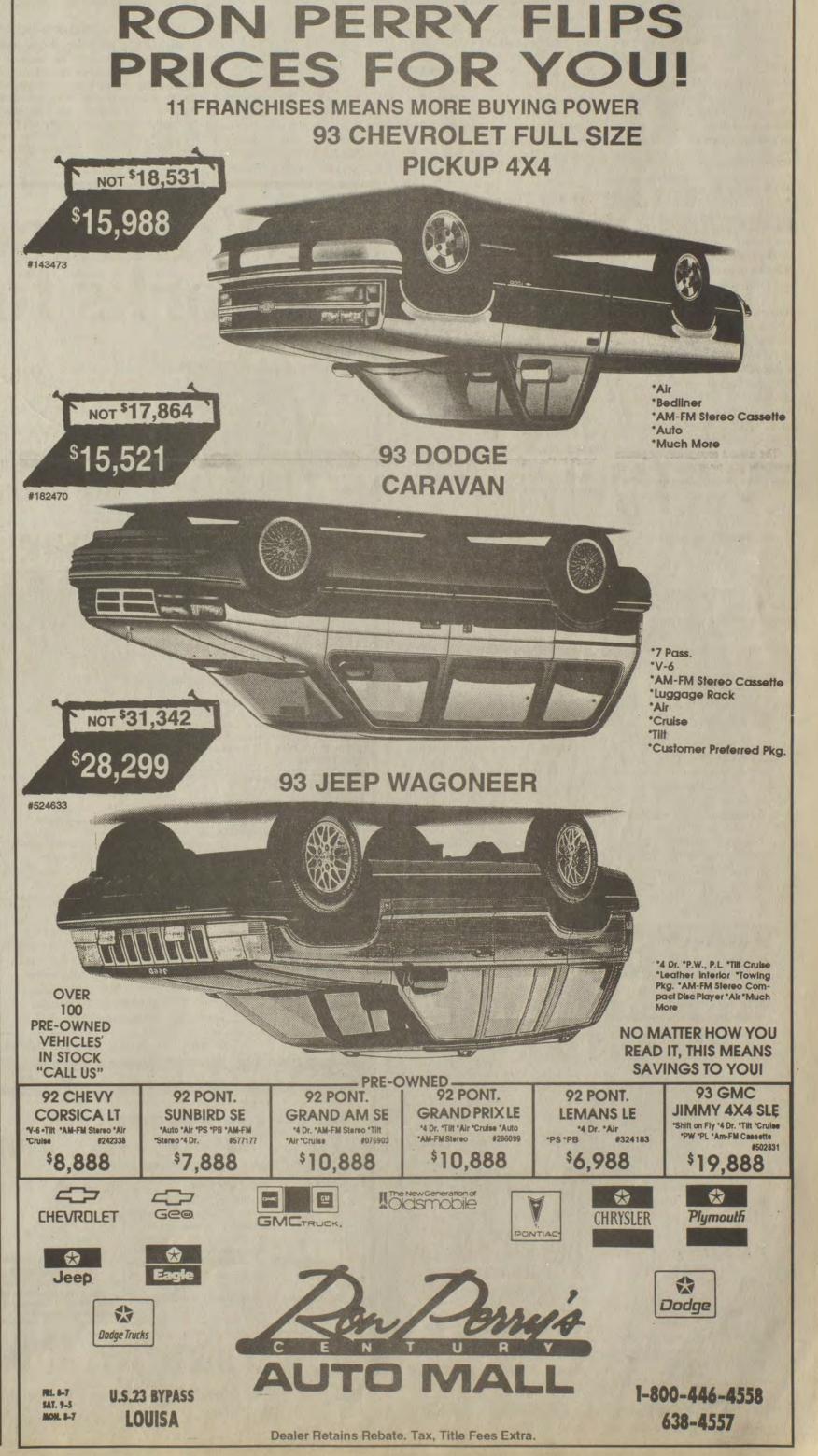
Donald Bill and Joan Whitaker to Beatrice Little to Doug and Brenda Clarence and Evelyn Inscore, property in Roberts subdivision of Lancer;

Bob and Greta Music and Mearl Music to Bruce Rice and Karen Freeman, property on Little Paint Creek; Kenneth and Wilma Jean Daniels to Franklin Keith and Vicki Lavonne Hunt, property on Little Paint Creek; Wilma Montgomery Messer to Tim tin.

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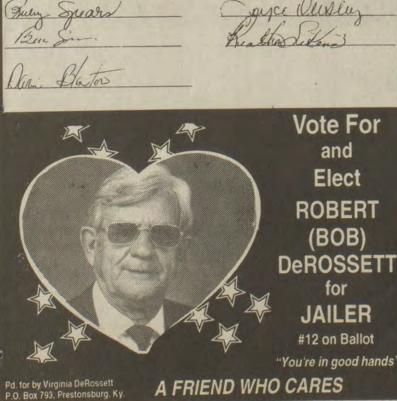




DeRossett Supporters

We, the undersigned individuals, would like for the VOTERS OF FLOYD COUNTY to know what kindness was shown to us while the strike was ongoing at the Highlands Regional Medical Center in 1981, ROBERT DeROSSETT came to our rescue by providing us shelter on his property and was very helpful to us during that time period. We would like to EXPRESS OUR APPRE-CIATION to him now and ask that YOU VOTE AND SUPPORT ROBERT DeROSSETT as your next FLOYD COUNTY JAILER. He is a compassionate and common man who understands people and their needs.

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1993 Fundraising Drive in Full Swing at JWT

In order to continue the programs ing this year's goal. and excellence associated with Jenny support of many, many individuals, to keep us at our current standard," businesses and corporations.

Supporting the arts in Eastern Kentucky has long been a tradition Corporate Fundraising chaired this for many corporations such as Martin County Coal Corporation, Citizens Bank of Paintsville, Pikeville Na- and Hazard. This committee began tional Corporation, Kinzer Drilling, work in October and has a goal of WYMT-TV 57, among others. This \$90,000. Chairperson Baldridge is corporate support will be joined in joined on the committee by Raymond 1993 by many individuals and busi- Bradbury, recently retired Chairman ness gifts from our region, according of Martin County Coal Corporation, ager Tedi Vaughan.

Vaughan said the 1993 Corporate Blue Ribbon Fundraising Committee is well on its way toward achiev-



What a beauty!

Stephaine Lasha Gibson, daughter of Vada and Thomas Gibson of Prestonsburg and the granddaughter of Patty and Bucky Collins of Prestonsburg and Deanna Martin of Hueysville. On February 7, she participated in the Miss Heart of The Appalachian Beauty Pageant where she won prettiest sportswear and was first runner-up for beauty. She was sponsored by Medical Transport Ambulance.

"We have three fundraising areas Wiley Theatre it takes support-the working to secure the gifts necessary said Vaughan.

The Blue Ribbon Committee for year by Inez Baldridge of Enchanted World Travel, located in Paintsville to Jenny Wiley Theatre General Man- and Bill Burchett, President of the Inez Deposit Bank in addition to Jenny Wiley Theatre Board Members.

The Small Business Fundraising and Advertising Campaign is cochaired by Kevin Yeager, Comptroller at Highlands Regional Medical Center, and Nancy Martin, Prestonsburg. Ad sales began in January with a goal of \$20,000 in program advertising sales (headed by Martin) and Small Business Fundraising headed by Yeager has a goal of \$5,000.

The Individual Fundraising Campaign is chaired by Linda Francis of Prestonsburg. This committee also began mailing letters in early February. Their goal is \$30,000.

Vaughan said all gifts to the theatre account for 35 percent of the theatre's annual operating budget while 48 percent comes from ticket sales and the remaining 17 percent from state and local grants from The Kentucky Arts Council through funds from the National Endowment for the Arts, Floyd County Chamber of Commerce, the Prestonsburg and Painstville Tourism Commissions,, and the Kentucky Tourism Cabinet.

She added, "We really appreciate the continued support from businesses, corporations and individuals.

When you contribute to Jenny Wiley Theatre, your donation is matched by the Kentucky Arts Council bringing our tax dollars back home to Eastern Kentucky."

According to Vaughan, with your gift you are also making an investment in our local community's economy. Jenny Wiley Theatre'seconomic impact on the region is around \$4.5 million annually through direct and indirect tourist dollars spent in the area.

"Last year, 42 percent of 26,000 people in our audience were tourists," said Vaughan. "We are bringing people to this region who spend their money here."

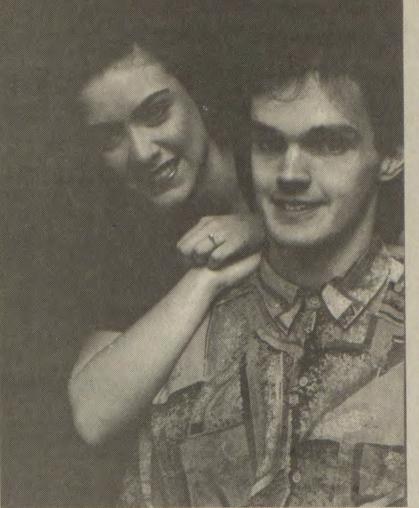
Additionally, Vaughan said the theatre contributes to the quality of life in Eastern Kentucky as well.

"We are continually working to increase the quality of our programs and productions. We provide the area youth and students with the opportunity to work with professionals in the theatre business from our state and across the country."

She continued, "The students work with our professionals producing shows for tourists and area residents, while learning theatre and musical arts and providing performance arts opportunities in a region where there is very little opportunity."

The 1993 fundraising campaign will continue throughout the spring. If you would like to contribute to Jenny Wiley Theatre or if you would like ticket and show information, contact the theatre at (606) 886-9274.

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Sanders-Johnson to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sanders of Prestonsburg announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Melissa Renae, to Derrick Johnson, son of Helena Johnson of Pikeville and Gordie Johnson of Lexington. Miss Sanders is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School and formerly attended Morehead State University. She was a member of the Delta Zeta sorority. Mr. Johnson is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School and Morehead State University. He is employed by Mountain Comprehensive Care Center. The wedding will be August 7, at 2 p.m., at St. Martha's Catholic Church in Prestonsburg.

Berea College to offer home-based business information classes

Two upcoming workshops at Berea College will give instruction on starting home-based businesses in child care and food preparation.

Family Day Care as a Home-Based Business will be the topic of a daylong session on Saturday, March 6. Among the topics to be discussed are certification and licensing requirements, operating policies, organization of the home, advertising and marketing, and sources of available funding.

A Saturday, March 13, workshop will give information on beginning a food-related business in the home. Current regulations, safety tips, supplies and suppliers, marketing and cash management will be examined. Participants also will display their food products.

Both workshops, to be conducted in the Alumni Building, will provide time for participants to confer individually with instructors. The fee for each session is \$8 which covers the cost of lunch in the college cafeteria.

Requests for registration forms, which must be returned five days prior to the workshop date, should be addressed to the New Opportunity School for Women, CPO 2276, Berea, Ky. 40404. For additional information, call (606) 986-9341, Ext. 6676

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A Look At Sports by Ed Taylor **Sports Editor**

THIS SENIOR CLASS SPECIAL

This year's senior class is very special to this writer. When I first started covering

sports for the Floyd County Times back in January 1989, the first game I was assigned to on a trial basis was a game between Allen Central and McDowell.

My second assignment sent me to Mullins where the Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats were going to play the Lady Tigers.

Prestonsburg had a senior that year by the name of Karen Frazier and could she play basketball. Also on the squad was a sophomore named Kathy Slone and she could shoot some hoops, too.

Then there were the freshmen and what a talented group. Today they are seniors and they have a very special place in my heart because they were the group that I covered that first night.

While covering the Mullins/ Prestonsburg game Saturday afternoon, I couldn't help but reflect back on that night back in 1989. Prestonsburg won the game and I learned a lot about girls' basketball.

Allen Central, Betsy Layne, McDowell and Prestonsburg will be losing some fine young people after this season is over. I have followed them the past four years during their high school careers and I have enjoyed writing about them, taking their pictures and just getting to know them.

To all of them, I want to wish each and every senior, boys and girls, the best in next week's district tournament. Some will be playing for the final time. Some have to lose while others win. But to this sportswriter, you're a special group and I will always remember when I covered your basketball games starting back in 1989

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO Martin's Thomas Jenkins who will turn 14 this coming Wednesday, March 3. Thomas is one of the county's most talented and upcoming players and I look forward to his playing high school basketball next year.



Lost the handle!

Prestonsburg's Kristy Little (33) lost the handle on the basketball as she drives to the basket against Mullins Saturday afternoon. The Lady Blackcats were stunned with a 53-50 loss to the Lady Tigers. Little had six rebounds in the game. Prestonsburg will close out their regular season this Thursday night against Shelby

Isaac's 29 points give Lady Trojans first win of season

by Ed Taylor **Sports Editor**

Nineteen games had passed since the Wheelwright Lady Trojans opened the 1992-93 basketball season and they entered Monday night's game with Johns Creek still looking for that initial win.

In the final game of the regular season for the Lady Trojans, they got that long sought-after victory. Crystal Isaac poured in 29 points to lead Wheelwright to a 57-56 win over the Lady Bearcats on the road.

"Crystal just completely took charge of the game," said Coach Tommy Pack. "That was the happiest bunch of girls I have ever seen. Crystal and Rhonda (Thornsbury) both WWRIGHT 14 11 12 20 - 57 showed a lot of leadership."

It was at the free-throw line that Lady Trojans, 55-54. the Lady Trojans were able to put the Lady Bearcats away. Wheelwright hit 25 of 29 free throw attempts.

throw shooting team," said Pack. Wheelwright entered the contest a 42 against Johns Creek they appeared as a team that had been shooting 80 percent for the year.

Wheelwright led the all the way Creek took the lead with two-and-ahalf minutes left.

"They went up by four points on us," said Pack. "That was enough Wheelwrig

stepped forward and pulled down jans, despite being foul trouble most of the second half.

"She had four fouls on her," said the Wheelwright mentor, "but I told her at halftime that we couldn't win tournament time. the game without her being in there. She went back in and did a great job for us on the boards and played the

WHEELWRIGHT (57)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Isaac	5	1	21-16	29
Tackett, C.	1	0	1-0	2
Compton	5	0	0-0	10
Thornsbury	3	0	8-8	14
Tackett	1	0	0-0	2

JOHNS CREEK (56)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Thompson	3	Ó	2-2	8
Pinson	10	0	13-6	26
Varney	5	0	5-1	11
Thacker	2	0	2-0	4
Smith	3	0	1-0	6

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Johns Creek missed at the other end and Thornsbury was fouled and sent to the free-throw stripe. She con-"And we're not even a good free nected on both attempts for a threepoint Wheelwright lead, 57-54. Johns Creek scored with eight seconds left percent free throw shooting team, but and Wheelwright just held onto the ball as the clock expired.

"Johns Creek stayed right with us," said Pack.

Pack said that he feels that his until the fourth quarter when Johns team, mostly freshmen, is playing the best ball they have played all season and it was a matter of finding the right

Wheelwright lost their point guard, lead for young team like this to give freshman Melissa Tackett, to an injury and that forced Isaac and But the Lady Trojans did not quit Thornsbury to handle the ball more, and a freshman, Tiffany Compton, something that has helped the team.

"It has caused them to step up and some big rebounds for the Lady Tro- take charge more," stated the Wheelwright coach.

Packs pronounced his team ready for tournament play and said that he would love to have Tackett back at

"We played Mullins to within one point," he said, "and we had a good game against Prestonsburg. We're definitely playing our best basketball right now.' Pack said that he feels good about his team and said that their perfor-With Wheelwright trailing by four mance against Johns Creek was a pleasure to watch -- even as a coach.

If you have a birthday wish you want to pass along, give us a call here at the Times.

SWEET LOU SAYS... Former Cincinnati Reds manager Lou Piniella says that he decided not to sign again with the Reds for another three years because the club did not offer to pay his legal fees when he had to fight a suit by the umpire association.

Marge said that she did not make the remarks about umpire Ron Darling and wasn't about to fork over her money for attorney fees. Way to go Marge!

The Reds are loaded with campers this spring training. It will be difficult for new manager Tony Perez to fill the 40 man roster from so much talent that is at Plant City.

Big question mark has to be if Tom Browning can come back after missing almost all of last season. Will the Reds look for yet another strong starter just in case? These and other questions will surely be answered during spring training.

The Reds will play their first spring training game March 5 when they face Minnesota at Plant City at 1:05.

WMDJ-FM will have exclusive coverage in Floyd County once the season gets underway. Whether the station carries any Grapefruit League games, we will let you know later.

It will be good to once again sit around the radio at home or tune in a game on the car radio and listen to Marty and Joe describe all the action. I look forward to it.

On the subject of baseball: we need all high school coaches to forward their high school schedules to us as soon as possible. So, coach, if you have made out you schedule, get me a copy in the mail.

Well, until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports. Tournament starts Tuesday night. Be there!

Valley. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Mullins Lady Tigers stun Lady Blackcats, 53-50

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor.

It just wasn't supposed to end that way.

Prestonsburg was the clear favorite entering their game with the Lady Tigers of Mullins in a rare Saturday afternoon game.

The Lady Blackcats were one of the region's better teams. But it was the Lady Tigers that came out on the long end of this game as they shocked the Lady Blackcats with a 53-50 win at Mullins.

It was a come-from-behind win for Mullins as they trailed by as many as 14 points. What was feared by the Prestonsburg coaching staff became a reality.

"We had such an emotional game against Allen Central (Friday night) last night," said Prestonsburg coach Bridget Clay, "that I'm afraid we will suffer an emotional letdown here today."

There was a letdown all right, but not an emotional one. In fact, their first two and a half quarters quarter.

ter when the Lady Blackcats held an 12-7 game and her second trey gave eight-point, 35-27, lead on a layup by Carolyn Reffitt. The lead widened to nine points, 38-29, when Reffitt look impressive as Stephanie Music, drilled a three-pointer. But a breakdown on defense found Misty Haynes started a 9-0 run that netted her team open for Mullins and she buried a a 27-15 advantage. Music hit a shortthree-pointer just ahead of the horn. jumper and Reffitt followed with a Prestonsburg led 40-36 after three.

The momentum stayed Mullins' way as they scored the first four points of the fourth period in the sight of a visibly upset Prestonsburg coach.

line as the Prestonsburg defense suffered some serious breakdown.

Mullins connected on six consecutive free throws to take the lead for good at 43-42 with 4:17 left in the game. Kim Sexton, Haynes and Claudette Gillespie all went to the free-throw line.

Gillespie extended the lead with a layup and then hit two more free throws to complete the 9-0 run.

Prestonsburg was flat and had little execution on offense. Reed broke the scoring drought for Prestonsburg with a 12-foot jumper with 1:21 left to narrow the margin to three points, 47-44.

With 58 seconds left in the game, Reffitt misfired on two charity tosses. Reed's layup with 28 seconds pulled Prestonsburg to within two, 49-47.

Haynes hit four straight from the free-throw line to seal the victory for the Lady Tigers. Reffitt buried a three- six. pointer just ahead of the horn for the final margin of 53-50.

Prestonsburg, after falling behind Prestonsburg looked impressive in 5-1 in the first quarter, rallied back with eight unanswered points to take leading by 12 points in the second a 9-5 lead. Reed scored six of the eight in the spurt. Jamie Clay con-But it all started in the third quar- nected on a three-pointer to make it a Prestonsburg a 15-9 first quarter lead.

The Lady Blackcats continued to who was reinstated on the team, long three-pointer. After a free throw by Kristy Little, Reffitt buried her second trey to complete the 9-0 run.

Prestonsburg led 28-19 but Mullins got back in the game from After Reffitt made it a four-point the free throw-line. Sexton hit two game, 42-38, it was all Mullins after and Stephanie McCray scored on a that. The Lady Tigers ripped off the layup to make it a 28-23 game. Kerrie next nine points as Prestonsburg Merion missed the front-end of a couldn't seem to buy a layup. The bonus shot, but Haynes went to the Lady Tigers stayed at the free-throw stripe and connected on two for

rest of the way without fouling out."

Down the stretch it was Isaac that took the ball in hand and carried the Lady Trojans.

points, 51-47, Isaac buried a threepointer to bring her team to within one point 51-50.

then fired up another trey only to be enjoyed watching." fouled in the process. Isaac was hit all three to put Wheelwright up by two, 53-51.

Mullins with 48 seconds left.

Reed's free throw gave Prestonsburg

to-back layups to open the third quar-

ter as Prestonsburg went up 33-25.

But the Lady Blackcats went cold

from the field and failed to build on

points. The senior forward drilled

four three-pointers in the game and

added nine points and Merion scored

seven. Clay had scored seven of her

Mullins. She only had six points at

the half and scored nine in the third

and fourth quarter to lead the Mullins

12 points and McCray finished with

Gillespie and Sexton each scored

Prestonsburg (7-15) will finish

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their regular season in a home game

against Shelby Valley tomorrow

Reed finished with 11 points.

nine points in the first quarter.

Reffitt led all scorers with 18

Clay, who had two three-pointers,

Haynes tossed in 15 points to lead

Merion and Reffitt scored back-

a 29-25 half-time lead.

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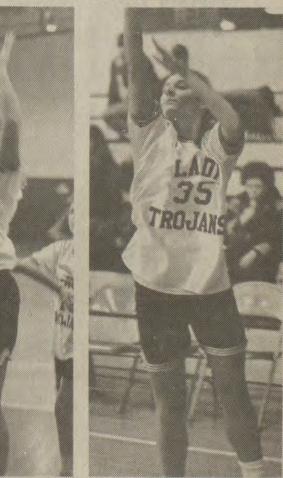
the charity stripe where they con- Creek. nected on one of two shots to make it Thornsbury then slipped underneath for a basket to reclaim the lead for the the locker room at the half.

"It was a very well-played basketball game," he said. "It was the type After a Johns Creek turnover, Isaac of game that was close and you just

Thornsbury scored 14 points for awarded three charity tosses and she the Lady Trojans and Compton added 10 as other double-figure scorers.

Pam Pinson topped all scorers with Wheelwright put Johns Creek at 26 points. Varney added 11 for Johns

Wheelwright led by eight points one-point, 53-52 contest. after the first quarter, 14-6, and held a four-lead point lead as they went to



Isaac tosses in 29

Crystal Isaac scored 29 points to lead the Wheelwright Lady Trojans to a 57-56 win over Johns Creek Monday night. It was the first win of the year for Wheelwright. Isaac hit a three-pointer to bring her team back and then connected on three free throws to give her team the lead. (photo by Chuck Rowe)

Helps lead Lady Trojans in first win

Junior Rhonda Thornsbury scored 14 points to help lead the Wheelwright Lady Trojans to a 57-56 win over the Johns Creek Lady Bearcats. It was Wheelwright's first win of the season. (photo by Chuck Rowe)

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Pikeville places three in double-figures in 88-77 win over Betsy Layne Bobcats

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

The Pikeville Panthers hosted the Betsy Layne Bobcats Friday night in a regional matchup as both teams began to wind down their 1992-93 basketball schedule.

The Bobcats continue to try to right themselves as Pikeville placed four players in double-figures en route to an 88-77 win over Junior Newsome's ballclub. Newsome is the second in wins in the 15th Region with 338 triumphs to Shelby Valley's Bobby Osborne with 445 victories.

The Bobcats continue to play without their point guard, Keith Hamilton, who is out with a knee injury. It is still uncertain if Hamilton will be able to return by district tournament time.

J.P. Blair scored 23 points and Tyrone Mullins added 20 to lead the Panthers past Betsy Layne. John Coats netted 15 points and Steven Kreutzer totaled 12.

Brian Hunter led all scorers with 27 points as the Bobcats also had four players to hit double-figures. Chris Potter had 14 points which included two three-pointers. Jason Newsome, off the bench, added 12 and Barry Clark scored 10.

Pikeville began to pull away from the Bobcats in the second period after the two teams played each other close first period. in the first quarter-and-a-half.

