

### The school days in Mt. Vernon around 1900

School  
Compiled by Ray McClure

A reader complained the other day that school is not like it used to be, when there was more discipline and students were well behaved.

That sent us to old Signal to find something about schools in Mt. Vernon at the turn of the century or thereabouts.

A little light was shed on the subject written by Ralph Griffin in 1940 that reveals the happenings at Mt. Vernon schools at that early date. So, on to Ralph:

By: Ralph Griffin

Last Sunday a chance remark of Judge Felix Bowman's during his regular Men's Class lecture, brought about a back seat discussion during the intermission between Sunday School and Church services. The four or five men involved in the discussion were all alumni of the old "Recess", which was one of the two schools of learning in Mt. Vernon some thirty to forty years ago, when Judge Bowman held forth there as the "perfect men" in the district.

The building in which these gentlemen received the rudiments of the three Rs sits stands, and now serves as a dwelling and business house for Mr. Oscar Owens, grocerman. For many years it was the halting drone of recitations, the titter of suppressed laughter, the thud of thrown erasers and the whack of a disciplinary rod.

There were two schools in Mt. Vernon during those years. The "College", which stood out on Richmond street, later served as a public school for many years and was demolished not so long ago. The College was a "tuition school", and was attended by the aristocracy of the district. These aristocrats were snobs, and from their location in the valley, attempted to look down upon us "hillbillies". By the very topography of the region this was a physical impossibility, and we "hillbillies" disdained their efforts, looking down upon them instead, from our elevated position, turning up our noses and calling them unprintable names.

We of the hillside school enjoyed

the "college fellers" of course, and would have given a leg to have traded our position in life to theirs, but we would be the hill-billy who expressed any such sentiment. We ridiculed them, fought them on occasion and took pride in our school's reputation of being just a bit tough. Many of we were later able to enter the "College" as pupils, there to become snobs and aristocrats ourselves, but for the time we despised the school and everything it stood for.

I only recall attending the free school for one term, when I was under Judge Bowman's tutelage. Others attending that year, as I recall them were, Sherman Mason, "Butch" McClure, Bryan Perkins, Herbert Cox, Fred Baker, John Lair, Walter Soward, Maggie Jones and Mandy Lee. Strange to say, I can remember no others, although there were many more, I was at the age when girls were not making much impression, which probably accounts for the dearth of pupils belonging to the fair sex.

Events of that school year are a bit hazy, only a few highlights presenting themselves. The day when I was fascinated by watching the teacher's slow and stealthy approach from the rear to Bryan Perkins' seat. Bryan had his big geography set up for a screen and was absorbed in a game of solitaire, when the hickory descended upon his thinly shirted back with fearful force. I can still see him wince and grimace, as the flesh of my own back crawls at the recollection.

Secret lodges were in vogue then among the men of the town and many such orders flourished. The fal was transmitted to the youth of the day, and there were no less than ten "secret societies" rampant among us hillbillies. All of them were headed by our toughest bullies and men members had to pay dues consisting of marbles, pennies, tops and various treasures, most of which was retained by his Most Royal Exalted High-Faluting Nobis as salary.

A fellow was practically a social outcast unless he belonged to at least a half-dozen of these lodges, but the brethren had to exercise great care to not disclose the carefully-guarded secrets of one lodge to an initiate brother of another society. It was very complicated. The initiation was the main thing, closely followed by

the "oath", the "sign" and the "grip". The oath was a fearful business, by which the candidate swore away his life, liberty and happiness. He agreed that before he would reveal the lodge "secrets" he would permit "histongue" to be torn out by the roots, his body to be burned and his flesh to be torn from his bones, "to repeat some of the tamer parts of well-remembered pledges. The initiations were an improvement upon the Spanish Inquisition, and fearful were the yells that emerged from the various stables, in which the lodges held fourth, upon initiation day.

To recall only one of these initiations, over which the several men clucked in Sunday School back in our opening paragraph: Herbert "Derby" Cox, by virtue of his size, strength and ferocity, was the Grand Ruler of several lodges and much looked up to John Lair had invited Herbert to become a member of an insignificant little lodge over which John presided, and the invitation had been disdainful accepted.

Came the day of initiation and only four of the brethren were present to receive Herbert, the wiser member not caring to incur his illwill by participating in an initiation. Herbert wrote his own ticket, refused to enter the lodge-room, insisted that the initiation be very gentle and that it be conducted in the open air, where there were no trees, while the candidate stood erect, of course - even Herbert argued to the impossibility of such an unheard of procedure.

After much argument, Herbert also agreed to being blindfolded, after a fashion. He would get down upon his knees and elbows and his coatalls might be thrown up over his head while the oath was being administered. This posture was assumed and John began the solemn business. The seat of Herbert's pants presented such a perfect target, however, that John could not get his mind upon his work. Vividly he recalled the agonies he had suffered at the hands of this candidate some weeks before, when their positions were reversed.

Talking all the while, John, by violent pantomime, induced the other three brethren to stand upon the tails of Herbert's coat. The movements of his unconscious victim being thus to some extent impeded, John gingerly felt behind him until he was able to locate a healthy state. Grasping this weapon firmly, still talking, John spat upon his hands, took a couple of wide swings about his head and landed a crack which echoed from the surrounding hills.

Herbert heaved and roared like a wild bull, while John stood not upon the order of his leaving. Flinging his stave away as an impediment to progress, John headed for the Lair farm, by a cross-fly route, his short legs working like pistons. Herbert was pretty well entangled, and the brethren might have held him for some time, but their nerve failed. They were afraid to hold him and afraid to turn him loose. By common consent they took off with a flying start and abandoned lodge indefinitely, pursued by rocks and roars of rage. A compromise was effected some three days later, through the teacher's intervention, and the brethren returned to school, but that lodge never met again.

And that about exhausts our recollections of school days at the little "free school", upon the hill.

### People Poll ...

"Do you think Republican President George Bush is doing a good job?"

Due to a mechanical error, pictures will not appear.

"No, We're dairy farmers and he's not very good for farmers. The government has cut milk prices and we had to sell our farm because of it."

Barbara Adams

"Yes, He's fair anyhow. I think he did a good job in the war."

Norma French

"Yes, He's extra good in foreign affairs."

Donald Rowe

"Yes, I like some of the things he's done, some I don't."

Phillip Davis

"No, I don't agree with his foreign policy, and his failure to admit there's an economic problem. If you don't admit you have a problem, how can you solve it?"

Jim Wright

A dedication ceremony was held on Saturday, Nov. 23, at the Livingston Pentacostal Church for the new grave stone of PFC David M. Smith. Smith is the only Rockcastle County veteran to receive a Congressional Medal of Honor.

## Santa Claus at Brodhead - Dec. 7

Santa Claus is coming to town - Brodhead, that is - after 2 p.m. Dec. 7 with treats for all the boys and girls. There'll be 50 Christmas gifts given away at the 2 p.m. drawing, after which Santa will make his appearance.

When shopping, customers of participating merchants should put their name in a box for the drawing. Those merchants who do not have a box will not be named from their boxes.

Merchants are stressing winners of prizes must be present to win. No pick-ups for others. The winner has to be there, except for Wilcox Cable and Doug Brock's Studio.

Listed below are the participating businesses and what they are giving: Barbara's Beauty Shop - Craft; Brock's Bargain - box Brock's Chocolate Candy; Brock's Studio - \$10 gift certificate; Brodhead Dari Delite - 2 free dinners (your choice); Brodhead Hardware - Propane Torch; Citizen's Bank - \$5 cash; Convent Food Market - \$10 lottery tickets; 2 \$10 as 2-\$10 groceries.