A basket by Derrick Newsome, who had five points for the game, tied the game at 24 early in the second stanza. Layups by Blair and Coats gave Pikeville a 28-24 lead. Potter made it a two-point game with a sixfooter off the right side; but Pikeville then reeled in nine unanswered points to assume a 37-26 lead with 3:13 left in the first half.

Betsy Layne fell behind 39-29 with 2:25 left and Pikeville took their biggest lead of the quarter, 41-29 on a 10-foot jumper by Kreutzer with 2:12 left in the period. The Panthers led 47-37 at the half.

Early in the third period, Pikeville rolled out to a commanding 57-41 lead, their biggest, with 4:17 remaining on the clock in the third period. Betsy Layne rallied with an 8-0 run that narrowed the margin to 11

points with 3:16 left in the third. A free throw and rebound basket by Hunter followed by Jason

game.

The Pikeville bench was whistled for a technical foul; Clark hit one of two and, on the possession, Mark Ousley scored down low to put his team to within eight points, 57-49.

Betsy Layne got as close as six points on a short jumper by Hunter with 2:02 left in the quarter. The Bobcats trailed 63-57 after three guarters.

The Bobcats kept the pressure on Pikeville as Newsome's rebound basket made it a four-point, 63-59 game to start the final quarter.

Betsy Layne played the Panthers close as the lead stayed at six points until Pikeville went on a 6-0 run that netted them an 85-74 lead. Potter hit his second three-pointer and Blair duplicated the feat for the final 88-77 score.

The Bobcats led for most of the first quarter holding a seven-point, 18-11 lead at one point. Pikeville caught them at 22 and took a 24-22 first quarter lead on a layup by Blair as time expired.

Betsy Layne's first lead came at 7-6 on Derrick Newsome's three-point basket. After being tied at 11, Betsy Layne scored on a three-pointer by Pottter, Hunter's two free throws and Clark's layup for a 18-11 lead. Betsy Layne's last lead came at 22-20 in the

Betsy Layne falls to 10-15 on the season. It was the fourth consecutive loss for the Bobcats and their ninth in their last 10 games.

The Bobcats will close out their regular season this Friday night with Senior Night as they host the Shelby Valley Wildcats.

Betsy Layne, who finished fifth in the Floyd County Conference for the second straight year, will face

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Newwome's layup made it a 57-46 McDowell in the first round of the 58th District Tournament that gets underway next Tuesday night at Prestonsburg.

> The Bobcats hope to be able to duplicate last year's feat by being the surprise team in the tournament. They are the defending district champions.

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11players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Hunter	12	0	4-3	27
Tackett	1	0	2-1	3
Potter	3	2	2-2	14
D. Newsome	1	1	0-0	5
Clark	4	0	4-2	10
Ousley	3	0	0-0	6
Newsome	4	0	7-4	12
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players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Blair	7	2	5-3	23
Kruetzer	5	0	2-2	12
Mullins	8	0	4-4	20
Coats	6	0	3-3	15
Blair	1	0	0-0	2
Wallen	2	0	0-0	4
Joplin	3	0	2-2	8

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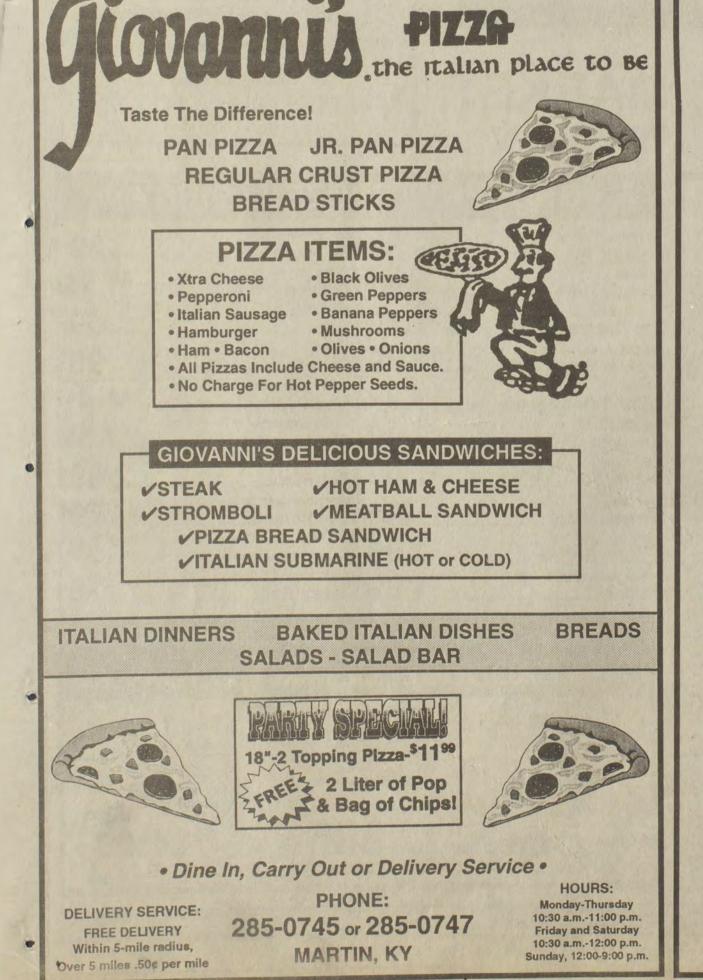
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Salyers spoils Trojan homecoming; 3 FTs add up to 54-52 loss

by Ed Taylor **Sports Editor**

Whenever a highly regarded and ranked team like the Elkhorn City Cougars comes into town to help you celebrate your school's homecoming, you want to make it a banner show with a big win.

A large crowd packed the Wheelwright gymnasium Friday night to take part in the Trojans final homecoming activities. Miss Chesa Conn was crowned Miss Homecoming 1993 between games Friday night. Conn was escorted by Steven Shelton.

For the Wheelwright Trojans, the game in all respects was theirs. They had it won. Many had already put a Pack's "pack". The victory celebration had already begun, but there was still one second left on the clock even though the Trojans had the lead.

Before a packed Wheelwright gym Brett Salyers toed the charity stripe with just one second left on the clock and calmly, despite a time-out, sank 49. three consecutive free throws to give Elkhorn City a 54-52 win over a charged-up Wheelwright squad.

defeat for the Trojans left the Wheelwright faithful all charged-up and even caused some fans to want to charge at the departing officials.

fourth quarter when All-State candi-

Oden at point guard!

Every team needs a capable point guard. The Wheelwright Trojans have one in Muntu Oden, who gives the Trojans a lot of help on the boards, also. Oden scored six points against Elkhorn City Friday night but the Trojans fell 54-52. (photo by Ed Taylor)

But the call that spelled eventualy

The scene unfolded late in the

"w" in the win column for Jackie date Todd Conley tipped in a missed standing two feet on the opposite side shot to break a 48-48 tie and give his team a two point lead at 50-48 with

less than 30 seconds left in the game. Brian Johnson was fouled with 24 seconds left on the clock, but Johnson could only connect on one of the two free throws to cut the margin to 50-

After the made free throw, Wheelwright went to their full-court press where John Hall fouled Conley, although Greg Johnson seemed to have made a clean steal of the ball.

Conley hit the first of two with 20 seconds left to give Elkhorn a 51-49 lead. With plenty of time left, Wheelwright set for their final shot. From the right corner, Greg Johnson let the ball fly from the three-point circle, only to have the ball bounce off the rim into the waiting hands of Brian Johnson. Johnson then spotted Greg Johnson at the top of the key, fanned the ball out to the senior forward who buried a three-pointer with two seconds left to give Wheelwright a 52-51 lead as the sound in the gym was deafening. By the time Elkhorn City called time-out, one second remained in the game.

Elkhorn had to bring the basketball the length of the court and had just one tick of the clock to get the ball in and a shot off.

Thinking that Conley would take the desperation shot, the Trojans had him covered. The ball instead came into the hands of Salyers who was

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Conley	9	1	11-7	28
Salyers	3	0	9-7	13
Hall	2	0	0-0	4
Crum	1	0	0-0	2
Taylor	1	0	4-2	4
Bailiff	0	1	1-0	3

VHEELWRIGHT (52)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Shelton	Ő	2	2-2	8
Oden	2	0	4-2	6
Hall	3	0	2-0	6
G. Johnson	2	3	4-3	16
B. Johnson	5	0	0-0	10
C. Johnson	2	0	2-2	6

ELKHORN	9	18	10	17	- 54	
WWRIGHT	11	12	14	15	- 52	

of his goal when he received the ball.

Salyers turned upon receiving the ball, set the desperation shot in the air. The ball fell far short of its mark. However, at the mid-court line, Greg Johnson was whistled for a foul as he went for a block of the shot. Salvers was awarded three attempts from the free-throw line. The senior guard netted all three for the win, much to the disbelief of the Wheelwright fans.

Many spectators felt it was a nocall and should have been disregarded. Wheelwright struggled in the first

half, but came back in the second and looked like a team that was getting it all together.

Mental mistakes and unforced turnovers plagued the Trojans in the first half. They had 16 first half turnovers.

Elkhorn City took a 30-23 lead into the third quarter but a short jumper by Muntu Oden, a threepointer from Greg Johnson and Brian Johnson's four-foot jumper tied the game at 30-30. Elkhorn led 33-30 on Conley's free throw and Salyers' layup. Conley and Salyers combined for four points to give Elkhorn City a 37-32 advantage. But the lead was short-lived. Charles Johnson scored on a basket underneath and Greg Johnson drilled a three-pointer just ahead of the horn. The game was tied after three quarters.

Wheelwright caught the Cougars in the fourth when Steven Shelton hit a trey that tied the game at 44-44 with 3:57 remaining.

The Cougars led 46-44 on a layup by Conley, but Oden connected on two free throws from the charity stipe to tie the game at 46.

It was Wheelwright's turn to take a two point lead as Shelton hit two from the free-thow line following a Cougar turnover. The Trojans led 48-46 with 2:21 left. Oden had a chance to add to the lead but missed on the front-end of a bonus shot. Conley hit a eight-footer to tie the contest at 48.

With 51 seconds left in the game, Ethan Taylor missed two big free throws and Oden grabbed the rebound. Again, Oden was fouled and again he missed the first of the bonus with 50 seconds left.

Elkhorn also found the free-throw line unfriendly as Salyers and Jeff Bailiff missed front-ends of bonus shots. Then came Conley's tip in on

the missed attempt.

Wheelwright led 11-9 after one period and trailed by four, 27-23, at the half.

Greg Johnson scored 16 points for the Trojans to lead them. The only double-figure scorer for Wheelwright was Brian Johnson with 10 points. Shelton added eight with Oden and John Hall scoring six each. Charles Johnson also scored six.

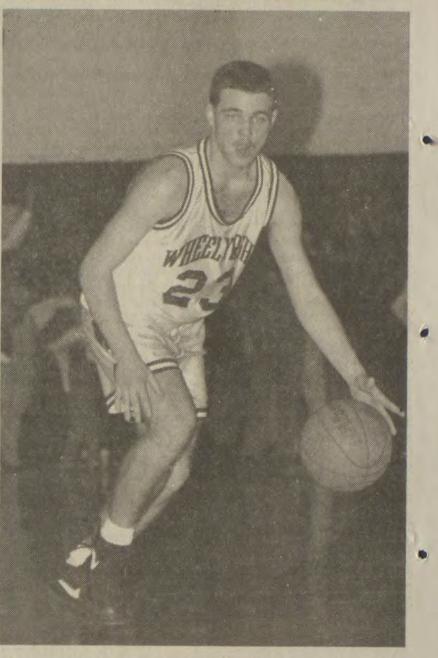
Conley's 28 points led all scorers with 28 points. Salyers finished with Friday night (Senior Night) to close 13 as the only other double-figure out their regular season.

scorer for Elkhorn.

Free throw shooting made a difference for the Cougars. They attempted 25 charity tosses and hit 16. Wheelwright hit nine of 14, but some of those misses were the front-end of bonus shots.

Wheelwright drops to 11-15 on the season, losing for the second straight time.

The Trojans will entertain Millard



Valuable reserve for Trojans!

Wheelwright's Charles Johnson is a valuable player off the bench for the Trojans. Johnson scored six points against Elkhorn City Friday night in a 54-52 loss to the Cougars. (photo by Ed Taylor)



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Blackcats post 57-52 win over Mullins

by Ed Taylor **Sports Editor**

You can tell it is almost tournament time as the regular season enters its final week and teams are jockeying to find some momentum heading into "March Madness".

Coaches are looking for anything to get their teams motivated to play better basketball or to just continue their present level of play.

In a rare Saturday afternoon showdown at Mullins High School, the Prestonsburg Blackcats took their act on the road and found that more than tempers flared at this one. A full cup of beverage came sailing out of the Mullins' cheering section, interrupting the game. The guilty party was escorted out of the gym for his little escapade.

From the Mullins' bench came vocal protests as tempers began to surface. Coach Joe Marson was called for two technical fouls that contributed to his team's 57-52 loss to the an eight-foot jumper and Ryan Ortega Blackcats.

Both technical fouls came late in the fourth quarter with Mullins trailing by just three points, 48-45. Cory Reitz toed the charity stripe and drilled four consecutive free throws to send

Prestonsburg out to a 52-45 lead.

After Bud Burnette's free throw, a basket by Aaron Tucker and Chris Burke's free throw gave Prestonsburg a nine-point lead at 55-46. Tucker canned two more charity tosses for a 57-49 lead. Mullins scored the final three points of the game on a layup by Shane West and Burnette's free throw.

Prestonsburg found themselves in trouble against the scrappy Mullins team, who two weeks ago upset Shelby Valley in regional play. The Tigers were making another bid for an upset as they led by eight points, 45-37, early in the final period.

Mullins took a nine-point lead, 44-35, into the fourth, but a basket by Tucker cut the lead to seven until Roberts' free throw made it a ninepoint game.

Mullins went cold from the charity stripe as Tucker's three-point basket started a 15-0 run by the Blackcats that netted them the 52-45 lead.

Burke followed Tucker's trey with scored on a layup to pull Prestonsburg to within one point. The Blackcats took the lead for good, 46-45, on Reitz two free throws.

Tucker had a rebound basket just before the two technical fouls were

called.

Mullins led throughout the first to the locker room. three quarters as they scrapped their way through three-quarters of the game.

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Reitz	1	Õ	10-9	11
Burke	3	0	4-2	8
Ratliff	1	0	0-0	2
Tucker	5	1	5-4	17
Fitzer	2	0	1-0	4
Damron	0	2	0-0	6
Ortega	2	0	3-3	7
Whitt	1	0	0-0	2

MULLINS (52)

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West	5	Ō	2-0	10
Burnette	1	0	6-2	4
Carter	0	3	0-0	9
Edmunds	4	0	3-1	9
Stump	2	0	2-2	6
Sparks	3	0	0-0	6
Gibson	1	0	0-0	2
Roberts	1	1	2-1	6

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Friends now....

Floyd County coaches and principals gathered at the board room for final seeding in next week's tournament. They are friends now but on the basketball court it will be every team for themselves when the 58th District basketball tournament gets underway. (photo by Ed Taylor)

period and took a 28-21 halftime lead

The score was tied once in the first period at 10-10 on a layup by Burke. David Edmunds had give the Tigers The Tigers led 14-10 after the first a 3-0 lead at the onset and the Tigers led 7-4 on a rebound basket by Ed tump

> Matt Carter's three-pointer made 10-6 before Prestonsburg tied the ame on layups by Burke and Joe Vhitt.

> West had a layup and Stump's two ee throws made it 14-10 after one uarter.

The Tigers got easy shots against e Blackcats at the start of second uarter and scored the first six points on a Sparks layup, a rebound basket by Brad Gibson and West layup to take a 20-10 lead.

Back-to-back three-pointers by Sean Damron got Prestonsburg back into the game at 22-17; but the Tigers scored the next two baskets to lead 26-17.

Sparks field goal made it 28-19 and Eric Fitzer's basket underneath gave the 28-21 halftime lead.

Mullins continued their good play

as they raced to a 10 point, 33-23 lead early in the third period. But Tuckers field goal, a Reitz free throw and a layup by Fitzer narrow the margin to five, 33-28.

Prestonsburg pulled to within four, 39-35 on Ortega's two free throws. But a layup by West, and Roberts three-pointer gave the Tigers a 44-35 lead after three quarters.

Only two players scored in double figures for Prestonsburg led by Tucker's 17 points. Reitz finished with 11 and Burke added eight.

Ortega tossed in seven and Damron netted six points.

West led Mullins with 10 points with Carter and Edmunds tossing in nine each. Carter had three treys in the game. Stump, Sparks and Roberts had six each.

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The Cincinnati Reds recently unveiled their new uniforms at a recent press confernce. Hal Morris, left, wears the new road uniform the Reds will wear while Reggie Sanders displays the home uniform. Reds owner Marge Schott, center, is proud of them both — the uniform that is. (photo courtesy of Paintsville Herald)

Brown "bombs" Millard as Lady Rebels roll, 71-62

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

With an ailing Staci Moore, the Allen Central Lady Rebels rode the hot-shooting hand of junior Marsha Brown to a 51-46 win over a much improved Millard Lady Mustang team last Thursday night at Allen Central.

Millard coach Cindy Adkins has taken a program, which four years ago was really struggling, and molded it into a very competitive regional team.

Moore has been injured the last two games for Allen Central, but she continues to play. It was very noticeable that Moore did not have the lateral movement she once possessed and was passing up shots she normally takes.

"We don't know just how serious it is," said Allen Central coach Bonita Compton, "but it was easy to see tonight that she was hurting."

Millard, who came into Thursday night's contest with a 12-11 record, gave the Lady Rebels all they wanted. But Coach Compton said at this stage "you cannot take any team lightly."

"Millard has a good team," she said. "We're going to play them one at a time. This was a good team we played tonight."

points to cut the Allen Central lead down to six, 63-57, but there was Brown again with her sixth threepointer and the Lady Rebels were never threatened again.

Millard overcame a 6-2, Allen Central lead in the first quarter and raced out to an 11-6 advantage after the first quarter.

Allen Central regrouped and after trailing 13-6 on a basket by Bartley, the Lady Rebels ran off the next eight points to assume a 14-13 lead. Bartley's basket and free throw put Millard back on top as the lead seesawed through the second quarter.

Allen Central trailed 22-20 in the final minute of the first half but two free throws by Jennifer Mullins and Moore's first three-pointer gave the Lady Rebels a 25-22 lead at the half.

Brown scored 21 points to lead the Lady Rebs. Wiley, who played a strong floor game at point-guard, added 17 and Moore finished with 11. McKinney, despite early foul trouble, netted eight points. Bailey chipped in with seven, but she played a strong defensive game as well as working the boards.

Robinson scored three with Mullins and Stumbo scoring two each. Angie Coleman helped lead a bal-

anced Millard attack with 14 points. Bartley and May also finished with 14 each. Gena Coleman scored eight and Slone had six. Little tossed in four with Thacker scoring one. The loss evens Millard's record at 12. The Lady Rebels won for the 17th time against only six losses.

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While Millard stayed close, it was the long-range bombing of Brown that finally did the Lady Mustangs in. Brown finished with six three-pointers for the game but five of them came in the final two quarters at a time when her team needed a boost.

Allen Central was clinging to a slim three-point, 25-22, lead at the half in what was a low-scoring affair for both clubs.

After a layup from Gina May cut Allen Central's lead down to four, Brown drilled a three-pointer early in the third period that made it a sevenpoint game.

Again, when Millard threatened again, Brown buried another trey to keep the margin at six. Jenny Wiley scored on a jumper and Allen Central had their biggest lead at the time, 38-30.

Angie Coleman, who really had a hard time in the first half, hit her first trey and a three-point play by May cut the margin to two points, 38-36. Coleman, who leads the Lady Mustangs in scoring with a 20-plus average, was held to just a free throw in the first half. But Compton credited her center for that figure.

"I give the credit to Veronica (McKinney) for the defense that she played on Coleman."

McKinney was in early foul trouble in the early going of the first half and had to retire to the bench. With McKinney out of the game, Coleman burned the nets for 15 points in the second half to lead a Millard comeback.

A Barley rebound basket made it a 40-38 ball game in the third, but Allen Cental began to look like the team that many fans knew they were and ran off eight unanswered points for a 10-point, 48-38 lead.

Allen Central took their biggest lead at 53-41 on a three-point basket by Brown. Angie Coleman hit her second just ahead of the horn as the lead went to nine, 53-44.

Brown's trey early in the final stanza gave Allen Central a 60-47 advantage and her three-pointer was the first of four straight that would be scored. Kenetha Slone connected on a trey after Brown's, and Wiley got her first following Slone's. Coleman then drilled her third of the game after Wiley's.

Millard scored seven consecutive

Allen Central completes their regular season schedule with a home game tomorrow night against the Lady Pirates of Belfry.

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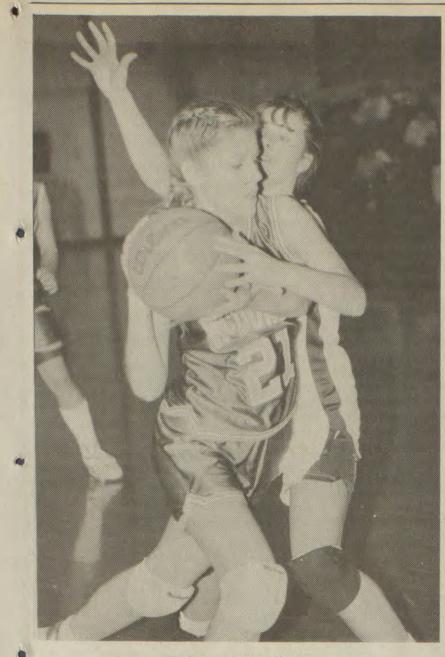
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Drives baseline!

McDowell's Michelle Hall drives the baseline against Pikeville's Laura Sohn Monday night at Pikeville. Hall scored 15 points to help the Lady Daredevils to a 59-47 win over the Lady Panthers. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Lady Daredevils win over Wheelwright Lady Trojans

Chuck Rowe Sports Writer

The McDowell Lady Daredevils traveled to Wheelwright Thursday night as they faced the Lady Trojans in the last regular season meeting between the two schools.

Michelle Hall and Shelby Howell each scored 14 points as the Lady Daredevils defeated the Lady Trojans 55-30. Wheelwright's Krystal Isaac led her team with 15 points.

Wheelwright took the early 2-0 lead on a basket by Isaac with 6:00 on the clock. McDowell went on a sixpoint run as they took their first lead, 6-2, with 1:44 left. Back-to-back baskets by Wheelwright's Rhonda Thornsbury and Isaac ended the scoring in the first quarter. The Trojans :17 on the clock. A basket by McDowell's Kristi Mullins extended the Devil lead back to 17 points, 28-11, ending the first half.

Back-to-back baskets by Howell and Hall opened the third quarter with the Devils extending their lead out to 32-11 with 7:00 left. Following a basket by Wheelwright's Tiffany Compton, McDowell scored on two free throws by Howell and a basket by Nikki Mullins as they took a 36-23 lead with 5:00 remaining in the third quarter. Two free throws by Wheelwright's Isaac cut the lead to 11 points, 36-15, with 3:34 left in the third quarter. Two free throws by Susan Stephens and a free throw by Chrystal Newsome extended the McDowell lead out to 39-15 with 1:35 left. Following a basket by Wheelwright's Compton, McDowell scored on back-to-back baskets by

Martin, Clark lead Betsy Layne past Johns Creek

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

The Lady Cats of Betsy Layne snapped a modest two-game losing streak with a 60-42 win over the Lady Bearcats of Johns Creek behind the combined efforts of Misty Clark and Dee Dee Martin.

The sophomore and junior combined for 31 points to lead Betsy Layne to their thirteenth victory of the season. Martin tossed in 16 and Clark added 15 in a game that saw 10 players score for Betsy Layne.

The Lady Cats improved to 13-11 overall.

It wasn't even close after the first three minutes of the game as Betsy Layne scored the first eight points en route to a 22-10 first quarter lead.

Betsy Layne, in fine tuning themselves for the upcoming district tournament next week, put forth a strong effort defensively, but the Lady Bearcats stayed in the game at the free-throw line.

Had it not been for the charity stripe, the Lady Bearcats would have suffered a worse embarrassment. Johns Creek went to the free-throw line 34 times connecting on 19. Pam Pinson, who led Johns Creek with 20 points, hit 14 of 20 attempts.

Betsy Layne shot 22 free throws, connecting on only nine.

Betsy Layne led by 10 points at the end of the first half and held a 15point advantage after three quarters of play.

The biggest lead for Betsy Layne came in the fourth period when they raced out to a 60-37 lead on the strength of a 9-0 run. In the spurt, Betsy Layne struggled at the freethrow line or things could have been worse for the Lady Bearcats.

Johns Creek cut into the large Betsy Layne lead early in the fourth period. Pinson led the charge, scoring 10 points. Johns Creek trailed 44-33 before Betsy Layne made their run.

Betsy Layne completes their regular season this weekend when they host two of the region's top teams. The Sheldon Clark Cardinals will

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visit the D.W. Howard Fieldhouse Thursday night and the always-tough Belfry Lady Pirates come calling Saturday night.

The Lady Cats (13-11) will face an improved McDowell Lady Daredevil (7-12) team in the first round of the 58th District Tournament on Friday night.

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Martin	6	0	5-4	16
Clark	6	1	1-0	15
Keathley	1	0	0-0	2
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Clark	1	0	2-1	3
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tied the game at six heading into the second quarter.

McDowell scored on a basket by Hall and a free throw by Howell as they took a 9-6 lead with 6:03 left in the first half. Following two free throws by Wheelwright's Thornsbury, McDowell recorded back-to-back baskets by Howell and Kristi Mullins as they took a 13-8 lead with 3:35 left. After two missed free throws, McDowell went on a 13-0 run, behind six points by Howell, as they took a 26-8 lead with :50 left before halftime. A basket by Wheelwright's Jenny Meade and a free throw by Thornsbury cut the lead to 26-11 with

Hall as they took a 43-17 lead with :25 on the clock. A basket by Wheelwright's Thornsbury ended the quarter, cutting the lead to 43-19 going into the final quarter.

The Lady Daredevils went on a 8-1 run opening the fourth quarter as they took a 51-20 lead with 5:20 left. An Isaac three-pointer cut the Devil lead to 51-23 with 4:24 left in the game. Wheelwright cut the lead to 54-29 on a 6-1 run, behind five points by Isaac, with 1:20 left in the game. An exchange of free throws ended the game with the Devils taking the 55-30 victory.

"Now here is the way I see it!" Prestonsburg's Kerrie Merion and referee Wendell Wallen discuss the game between Prestonsburg and Mullins Saturday afternoon. Wallen was a close listener but Merion saw it his way. Prestonsburg lost to

Mullins. (photo by Ed Taylor)



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McDowell Lady Daredevils defeat Pikeville

by Ed Taylor **Sports Editor**

McDowell's Kristy Mullins did something that her coach, Jimmy Hopkins, has been telling her she could do -- drive the lane.

Mullins took charge in the fourth quarter and did exactly that in scoring eight fourth quarter points to help the Lady Daredevils shake a stubborn Pikeville team and record a 59-47 win over the Lady Panthers.

The victory Monday night at Pikeville was McDowell's fifth in their last seven games. The Lady Daredevils improved to 11-15 on the year after an 1-8 start.

Mullins led the Lady Daredevils in scoring with 16 points. Michelle Hall tossed in 15 and Susan Stephens added 10.

Sandy Ford, the state's leading female scorer, entered the game averaging just over 30 points per game. She missed her average this game by scoring 25 points. Ford was in early foul trouble and had to sit on the bench much of the game.

It was defense that kept Pikeville at bay, something Coach Hopkins believes in.

"Our defense was more aggressive tonight," he said. "But our defense has been good all year. It has been our defense that has kept us going."

The Lady Daredevils turned up their defense in the second quarter and limited the Lady Panthers to only three second quarter points.

"Our defense picked us up in the second quarter," explained Hopkins. "I think they came in here awed by Sandy Ford and her scoring average. But after the first quarter they started playing defense."

McDowell had trouble getting any breathing room against Pikcville until the fourth quarter.

Leading 39-37 after three quarters, a three-point basket by Stephens and a free throw by Mullins gave

McDowell their biggest lead to that point, 43-37. After Ford scored on a layup,

McDowell ran off 10 consecutive points, led by Mullins and Hall, to take a 53-39 lead.

Hall took a great assist from Mullins and scored on a layup. Hall then made a steal of the ball and went in solo for a 47-39 score. Mullins hit a four-footer and then canned an eightfooter to give McDowell the 51-39 advantage. Nikki Mullins rebound basket completed the 10-0 run.

Pikeville went over five minutes in the fourth quarter before they scored again and that came on a the back-side of a two-shot foul by Ford with 2:53 left in the game. Julie Freeland scored a layup off of a McDowell turnover and Ford hit a three-pointer for a 6-0 run by Pikeville that narrowed the lead to eight, 53-45.

Mulliins hit a free throw and Shelby Howell scored on a rebound basket to send McDowell back out by 11 points, 56-45. Two free throws by Nikki Mullins and two from Stephens accounted for the final four points of the game.

Pikeville held a surprisingly 17-5 first quarter lead as McDowell, who scored the games first four points, could not buy a basket thereafter. Hall and Nikki Mullins put the Daredevils on top, but Pikeville went on a 17-1 spurt that netted them the lead.

It was all McDowell in the second period as they turned up the defense. Pikeville had many problems with the trapping zone of McDowell as they switched defenses.

To add to the woes of the Lady

Panthers, Ford picked up her third personal foul with 4:23 remaining, and she was relegated to the bench.

Pikeville led 18-9, but McDowell went on a 9-0 run to tie the game at 18. Stacy Shepherd, off the bench, hit a eight-foot jumper and then Ford fouled Hall who canned two free throws. Kristy Mullins grabbed a rebound and stuck it back in for a 18-15 game.

With 3:10 left in the half, Hall scored on a layup and Shepherd tied the game by hitting the front-end of a two-shot foul.

After Kathy Joe Stumbo missed from the charity stripe, Freeland gave the lead back to Pikeville on a short jumper. McDowell scored the final five points on a three-pointer by Stephens and her layup off of a steal. McDowell led 23-20 at the half.

Ford started the second half and immediately scored and Jamie McKenzie hit a 16-foot shot that gave Pikeville a 24-23 lead.

The lead started to go back and forth. The game was tied at 24, 26, 28 and 30 before Pikeville took a 33-30 lead on Ford's three-point basket.

Ford picked up her fourth personal foul with 2:36 left in the game. Hall hit a turnaround jumper and Kristy Mullins scored on a layup as McDowell took a 34-33 lead.

Beth Boyd tied the game at 37-37 with two free throws with 50 seconds left in the third. Kristy Mullins two charity tosses gave McDowell the lead at 39-37 after three quarters.

"This was a good win for us," said Hopkins. "It is a good momentum builder for us. Hopefully, we can play strong against Jenkins (Thurs-

NOTICE OF **INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant To Application**

836-5273, Amendment No. 1 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Richardson Fuel, Inc., 16232 US Route 23, Catlettsburg, KY 41129 has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining operation and reclamation operation located 0.6 miles west of Hueysville in Floyd County. The amendment will add 4.80 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 0.00 acres making a total area of 802.70 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.3 miles East from Saylers Branch Road junction with SR 7 and located 0.07 South of Saitlick Creek. The latitude is 37º 29' 39". The longitude is 82º 51' 07".

day night)."

Every team needs a good assistant who is an observer of the game and Melinda Hopkins is one. Hopkins gives attention to the little things that happen on the floor and Coach Hopkins says that is a big help.

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PIKEVILLE (47)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Ford	8	1	4-3	25
Kelly	1	0	0-0	2
Norman	0	1	0-0	3
Sohn	1	0	2-1	3
McKenzie	3	0	0-0	6
Freeland	2	0	0-0	4
Boyd	1	0	2-2	4

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"She does a great job of picking up the little things out there," he said. "She observes their defense and if a player will drop down in the middle or if two players go both ways ...little things like that a coach doesn't have time to look for."

McDowell (11-15) closes out the regular season Thursday night before they face Betsy Layne next week in the district tournament.



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Nikki Mullins of McDowell brings the ball upcourt after stealing the basketball against Pikeville Monday night. Mullins had four blocked shots in the game as McDowell won their fifth game in the last seven with a 59-47 win over Pikeville. (photo by Ed Taylor)

The proposed amendment is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by Chester Neeley and James Martin Heirs. The amendment will affect an area within 100 feet of public road State Route No. 7 Road. The amendment will not involve relocation of the public road.

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Lady Rebels defeat Lady Blackcats

Chuck Rowe Sports Writer

had already clinched the conference championship and had an unblemished record in the conference, going into Friday night's match-up. The the scoring of the third quarter with Rebels were traveling to Prestons- the Rebels leading 41-32. burg to take on the Lady Blackcats in the last girls' conference game of the regular season.

Marsha Brown hit four of the five three-pointers for Allen Central as she led her Rebels with 16 points in their 60-55 victory over the homestanding Blackcats. Prestonsburg's Amy Reed scored the game's high 22 points for the Blackcats.

After an exchange of baskets opened the game, Prestonsburg took a three-point lead, 5-2, on a free throw by Carolyn Reffitt and on a basket by Christy Little with 4:02 left. Allen Central took their first lead of the game, 7-5, on back-to-back baskets by Marsha Brown and Angela Bailey and a free throw by Jenny Wiley with 3:01 on the clock. A three-pointer by Prestonsburg's Kerry Merion gave the lead back to the Blackcats, 8-7, with 1:33 remaining. A three-pointer by Staci Moore and a two-pointer by Bailey took Allen Central out to a 12-8 lead at the end of the first quarter.

Following an exchange of points that kept the Rebel lead at four points, 14-10, Allen Central scored on a threepoint play by Wiley and on a threepointer by Brown as they extended their lead to 20-10 with 4:47 on the clock.

Prestonsburg went on an 11-0 run as the three-pointers started for the Blackcats. Prestonsburg's Jamie Clay started the run with a three-pointer with 4:27 remaining. Amy Reed hit a two-pointer that was followed by back-to-back three-pointers as she gave her Blackcats a 21-20 lead with 2:23 left. Allen Central took the lead back, 23-21, on a three-pointer by Brown with 2:09 left on the clock. After a free throw by Prestonsburg's Amy Reed, Allen Central ended the first half on back-to-back baskets by Veronica McKinney and Jennifer Mullins as they took a 27-22 lead into halftime.

Back-to-back baskets by Little and Reed cut the Rebel lead to one point, 27-26, with 5:57 on the clock. A three-pointer by Allen Central's Brown extended their lead back out to four points, 30-26, with 5:43 left. Following a basket by Prestonsburg's Reed, Allen Central recorded backto-back baskets by Wiley and Moore as they took their lead out to six points, 34-28, with 3:13 remaining.

four points on her basket with 2:58 left in the third quarter. A basket by The Allen Central Lady Rebels McKinney and a three-pointer by Brown extended the Rebel lead out to nine points, 39-30, with 1:15 on the clock. An exchange of baskets ended

> Prestonsburg's Merion cut the lead to six points, 41-35, on her threepointer early in the fourth quarter. Allen Central went on an 8-0 run as they took their biggest lead of the game at 49-35 with 2:55 remaining. Prestonsburg's Clay cut the lead to 11 points, 49-38, with 2:40 remaining in the game. Following a basket by Allen Central's McKinney, Prestonsburg scored on a three-pointer by Clay and

Prestonsburg's Little cut the lead to on a basket by Merion that cut the lead to 51-43 with 1:24 on the clock. Two free throws by Wiley extended the Allen Central lead back to 10 points, 53-43, with 1:21 left.

> A three-pointer by Prestonsburg's Reed cut the lead to seven points, 53-46, with 1:15 left. Two free throws each by Allen Central's Moore and Wiley extended their lead back out to 11 points, 57-46. A three-pointer by Prestonsburg's Reffitt cut the lead to 57-49 with :40 left in the game. Following two free throws by Brown, Prestonsburg's Reffitt hit back-toback three-pointers as she cut the lead to 59-55 with :07 remaining in the game. A free throw by Allen Central's Bailey secured the Allen Central victory.

Lady Eagles defeat Betsy Layne Lady Bobcats, 86-40

Chuck Rowe Sports Writer

The Betsy Layne Lady Bobcats traveled to Johnson County Monday night as they faced the Johnson Central Lady Eagles.

The Lady Eagles came out on fire as they stunned the Lady Bobcats 86-40 behind 21 points by Samantha Blevins. Betsy Layne was led in scoring by Dee Martin and Jessica Hamilton. They tossed in nine points each.

opened the game, Johnson Central took the lead, 6-2, on two free throws by Blevins and on a basket by Jennifer Oaks with 4:26 on the clock. A free throw by Betsy Layne's Hamilton cut the lead to three points, 6-3, with 4:15 left. A basket by Blevins and a free throw by Amy Castle extended the Eagle lead out to 9-3 with 3:39 left in the first quarter.

Following a basket by Betsy Layne's Martin that cut the lead to 9-5, Johnson Central went on an 8-0 run extending their lead to 17-5 with 1:49 left. A free throw by Betsy Layne's Missy Johnson cut the lead to 17-6 with 1:39 left in the first quarter. An exchange of points kept the Eagle lead at 11 points, 19-8, with :54 left. Back-to-back baskets by Johnson Central's Oaks and Lorna Salyer extended their lead to 23-8 at the end of the first quarter.

Layne went on a six-point run, be- 86-40 victory.

hind three points each by Christy Johnson and Hamilton, cutting the lead to 12 points, 30-18, with 4:55 left. Following an exchange of baskets, Johnson Central went on a 12-0 run that expanded their lead to 44-20 heading into halftime.

An exchange of baskets by Johnson Central's Tonya Lewis and Betsy Layne's Rhonda Conn kept the Eagle lead at 24 points, 46-22, with only :49 running off the clock. A basket by Johnson Central's Blevins After an exchange of baskets that extended their lead out to 48-22 with 6:18 on the clock. Betsy Layne cut the lead back to 24 points on a basket. by Hamilton with 5:39 left. Johnson Central went on an 18-0 run, behind eight points by Blevins and four points by Tonya Lewis, ending the quarter and taking a 66-24 lead into the fourth quarter.

Back-to-back baskets by Betsy Layne's Martin and Conn cut the lead to 66-28 with 7:05 on the clock. An exchange of baskets kept the Eagle lead at 38 points, 70-32, with 3:45 left in the game. A basket by Johnson Central's Robin Music gave the Eagles a 72-32 lead with 3:30 on the clock. A three-point play by Betsy Lavne's Yates cut the lead to 72-35 with 3:19 left. Central went on a 6-0 run and extended their lead to 72-35 with 2:00 remaining. Following a free throw by Betsy Layne's Heather Keathley, Johnson Central took their After an exchange of points kept largest lead of the game at 46 points, the Eagle lead at 15 points, 26-11, 82-36, on back-to-back baskets by Johnson Central went on a 4-1 run Music and Shannon Brown with 1:15 extending their lead to 30-12 with left. An exchange of baskets ended 5:45 remaining in the first half. Betsy the game with the Eagles taking the

Prestonsburg shakes earlier loss to defeat Lady Bulldogs, 43-31

by Ed Taylor **Sports Editor**

The Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats were trying to forget about their poor performance against Mullins Saturday afternoon so they figured that the best thing to do was to go out and defeat the Lady Bulldogs of Lawrence County.

So, they did. Carolyn Refitt scored 17 points to lead Prestonsburg to a 43-31 win over Lawrence County in a game that coach Bridget Clay labeled as a different one from Mullins.

"You wouldn't believe the difference in the way they played," the pleased coach stated. "We looked a lot better than at Mullins Saturday. The kids seemed to be more into the game, more intense and in position. They were impressive."

Reffitt came forward and showed the senior leadership that the Lady Blackcats have been needing as of late.

"Carolyn had an outstanding game for us," Clay said. "She just took over the game. Before the game started I told the Lawrence County coach that there is a girl that can play with anybody. After the game she said, 'I believe you'."

In scoring 17 points, Reffitt was five for seven from the two-point range and hit one of four from the three-point circle. She pulled down seven rebounds during the game, with five coming in the first quarter.

But Clary was quick to point out that not only was it the offensive play of her team, but also the defensive play, that held Lawrence County to 31 points. The play of Raquel Cain was a big factor.

"She has been sick and didn't play against Mullins, but she played a very strong defensive game for us," said Clay. "We caused Lawrence County to turn the ball over and we then turned those into points. That was part of our game plan and it worked."

Melissa Marcum led all scorers with 20 points. Marcum drew the praise of the Prestonsburg coach.

"She is one fine basketball player," said Clay. "She's just a junior and can play the game."

Melinda Ratliff added seven points for the Lady Bulldogs with Karne



Hutchinson and Amy Hall scoring two each.

Amy Reed finsished with eight points for Prestonsburg. Kerri Merion added six. Cain, Stephanie Music and Kristy Little each scored four points.

"Now, we want to get ready for the tournament," said Clay. "We play Shelby Valley Thursday night and that will be a good test for us just before the tournament."

Prestonsburg improves to 8-15 on the season and will conclude their regular season schedule Thursday night.



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Three record triple-doubles in McDowell's win at Feds Creek

by Ed Taylor **Sports Editor**

The fact that the McDowell Daredevils are playing better basketball may not be impressive to the rest of the teams in the 58th District; but for head coach Johnny Ray Turner it is. Moore each had the triple-doubles. Turner is very pleased with the way ward tournament time.

Wheelwright Trojan alumni and

fans gathered at the school's gymna-

sium this past Friday night to crown

the final homecoming queen ever at

Miss Chesa Conn, escorted by

Steven Shelton, was selected from

five lovely young ladies who com-

peted for the title for the final time.

Conn was crowned at mid court by

last year's queen, Jennifer Miller, and took her place to reign as the 1993

Wheelwright High School basketball

lic address and welcomed all former

students, teachers, players as well as

band, under the direction of Dennis

Barkley, played the school song, the

Trojan faithful lifted their voices to

Former players and cheerleaders

"This group will long be remem-

were introduced at the gathering as well as this year's senior class.

bered as the last homecoming court

of Wheelwright High School," said Smallwood, just before introducing

the court to the crowd.

Keith Smallwood handled the pub-

The Wheelwright High School

Homecoming Queen.

fans to the festivities.

the music.

the Left Beaver high school.

the players realizing their roles on the floor."

McDowell had three players to record triple-doubles when you look at the defections they posted. Matt Rose, Wally Sexton and Alan Joe

Moore led the Daredevils in scorhis club is performing heading to- ing with 19 points. He pulled down 14 rebounds and had 10 defections. "We're playing as well now as we Sexton almost duplicated Moore's have all year," said the Daredevil numbers with 17 points, 14 rebounds just seem I couldn't motivate them to

Conn final Trojan Homecoming Queen

mentor. "It is just a matter of some of and 10 defections. Rose was close go out and play a good game. behind with 10 points, 11 rebounds and 10 defections.

The win was McDowell's fourth in their last five games and they looked like a team that came ready to play.

"We were ready to play at Feds Creek," said Turner. "We played Sheldon Clark the night before and we just weren't ready to play that night. I don't know what it was in trying to get them fired up to play. It

"We didn't have any school that day. I think our players stayed up late the night before and stayed overnight with each other. They just weren't ready to play.'

Turner said that he was pleased with the way his team played against the Vikings on the road.

McDowell fell behind by nine points, 72-63, in the fourth quarter. But after a timeout at the five-minute mark, Coach Turner said that he saw a different team playing.

"We passed the ball much better in the final five minutes," he said. "We were more aggressive on offense, hitting the open man."

The Daredevils found the Vikings ready for an upset in the first quarter as they trailed the host team 22-13 at the first stop. But a more aggressive effort in the second stanza pulled McDowell to within one point, 43-42, at the half.

Feds Creek owned a 63-58 lead after three quarters of play and increased the lead to nine in the fourth quarter before McDowell came racing back.

Six players scored in double figures for McDowell. Chris Hamilton added 16 points in a good outing for the Daredevils. Seniors Mike Duddleson and Scotty Stanley scored 11 each with Earl Cook netting three points.

Rose had two treys for the Daredevils and Cook had one.

"I feel like we are playing well right now," said Turner, "and if there is a time to be playing good it's now.

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We have set a goal to win the rest of our games. Actually we set that goal before the Sheldon Clark game. We want to win the rest of our games (3) and let the Sheldon Clark game be our only loss going into the tournament."

H.R. Miller led Feds Creek in scoring with 15 points. Daryl Fuller tossed in 13 and Jackie Stiltner netted 11. Shawn Rowlette scored 10 as did Cecil Slone.

The Daredevils improved their overall record to 9-15 on the season and will conclude the 1992-93 regular season schedule with a home game against Paintsville Friday night (Senior Night) and a road game at Greenup County Saturday night.

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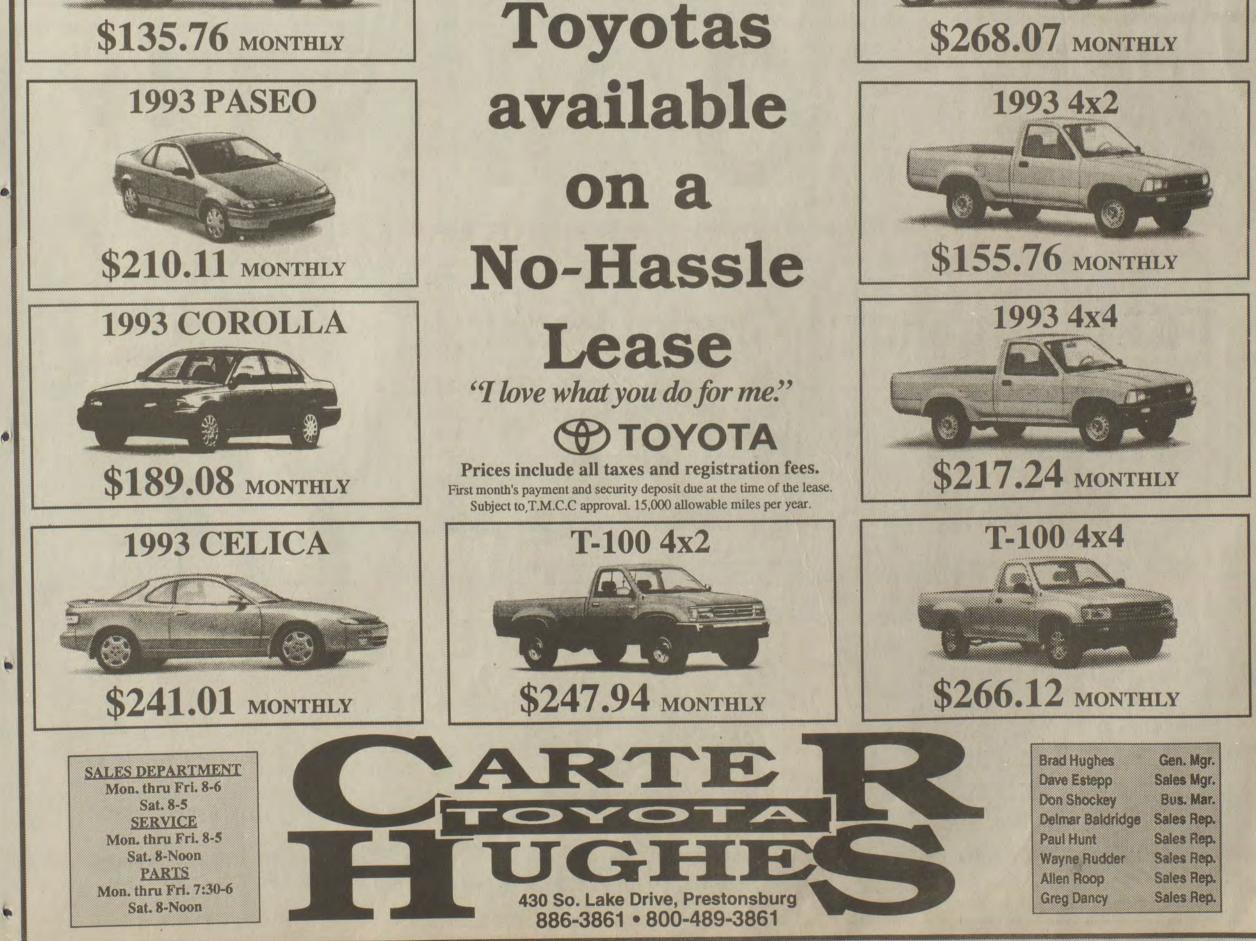
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Florida Parsons Tackett is a former Floyd Countian now living in Clearfield. That's in Rowan County, near Morehead, but she and her husband, Logan Tackett, still consider this home, and they keep up with their friends and relatives here by subscribing to our newspaper.