Dix Point Restaurant - 2 free dinners; David's Tire Center & Used Auto Parts - Rotate and computer balance 4 tires, free oil change, filter and lube job; Fitness Center - 1 month's free membership; Fletcher's Grocery - U.K. Wildcat Blanket; Foodland of Brodhead - 2-\$25 gift certificates; Franklin's 76 - \$20 gas, oil change & lube job; Hair Creations - Sloppy Joe Outfit; Magic Mirror - Curling iron & diffuser and 16 oz. shampoo and conditioner; Marsha's Florist - Silk flower arrangement; Norris's Country Peddler - Bread Box; Pat's Beauty Shop - Curling Iron; Rose's One Stop - \$15 gift certificate to be used in store; The Shoe Shop - \$10 Gift Certificate; Yanzan's - 2 free movie rentals; Wilcox Cable TV - 4 - one month free TV service; Adams Feed and Supply -

\$20 cash; Brodhead Car Wash & Storage - \$25 cash; DeBorde Oil - 1 case Penzoil Motor Oil. Dabney Feed & Supply - 1 bag dog food; J.C. Newland & Son - 4 - \$10 spent with participating merchant; Simpson Feed - 50 lb dog food; Smith Built - \$25 spent with participating merchant; Southern Belle (Jerry Cash) - \$25 cash; Taylor - 2 - \$25 cash; Watson's Funeral Home - 2-\$25 cash.

### Million dollar man freed in London

An Illinois man who had over \$400,000 in a fake gasoline tank under his car had his money laundering charge dismissed in Federal Court at London last week.

But, Miguel Garcia Jr.'s troubles are not yet over. In all likelihood he will be reindicted.

Garcia, 32, of Glenelvin, Ill., was driving through the London area July 12 when his car broke down. He called a wrecker service to haul the old car to Miami, Fla., but the operator became suspicious and notified police. They found the money in the fake tank.

Reason for the dismissal was not reported.

### Bingo game

A new bingo parlor has opened in the Mt. Vernon area. Located in the old John's Discount Building on U.S. 25 south, the bingo business is associated with the Kidney Foundation.

Under Kentucky law, bingo can only be operated associated with a charitable foundation.

Signing the permit with County Clerk Norma Houk was Dale Brummett of the Brodhead area.

### Perfect gift

Looking for the perfect gift? A gift that means something for a lifetime but won't cost you a cent?

Then come to the Rockcastle County blood drive scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 19, at the Agricultural Services Center from noon to 7 p.m. The drive is sponsored by the Rockcastle County Homemakers and Central Kentucky Blood Center. Each donor will receive a free ice scraper.

Donating blood is safe, easy, and quick. You'll be giving the gift that means life to one of your neighbors. Give the perfect gift this year. Give the perfect gift this year. Give life... give blood.



Janice Vanzant is the recipient of the Dispatcher of the Year Award

From the Kentucky Public Transit Association.

## RTEC receives award from state for outstanding service

If you live in a rural area and often have trouble getting back and forth to town, your transportation problems are solved.

RTEC, or Rural Transportation Enterprises, coordinates and provides transportation to the general public, regardless of age, health, location, etc.

Since 1990, the organization has served eight surrounding counties. Destinations are coordinated to provide one vehicle for all passengers with the same final destination, whether they come from Bell or Wayne County.

At an October Kentucky Public Transportation Conference, RTEC received the 1991 Outstanding Grantee Statewide Section 18 Award, from the Kentucky Division of Mass Transportation. Over 77,000 passengers have been served by RTEC.

Director Shirley Cummins stated that receiving this award is a demonstration of the dedicated teamwork displayed at RTEC.

Depending on revenues from fares and donations, RTEC gets a \$0.60 match in funds from the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet. "We received a lot of support from local officials and the public," said Cummins.

The organization employs 22

### Need a ride?

RTEC schedules in-county travelers each week. If you are traveling from any one of these areas, and choose to use RTEC, please plan your trip on the day listed below. The transit will pick-up riders from these areas on the days listed.

If trips are taken on days other than those specified from your area, the charge will change to 50 cents per mile. The \$2 charge is only effective on the specified days and areas and especially used to access the shopping facilities to rural areas.

\* Monday: Hwy. 461, Blue Springs, Sand Springs, Wadd, Ottawa and Quail.

\* Tuesday: Gum Sulphur, Brodhead, Copper Creek, Rose Hill, Old Brodhead/Mt. Vernon Rd. and Parr Rigby Rd.

\* Wednesday: Conway, North U.S. 25, Fairview, Disputant, Roundstone and Clear Creek.

\* Thursday: Livingston, Orlando, Pine Hill, Johnetta, Climax and Burr.

workers, 10 of whom live in Rockcastle County.

The main purpose of the system is to make the urban activities, resources and services available to the rural areas. "Community resources are of no value to anyone if people can't get to them. That's what we're diligently trying to do here - make accessible the community resources, services and adequate health care from the urban areas," Cummins stated.

She continued that while the 23 vehicles in operation are currently kept busy during the week, Saturdays have not received an adequate amount of riders to operate. RTEC is interested in obtaining more riders and if the amount increases, will extend the service to Saturday. The weekend route would allow for anyone to take a trip into town on Saturday to shop.

Anyone who is interested in obtaining transportation from any area is urged to call 256-9835. RTEC will work with you in reaching your final destination. Fees are payable in cash and are a minimal \$0.50 cents per mile. Trips from rural to areas on scheduled days within Rockcastle County are \$2 one way, and \$1 one way from in-town locations. Medical trips are free with Kentucky Medical Cards.



RTEC director Shirley Cummins is proud of the many accomplishments and the state award recently received by RTEC. To date over 77,000 passengers have been served by RTEC.

## Honor Rolls - 2nd 6 Weeks

### Livingston Elementary

Principal's List: Cassie Hamilton, Maggie Phillips, Boyd Smith, Angela Carpenter, Matthew Faulkner, Justin Gilbert, Daniel Ledington, Jessica Mason, Ashley McClure, Eugene McCormick, Rodney Payne, David Richardson, Joshua Sower.

First grade: Jessica Carpenter, Kayle Cook, Ashley Francisco, Cole Hammond, Amy Jones, Felicia Jones, Alex Martin, Christopher Robbins

Second grade: Tina Powell, John Kuhn, Jason Martin, James Bullock, Ashley Carpenter, Patricia Duncan, Chris Kirby, Tammy Peyton, Bruce Smith, Maranda Smith, Justin Woodall

Third grade: Jeremy Abrams, Cindy Ayers, Joe Clark, Ariel Eversole, Anthony Martin, April Martin, Ladonya Mink, Leslie Morris, Jimmy Pheanis, Gloria Phillips, Clayton Powell, Kim Roundtree, Brant Salyer, Carissa Settles, Felicia Smith, Melissa Isaacs, Joni Mink, Jeff Smith, Shelley Tankersley, Mark Thomas

Fourth grade: Angelic Bradley, Robert Clark, Jessica Collins, Monica Cox, Amy Cromer, Deanna Doan, Robbie Gibson, Chrystal Hampton, Joanie Hines, Lisa Hurd, Chris Kirby, Chris Malagege, Paula Marcum, Bridget Payne, Gail Smith, Shelley Tankersley, Mark Thomas

Fifth grade: Rebecca Brewer, Brandy Hayes, Lacy Sexton, Kristy Sturgill, Travis Wynn

Sixth grade: Lillian Kuntz, Crystal Lear, Jessica Roundtree, Brandy Sexton

Seventh grade: Susie Carpenter, Mark Carpenter, Sharon Hensley, Kim Johnson, Kyle Kirby, Michelle Lamb, Carrie Martin, B.J. Mason, Angi Roundtree

Eighth grade: Eldon Lee Brown, Shawna Lynn Burkhardt, Benjamin Franklin Campbell, Amanda Gail Collins, Laura Lee Hammond, Lisa Kay Hammond, Donald Ray Hopkins "J.R.", Myrtle Marie Hopkins, Jason Elwood Johnson, Elcacia Ellen Jones, Catherine Sue Lamb, Jason Todd Medley, Gloria Nacole Parker, Robert Clayton Singleton, Jamie Carlene Smith, Benton Lloyd Taylor