In a recent letter, Mrs. Tackett mentioned a story I'd used almost two years ago, told to me by Fred Conn of Dana.

The story was about Bruce Clark who carried the mail by horseback from Banner, where the mail arrived by train, up Prater Creek to Dana.

Bruce had a customer who had ordered a package and was soon waiting by her mailbox each day to see if her merchandise had come. She had been disappointed for several days and it was getting to be an embarrassment to the carrier.

One day as he rode along on his horse he could see the lady waiting again, and again her expected parcel was not in the mail. Before she could ask he said, "Ma'am, where did you order a package from anyway?"

"From Sears Roebuck in Atlanta," she told him. "I ordered some shoes."

"Well, no wonder I don't have it," he exclaimed. "You know my run just goes to Banner!"

joyed the story was that her mother, til the train arrived with her mail. the former Gertrude Kidd, had carried the mail on that same route many years ago, and she, too, had traveled on horseback. She had even served another post office as she went on to Becky Hall with having taught her. Honaker on Little Mud Creek. That's probably how she met and fell in love with her husband-to-be, Sid Parsons.

The post office at Banner was located in Isaac N. Hall's store back in those days, and the train wasn't always on time. Gertrude Kidd would usually arrive early, tie her horse to a post and go to I. N. Hall's house.

by Aileen Hall

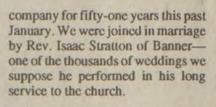
There she helped his wife, Rebecca, One reason Mrs. Tackett had en- with her canning and housework un-

> Even today, Florida Parsons Tackett remembers that her mother, now deceased, was a great cook and a good housekeeper, and she credits

Other Mail

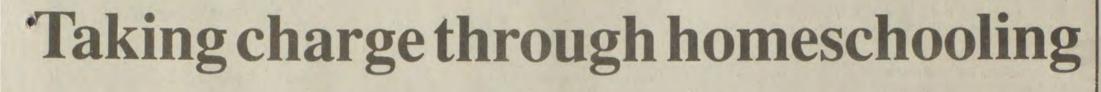
Another letter that pleased me came from June and Chalmer Williams who now live in Baltimore, Maryland. They write simply, "Thanks for remembering ... '

"We have enjoyed each other's



"As we grow older we tend to dwell more on the past," Then Chalmer adds, "I think of the good times on Prater Creek with Lum Click, Burns Jarrell and your brothers, Estill and Graham."

Thanks for writing, folks, and I'm sure the mention of a wedding performed by Rev. Isaac Stratton will stir up a lot of memories.



Homeschooling. It may be a controversial alternative approach to education. But for some families, homeschooling may be the educational wave of the future.

For over four-and-a-half years Cheryl A. Cozort has been teaching her three sons at home. But until 1987, homeschooling was a method of education Cheryl knew little about. After all, she was an experienced public school teacher with a Bachelor of Science degree in Education. Then she happened to see material on homeschooling at a pro-family conference in Colorado and her interest was piqued.

"I picked up the material, read it, and I sent for more information," she recalled. "I kept studying and getting more information."

After further study, Cheryl and her husband, Keith, made an unconventional decision: to homeschool their three sons.

with the assistance of Keith, gave a presentation at Prestonsburg Community College about homeschooling as an alternative to primary and secondary school education. Her presentation, which was sponsored by Dr. John Shiber, in his evening class "Selected Topics of Human Concern," was the first of its kind to be given in this area. In an interview before the presentation, Dr. Shiber, professor in the a time. I think it's great." division of biological sciences at PCC, explained how he met Cheryl.

"Mrs. Cozort and her three boys ences exerted upon our children." came to one of my Educational-Science-Games-People-Play classes. children. I was interested and asked if tion in the United States. I could sponsor a class."

Of homeschooling Shiber said, "It is another way to look at something. It's good to hear the pros and cons.'

In an interview, Cheryl explained why she and Keith, who live at Hager Hill in Johnson County, chose to homeschool their children.

"We felt that we would be in better control of the negative influences found in public schools because our sons are so young. We are Christians. My husband is a preacher. In general, we do not agree with what the public schools teach, particularly concerning sex education."

Cheryl noted the positive aspects of homeschooling.

"With home education, you are tutoring. One-on-one work is always the best ... The child gets more adult On Thursday, February 4, Cheryl, attention. And we add Bible to our curriculum."

In her opening remarks to the audience of about 40 people, Cheryl She told me she homeschooled her briefly traced the history of educa-

> "Homeschooling was the most common form of education in America up until the early 1900's when public schooling became mandatory," she said. She then explained the reasons she and her husband chose homeschooling. "We hold to a Christian world-view. We believe we will be accountable for what they learn,. not that they learn."

Also, as a minister's family, "We move, sometimes quite often. With homeschooling, there is a consistency there. We can move and not interrupt their homeschooling."

When she first started, "I had all the doubts anyone would have. I have an education degree for high school, not elementary.

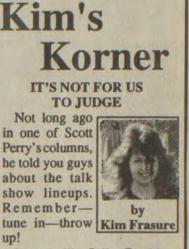
"You don't have to have any teaching background at all. What you need is love and an unselfish interest in seeing your children learn to the best of their ability while you have them around."

She mentioned that some homeschooling parents have never gotten high school diplomas, yet they have taught their children at home successfully, even through high school, and most of the children go on to college. She then waved a list of 163 colleges and universities, including such prestigious institutions as Harvard, Princeton, and Yale, who currently have homeschooled children generally score above 80 percent in the national percentile.

She emphasized that her children "are not neglected socially Parents are in control of what they receive. We take field trips, attend church" among other outside activities.

As for educational resources, Cheryl said, "There are plenty of books, videos, games, etc..., available for families who are interested in teaching their children at home, and other homeschoolers are usually more than willing to share their expertise and materials if they are asked."

There were several homeschooling



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It seems like Sally, Geraldo, Phil, and Oprah, all do their share on incest, rape, and husbands and wives who cheat, though Scott has made it perfectly clear he feels anyone who'd be so stupid to actually sit and watch one of those shows, needs a "life" to say the least.

Well, I don't consider myself "stupid," although I can do some pretty stupid things every now and then, but I do like Oprah.

What I did not realize was that there were folks in our own back yards who had experienced some of the things that these "talk shows" actually discuss.

I received a phone call the other day, from a reader who said that they read this column faithfully each week. How my head swelled and my face cracked with the biggest smile ever.

But when the reader continued the conversation, my heart began to break.

I first was scared. This person was somehow looking for me to help them in some way and, seeing the kinds of problems I was hearing on shows like Oprah, I was panicking inside.

As I listened, all I could think was I'm not qualified to handle this conversation. I can't help this person. Why have they called me-of all people?

As the reader continued to tell of the experiences-I interrupted and asked if they had ever gone to a professional for help.

I was relieved when I heard s of counseling was in effect.





Her sons receive "two hours a day of formal instruction. Working oneon-one, you can cover material in 15 minutes.'

During the interview, one by one Cheryl introduced her three sons. She started with Adam, who is nine. He said that he thinks homeschooling "is good because I have been able to be with my family 24-hours a day at

Nathan, 7, said, "I think it works out okay. It's fun and I like it a lot."

Aaron, 6, said, "I like being with my mother and brothers. In public school I wouldn't get to be with them as much."

When noted that her sons are wellmannered, and articulate, she deflected the praise from herself by quickly replying, "Oh, that's characteristic of children who are homeschooled."

Keith, who is minister at Paintsville Church of Christ, said that his wife "was the catalyst behind our" decision to homeschool our sons. When we started we were in agreement. We looked into it a couple of years before we got started.

"The best thing is that we have: control over what is taught as well as: the classroom situation and the influ-



Home grown kids

The Cozorts pose in front of a display of educational materials for homeschoolers at a recent human concern class at PCC. From left, Kelth, Adam, Aaron, Nathan and Cheryl Cozort.

families from the area who were present at the talk, as well as people from as far as Sidney, Forest Hills, Varney, and Pikeville, some of whom are private or public school teachers, college students, or couples who are seriously considering a break with the public school system in favor of homeschooling.

Cherylinvited everyone to browse through the two long tables which contained teaching and learning materials of incredible variety which she and other homeschoolers use in their curricula. There were also inbooklets formative on homeschooling, as well as some articles which Dr. Shiber had written for his students which he makes available to all young people who visit his zoology lab.

"We would like to thank Dr. Shiber for giving us this wonderful opportunity to talk to people about this important alternative to public schooling," said Candy Controtto, a homeschooling mother of three who had provided many of the educational materials on display. "Dr. Shiber's contributions to the community in the interest of education and diffusing knowledge to everyone is very much appreciated by us all."

"What I really would like for you to do, is write a column on how people shouldn't be so judgmental of others," said the caller.

I don't mind telling you, I was a bit relieved to hear that.

Then when it came time for me to sit down with pen in hand and write this week's column, I started at least 50 different times. My living room floor was blue, and now had wads of white paper with dots of blue carpet showing sparingly through.

I wanted so badly to get across the message this reader wants.

The life this person had lived would blow the top off the Empire State Building.

Watching others tell their stories on Oprah, we may sympathize, and even think, sure this is all made up for television ratings.

But when these things happen to someone who lives here, and reads this column, it does more than just bring it home.

It's easy to sit back and tell someone what we'd do if it were us being cheated on or raped. But until it is you, the outcome just may be different.

Keeping the ordeal bottled up caused this reader pain in ways words can't describe.

And now that others are slowly learning about it, pain is being inflicted by those who are judging what they would do, or what they would have done.

Words are so easy, but sometimes they're not when it's a young child who needs to say them.

Fear overrides the ability to speak, and silence wins over.

This column may very well not help this reader at all.

The incidents and names I will forever keep within, but for this reader, I will say, think twice before you speak, and remember, it is not our place to judge others. May the help and peace of mind be at arms length for this reader. And I thank you for sharing and trusting in me. Till next week.

Poison Oa A ROSE BY ANY OTHER NAME At first glance, all this new-fangled

education reform stuff looks impressive, especially the latest plan to "restructure" the high schools.

But look closer. Is all this really new, or just a little word game? Is this the exact same stuff we did in high school in the fifties?

Of course, then, we didn't call it "restructuring." We didn't call it anynothing else about it.

week that during March and April, public hearings are being planned to how to change our high schools to though. make them better. I think the key word is "change." My question is, "What's changed?"

high school, students will have to develop individual graduation plans what? that will chart their academic and career goals.

So what's the big deal here? I mean, when I started high school way back in 1953 I'd already developed a plan. I'd planned to earn my 16 credits (that was all that was required thing. We just did it and thought back then) by taking the easiest math classes I could, while at the same Anyway, I read in the paper last time, trying to impress as many cute girls as possible. Admittedly, I was 100 percent successful, due mainly explain a report drafted by a state to the fact that double-barreled acne "task force" (whatever that is) on wasn't in. I did graduate in four years,

> So much for "key proposal" number one

Another thing this new task force

posal" listed is that before entering maintain an "academic portfolio." many friends of the FFA," I'd say. Wow! Does that sound impressive or So, what's new here?

We already did that, too, except back then, we didn't call it a "portfolio." We called it a notebook back and we kept all our stuff stuffed into

And what about this new proposal that ever student must participate in at least one activity each year, like being on the student council, playing ball, being in a play or something?

Hey, what about FFA? Isn't that an activity? I was in that and proudly wore my blue monogrammed corduroy jacket with the cross-section on a corn cob stitched on the back. Furthermore, I was an officer and a member of the parliamentary procedure team. I was the sentinel stationed by

by Clyde Pack

Also, this new task force is recommending that a students can't drop out of school until he's 18. With a dad like mine, I'd had to have gone until I was 27 if it'd taken that long to earn my 16 credits. We didn't need a task force as long as dad had a miner's belt and a number ten boot.

So what can I say? The list goes on and on and I've yet to see anything really new-except, of course, what they're calling it.

And that brings to mind the little story about Abe Lincoln. It seems what we've been doing for years? that old Abe was talking one day to this young fellow who thought he was an expert on everything (I don't know if he was from California), and

For example, the first "key pro- is recommending is that each student the door. "Through this door pass Abe asked him, "Tell me, son, how many legs does a horse have?"

"Why, four, of course," the boy answered.

"Well, son," said Abe, "suppose we call his tail a leg. How many legs would he have then?"

"Why, he'd have five," the boy answered proudly.

"Boy, son, you just don't get it do you? Just because you called it a leg doesn't make it a leg. He'd still just have four," Abe explained.

Are we spending big bucks on fancy wrapping paper to wrap big words that mean the same thing as Are we simply paying for bright packaging and labeling it "reform?"

And ... by the way ... didn't we have reform schools back then, too?

Society News

Lackey-Garrett Wayland Woman's Club

Members of the GFWC/KFWC Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club enjoyed a most unusual presentation by a guest speaker on Monday, February 15, given by Rose Poff, MT, HT, ASCP, of Wayland.

Mrs. Poff is employed by the Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital as a medical technologist and histotechnologist. She is also the wife of the Rev. Troy Poff, pastor of the Wayland United Methodist Church.

The speaker brought with her a large box containing paraphernalia she uses in her work. She displayed a book listing and explaining the various tests and procedures used when a patient needs to have a diagnosis made or verified. She also brought her little metal basket containing an array of test tubes with each holding the chemicals used for various tests, and she explained those tests.

She displayed a container that would be used for E-Coli bacteria, the microbe which is giving the medical profession much concern in the far West from tainted hamburger.

However, the most interesting of all of her exhibits was an actual slide of a real breast biopsy, which she passed around. She explained that when it is placed under a microscope it is magnified 1,000 times and can be easily seen and diagnosed as to whether there is cancer or not.

Poff stated that she really likes her work and especially the Hematology (the study of blood and its diseases) and Histology (the testing of tissue). When she was finished speaking everyone had a better idea of what happens when the doctor says, "Well, to be perfectly certain I think we need to run some tests." Because of much illness and snow and uncertain road conditions, many of the club members missed this informative talk and question and answer period.

Libby Martin gave the devotions in the absence of the devotions chairperson. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was then given, followed by a short business session conducted by the club president, Maxine Martin, who announced that cup cakes baked by the club members were delivered as usual to the Golden Years Rest Home for Valentine's Day. She also appointed the following members (in absentia) to serve on a Nominating Committee to nominate officers for the coming club year; Vera Allen, Marie Mullins, Marsella Bradley, and two who were present, Libby Martin and Loretta Martin.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Libby Martin, in whose home the meeting was held. Those attending were Maxine Martin, LaFaye Hughes, Loretta Martin, the speaker and the hostess.

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held in the home of Maxine Martin, south of Wayland. The subject is "Conservation."

Miriam Rebekah members meet

A regular meeting of Miriam Rebekah Lodge #31 was held Tuesday, February 16, 1993, with the Noble Grand, Violetta Wright, presiding.

Many members who have been on the sick list remain ill but are slowly improving.

Communications were received and bills allowed.

The Arthritis Foundation Fund was discussed. It was decided to have a weigh-in at 2¢ a pound to raise money for our contribution to this project. Members are invited to come to the next meeting and take part in this or mail in a contribution.

It was noted that the treasurer who had been elected has not been installed due to poor health. A new treasurer was nominated to fill this vacancy. Sue Moore was named and installed into this office.

All members who have belonged for 25 years or more were escorted to the center of the floor to be honored.

Mrs. Dorothy Osborne presented the program entitled "Garden of Memories." As each name was called

and the number of years members have belonged, each responded by telling some special memory she recalled over the years. Each member was then presented a rose by Paulena Owens.

Those so honored were: Willa Mae Branham, 31 years; Mabel Jean LeMaster, 53 years; Lorena Wallen, 33 years; Hope Whitten, 40 years; Violetta Wright, 35 years; Mary Zemo, 44 years and Sue Moore, 25 years.

Many members were not able to attend this program due to illness or living far away.

Penny drill was taken and birthday greetings were extended to Dorothy Osborne and Mary Zemo.

Next regular meeting will be March 2 in the I.O.O.F. Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Home from hospital Ruby Alice Stratton of Stanville, returned home Wednesday afternoon from Highlands Regional Medical Center where she was admitted Friday.

Miriam Rebekah Lamplighters

The following Lamplighters of Miriam Rebekah Lodge met at Mountain Manor Nursing Home on Sunday, February 7 at 1:15 p.m. Noble Grand, Violetta Wright; Vice Grand, Hope Whitten; Jean Hickman, Rebecca Bingham, Myrtle Allen, Pearl Robertson, Beverly Hackworth, Mabel Jean LeMaster and Mary Zemo.

The group was joined by two other ladies who were visiting in the home, Patsy Evans and Irene Wicker.

The group sang many beautiful hymns and concluded with visiting and talking to many of the residents of the home.

Prestonsburg Kiwannianes

to meet A luncheon-meeting will be held Thursday, February 25, at 12:30 p.m., at the May Lodge, for the Prestonsburg Kiwannianes. All member are urged to attend.



Christinia McKinney

John Graham Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution holds regular meeting John Graham Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution held their regular meeting Monday, February 8, at May Lodge, with regent, Betty Jean Conn, presiding.

DAR rituals were led by chaplain protem, Frances Brackett, the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

story of the American Revolution, the voyage of Christopher Columbus...the stories of Charles Dickensor the poems of Ralph Waldo Emerson...let's preserve America's history by passing down our own heritage

The regent, assisted by Goble, presented the Good Citizen medal, certificate, and \$50 to McKinney. Her parents, Dale and Hilda McKinney of Prestonsburg, were recognized, as was PHS faculty member, B.L. Wicker.

Member of the church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, McKinney is the granddaughter of Hobart and Goldie Spurlock of Printer, and Albert and Ida Rose Lochotzki of Fremont, Ohio.

In other business, the regent announced that the 97th Annual State DAR Conference will be held at the Marriott Resort in Lexington, on March 16-18. Delegates are Conn and Brackett with Goble, Pamela Wohlford, Karen Ousley, and Eleanor Horn serving as alternates.

Brackett reported the death of Sally Newman Humphreys of St. Cloud, Florida, January 18, charter member of of John Graham Chapter in 1925. In recent years, Mrs. Humphreys had moved her membership to St. Cloud Chapter.

The regent announced that the next meeting will be held March 8, at 12:30 p.m. at May Lodge with Finetta Mullins, KSDAR State School chairman, as guest speaker.

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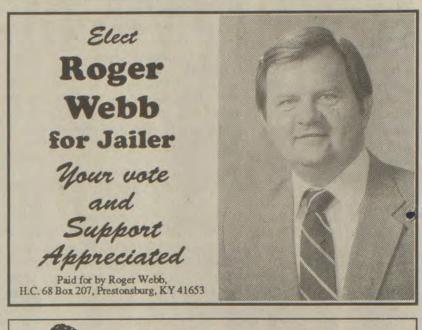
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New Adult Readers

About coming back to school

by Marnita Boyd

Well, the first thing I want to say is that I have three kids and their names are Jullena Jasmine and Hullena Hope, twin girls, and my little boy's name is Cruise Lee.

I quit school in '85 or '86 and I never thought about going back to school and getting my education because I was afraid that somebody would laugh at me for going back to school. I started going to Adult Learning Center and it is different than regular school. I'm really proud of my worker Barber Crider for asking me if I wanted to go back and get my education.

Now since I'm back in school my whole life has changed. I mean, I feel like a new life has come on the inside of my body. I've got more confidence in myself and I have made new friends. I might not be rich or have a lot of money but I can't worry about what other people think, because they are the one's that's not getting their education, its me.

I want my kids and sisters to realize how important it is to stay in hibited high qualities of dependabilschool and I want my mom also to realize what her daughter is doing by coming back to school. I also know that I am going to go to college after medals, was named 1992 Governor's I get my G.E.D. I never dreamed of going back to school and making rus three years. An "A" average stusomething out of my life, instead of just raising my three kids.

lot of stuff and also helps me with my the National Beta Club, and has befamily

my sisters and my nieces and neph- dancing, reading and writing poetry. that they love me, too.

I've never written anything for the newspaper and I never dreamed of essay, "Our American Heritage and doing something in my life, such as My Responsibility to Preserve it," going back to school and going to stated that, "From our earliest ancesthem to stay in school. Most of my speech is going to be how important it is for them to stay there and get their education.

all

of the USA by the regent and the American Creed by Virginia Goble. Goble, DAR Good Citizen chairman, introduced guest speaker Christinia Maria McKinney, Prestonsburg High School senior and the 1992-93 good citizen.

Goble noted that McKinney exity, service, leadership, and patriotism in her school and community. She had received English II and III Scholar, and named to all-state chodent, she served as Junior Class president, and is currently National Honor Well, I really love my teacher, Society president, Senior Class vice-Peg, because she helps me through a president, FBLA tresurer, member of longed to the PHS Honor Choir for I really love my mom and all of four years. Her hobbies are singing, ews. I just wish they would show me She plans to attend Alice Lloyd College and become a medical doctor.

McKinney in speaking about her speak to young kids to encourage tors to our present leaders and idols, we try to pattern our lives after a particular hero...who inspires us to reach our dreams in the real world. Now, young kids and teenagers look P.S. I just want everyone to know, to immoral performers, hard-rock whoever it is, they can go back to bands ... society has substituted the rich school and they can get their educa- and famous for the real American tion. I know if I can do it, so can you heroes. Let's tell our children the

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Ruby Little, one of the first employees, has been with the center from the beginning. Ruby likes to sing, work puzzles and mix with the other seniors. Ruby, who is 73 years old, says she is slow but still gets her work done setting tables, running the sweeper, mopping floors, etc.

Come along and join the fun at the Wheelwright Senior Citizens, For more information call: 452-2179. Lois Curry is director.



One of the best features of the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center is the people. Both the staff and the senior citizens take great pride in the appearance of the building as well as the homey atmosphere.

One of the people most responsible for this is a 78-year-old volunteer, Norma Mullins. A regular feature almost everyday, she assists with anything that needs done. But her special love is the crafts and quilts. She can take a little ribbon, netting, and cloth and turn it into a work of art.

Her special touches are in evidence all over the center. According to the program director, Teresa Campbell, its not just the crafts, its her attitude. "Norma is a great person. She assists the seniors with anything, all we have to do is ask. She's outgoing and a great example of a volunteer. She's always positive and a great influence in the center. For example, when she goes to Wal-mart she calls and asks if we need anything."

When asked about the center her

face just lights up. The day the center opened she started going. She had just lost her husband to an extended illness and realized that grieving would not be good for her health. "Sitting home grieving is nothing." She wanted out of the rut she felt she

was in, so she became as active as she could in the activities at the center and has remained that way for five vears. Although her son and grandchil-

dren live far away, she does not lack for association. "These people are just like family. They're my best friends. It helps me stay young."