### Mt. Vernon Elementary

Fourth grade: Adam Bales, Courtney Barnett, Brian Bell, Sabrina Bowles, Kevin Childress, Brian Crother, Nikki Cromer, Tiffany Deatherage, Roy Dykes, Josh Emerson, Rachael Fisher, Angie Ford, Amanda French, Sandra Gay, Susan Gray, Courtney Hansel, Krystal Hogg

### Rockcastle County Elementary Schools MENU

December 2 - 6, 1991

#### Breakfast

Monday: Sausage biscuit, juice, milk  
 Tuesday: Cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk  
 Wednesday: Scrambled egg, toast/jelly, juice, milk  
 Thursday: Peanut butter/jelly sandwich, juice, milk  
 Friday: Ham biscuit, juice, milk

#### Lunch

Monday: Beef nuggets, whipped potatoes, buttered peas, roll, milk, cookie  
 Tuesday: Burger on bun, french fries, lettuce and pickles, milk, jello with whipped cream topping  
 Wednesday: Chili and sandwich, crackers, vegetable sticks, milk, fresh fruit  
 Thursday: Pizza, garden salad, buttered corn, milk, fruit  
 Friday: Fish and cheese on bun, potato wedges, cole slaw, milk, fantasia

### Rockcastle County High School MENU

December 2 - 6, 1991

Breakfast will be served each day.

Monday: Chef's salad, sandwich, line or steak nuggets, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Tuesday: Chef's salad or pizza, buttered corn, garden salad, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Wednesday: Chef's salad or chili and sandwich, crackers, vegetable sticks, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Thursday: Chef's salad, sandwich, line or baked ham, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Friday: Chef's salad or Sloppy Joe on bun, french fries, cole slaw, milk, choice of offered desserts

gard, Carissa Kelley, Jessica McCoy, Brad McNew, Marilyn Miller, Melissa Miller, Kathy Mullins, Shalanta Nicely, Minesh Patel, Jason Proctor, John Renner, Carl Ramsey II, Elizabeth Roberts, Kevin Robinson, Leslie Robinson, Keisa Singleton, Alex Tyler, Heather Weaver

Fifth grade: Leah Adams, Chad Allen, Kenny Allen, Lee Ann Boothe, Kevin Bradley, Suzanne Brown, Elizabeth Bullock, Nathaniel Bullock, Jonathan Burdette, Jasmine Carmack, Josh Chaliff, Denise Clark, Jason Cromer, Jennifer Cromer, Cody Cox, Jason Daniel, Honey Deckard, Stephanie Dobbs, Douglas Griffin,

Rissic Griffin, Andy Hale, Shaun Jones, Kristy Lovell, Tiffany McClure, Sharron McFerron, April Mink, Kelly Murphy, Layne Nicely, Amanda Osborne, Cristy Owens, Michael Papsos, Jimmy Payne, Brad Powell, Summer Renner, Stephanie Reynolds, Stephen M. Reynolds, Jamie Settles, Donnie Steele, Angela Stewart, Chara White

Sixth grade: Natasha Barnett, Cory Bailey, Derrick Bishop, Heather Bray, Josh Bray, John Brown, Nikki Bullock, Shawnee Bullock, Crystal Carpenter, Blake Childress, Crystal Childress, Greg Durham, Becky Dykes, Kelly Farthing, Joy Howard, Melissa Kirby, Holly Machal, Dana Mason, Lacosta Mason, Dusty McClure, Ronna D. McClure, Shonda McClure, Billy McFerron, Jason McFerron, Cherie McHargue, Christy Mink,