If you would like to be a part of the warm family atmosphere at the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center, volunteers of any age are appreciated. There is a need for people to aid seniors with household chores and transportation. If you are interested you can call Teresa Campbell at 478-9583. If you would like more information on the various volunteering opportunities in the Big Sandy district please contact Sandy Williamson at 1-800-737-2723

Feels like Home

Ruby Little spreads warmth and cheer as she sings while she works at the Wheelwright Senior Citizen Center.

McDowell Senior Citizens

McDowell Senior Citizens, located between Wheelwright and Martin, meets in the First Baptist Church at McDowell.

With the help of Benny Ray Bailey and the people in McDowell, seniors will have a new center by next year. The current center now serves from 15 to 22 participants a day for congregate meals and 21 home delivered meals. Everyone in the center pitches in to help, which consists of serving food, setting tables and cleaning floors.

The seniors are always making crafts and selling them to the local hospital and surrounding stores. They are looking forward to the day when they can sit down to quilt, do floor exercises, sit in their rocking chairs and sing, sing, sing.

For more information, call 377-6168 on Tuesday and Thursday or call, 452-2179.

Lois Curry is director.





Wayland volunteers

Almost every weekday morning, Arnell Chaffins calls the Wayland Area Senior Citizens Center and says "Pick me up at Garrett Grocery." Chaffins is a faithful member of the senior citizens center. He goes with our bus driver and helps load and unload the bus. Also, he carries packages for the seniors. He volunteers 15-20 hours per week.

Maxie Patton is another volunteer at the center. She had a TB skin test (at her own cost) so that she could help place the food trays on the tables. If seniors want coffee, she happily pours for them. She works at the center 3-5 hours per week.

Other seniors dedicate themselves to the center in a variety of ways, such as crafts, cleaning, health awareness, and school outreach.

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Staying young Norma Mullins, left, is a quilter, a crafter and a giver of love. She is an important part of life at Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center.

BY DEE AND TOM HARDIE

GRANDPAREN

PRECOCIOUS COUSINS **LEAVE GRANDMOTHER SPEECHLESS**

Q: My two grandsons, 13 and 10, are cousins and recently paid me a visit. After they left, I found some very explicit girlie pictures one of them had obviously brought into my home.

Do I handle this myself and keep the parents out of it, complain directly to the boys, or just forget all about it? The boys' fathers are my SONS.

I should add that these pictures went straight into the trash can! -Grandmother From Texas

A: You do have a very perplexing problem. We have always agreed on our answers, admittedly after some



43rd anniversary

Ernestine and John A. Collins will celebrate 43 years of marriage on March 6. They have five sons, Johnnie Joe, Buckie, Hack, Barry and Brian; two daughters, Connie and Bonnie; eight grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.

debate, often heated. But this time we differ, maybe because we feel we don't have all the facts.

Dee says: "This is your house, but not yet your problem. I think the older cousin smuggled in the pictures, probably from magazines, to show his younger cousin, who was probably bewildered. The older boy may soon realize the photos are missing and start worrying.

"If so, let him fret. He probably knows he was off-base. If he does have the nerve to ask you about them, probably with apologies, tell him that this kind of 'art' is not for your home. Then take him to a museum and show him real art.

"But don't make a mountain out of a few bosoms. Where did the pictures originate? If it happens again, then first ask the father of the older boy. Since young boys aren't usually permitted to buy girlie magazines, he might be the original source. If so, you might give this son a subscription to Gentlemen's Quarterly, instead."

However, Tom says: "I think you should definitely do something fast, and teach them a lesson. Don't go to the parents, which would damage your relationship with your grandsons. Take them aside and have a good, firm talk with them. Tell them they are wasting their time, and being silly and thoughtless. Offer them a subscription to a worthwhile magazine like Boys' Life."

Please let us know how you handle this. Our readers would also like to know.

(Dee and Tom, married more than 40 years, have five grandchildren and hope to have many more. They welcome questions, suggestions and Grand Remarks of the Week. Send to Box 34, Butler, Md. 21023. Because of the volume, personal replies are usually not possible.)

Hard-working center

Roney Clark, Zella Tackett, Mary Ruth Collins, Tina Thomson, Ocle Frasure, Alma Tackett, Lols Curry; second row, Helen Stumbo, Opal Kinney, Elnor Brown; third row, Para Lea Vanderpool and Lucy Moore.

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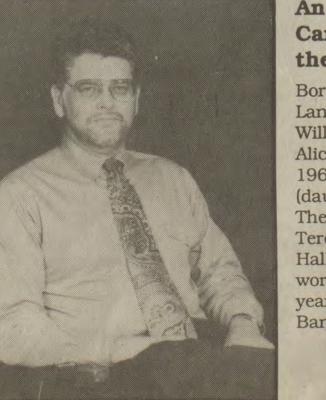
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Born in Printer, Ky. in November 1943, the son of Langley Hall and Maud Stumbo Hall, (both deceased). Willis graduated from McDowell High School in 1961, Alice Lloyd Jr. College in 1963, and Pikeville College in 1968. He married Judith Carol Allen in July 1962 (daughter of Irvin and Eunice Allen of Minnie, Ky.). They have four children: Rhonda Hall Tackett, Jodi Teresa Hall, April Hall Amburgey, and Lance Allen Hall. In his working career, Willis has been a factory worker, state government employee and for the past 17 years, a loan officer for both First Guaranty National Bank and The Bank Josephine.

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Editor's note: Dr. Bubba is not a licensed, practicing therapist, but attended the prestigious Hooterville Holler University, Bugtussel Campus, where he received Ph.Ds in analytical psychology and WWF Wrestling. Neither Dr. Bubba nor this publication accept any blame for how badly he might screw up your life.

Dear Dr. Bubba: I'm a chronic overeater, and unfortunately, severely overweight. Not only does it seem to be hurting my love life, every time I go out of the house, somebody makes fun of me, saying things like "Yo, Orca," or "Look out! It's the Sta-Puff Marshmallow Man!" This is really hurting my self-esteem, causing me to eat more, which is in turn causing me to get fatter. I've gone on crash diets, but I always seem to gain back more weight than I lost in the first place. What should I do? Sitting Around the House, McDowell

Dear Sitting: Hey, yer ol' Dr. Bubba's packed on a little blubber hisself. As long as it ain't damagin' yer health, I say don't worry about it. After all, beauty is only skin deep an' you got a lot more skin than most people. Also, ya shouldn't worry about ver love life, 'cause personality's much more important than looks, SO IF YA'D STOP WHININ' AND ACTIN' PITIFUL YA'D PROB'LY FIND SOME-BODY!!!! And if anybody gives ya a hard time, all ya gotta do is sit on 'em.

Dear Dr. Bubba: Is there a subtle yet effective way to tell someone with whom you work that they need counseling or some sort of medication? Many persons are employed at my place of business, and every single one wants this person committedand their little dog too. What can we do? (censored, but it was the past tense of an alliterative bodily function denoting anger) in Prestonsburg

Dear (censored): Well, this person sounds like he or she is really lonely an' misunderstood. Ya could try fixin' 'em up with somebody else ya really hate. That way, if they don't cancel out each other's bad sides, at least ya'll have the satisfaction o' makin' 'em both miserable. If that don't work, I say off 'em.

Dear Dr. Bubba: I've become increasingly worried about the ensuing threat of global thermonuclear war, so much so, in fact, that I've begun stockpiling food, clothing, automatic weapons, books, videotapes and photos of Cindy Crawford in a bomb shelter that I dug in my backyard with only a Boy Scout knife and my teeth. My problem is that now I seem to be suffering from a bad case of gingivitis, and, when the bombs do come, I'm afraid Cindy might be so put off by my periodontal distress that she won't want to live with me in my bunker. What should I do? Simple

Dear Simple: OH GEEZ, LOOK OUT FOR THE MISSILES-AAARGH!!! Heh, just kiddin'. But seriously, son, get a life, okay?

Chronic Halitosis, Hi Hat

Dear Dr. Bubba: I've been depressed, and I mean really depressed, for the last several months. Finally, I decided to get some help, so I called one of those suicide hotline services. Not only did they put me on hold, while I waited for an operator, they played Van Halen's song "Jump" in the background. Now I don't know what to do. Please help. Basketcase in Beattyville

Dear Basket: My advice is that ya seek perfessional counselin' immediately, and, ta cheer ya up, watch a lot o' Bill Clinton's speeches. That lastone just made me laugh an' laugh. And listen, I know yer depressed, but suicide just ain't the answer. It's a permanent solution to a temporary problem. Plus, dependin' on how ya do it, it can really mess up the carpet.

That's all the letters we got today, folks. Keep them cards & letters pourin' in ta "Ask Dr. Bubba," P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653.

And remember kids, if ya've got problems in yer life, if stress is gettin' ya down, well ... try not ta flip out an' blow away all yer co-workers. One or two oughtta be enough ta make ya feel better.



Barry and Deanna Rice welcome birth of daughter

Barry and Deanne Rice of East Point announce the birth of their daughter, Alley Elizabeth.

She was born Tuesday, January 12 at King's Daughters' Medical Center in Ashland. She weighed 8-1/2 pounds and was 21 1/2 inches long.

Her maternal grandparents are Alan and Wanda Sublett of Paintsville. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams of Paintsville.

Paternal grandparents are C.R. and Carole Rice of East Point. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rice of East Point and Carrie Evans of Prestonsburg and the late Roscoe Evans.



Martin-Stambaugh to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Skeans of Prestonsburg announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Patricia Lynn Martin, to Donald Jamison Stambaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Stambaugh of Prestonsburg. The wedding will be held at the Third Avenue Free Will Baptist Church at Prestonsburg, on March 13, at 2:30 p.m. An open wedding will be observed. A reception will follow at the Holiday Inn. Everyone is welcome.



Alley Elizabeth Rice



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February 2: A son, Jerold Alan Jr., to Jerold and Ruth Castle of Debord.

February 3: A daughter, Kathryn Ann Marie, to Tina Wireman and Larry Bailey of Salyersville.

February 4: A daughter, Jamie Leigh, to Stephanie and Timothy Marsillett of West Prestonsburg.

February 5: A daughter, Micah Leanne, to Angela Joyce and Lee

Curtis Music of West Van Lear. February 6: A daughter, Briana Leigh, to Edward and Patty Samons of Kite.

February 8: A son, Nathan Innis II, to Darla and Nathan Innis of Ivel; a daughter, Sarah Katlynn, to Woody and Kathy Burchett of Prestonsburg.

February 9: A son, Brian Scott, to Scott and Melissa Branham of Pretonsburg; a daughter, Shawna Brook, to Randy and Martina Owens of Blue River.

February 10: A son, Travis Henry, to Ruby and William Barton of Tomahawk.

February 11: A son, Blake David Anthony, to David and Marlena Tackett of Inez.

February 12: A son, Billy Ray Jones Jr., to Etta and Billy Jones of Flat Gap.

February 13: A son, Charles Thomas, to Connie and Charles Evans Jr. of Pilgrim; a son, Zachary Tyler, to Julena Gail Isaac of Barinsville.

February 14: A daughter, Katelyn Rehae, to Lillie and Gillis Sturgill Jr. of Hindman.

PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL

February 8: A daughter, Kaylee Seantae, to Crystal Dawn and Thomas Wade Damron of Rockhouse; twins, a daughter, Cassie Marrie, and son, Tyler Duvall, to Geneva and Marvin Whitt of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Briana Brooke, to Susie and Jesse J. Collins of Prestonsburg.

February 9: A daughter, Amber Danea, to Tonya Renee and Jimmy Rowe Kendrick of Rockhouse; a son, Sebastian Vaughn, to Carrie Maran and Billy Ed Little of Pikeville; a daughter, Chasity Donn, to Donna

Jean and Ritchie Maurice Robinson of Pikeville; a son, David Alexander, to Marlean and William Alan Miller of Paintsville.

February 10: A son, Joshua Ryan, to Stephanie Rae and Arthur Douglas Holbrook of Prestonsburg; a son, Dwight David Jr., to Laurel Lynn and Dwight David Looney of Ashcamp; a son, Conner Jarred, to Jondra Lynette and Marcus Todd Branham of Raccoon; a son, Andrew Michael Steven, to Tina Lynn and Jason Michael Fitzpatrick of Pikeville; a daughter, Deanne Renea, to Versie Renee and Alfred Dean Russell of Salyersville.

February 11: A son, Tyler Cecil Dewayne, to Angela Danette Neeley and Basil Dewayne Kendrick of Pikeville; a daughter, Jesse Dale Hamilton, to Christy Lynn Belcher of Elkhorn City; a son, Dakota Thomas, to Glessie Manon and Mitchell Thomas Brown of Pikeville; a daughter, Shelby Rae, to Donna June and Jeffrey Lee Meek of Stanville.

February 12: A son, Kenneth Bryan, to Kimberly Ann and Timothy Mark Lowe of Pikeville; a daughter, Michelle Loran, to Trigg Lana and Jimmy Douglas Coleman of Virgie; a daughter, Gina Michelle, to Sherrie Lynn and David Michael Smith of Elkhorn City; a son, Christopher Lloyd Oslonian, to Shanae Denise Simpson of Phelps; a daughter, Ashley Chante, to Donna Faye and Robert Ray Burchett of Pikeville.

Commercial pesticide training session at Allen

A Commercial Pesticide Applicator Training Session for Categories 3 (Ornamental and Turf); 10 (Research and Demonstration); and 12 (Pesticide Dealer) will be held Thursday, March 11, at Stumbo Park in Allen.

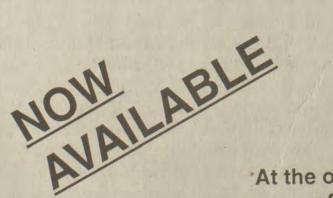
This session will begin around 9 a.m. and end around 12:30 p.m. The Division of Pesticides should be there to approve recertification credits and administer tests to those who wish to take them. The tests will be given after a lunch break.

Any dealer interested should attend this meeting.

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1 lb. ground beef, browned and drained

- 1 Tbsp. chili powder 1 cup canned or frozen corn,
- drained 1-12 oz. jar chunky salsa 1/2-3/4 cups light sour cream 2 cups crushed tortilla chips, di-

vided 1 cup shredded Colby or Monterey Jack cheese, divided

Mix beef, corn, salsa and chili powder together. Layer half into a greased 2 qt. casserole dish. Top with half the chips, then half the cheese. Repeat all three layers. Bake at 350 for 20 minutes or until bubbly. Top each serving with 1-2 tablespoons sour cream.

- **CHERRY LEMON TARTS**
 - 24 cupcake liners
 - 2 Tbsp. butter or margarine
 - 1 cup graham cracker crumbs
 - 2 Tbsp. sugar
 - 1 can (14 oz.) sweetened condensed milk
 - 2 eggs
 - 1 Tbsp. grated lemon peel
 - 1/3 cup lemon juice
 - I can (21 oz.) cherry pie filling

Place 2 liners in each 5- or 6-oz. custard cup.* In small bowl, microwave butter at High 45 to 60 seconds, or until melted. Stir in crumbs and sugar. Place 1 rounded tablespoonful crumb mixture in each liner. Press down firmly with small glass. Blend remaining ingredients except pie filling until thickened. Place 2 tablespoons in each cup. Arrange 6 cups in ring in oven.

Microwave at 50% (Medium) 2 to 5 minutes, or just until each bubbles in 1 or 2 spots, rotating after half the time. Remove tarts as they appear done. Cool and serve topped with pie filling. (Extra pie filling can be warmed and served over ice cream.) *To re-use custard cups, transfer

baked tarts to muffin pan to cool. If less that 6 are microwaved at a time, allow 20 to 30 seconds per cup. Makes 12 servings.

CHICKEN AND VERMICELLI

Serve with: Tossed Salad, Hard Rolls and your favorite dessert. 8 ounces uncooked vermicelli 2 tablespoons olive or vegetable about 1 3/4 cups oil

1 tablespoon chopped pine nuts 2 teaspoons chopped fresh pars-

CHOCOLATE CHIFFON PEANUT BUTTER CAKE

Makes 10 to 12 servings. 1 1/2 cups unsifted cake flour 1 3/4 cups granulated sugar 2/3 cup Hershey's Cocoa 2 teaspoons baking powder 1/2 teaspoon baking soda 1 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup vegetable oil 7 eggs, separated 3/4 cup cold water 2 teaspoons vanilla 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar 1/4 cup granulated sugar Peanut Butter Whipped Cream Combine flour, 1 3/4 cups sugar, cocoa, baking powder, baking soda, and salt in a large bowl. Make a well in mixture; add oil, egg yolks, water, and vanilla. Beat with a wooden spoon

until smooth. Beat egg whites and cream of tartar in large bowl until frothy; gradually add 1/4 cup sugar and beat until stiff peaks form.

Gradually pour chocolate batter over beaten egg whites, gently folding just until blended. Pour into ungreased 10-inch tube pan. Bake at 325° for 1 hour and 20 to 30 minutes or until done (cake springs back when lightly touched). Invert cake over funnel or bottle until completely cool. Loosen cake with spatula. Invert on serving plate. Prepare Peanut Butter Whipped Cream; frost. Garnish as desired.

PEANUT BUTTER WHIPPED CREAM 1 cup Reese's Peanut Butter Chips

1/3 cup milk 1 1/2 cups miniature marshmal-

lows or 15 large marshmallows 1 cup heavy cream

1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Place peanut butter chips, milk, and marshmaliows in top of double boiler over simmering water. Stir until marshmallows and chips are completely melted; cool to lukewarm. Whip heavy cream until stiff; fold in vanilla and peanut butter mixture.

SCALLOPED POTATOES WITH CHICKEN

4 cups (boiling) potatoes, peeled and thinly sliced

1 (133/4-ounce) can chicken broth or equivalent of homemade stock,

1/2 teaspoon salt (depending on saltiness of broth)

2 tablespoons margarine 1 medium onion, chopped COPYRIGHT 1993 - THE KROGER CO. ITEMS AND PRICES GOOD SUNDAY FEBRUARY 21. THROUGH SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1993, IN PIKEVILLE WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES. NONE SOLD TO DEALERS.

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2 teaspoons large capers, drained and chopped

1/4 teaspoon dried rosemary leaves thyme

1/4 teaspoon sage leaves

1/4 teaspoon dried basil leaves

1 cup cherry tomatoes, cut into pepper fourths

1 1/2 cups cut-up cooked chicken Freshly ground pepper

Cook vermicelli as directed on package. Meanwhile, mix remaining ingredients except tomatoes, chicken and pepper in medium bowl. Stir in tomatoes and chicken. Drain vermicelli; toss with chicken mixture. Serve with pepper. 4 SERV-INGS

Nutrition Information Per Serving:

Calories, 375; Fat, 12 g; Protein, 22 g; Cholesterol, 45mg; Carbohydrate, 44g; Sodium, 45mg.

HAM ROLL-UP

8 thin slices baked ham 8 slices low-fat cheese (mozzarella, or low-fat cheddar) 16 asparagus spears (canned or

frozen), if frozen, thaw first

Roll each slice of ham around 2 asparagus spears and pin with toothpicks.

Place 1 slice of cheese on top of each roll and run under the broiler until the cheese melts. Serve immediately. Yield: 8 servings. Approx. cal/ser: 1 roll = 200.

1 or 2 ribs of celery, thinly sliced 2 tablespoons flour 1/4 teaspoon each dried basil and

1/8- 1/4 teaspoon freshly ground

2 tablespoons Parmesan cheese, grated

2 cups cubed, cooked chicken Paprika Yield: 4 to 6 servings Prep time: 30 minutes

Baking: 30 minutes In a medium saucepan, simmer

potato slices in chicken broth, covered, with extra salt if desired, for 10 minutes. Remove from heat and set aside.

Meanwhile, in medium-sized skillet or another saucepan, melt margarine and saute the onion and celery until barely tender. Add flour and stir until blended. Let cook a minute or two to eliminate the starchy taste. Have oven preheating to 350 degrees.

Gradually whisk in the chicken broth (drain from potatoes directly into the skillet), stirring constantly. Add thyme, basil and pepper. Simmer about 3 minutes. Whisk in the Parmesan cheese.

Place half the chicken pieces in the bottom of a 1 1/2-quart baking dish. Add half the potato slices and half the sauce. Repeat layers; sprinkle with paprika.

Bake, uncovered, in a 350-degree oven for 30 minutes.

Fully cooked does not mean overcooked eggs

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bery, hard and unappetizing food to perature. eat.

To make sure the eggs are fully cooked, a good rule fo thumb is to cook whole eggs until the white is completely set and the yolk begins to thicken.

Scrambled eggs need to be cooked until they are firm throughout and no visible liquid remaining.

It take five minutes to poach an

You do not have to cook eggs egg in boiling water and seven min-

These cooking times may vary Overcooked eggs produces a rub- according to egg size and initial tem-

> Foods containing raw eggs or raw egg whites may cause illness in some people. Avoid Caesar salad, mousse, egg nog, homemade mayonnaise and other foods with raw eggs in them.

When these foods are made with pasteurized eggs as they are in restaurants, they are safe.

Information compliments of the Floyd County Extension Service, Prestonsburg.



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The Floyd County Times

Farm & Family

Geranium genesis

Fresh market grape short course set February 27 in Lexington

crop or one to complement an existing operation, you might find the answer at a short course on the University of Kentucky campus later this month.

The Kentucky Fresh Market Grape Short Course is scheduled February 27 in Room N-12 of the Agricultural Sciences Building North. Registration is at 9 a.m. A \$6-fee covers lunch and meeting materials.

"Kentucky has a good potential market for seedless grapes," said John Strang, extension fruit and vegetable specialist with the UK College of Agriculture. "This short course is intended to provide more information for people interested in starting a fresh market grape operation."

Program topics include site and variety selection; economics of production; fertilization; irrigation; vine physiology; cold hardiness; trellis construction; pruning; pest control; fruit quality considerations; harvesting; and marketing. The program will goes from there."

If you're looking for a new farm conclude with a grower panel discussion on marketing.

> "Several new seedless grape varieties have performed well in Kentucky," Strang said. "Two of them, 'Reliance' and 'Mars,' have survived our winters much better than other cultivars. They are beginning to develop strong markets."

> "Most people who try these grapes really like them," he added. "And, there is a lot of interest in Kentuckygrown produce, especially from the wholesale markets."

Strang said seedless grapes would mesh especially well with orchard or small fruit operations because growers could use the same equipment and many of the same pesticides. This fruit also would be a nice addition to roadside and farmers markets.

"As with other fruit crops, seedless grapes require a high level of management," Strang said. "They are not for everybody. I'd recommend starting with one acre and see how it

Federal-State Market News Wednesday, February 17, 1993 **Gateway Livestock Market**

Cattle and calf receipts: 424.

Total livestock receipts for the week: 836.

Cattle weighed at time of sale. (Compared to last week) Slaughter cows and bulls, steady; feeder steers, steady with a light test; feeder heifers, steady to \$1 lower on a light test.

SLAUGHTER COWS: high Cutter and boning Utility, 1-3, \$48-51.50; Cutter, 1-2, \$45-48; few Canner and low Cutter, \$42-45.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: yield grade 1-2, 1380-1800 lbs. indicating 78-80 carcass boning percent, \$57.50-62.25; yield grade 2, 1085-1685 lbs. indicating 76-78 percent, \$52-57.50.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium to Large Frame No.1, 300-400 lbs., \$103-118; 400-500 lbs., \$93-105; 525-565, \$85-90; includes package 558 lbs., \$90; few 670-745 lbs., \$81.25-82.50. Small Frame No. 1, 300-400 lbs., \$92.50-98; 400-510 lbs., \$83-92.50; couple 690 lbs., \$72.50. Medium Frame No. 2, 575-750 lbs., \$70-76. Few Large Frame No. 2, Holsteins, 640-730 lbs., \$65-66.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium to Large Frame No.1, 300-400 lbs., \$83-91; 400-500 lbs., \$82.50-89; 500-600 lbs., \$77-82.50; 600-700 lbs., \$74-78.50. Small Frame No. 1, 300-400 lbs., \$73.50-80; 400-500 lbs., \$72-78; 500-615 lbs., \$69-75. Medium Frame No. 2, 350-475 lbs., \$69-75; 525-650 lbs., \$67-73.

STOCK COWS AND CALVES: Few Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 5-10 years of age, with 75-275 lb. calves at side, \$505-695 per pair.

STOCK COWS: Few Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 3-10 years of age and bred 4-8 months, \$365-695 per head.

STOCK BULLS: \$675-990 per head. BABY CALVES: \$55-182.50 per head.

Community service by teenagers is rewarded by scholarships

Adequate cooking destroys most bacteria that can cause foodborne illnesses

Thorough cooking destroys most bacteria, including E. coli, that can cause foodborne illnesses.

"The recent outbreak of illnesses caused by E. coli-contaminated hamburger would not have happened if the ground beef patties had been cooked adequately," said Fudeko Maruyama, extension food and nutrition specialist at the University of Kentucky. "Ground beef patties should be cooked well-done, which is indicated by a light gray center and juices that run clear.'

E. coli bacteria in the intestinal tract."

"This is why good personal hygiene is so critical to keep from spreading the disease to other people, as well as to foods and food-handling equipment," she said. "Wash your hands with soap after going to the bathroom, prior to preparing or cooking food, and again before sitting down to a meal."

Foodborne illnesses also can be spread by cross-contamination from meat that has the germ to other foods that are already cooked, or won't be

Blueg	rass Feeder	Pig Sale
Compare	Total head 13 d to last week pigs per CW head pigs, untested.	F, untested; per
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U.S. 1-3	175-180 lbs. PER HEAD	\$40.00

pen 62 lbs.

pen 96 lbs.

U.S. 1

\$33.75

\$38.00



For high school seniors who are graduating this year, who will continuing their education in a college, university, or vocational school next fall, and who have volunteered their time and talents to service projects in their communities, the Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) will reward them with its Community Service Scholarship.

CAP will award scholarships worth between \$500 and \$1,000 in Floyd County this year.

The recipients will be chosen by a committee of local citizens. The scholarship is for the first year of school only. It is sent directly to the student, and is to be used to pay for educational expenses such as tuition, books, room, or board.

The scholarship is given in recognition for the contributions young people make in time and talent for the betterment of their communities.

Involvement in community ser-

vice activities is the primary consideration for choosing the recipients.

Students who are regular volunteers in hospitals, nursing homes, chambers of commerce, museums, or civic organizations; who participate in special service projects through a civic club, church, or school organization are encouraged to ap-

Applications and more information can be obtained from your guidance counselor, or by contacting Glen Taul at Christian Appalachian Project, 322 Crab Orchard Road, Lancaster, KY 40446, or at 792-3051. The application deadline is April 15.

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"When a frozen hamburger patty is put on a hot griddle, the center must first thaw and then cook," she added. "The center might not be done even though the surface looks cooked."

Maruyama advised people eating hamburgers away from home to use the "first-bite test" to ensure that the meat is cooked adequately.

"When you're eating out, check the hamburger for doneness immediately after you take the first bite," she said. "If there is any pink in the meat, return it and ask for a replacement."

Maruyama said young children and the elderly are more vulnerable to foodborne illnesses because they have less resistance to disease than other age groups. Children and the elderly are more likely to have serious symptoms from E. coli, espe-

cially that strain implicated in the recent outbreak in the western U.S.

"Illness from E. coli can be spread by contact from an infected person to another individual," Maruyama said. "And, someone who has recovered from this illness might still harbor the

cooked, according to Maruyama.

"The best way to prevent crosscontamination is by keeping uncooked meat away from other foods that will not be cooked, such as salad ingredients," she said. "Always wash cutting boards and utensils that were in contact with raw meat before using them with other foods."

"Good sanitation coupled with proper handling and adequate cooking of raw meat are the keys to preventing foodborne illnesses," Maruyama added.



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1993 * Tax Supplement

Tax Tips for the Newly Divorced

A recent divorce or separation may have caused major changes in, not only your lifestyle, but your taxes as well. The following are a few general guidelines and tax tips to assist you at tax time:

Choose the correct filing status.

Your marital status is important in determining which status you will file. You may file as "single" if you are unmarried and obtained your divorce, legal separation (determined by state law), or annulment by the end of your tax year (usually December 31). You generally may file as "head of household" if you are unmarried at the end of the tax year or are married and lived apart from your spouse the last six months of the tax year, and you kept up a home for your child (listing the child's name on the return) or, if you are unmarried, for the person for whom you can claim as a dependent. Couples not divorced by year end may be able to file a "joint" return (married filing joint status), or separate returns (married filing separate status). Figure your tax both ways to make sure you are using the method that will result in the lower tax.

Exemption amount increases for 1992.

You are allowed to deduct \$2,300 for yourself and each person you can claim as your dependent for the 1992 tax year. An exemption for your spouse is allowed only if you are married and file a joint return with your spouse, or you file a separate return and the spouse had no gross income and was not a dependent on another person's return. You must list the social security numbers of all dependents who turned one year old by the end of the tax year.

Who gets to claim the kids?

There are several tests a parent must meet to claim an exemption for a child. A child's exemption usually may be claimed by one of the parents (not both) if the child had gross income of less than \$2,300 for 1992 or that child is under 19 or is a student under 24. Generally, the parent who provided more than half the child's support is allowed to claim the dependent's exemption. The parent who has custody of the child for the greater part of the year is generally treated as the parent who provided more support. If neither a divorce decree nor agreement establishes custody, then the parent who had physical custody for the greater part of the year is con-

parent by signing a written declaration, Form 8332, "Release of Claim to Exemption for Child of Divorced or Separated Parents," or similar statement.

- Alimony is income for one-deductible for the other. Alimony or separate maintenance payments you make to your spouse or ex-spouse under a divorce or separation agreement are tax deductible. You do not have to itemize deductions to claim alimony payments. Alimony or separate maintenance payments that you receive must be reported as taxable income to you. You do not deduct child support payments that you make. You do not include, in income, child support payments that you receive.
- Legal fees you pay may include deductible and nondeductible charges.

You should request a breakdown showing the amount charged for each service performed. Legal fees and court costs for getting a divorce are not deductible. However, you may deduct legal fees paid for tax advice in connection with divorce, and legal fees to get alimony that you must include in gross income. You may also include fees you pay to other professionals, such as appraisers and accountants, for services in determining the correct amount of your tax or in helping to obtain alimony. If you itemize deductions, you may claim the deductible charges, subject to the 2 percent of adjusted gross income limit.

Remember to change your tax withholding with your employer in '93.

You will usually have to file a new Form W-4, "Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate," with your employer when you become divorced or separated. Changes in income, deductions, exemptions, or filing status during 1993 may require you to change the amount of tax withheld or begin to make estimated tax payments. For instance, if you are single, divorced, or legally separated, you must claim single status on your Form W-4. If you receive alimony or other payments which are not subject to withholding, you may have to ask for additional withholding from your wages or make estimated tax payments.

IRS Publication 504, Divorced or Separated Individuals, contains specific details on the subjects as well as tax rules on property settlements. IRAs, and other

by calling 1-800-829-3676.

topics which affect divorced persons. Ask for a free copy

Free Tax Classes for Small Businesses

For those of you just starting a busiyour mind. However, learning about taxes should be high on your list of priorities.

Taxes for Teens

Teachers have one other important lesson for their students --- how to pay and file taxes.

Through the Understanding Taxes high school program, high school students learn the basics of the tax system and tax form preparation. The modular package contains video programs on a VHS cassette; software to walk" students through the 1040EZ, W-2 and W-4 tax forms; an instructor's overview booklet; and lesson plans with transparencies and duplicating masters.

The Understanding Taxes program was developed and approved by the Joint Council on Economic Education, the IRS, the Agency for Instructional Technology, and representatives from all 50 states' education and economic education agencies.

Teachers interested in the program may call the IRS Taxpayer Education Coordinator at 1-800-829-1040. Classroom volunteers may contact the IRS to find out where they can help.

Depending on a number of factors, ness, taxes may be the last thing on including whether you have employees or sell products subject to excise taxes, you may owe federal taxes before you show a profit.

> Educational institutions, national business associations and other government agencies, in cooperation with the Internal Revenue Service, offer the Small Business Tax Education Program (STEP) to acquaint new business owners with their rights and responsibilities regard-

ing federal taxes.

Most courses offer practical exercises that can teach you how to determine taxable income and how to prepare the tax forms. The advantages and limitations of a sole proprietorship, partnership and corporate forms of business are also discussed.

Get the facts now. Call the IRS at 1-800-829-1040 and ask for the Taxpayer Education Coordinator. Find out when and where the next Small Business Tax Education courses will be available in your area.

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sidered to have custody of the child. The custodial parent can release the exemption to the noncustodial

Tax Guide For Military

Two free publications about federal taxes for the military are now available from the Internal Revenue Service.

Publication 3, Tax Information for Military Personnel, tells what types of income are included in gross income, such as basic pay, bonuses for reenlistment, and hazardous duty pay. Financial items not included in gross income, such as living, moving, and travel expenses, are discussed as well.

Tax benefits available to military personnel involved in Operation Desert Shield and Operation Desert Storm are covered in Publication 945, Tax Information for Those Affected by **Operation Desert Storm.** It discusses combat pay exclusion, when to file returns, and related tax matters.

Both publications can be ordered by calling 1-800-828-3676, or by writing to the Internal Revenue Service, Forms Distribution Center, P.O. Box 25866, Richmond, VA 23289, USA.



Not only can deaf and hearingimpaired taxpayers read in Internal Revenue Service publications about certain tax deductions they are allowed, but they can also call the IRS toll-free for answers to their federal tax questions.

Throughout the United States, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands, deaf and hearing-impaired taxpayers can use their Telecommunication Device for the Deaf (TDD) equipment to dial up an IRS employee trained in TDD operation. These taxpayers can get answers to all types of tax questions, such as



deductions for TDD equipment, hearing aids, cost and care of hearing ear dogs and cost of sending children to special schools. They can also get information about bills or notices they receive from the IRS.

For tax assistance, TDD equipment users in all states, including Alaska, Hawaii, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and Puerto Rico, can call 1-800-829-4059. Only deaf and hearing-impaired taxpayers with access to TDD equipment can get tax help on this toll-free number. The hours of operation are listed in the tax package.

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Avoid Errors to Avoid IRS

Don't get another letter from the IRS about your employment taxes! If you are required to file Form 941. "Employer's Quarterly Tax Return," avoid common errors by checking the following list each quarter before filing it. This can help eliminate many of the letters which the IRS mails out each year; letters that are time consuming and costly for both you and the IRS.

- 1. Make sure you enter both taxable social security wages and the tax on line 6a, taxable social security tips and the tax on line 6b, and taxable Medicare wages and tips, and the tax on line 7. (Most employers will need to complete both lines 6a and 7.)
- 2. Check your name as it appears on the preprinted Form 941 that the IRS mails you. If the name is different in any way from the name you use to file your returns, correct the preprinted information so that the IRS can change its records.
- 3. Check the math for lines 5, 10, 13, and 14. Line 14 should always be the sum of lines 5, 10, and 13. If not, you have made an error.

4. Make sure you correctly calculate the social security tax on wages on line 6a (12.4% x social security wages)

5. Make sure you correctly calculate the Medicare tax on wages and tips on line 7 (2.9% x Medicare wages and tips).

6. Be sure to use the Form 941 that the IRS enters the date the quarter ended after your employer identification number (for example, MAR93). If you use this form for a later quarter, the IRS will need to contact you. 7. Make sure there is never an entry on both lines 18 and 19. You cannot have both a balance due and a refund

> 8. Always sign and date your return; print your name and title

Publication 15 (Circular A), Employer's Tax Guide, gives specific details on your employment tax responsibilites. Order it by calling 1-800-829-3676.

Get Your Refund Fast

You can get your federal income tax directly into your checking or savings your return electronically.

Last year, nearly 11 million taxpayso, they eliminated the hand processing of their returns and many of the errors that held up other tax returns errors such as missing schedules and arithmetic mistakes.

If you are due a refund, you may get it in as little as three weeks, two weeks if you have your refund deposited

refund weeks ahead of the crowd. File account. If you owe additional tax, you can file now and pay by April 15. In either case, you will have the benefit ers chose electronic filing. By doing of IRS confirmation that your return was received.

Many tax professionals in your area offer electronic filing to their clients. Some will even transmit returns that you have prepared yourself. Contact a tax professional in your area to ask about electronic filing services and fees.

The number of tax returns filed electonically increased from 25,000 in 1986 to 10.9 million last year.

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Calling IRS

Do you need a tax question answered? Are you missing a tax form or do you need to order a publication? Call the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

> **Telephone Tax Assistance** 1-800-829-1040

(IRS assistors answer questions)

Order Publications or Forms 1-800-829-3676 (Most publications are listed in Publication 910)

Tele-Tax — Taped Tax Messages

1-800-829-4477 (Over 140 taped messages available, some in Spanish)

Automated Refund Information 1-800-829-4477

(After mailing tax return, allow 8 weeks before calling)

> **Hearing Impaired** 1-800-829-4059 (Must have access to **TDD** equipment)



IRS mails to you each quarter. The Working Students and Taxes



Becoming an adult means taking on more responsibility, including tax responsibility. Students who work should look at their whole situation, not just how much they make on the job, when determining their tax liability. Working more hours, going from job to job, or even earning interest on a savings account could change a student's tax situation during the year.

A working student can complete Form W-4, "Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate," to determine how much, if any, tax should be withheld from each pay check. Once filled out, Form W-4 must be given to the employer so he or she may withhold as necessary. Whether a student needs withholding to pay for income tax depends on many things, including:

- the total earnings the student will make this year at this and any other job,
- savings accounts or other investments that produce income,
- scholarships that may be partially or fully taxable for the year, and
- whether the student can be claimed as a dependent on someone else's tax return.

Where Is the Refund Check?

Normal processing of a federal than those mailed in April. The chart income tax return takes approximately eight weeks if you mail your refund based on when you mailed return. Generally, returns mailed in January and February take less time



In general, a single student who can be claimed as a dependent by another person will owe no federal income tax if he or she

- does not have more than \$600 in total income, some part or all of which is unearned income: or
- is under age 24 at the end of the calendar year and earns up to \$3,600 in wages, tips, taxable scholarships, and other earned income, provided he or she has no unearned income such as interest or dividends; or
- is 24 or older at the end of the calendar year, has no unearned income, and earns less than \$2,300.

A student who is 24 or older at the end of the calendar year and earned \$2,300 or more usually cannot be claimed as a dependent on another person's return. However, if this student earns \$5,900 or more, he or she must file a tax return on which he or she can claim his or her own exemption.

For more information, get Form W-4 and Publication 4, Student's Guide to Federal Income Tax. Order them by calling the Internal Revenue Service at 1-800-829-3676.

below shows when to expect your

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your return.

Tele-Tax Refund Status Information

If you have not received your refund by the date suggested, you may check the status of your refund by calling the Tele-Tax Refund Status Information System toll-free at 1-800-829-4477. Refund information is updated only once a week.

Touch-Tone Phone Users:

Monday - Friday; 7 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Unemployment Comp Taxable, **Report On Return**

When you're collecting unemployment compensation, just because federal income tax is not being withheld doesn't mean it isn't taxable. Unemployment compensation is fully taxable and should be included on your federal income tax return.

If you receive a substantial amount of unemployment compensation in 1993, you may need to increase the amount of tax being withheld from • your wages when you do work, using Form W-4, "Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate." Or, you can make estimated tax payments, to pay the tax yourself, using Form 1040ES, "Estimated Tax for Individuals."

Unemployment compensation generally includes any amount received under an unemployment compensation law of the United States or of a state. IRS Publication 525, Taxable and Nontaxable Income, gives details on which specific benefits or payments are included as unemployment compensation. How to claim repayments is also explained in the publication.

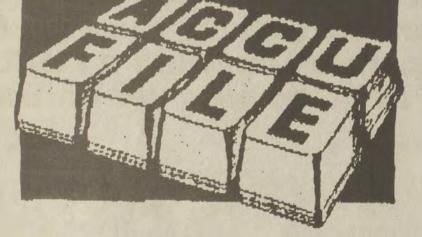
To figure out if you will need to make estimated tax payments or adjust your withholding, see Publications 919, Is My Withholding Correct for 1993?, and 505, Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax. Publications can be ordered free by calling the IRS at 1-800-829-3676.

Seniors Get Special Tax Package

The IRS has made tax time a little easier for many seniors. A tax package was designed just for them.

This package, for Form 1040A filers, includes Form 1040A; Schedule 1, for reporting over \$400 of interest or dividends; and Schedule 3, developed especially for computing the credit for the elderly or the disabled. Lines for-IRA distributions, pensions and annuities, social security benefits, estimated tax payments and estimated tax penalties are included on Form 1040A

Seniors can look for their 1040A packages to arrive in the mail at tax time, or may call the IRS at 1-800-829-3676 to order any of the above forms.



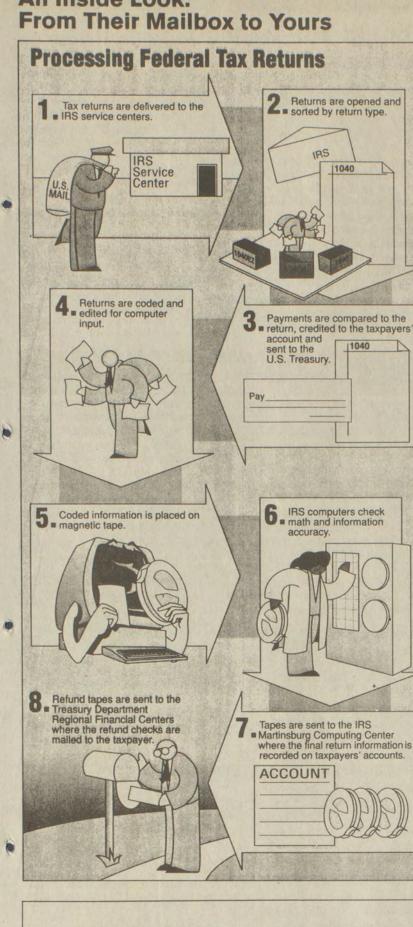
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Tax On Gifts?

No matter how modest a \$10,000plus gift giver may be, the Internal Revenue Service wants to know about the gift transaction.

Usually, people may give as many gifts of cash or property as they please, without reporting the gift, as long as the total value of all gifts given to a donee during a calendar year is \$10,000 or less. Certain gifts of more than \$10,000 for qualifying medical or educational expenses do not need to be reported.

A gift that carries with it a "future interest," however, must be reported regardless of its worth.

Even when you do have to report gift giving on your annual return, you still may not have to pay any tax on the gift. The first \$10,000 in value of gifts other than gifts of future interest in property) to each person or recipient is excluded from tax and a special "unified credit" of \$192,800 may eliminate the payment of gift taxes for many gifts.

If you receive a gift, you do not have to report the gift's value as income. However, you must include in your income any income from property you receive as a gift (for example, dividends from stock given to you).

For more information on gift taxes, order free Publication 448, Federal Estate and Gift Taxes, by calling the IRS at 1-800-829-3676.

Travelers Choose Best Route for Deducting Business Miles

Business travelers can choose one of two ways of deducting their car expenses on their federal income tax returns; by using actual operating expenses or by claiming the standard mileage rate.

When claiming actual expenses, the costs of the following items may be deducted: Gas, oil, depreciation, maintenance and repairs, rental fees, lease fees, interest, taxes, insurance, licenses, tolls, parking, and garage rent.

The standard mileage rate takes the place of certain actual expenses of operating a car. For 1992, you can deduct 28 cents a mile for an unlimited number of miles along with any business-related parking fees and tolls. You cannot use the standard mileage rate if you, (1) do not own the car, (2) use the car for hire, such as for a taxi, (3) operate two or more cars at the same time (as in fleet operations), or, (4) claimed a deduction for the car in an earlier year using ACRS or MACRS depreciation, a

1099s Due for **Payments of \$600 Plus**

Payments of \$600 or more paid in your trade or business for rents, commissions, fees, prizes, awards, etc., during a calendar year to another person (other than a corporation) require the filing of an IRS information return.

The IRS says that payments such as the above are filed on Form 1099-MISC, "Miscellaneous Income." Interest payments of \$600 or more paid on installment sales contracts are reported on Form 1099-INT, "Interest Income." IRS computers compare the data reported on these returns with individual income tax returns.

Free IRS Publication 937, Business Reporting, explains more. It can be obtained using the order form in the tax package or by calling 1-800-829-3676.

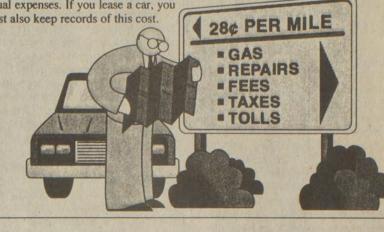
section 179 deduction, or any method of depreciation other than straight line for the estimated useful life of the car. Whether you use actual expenses or the standard mileage rate, you must

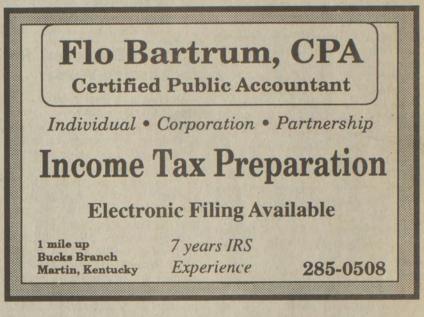
have good records to show when you started using your car for business and its cost. You must also show the drove your car during the year. The costs of operating the car (as listed above) must be shown if claiming actual expenses. If you lease a car, you

must also keep records of this cost.

If you use your car for both business and personal purposes, you have to divide your expenses between business and personal use to figure your deduction.

Free IRS Publication 917, Business Use of a Car, has more on the subject, such as how to report deductible business miles and the total miles you expenses and treatment of lease payments. Call 1-800-829-3676 to order it.







Farmers' Tax Facts

Gains or losses that result from repossession or foreclosure actions are usually treated like gains or losses from sales or exchanges.

All tangible property placed in service after 1986 must be depreciated under the Modified Accelerated Cost Recovery System (MACRS).

Debt or loan cancellations are generally considered part of a farmer's gross income.

Employment expenses paid to farm family members are deductible if there is a clear-cut record of an employer/employee relationship.

Details on all of the above can be

commodity certificates.

Payments to farmers from the government usually should be included in a farmer's income, regardless of whether the payment is toll-free, 1-800-829-3676. made in cash, materials, services, or

found in IRS Publication 225, Farmer's Tax Guide. It can be obtained, free of charge, by calling

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Generally, this credit is available to

parents who pay another to care for

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special benefits. Parents can find

for Form 1040 or 1040A and

in Publication 17, Your

Federal Income Tax.

Both can be ordered

by calling

more information in the instructions

Single Parents Get Tax Breaks

Everyone can use a break now and is available to low-income parents who then. At tax time, single parents may have at least one qualifying child livget a tax break. If certain qualifications are met on their federal income tax returns, they are eligible to use a spe- nontaxable amounts. A second credit, cial filing status and claim certain the "dependent care credit," can reduce income tax credits.

Many single parents qualify to file refunded if it is more than the tax. their tax returns as "head of household." This status gives a larger standard deduction which reduces the amount of income being taxed. Also, depending on the amount of taxable income, income may be taxed at a lower rate than that of single and married-filing-separately filers.

To file as head of household, the parent must be unmarried, or considered unmarried, on the last day of the year. The parent must pay more than half the cost of keeping up his or her home. His or her spouse must not have lived in the home during the last six months of the tax year. Also, generally his or her child must live in that home. for more than six months of the year. The child does not have to be the parent's dependent unless the child is married or a foster child.

Other breaks available to single parents come in the form of tax credits. These credits are applied directly against any tax owed. The earned income credit (EIC), which may even be refunded if no other taxes are owed,



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Go On, File It!

Out of sight, out of mind? Don't be fooled into thinking that not filing an income tax return is the answer to your tax dilemma. Nonfilers who owe taxes face higher penalties, while those who fail to file for refunds could lose their right to the money.

The penalty for failing to file a federal income tax return - five percent per month of the tax due - is ten times the late payment penalty: onehalf percent per month. And all overdue taxes are subject to interest charges - currently eight percent per year, compounded daily. A person who fails to claim a refund within three years of the due date of the tax return loses the right to the refund.

IRS experience shows that many nonfilers are single people with low to middle incomes. They may lack a W-2 form or an interest statement needed to complete the return. Or they owe a balance they can't pay. Or they skipped filing for one or more years and now they're afraid of contacting the IRS. Those who would get refunds are usually wage earners. Selfemployed individuals - who don't have taxes withheld - are more likely to have a balance due. However it happened, the IRS wants to help nonfilers settle their tax problems.

The IRS offers taxpayer assistance through walk-in offices, a toll-free information number - 1-800-829-1040 — and trained volunteers at locations in your community. For those missing a W-2 form, there's a substitute form to reconstruct income and withholding. A payment plan may be set up for those who can't pay the full amount owed.

The most important thing, according to the IRS, is to keep fear from letting this year's deadline slip by. By taking action now, those who might otherwise become nonfilers will keep their problems from multiplying on April 15.

Rental Income Is Taxable

Income from U.S. rental properties received by nonresident aliens is taxable in the year it is received.

The rental income can be from real property or any interest in U.S. property. Generally, rental income is subject to 30 percent tax because it is not effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business.

Rental income can also be treated as income effectively connected with a trade or business which allows the taxpayer to claim deductions for rental expenses. The taxpayer may make this choice by attaching a statement to the tax return. This is explained in detail in IRS Publication 519, U.S. Tax Guide for Aliens.

To qualify to claim the deduction on rental property, taxpayers must file their returns on time.

The necessary forms and instructions and Publication 519 are available from the IRS, Forms Distribution

Free Tax Help Available to Many

The Internal Revenue Service has many programs to help people learn about taxes and do their tax returns. Many of these programs, sponsored by local organizations, have IRStrained volunteers working in the community. Some programs are yearround efforts; some are available only during the tax filing season from January to mid-April.

The Community Outreach and Small Business Tax Education Programs operate all year long. Outreach sessions provide free help with federal tax returns to members of groups or associations. Major tax law changes and information of interest to single parents and seniors are some of the topics covered. There is line-byline self-help preparation of federal tax returns for those who want to prepare their own.

Through the Small Business Tax Education Program, trained experts teach small business workshops. These workshops are especially useful to those starting a new business, but they offer information helpful to all small business taxpayers. Topics include employment taxes, federal tax deposit rules, quarterly returns,

Contact Employer, IRS

Employers are required to supply each

of their employees with Form W-2,

"Wage and Tax Statement," by

February 1, 1993. If you don't receive

a W-2 form by that date, ask your

employer for one. Your employer can

even provide you with a duplicate if

your original is misplaced.

for Missing W-2s



accounting methods, and other tax-related issues

During the tax filing season, two groups of IRS-trained volunteers in community locations help fill out tax returns for the elderly, people with disabilities, non-English speaking and other people who cannot afford professional assistance. Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE) volunteers are trained specifically in issues that may affect older taxpayers such as the credit for the elderly or the disabled and the taxability of social security

benefits. Volunteers working in the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program are trained in special credits and deductions such as the child care and earned income credits, the tax credit for the elderly, and deductions for medical and dental expenses. Both groups are trained to do basic Forms 1040, 1040A and 1040EZ.

For more information on the tax help and education programs in your area, call 1-800-829-1040 and ask for the Taxpayer Education Coordinator.

Some Small Businesses Get to Use Easier Tax Form Do you have what it takes to file your federal income tax return?

Reporting your business profit in your federal income tax return may be simpler this year by using the new Schedule C-EZ, "Net Profit From Business.'

Schedule C-EZ is available now as an alternative to using Schedule C, "Profit or Loss From Business," as long as certain conditions regarding your business were maintained for your tax year.

You can use Schedule C-EZ if you operate only one business or practice one profession as a sole proprietorship without a net loss, and you meet certain other requirements. Some of these are as follows:

- the gross receipts from your business were \$25,000 or less,
- your expenses were \$2,000 or less, the cash method of accounting was used.
- you had no employees during

Check Your Withholding!

Make sure your federal income tax withholding is correct. Changes in your financial or personal situation may affect the accuracy of your withholding. Since you last filed Form W-4, "Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate," with your employer, did you:

Have to pay more tax when you filed your 1992 tax return than your 1991 return?

Marry or divorce?

Should You Itemize?

Continuing tax changes make it possible for many taxpayers to file the simpler 1040A and 1040EZ forms. However, there will be millions of taxpayers who will find it to there advantage to itemize deductions on the 1040 form.

Generally, you will benefit from itemizing deductions if, during the year, you paid interest and taxes on a home you own, or had unusually large uninsured medical and dental expenses. or made large contributions to qualified charities, or had major uninsured casualty losses. Even some employee business expenses are allowed.

To itemize your deductions, you must file Form 1040 and fill in Schedule A (Form 1040). Schedule A

provides space for listing deductible medical and dental expenses, charitable contributions, taxes, interest paid, casualty or theft losses, and miscellaneous items such as union dues or business-related educational expenses. Those who can't itemize can still use Form 1040 to claim other items, such as the penalty on early withdrawals of savings.

Records of your deductible items should be kept, including canceled checks and receipts. This will verify your expenses if the IRS examines your return. It will also help you determine whether your itemized deductions are greater than the standard deduction --- the basic deduction allowed for non-itemizers.

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It would usually benefit you

(*Married Filing Separate filers who can take an exemption for a spouse should see Standard deduction chart for people age 65 or older or blind in their tax instruction booklet for the amounts that apply to them.)

The IRS's recorded tax information phone line, Tele-Tax, has several subjects you can listen to for details on itemized deductions. Call 1-800-829-4477 and request any of the following topics:

301	Should I itemize?	308	Miscellaneous expenses
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303	Deductible taxes	310	Business use of car
304	Moving expenses	311	Business travel expenses
	Interest expense		Business entertainment exp
306	Contributions		Educational expenses
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If you cannot get the form by February 15, call the IRS toll-free telephone number for your area. The number is listed in the federal tax forms instruction booklets. You will be asked for your employer's name,

address, telephone number, and if known, identification number (if available, check your records for a prior year's W-2 form from the same employer). The IRS will contact your employer and/or will give you a substitute W-2 form to attach to your return.

The Form W-2 is important, not only because a copy of it must be attached to your tax return when you file, but also as a personal record for

The form includes such items as the wages paid, the amount of federal income tax withheld, social security and Medicare tax withheld, any uncollected employee social security and Medicare tax on tips, social security and Medicare wages, social security and Medicare tips, advanced earned income credit payments, and the cost of group-term life insurance over \$50,000.

If your W-2 form has an error, notify the employer of the error so the employer can send a corrected

W-2 form to you and the government.

you are not required to file Form 4562, "Depreciation and

the year,

Amortization," and you do not have prior year unallowed passive activity losses from this business.

For more information, see the instructions for Schedule C-EZ. If Schedule C is used to determine profit or loss, deductible expenses are reported in Part II. For details on expenses you can deduct, refer to the intructions for Schedule C. Both are in your tax package, or can be ordered by calling 1-800-829-3676.

Employers Must Identify Workers

Are all of your employees certified to work in this country?

Each new employee must complete the employee part of Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) Form 1-9, "Employment Eligibility Verification."

Employers are to complete the employer part of the form to verify the employee's identity and eligibility to work.

Completed Forms I-9 are to be sent to the INS. They can be obtained from INS offices. For more information, contact the INS.

Center, P.O. Box 25866, Richmond, VA 23289, USA.

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Gain or lose a dependent?

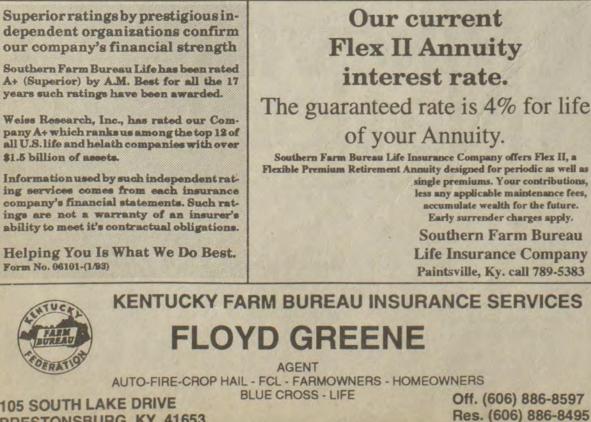
Have a change in:

- nonwage income (interest, dividends, capital gains, etc.) family wage income (more)
- than one job or both spouses work)
- itemized deductions (purchase or sale of a home, etc.)

If you checked any of the above, you may need to complete a new W-4 for 1993 and give it to your employer. IRS Publication 919, Is My Withholding Correct?, can help. Order Form W-4 and Publication 919 by calling 1-800-829-3676.



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Checking It Twice Makes It Nice

A little time spent now checking your return can save you a lot of time waiting for your refund.

Mistakes such as income reported on the wrong line and missing schedules slow down processing. A quick check to see if the tax return is complete, correct and easy-to-read can eliminate problems before they occur. Once your tax return is completed,

check the following:

- Are your name and social securty number on each schedule?
- Are the names of all dependents, and social security numbers of those one year and older, on your return?
- Is your arithmetic correct?
- Did you claim the correct standard deduction, unless you itemized, for your filing status? Especially double-check if you can be

claimed as someone else's dependent.

- . Have you used the right figure from the proper column in the Tax Table?
- Do you qualify for the earned income credit (EIC)? (See your tax package instruction booklet for qualifications.)
- If you made estimated tax payments, have you made the correct entry for your payments on your Form 1040 or 1040A?
- Are all Forms W-2, "Wage and Tax Statement," and supplemental tax forms and schedules attached?
- Did you sign and date the return? If you are married and filing a joint return, did your spouse also sign and date it?
- Did you use the peel-off label and pre-addressed envelope? If the label is not correct, carefully make changes on the label.
- Did you make a copy of the return for your records?

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THE JOB

Outlook

Kentucky State PEP Week declared by Governor Jones

Governor Brereton Jones declared the week of March 8-12, as Kentucky State PEP Week.

PEP, or Personal Economics Program, is a national financial education program administered in Kentucky by the Kentucky Bankers Association (KBA) and local bankers. During Kentucky State PEP Week, bankers will be setting record number goals as they strive to reach students and adults with their educational messages on banking, finance, loans, savings investments and many other financial topics. The Kentucky PEP bankers hope to make at least one hundred presentations across the state that should reach approximately 5,000 students during Kentucky State PEP Week.

Over 250 bankers actively participate in the Kentucky Bankers Association's PEP program. This totally volunteer effort works with local civic leaders and educators to

expand or supplement educational programs.

According to Selina Parrish, KBA's state PEP coordinator, nationally the program reaches more than 600,000 students. She explained that out of that figure, Kentucky bankers reach about 53,000 students with over 1,400 presentations across the state. Parrish said that the Kentucky Bankers Association can find a subject and speaker for any group or age level at no cost to the organization or school where the presentation is being made.

PEP is a FREE public service offered by Kentucky bankers through the Kentucky Bankers Association. To arrange a presentation contact Selina Parrish at the Association's offices by calling 502/582-2453 or writing: Kentucky Bankers Association; Personal Economics Program; One Riverfront Plaza; Suite 500; Louisville, Kentucky 40202.

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JOB TITLE	EXPERIENCE	EDUCATION	SALARY	COUNTY
AUTO MECHANIC, FP LND	3 YEARS	12	NEGOTIABLE	JOHNSON
CABLE TV TECHNICIAN	3 YEARS	08	\$8.00 HOUR	FLOYD
CAKE DECORATOR, PART-TIME	1 YEAR	10	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
CASHIER-CHECKER	3 MONTHS	12	\$4.25 HOUR	FLOYD
COOK, FAST FOODS	6 MONTHS	10	\$4.25 HOUR	
CUTTING MACHINE OPERATOR, JOY	1-4 YEARS	08	\$70-80 DAY	
DELI WORKER, PART-TIME	NONE	12	\$4.25 HOUR	
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN	CERTIFIED	12	PAID BY TRIP	
FAST FOOD WORKER, PART-TIME	NONE	10	\$4.25 HOUR	
INDUSTRIAL ENGINEER	3-5 YEARS	16	\$30,000 YEAR	AREA
INSURANCE SALES REP.	NONE	12	COMMISSION	AREA
LEARNING DISABILITIES TEACHER	CERTIFIED	16	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
MANAGER ASSISTANT, TRUCK STOP	1 YEAR	12 .	\$250 WEEK	
MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST	CERTIFIED	16	\$24,000 YEAR	FLOYD
MINE SURVEYOR, UNDERGROUND	2 YEARS	12	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
PHYSICAL TECHNOLOGIST	CERTIFIED	16	\$24,000 YEAR	FLOYD
PHYSICAL THERAPIST	LICENSED	16	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
PHYSICIAN, PRIMARY	LICENSED	19	\$80,000 YEAR	FLOYD
PROGRAM AIDE, PART-TIME	AGE 55 OR OLDER		\$4.25 HOUR	FLOYD
SALES REP., ADVERTISING	6 MONTHS (NEED RESUME)	12	NEGOTIABLE	JOHNSON
SALES REP. TRUCK PRODUCTS	1 YEAR (NEED RESUME)	12	\$4.25 HOUR	FLOYD
SALES REP., WATER SYSTEMS	I YEAR	12	COMMISSION	AREA
SHUTTLE CAR OPERATOR, JOY-21	1 YEAR	08	\$10.00 HOUR	MAGOFFIN
ROOF BOLTER, AIR DOX-RESIN BOLTS	1 YEAR	08	\$10.00 HOUR	FLOYD
TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION TEACHER	CERTIFIED (6-8)	16	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
WAITER/WAITRESS	6 MONTHS	10	\$4.25 HOUR	AREA

PRESTONSBURG.....443 N. LAKE DRIVE.....MONDAY THRU FRIDAY. PAINTSVILLE..ROOM 223.COURTHOUSE....MONDAY THRU FRIDAY. INEZ.ROOM 100...MARTIN CO.COURTHOUSE.THURSAYS ONLY.... SALYERSVILLE.IST FLOOR..COURTHOUSE...MONDAY THRU FRIDAY. .8AM-4:30PM .9AM-2:00PM

KENTUCKY JOB SERVICE TIP OF THE WEEK

The <u>TIP</u> is <u>POSTURE</u>. Watch your posture. Create a good impression by assuming a graceful position in the chair. Don't yawm or slouch or display signs of nervousness.

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. Roll over IRA payment before it can be taxed



Q: I recently received a payment from my IRA. It was from a bank that recently went down the tubes. I did not request that distribution. The bank just mailed it to me. Is this taxable to me? Can I roll it over?-J.W., Louisville, Ky.

A: If a government-insurance agency gives you a check for your IRA balance, the check is a taxable distribution. It is also subject to the early withdrawal penalty if you happen to be under 59 1/2 years of age. This is true even if the payout is involuntary. To avoid tax, you must roll the payment over to another IRA within 60 days of receipt.

Q: We installed an elevator on our

'How to Begin Depreciating Your Property." This user-friendly publication, which can be ordered by calling IRS on their toll-free number, 1-800829-3676, is the result of an IRS initiative to simplify instructions and reduce taxpayers' burden. This free publication is a step-by-step approach to figuring the depreciation deductions and filling out the required tax form. The large-print, two-column format is easy to read and contains easy to follow examples, worksheets and even a glossary containing many of the definitions and explanations that all good students of Depreciation 101 should know.

A: Start with IRS Publication 946,

Q: I have been asked by a friend to attend a seminar on investments and rental properties in Florida. I will pay for half of the trip and the sponsors pays for the other half. Would my half be a tax-deductible expense?-K.W., Annapolis, Md.

A: Tax deductions don't come that easy. Think of it more as being a trip away from home, new opportunities, an investment into the future. Presently, no deduction is allowed for travel or other costs incurred while attending a seminar, convention or similar meeting for investment activities that are unrelated to your trade or business.



Business After Hours

The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce and David School held a Business After Hours at the school on February 11. Approximately 100 people attended this first Business After Hours for 1993.

BY CHARLES J. GIVENS MONEY STRATEGIES

Here are a couple of tax tips to help you reach your financial goals. Save money on your income taxes

by claiming an earned income credit. A credit is a dollar for dollar reduction of the income tax you owe. Claim earned income credit if you maintain a household that is the principal residence for you and a child or children fore more than half of the year. You must be:

You may elect to receive advance payment of the credit through your paycheck. Use Form W-5 to notify your employer.

Another tax strategy is to file a 4868 automatic extension. It will give you a break if you don't have your tax forms completed on time and also reduces your chances of audit.



JOBS and GED

Robin Nelson, JOBS participant, recently received her GED diploma. Frank Salyers, JOBS coordinator and Glenda Gaye Dawson, JOBS case manager, presented her with a Certificate of Achievement.



stairs to assist my wife. This was done at the advice of our doctor and strictly for medical purposes. Is the maintenance and upkeep also deductible? -T.R., Springfield, Ill.

A: If a capital expense qualifies as a medical expense, amounts that you pay for its operation and upkeep also qualify as medical expenses as long as the medical reason for the capital expense still exists. This is true even if none or only part of the original capital expense qualified as a medical care expense.

Q: You talk about tax simplification. I'm not stupid, but after reading the instructions for depreciation, I don't even know what the question is let alone the answer. Is there a better way?-R.D., Reading, Pa.

Hall and Rorrer pass CPA exam

Two Floyd Countians have successfully completed the Kentucky State Board of Accountancy Uniform CPA Examination given in November. Lenny Hall of McDowell and Lauren Slone Rorrer of Prestonsburg were among thirty-nine candidates who were successful at their first attempt in taking the examination.

The successful candidates will receive their CPA certificates upon completion of the two-year experience requirement.



Webb joins Century 21

Terrie Webb had joined Century 21 American Way Realty firm as a sales associate. She and her husband, Tommy, reside at Langley with their son Justin.

Q: I retired on disability and received a lot of back pay because of this disability. Is this taxable income? -T.R., Orlando, Fla.

A: Yes. If you retired on disability during the past year, any lump-sum payment for accrued annual leave, vacations, time off, etc., that you received when you retired is a salary payment. This payment is not a disability payment and is reported as wages in the year you receive it.

(Send your questions to: The Tax Adviser, c/o George W Smith & Co., P.C. 29229 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Ml 48034. Due to the volume of mail, personal replies cannot be provided.)

1. Married, filing a joint return and entitled to a dependency exemption for a son or daughter, adopted child or stepchild; or

2. A surviving spouse; or

3. Head of household, and your household includes a child (or descendant of the child) who is unmarried or, if married, must qualify as your dependent.

The credit is 14 percent of your earned income up to \$6,810, or \$953.40 up to income of \$10,730. When earned income is between \$10,731 and \$20,264, the credit is 10 percent of the greater of either your earned income or your adjusted gross income.

The automatic extension gives you an extra four months-until Aug. 15-to file your tax return. It only extends your time to file, not your time to pay taxes. Most taxpayers have already paid in the money they owe through payroll withholding. From the tax tables, you must enter your total taxes owed for the year. You can estimate this amount, but be as exact as you can. If the estimate is not within 90 percent of taxes owed to the IRS, the extension will be null and void. You will owe interest on tax not paid by the regular due date of your return and could owe a late payment penalty of up to 25 percent and a late filing penalty of up to 25 percent if the IRS thinks you were simply avoiding paying the money vou owe.

own boss and get a great home, too! Excellent monthly gross income on this grocery/ gas business which includes a large walk-in cooler and 3 other coolers. Included is a 3-bedroom, 3-bath brick home with a new roof, 2-car garage, 2 fireplaces and gas furnace, JUST REDUCED, A-006-F.

FAMILY WANTED for beautiful home on 2 acres m/l. Over 3000 sq. ft. of living area with large fam. room, rec room with fireplace, 3.5 baths, 5 bdrms. and much more. B-006-F. PRESTONSBURG: A must-see! 4-bedroom, 3-bath brick home with a large rec room, formal dining/living rooms. Convenient location. W-005-F.

NEW LISTING 5 PRIME RESIDENTIAL LOTS in a nice, clean neighborhood, beside a blacktop road located in Johnson County area. M-015-J.



SALYERSVILLE-This 3-bedroom is heated and cooled with heat pump. \$69,900. HI HAT-Two homes, 2,000 sq. ft. Commercial building. \$87,000 BULL CREEK-Three-bedroom home with two mobile homes. 10 acres. \$85,000. HI HAT-28 acres, approximately 2 acres level w/two homes. \$49,900. McDOWELL-Two-bedroom home with appliances. \$17,400. COMMERCIAL PROPERTY:

DWALE-(Formerty Davis Grocery) All equipment and 3-bedroom apt. \$30,000. Two-story brick bldg. on Main Street in Martin. \$29,900. BUILDING on 40x60 lot on South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg. \$29,900.

NEED QUICK CASH? CALL ALLIED ABOUT AN AUCTION !!!

Scott named **HBAK director**

Rush Scott of Pikeville will serve as the 1993 HBAK (Home Builders' Association of Kentucky) alternate national director.

The Home Builders Association of Kentucky recently installed the 1993 Senior and National Officers in Owensboro. These officers will serve as the leadership for the 3,700 member firm trade association representing over 15,000 members throughout the Commonwealth.

Scott is the president of Scott Building Contractors, Inc., and the general manager of Scott's Cabinet Center and Supply in Pikeville.

Scott builds single-family residential and light commercial projects and is also involved in remodeling. In 1978 he became a charter member of the Eastern Kentucky Home Builders Association and has served as their president for two terms.

He had been an HBAK state director since 1980 and is serving a twoyear term as HBAK Area 4 vice president.

As national director and area vice president, Scott will travel throughout the eastern part of the state and attend numerous national home builder meetings.

BENCHMARK REALTY, INC. H.C. 71, Box 192 Prestonsburg Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653 Office 886-2048

Morris Hylton Jr., Broker

LAKE ROAD-This is an exceptional investment! This 3,500± sq. ft. block building on 0.53 acre, formerly used as a grocery store and bait shop with an established record in the past. Located on main road (Rt. 3), approx. 1/2 mile to beautiful Jenny Wiley State Park. Call Hansel today, because spring is just around the corner! 886-2048.

RT. 114 (MOUNTAIN PARKWAY)

Tract (1)-3/4 acre includes 2 singlewide mobile homes, producing over \$500.00 in monthly income. A duplex having 1500 sq. ft. renting for \$500.00 monthly. Tract (2)-Nice building lot or 2-3 mobile home sites. Call 874-9033 for more details.

1 1/2 MILES FROM U.S. 23-This duplex is an ideal buy! Live in one and lease the other. Each unit has 3 bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths, living room, dining room, kitchen and utility area. Call 874-9033 for an appt. to view.

WANTING TO INVEST? Try this 3-unit townhouse. Located just off U.S. 23 between Prestonsburg and Pikeville. Fully occupied, monthly income of over \$1000.00. Each unit has 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, plus much more! Call now! 874-9033.

OTHER LISTINGS:

DWALE-4-5 bedrooms, 1 bath, approx. 1 1/2 acre lot.

ABBOTT CREEK (OFF NEW US 23)-3 bdms., 2 baths, Benchmark-built home. SPURLOCK-3-bedrooms, 2 full baths, great room, 2-car attached carport. RT. 1210 (STEPHENS BRANCH)-Approx. sq. ft. 4,038, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 22±

PEREMELE-1 1/2-story, 3 bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths. GARRETT (ON ROUTE 80)-3 bedrooms, 2 baths, approx. 1,152 sq. ft. PRESTONSBURG-3 bedrooms, 1 bath, in town. ALLEN-2-story, 3,726 sq. ft.±, 4 bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths. BANNER-2 bedrooms, 1 bath, priced at \$27,500.00.



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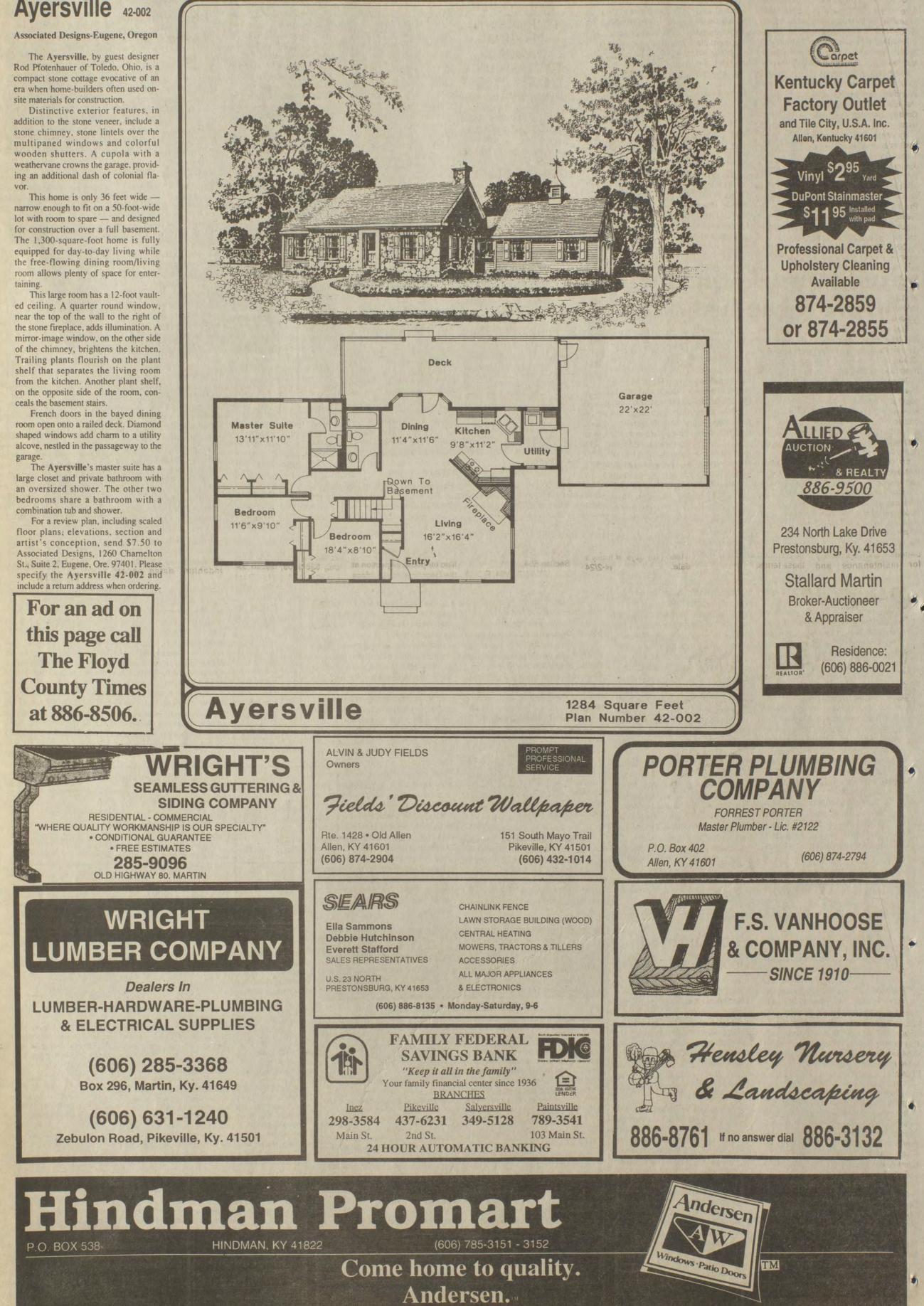
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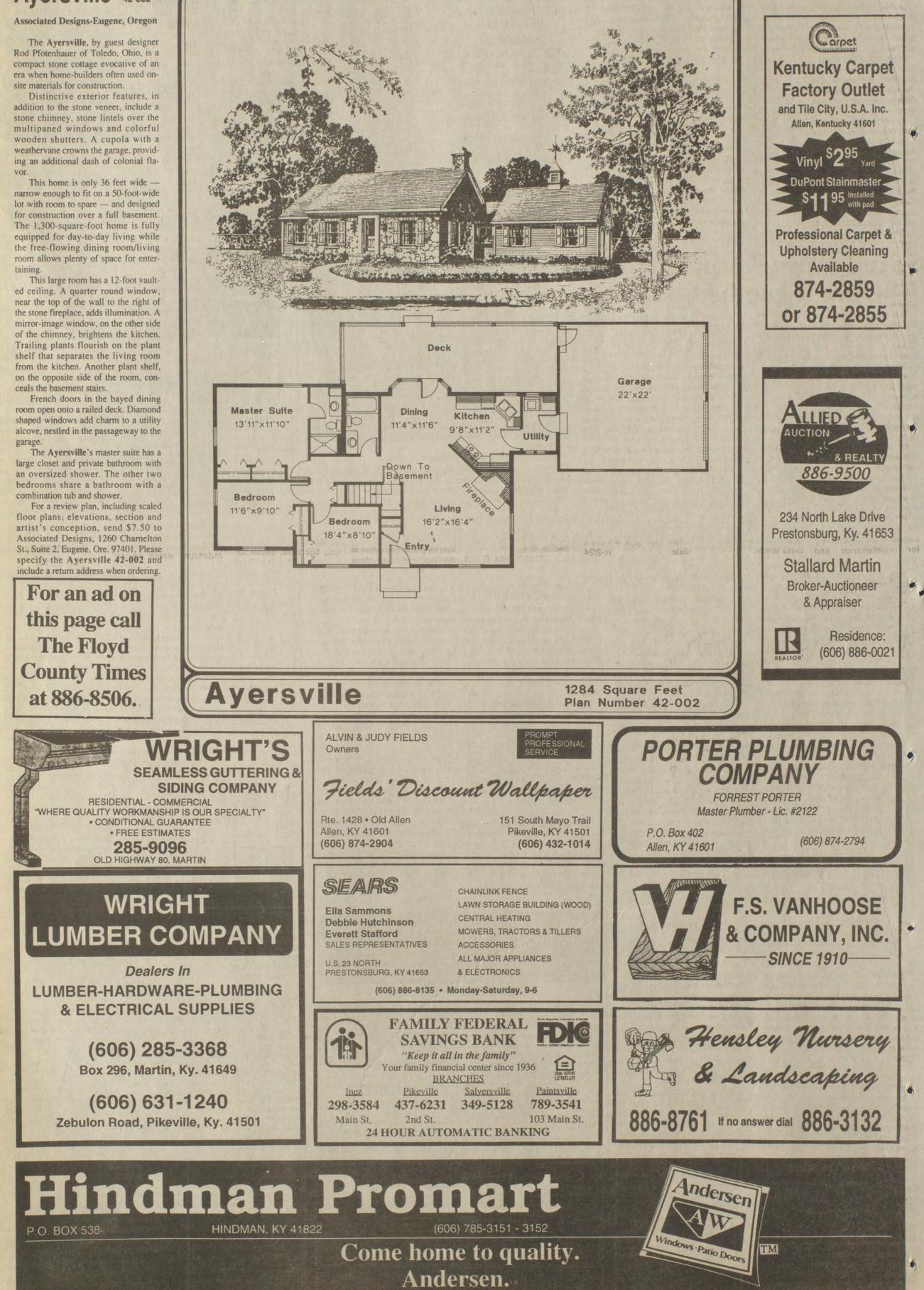
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The Floyd County Times

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

C. A. NO. 91-CI-841 The Citizens Bank of Pikeville, Agent: Star Bank National Association (formally the First National Bank of Cincinnati),Plaintiff trustee... **VS: NOTICE OF SALE**

Roy Glen Justice, and Wanda K. Justice, his wife, Patricia Justice, and Floyd County, Kentucky...Defendant

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the January 21 term, 1993, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 25th being a day of the regular Floyd County records. term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a Fredit of (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of thereon from the 13th day of land lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Abbott 10% per annum and Creek, bounded and described as follows:

Being lot no. 21, in Abbott Development, revised by plat dated April 2, 1975, as shown by plat on file in the of advertising of this sale office of the clerk of the Floyd and the fees and commis-County Court to which sions for conducting this reference is made for a particular description.

It is expressly understood that second parties hereby acquired, along with the above property, a 1/6 interest in the sewage treatment system installed adjacent to the homes of which a total of six (6) are to be erected, with joint ownership and responsibility maintenance and for

operation of same. However, first party, (Abbott Development, Inc.) reserves unto itself the right of ingress and egress in and to said sewage disposal system for the purpose of enlarging same to provide adequate sewage service to additional homes which may be constructed and sold on adjoining property.

Being the same property conveyed to Roy Glen Justice and Patricia D.

Justice, his wife at that time, by deed from Delcie B. Blair, single, dated November 12, 1985, recorded in Deed Book 296, Page 377, Floyd County records, and being the same property in which Patricia D. Justice, then single, conveyed her undivided interest to Roy Glen Justice by deed dated day of February, 1993, at May 19, 1987, recorded in 10:00 o'clock a.m., same Deed Book 310, Page 488,

This property is sold, subject to property taxes due Floyd County, Kentucky. The amount of money to

be raised by this sale shall be \$60,743.25, with interest January, 1993, at the rate of continuing thereafter until fully paid. Also included shall be Plaintiff's reasonable attorney's fees and the costs of this action, including costs

sale. For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with

these terms.

Given under my hand, this 5th day of February, 1993. James R. Allen, Master Commissioner Floyd Circuit Court W-2/10, 2/17, 2/24

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE **Pursuant to Application**

February 9, 1993

DATE OPEN

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completed.

Transportation

from designated areas.

QUIREMENTS: none

Number 836-5209, **Operator Change**

In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Miracle Coal Company, Rt. 122, P.O. Box 66, Drift, Kentucky 41619, intends to revise permit number 836-5209 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Miracle Coal Company. The new operator will be Trina Coal Co., Inc., P.O. Box 9, Drift, Kentucky 41619.

The operation is located 1 mile Northeast of Drift in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 1.0 miles East from KY. 122 junction with Stonecoal Branch Road and located 0.01 miles North of Stonecoal Branch. The operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37º 30' 41", and longitude 82º 44' 15".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's W-2/24 date.

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION STEPHEN W. TOWLER, NOTICE OF SUPERINTENDENT ARNOLD AVENUE INTENTION PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41853 TO MINE **EMPLOYEE Pursuant to Application** No. 836-5292 PROMOTIONAL In accordance with KRS PROGRAM

350.055, notice is hereby VACANCY given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Hwy. 80 **POSTING NOTICE** West, P.O. Box 728, Martin, February 25, 1993 Kentucky 41649, has DATE CLOSED applied for a permit for an OFFICIAL TITLE OF POSIunderground coal mining TION: School Bus Driver operation located 0.57 miles JOB LOCATION: Allen Northwest of Halo in Floyd & Central Area—(Handicap Knott Counties. The proposed operation will SALARY RANGE: \$33.00 disturb 3.23 surface acres and will underlie 455.00

CONTACT PERSON: Earl acres, and the total area D. Ousley, Director of within the boundary will be 458.23 acres. BRIEFJOBDESCRIPTION: The proposed operation

Transport students to and is approximately 2.84 miles southwest from Ky. Rte. 1498s junction with Ky. Rte. MINIMUM REQUIRE-122 and located 0.18 miles **MENTS: Certification as** required by the Kentucky southwest of Jacks Creek. The latitude is 37º 19' 16". Department of Education. The longitude is 82º 44' 33". Applicant must have high The proposed operation school diploma or GED. located on the Applicant must have the

Wheelwright & Kite U.S.G.S. **Commercial Drivers License** 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be ADDITIONAL JOB REdisturbed is owned by Progress Land Corporation. Applicant must submit an The operation will underlie up-dated, signed application land owned by Progress to the Superintendent of the Land Corporation, Dingus Floyd County Board of Bates, Andy Johnson, Ailean Education no later than Hall, Doy Issacs, Vernus February 24, 1993 to be Issacs, Floyd Hall, Forrestor considered for an interview. Caudill, Burl Johnson, Henry *Applicant will be notified for Hall, Kermit Boleyn, Walter an interview as soon as Burke, Thomas Younce and arrangements have been Ellis Hall. The operation will use the underground method of mining. The The Floyd County Board of not operation will affect an area discriminate on the basis of within 100 feet of public race, color, national origin, roads, Ky. Route 1498 and age, religion, marital status, Upper Jacks Creek Road. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the

> The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcements Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1468. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permi

wife, Vincent O. Colvin, single, Nicole Sue Colvin, single, Andrew Johnson, personally and as guardian of Heather Johnson, by deed dated February 4, 1987, and recorded in Deed Book 307, Page 313, recorded in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

This property is sold subject to property taxes due Floyd County, Kentucky.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be in the sum of \$5,920.07 with interest at the rate of 13.50% per annum from August 17, 1992 until paid, and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute

bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 5th day of February, 1993. James R. Allen,

Master Commissioner Floyd Circuit Court W-2/10, 2/17, 2/24

PUBLIC NOTICE

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

Coal Mac, Inc., 836-0183, issued 93/01/27; JRM Coal Co., 836-6008, issued 93/ 01/29; N.A.L.R. Coal Corporation, 836-0236, issued 93/01/06; Northern Processing, 836-8014, issued 93/01/28 and T & K Mining Co. Inc., 836-6021, issued 93/01/12. W-2/24

NOTICE OF **ENACTMENT** AND SUMMARY **OF ORDINANCE** I. TITLE

ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF FLOYD. KENTUCKY, RELATING TO THE REFUNDING AND **REDEMPTION PRIOR TO** MATURITY OF THE OUT-STANDING COUNTY OF FLOYD, KENTUCKY RESI-DENTIAL MORT-GAGE REVENUE BONDS. SERIES 1979, DATED APRIL 1, 1979; THE AUTHORIZATION OF UP TO \$6,128,000 (PLUS OR MINUS \$900,000) OF COUNTY OF FLOYD, KENTUCKY MORTGAGE **REVENUE REFUNDING** BONDS, SERIES 1993; **THEBORROWING BY THE** COUNTY OF UP TO \$6,500,000 SECURED BY **AND PAYABLE FROM THE** FUNDS RELEASED TO THE COUNTY BY REASON OF THE REDEMPTION OF SAID SERIES 1979 BONDS; AND THE NEGOTIATED SALE, EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF SAID SERIES 1993 BONDS.

II. SUMMARY

As required by Chapters 67 and 424, I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was given second reading and adopted by the Fiscal Court of the County of Floyd, Kentucky, at its meeting on February 19, 1993 at 10:00 a.m. at the Courthouse in Prestonsburg. The Ordinance authorizes and approves the issuance of approximately \$6,128,000 (plus or minus \$900,000) of County of Floyd, Kentucky Residential Mortgage Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 1993 (the "Bonds") pursuant to a Trust Indenture dated as of February 1, 1993 between the County and The Fifth Third Bank, serving as trustee (the "Trustee"), the proceeds of which will be used to provide for the refunding and redemption by the County of its Residential Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Series 1979. The Ordinance further authorizes the sale of the Bonds to The Fifth Third Bank pursuant to a Bond Purchase Agreement dated as of February 1, 1993. The Ordinance directs the County Judge/Executive and other County officials to take any other necessary actions in connection with the issuance of the Bonds and authorizes interim financing to the extent necessary to complete the refunding. The Bonds do not represent a general obligation of the County, but are a limited obligation payable solely from the revenues pledged under the Indenture. Neither the faith and credit nor the taxing power of the County, the Commonwealth of Kentucky or any political subdivision thereof is pledged to the payment of the Bonds. The full text of the Ordinance as well as copies of the various documents to be executed in connection with the issuance of the Bonds is on file in the office of the undersigned Fiscal Court Clerk in the Courthouse in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, where it is available for public inspection. /s/ Carla Robinson Boyd **Fiscal Court Clerk** County of Floyd, Kentucky W-2/24

The work for which bids are to be submitted is a construction project for offices and related facilities as described in detail in the Contract Documents. The major items to be constructed include:

(1) A new single story 2,000 s.f. office building.

(2) Site development of said structure.

The contract documents may be examined at the following location: (1) Big Sandy Area

Development District, 503 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Copies of the contract documents, including information to bidders and required proposal forms, may be obtained at the office of: Big Sandy Area Development District upon payment of \$25.00. Any unsuccessful bidder, upon returning such a set within 10 days of bid and in good condition, will be refunded his payment and any non-bidder upon so returning such a set will be refunded \$15.00.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids. Bids will be evaluated on the basis of lowest evaluated price, criteria for which shall include: useful life of materials, ease and price of maintenance, aesthetic appearance.

To insure the execution of a contract for which the bid is made, all bids shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Big Sandy Area **Development District and in** an amount equal to five percent of the bid. W-2/24

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application Number 880-0102

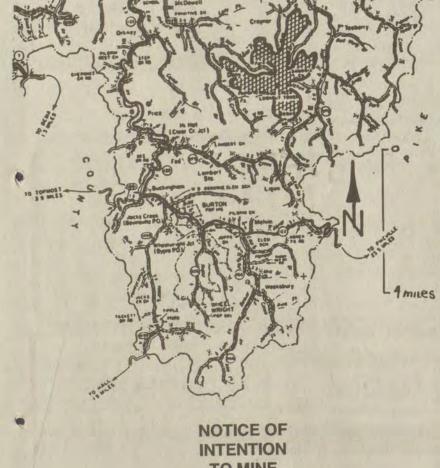
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Mountaintop Restoration, Inc., P.O. Box 940, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240, has applied for a permit for a surface and underground coal mining operation located 1.82 miles NW of Thomas in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 348.71 surface acres and will underlie 147.11 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be

Pursuant To Application

sex, or handicap in employment, educational programs or activities as set public road. forth in Title IX & VI. & in Section 504. W-2/17, 2/24, F-2/19

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

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TO MINE **Pursuant To Application** Number 436-5121, Amendment No. 2

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 300 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has filed an application for an amendment to an existing surface and underground coal mining an reclamation operation. This amendment proposes to add an additional 0.00 acres of surface disturbance and underlie an additional 619.19 acres of underground area making a total area of 1755.55 acres within the Amended Permit boundary, located 1.0 miles northwest of Beaver in Floyd County.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 0.75 mile west from KY-979's junction with Mitchell Branch Road and is located 0.75 miles west of Mud Creek. The latitude is 37º 24 37"N. The longitude is 82º 39' 55"W.

The proposed amendment area is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The proposed amendment area will underlie land owned by Walker & Carmel Tackett, Carmel Lee Tackett, Emmitt & Nannie Paige, Blaine & Zella Slone, Polly Johnson, Bob Mitchell, Lilly Hamilton, Coal Mac, Inc., Kay Preston, Phil Hall, Lina Howell Estate, Sie Jr. & Betty Hall, Carl E. & Anna Rose Bentley, Ernestine McKinney, Mitch Blankenship, Charles & Lena Page, Ire Lee & Frannie Jones, James Jones Estate, Richard & Betty Moore, Wade Frasure, Thomas & Kim Gayheart, Boone Frasure, Della Vance, Green & Helen Gayheart, Nick Cooley, John & Ida Mae Keathley, Donna Terry, Noel Blankenship, Premium Elkhorn Coal, Waris Alley, Bobby Page, Elkhorn Coal Corporation, Opal & Willie Moore, Drexal Dean Hall, Michael Collins, Mary Hamilton, Dorothy Moore, Charles Baxter, Edd Jr. & Shirley Mosley, Mike Kinney, Raymond Hall, Delores Stumbo, Moses & Roberta Frasure, John Henson and two unknown surface owners.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653-1397. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

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

Number 830-5290 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that: Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, Rt. 1, Box 27, Honaker, Kentucky 41639, has filed an application for a permit for an underground mining operation. The proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 6.07 acres and will underlie an additional 533.00 acres, for a total 539.07 acres located 1.00 mile Southwest of Blue

Moon, in Floyd county. The proposed operation is approximately 1.1 miles Southwest of Little Mud Creek road's junction with the Morgan Fork Road and located adjacent to and 0.50 miles North of Morgan Fork of Little Mud Creek. The latitude is 37 deg. 29 min. 28 sec. The longitude is 82 deg. 42 min. 33 sec. The proposed operation

is located on the McDowell and Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Clayborne Bailey, Sola Williams, Vannie Kidd, Charlie Endicott, Caner Hunter, John Hunter, Willie Lawson, Earl Watson, Roger Hunter, Earl Lee & Katherine Hall, and Ted Meade. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road "Morgan Fork Road". The operation will not involve relocation of the public road. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. W-2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/2

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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

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today's date.

C. A. NO. 92-CI-00588 Pikeville National Bank & Trust......Plaintiff VS: NOTICE OF SALE Vincent Colvin, et

al.....Defendant By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the January 21 term, 1993, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 25th day of February, 1993, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of (30) days, the following described property, to-wit:

A tract or parcel of land lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky on Otter **Creek on Left Beaver Creek** in the town of Wheelwright and being Lot No. 219, including the Dwelling House and appurtenance thereunto belonging, located on said lot or parcel of land of the Wheelwright Subdivision as shown by first parties map or plat file No. 348, records of the Floyd county Court Clerk's Office. Being the same property conveyed to Vincent O. Colvin by Edna Baskin Hisle, personally and as executor

of the estate of Ola Mae Colvin, and her husband, Archie Hisle, Birdie Lee Hunt, single, Yvonne Colvin Marvin, and her husband, Doug Marvin, Brady Colvin, Jr. and Martha Colvin, his

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE **Pursuant to** Application

Number 836-0222 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055 notice is hereby given that Laurel Creek Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 940, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240, has applied for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation affecting 174.11 acres located 0.75 miles Northwest of Ivel in Floyd County, Kentucky.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.8 miles Northeast of Ivy Creek Road's junction with U.S. Route 23 and located 0.2 miles North of Kinney Branch of Ivy Creek. The latitude is 37º 36' 02". The longitude is 82º 39' 36".

The proposed operation is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7.5' quadrangle map. The operation will use the area method of mining. The surface area is owned by S.P. Davidson Heirs, Eugene Lewis Heirs, Hatcher-Trimble Trust and Don Trimble.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the **Director of the Division** of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. W-2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/3

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The proposed operation is approximately 1.84 miles NW of State Route 194' junction with Wolf Branch Road and located 0.09 miles NE of Wolf Branch. The latitude is 37º 42' 06". The longitude is 82º 36' 05".

495.82 acres.

The proposed operation is located on the Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Pocahontas Kentucky Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by Pocahontas Kentucky Corporation.

This application includes a proposed postmine land use change from unmanaged forestland to fish and wildlife habitat.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office at 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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All proposals received will be publicly opened and read at 10:00 a.m., Friday, March 5, 1993 at the Floyd County Schools Administrative Offices, Prestonsburg, KY.

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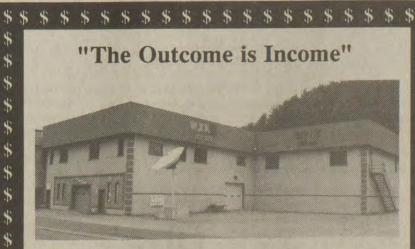
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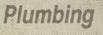


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