Chris Miller, Heather Miller, Tara Mink, Dusty Mullins, Stacy Mullins, Aatish Patel, Lorabeth Payne, Justin Phelps, Xylena Prater, Jared Reams, Stacy Richards, Josh Rickels, Chad Silvers, Jennifer Singleton, Kent Smith, Matt Sowler, Donald Thomas, Justin Thomas Holly Weaver, Nikki Whitaker

Seventh grade: Raymond Blackburn, Ashlee Carter, Matt Chaliff, Trenda Cromer, Shannon Cox, George Durham, Jaime Grubb, Bethanie Hammond, Talona King, Jennifer Kirby, Becky Lawhorn, Angie Lawless, Amanda McClure, Denise Parsons, Kevin Rader, Melanie Renner, Marcus Repper, Dana Reynolds, Jessica Rose, Kevin Scott, Malcolm Shepherd, Kathy Spence, Katie Wilson

Eighth grade: David Bullock,

Darren Cook, Melissa Cummins, John Hammond, Edna Hines, Jennifer Hoggard, Eric McGuire, Jeff Miracle, Cassey Mullins, Amy Prewitz, Kalpan Patel, Steve Owens, Neal

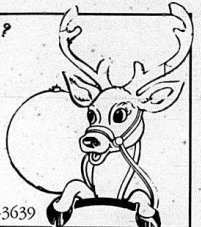
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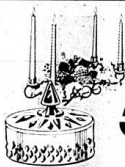
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## Thanksgiving Thoughts

We hope you will enjoy reading some Thanksgiving thoughts by Mt. Vernon Elementary first grade students. These were written in the writing to read computer lab. They are as written but spelling has been corrected for the *Signal* copy.

### Janice Vanzant's First Grade

Indians lived in teepees. Thanksgiving is the 28. They sailed on the Mayflower. Thanksgiving is a happy day. Thanksgiving is fun. Is Thanksgiving fun? Is Thanksgiving good? Is Thanksgiving a happy time? Is Thanksgiving a holiday?

Robby Sandusky

The turkey was in the pies. Jessica loves turkey. The pilgrims said in the Mayflower. The Indians were not on the Mayflower. The pilgrims was nice to the Indians. The Thanksgiving was good. The turkey was good. The Indians was nice to the pilgrims. The Indians had a turkey. The pilgrims lived in the long ago.

Matthew Doan

Thanksgiving the Indians lived in a wigwam, adobe, teepee, and longhouse. The Indians were mean. I don't like the pilgrims. They make bad food. The pilgrims are mean. Their ship has a good name. The pilgrims built their houses and planted their crops. The Indians hunted their food. The Indians were helpful to the pilgrims.

Janice Robinson

Jessica loves turkey. Will the turkey be happy? Will the Mayflower sail over the wet rain? Yes, we will be happy. The Indians lived in the teepee. The turkeys made good sounds. God made the turkeys.

Jessica Lynne Lugsford

The Indians have red skin. The Indians have horses. Indians are a man. Indians kill snakes. Indians are brave. Indians kill animals. Indians have pies. Pilgrims have pies. Indians kill pigs. Pilgrims kill turkeys. When the Indians live, the Dinosaurs was not alive.

Seth Halford

The pilgrim was in the house. Was the turkey in the cornstap? The pilgrim was in the bed. Can the dog run to the pilgrim in the house? The dog ran to the Indian. The Indian was in the sun. The Indian was in the teepee. The pilgrim was in the teepee. Was the Indian in the house? The pilgrim was in the yard. The pilgrim was in sun. The turkey was in the sun.

Amanda Booth

I live in America. Will I live in America Kim got a piece of turkey and a piece of pie. Was the cat big? It was big. The turkey was big. The turkey had feathers. The turkey was happy.

Janice Weaver

The Indian was happy. Brandon loves Thanksgiving. The Indian loves Thanksgiving. Indians love Thanksgiving. Mayflowers are good. Mayflowers are good said the Indian. The Thanksgiving was good. The Indians and pilgrims had a good time at Thanksgiving.

Brandon Wren

### Sherry Webb's First Grade

The pilgrims came to Plymouth. They got off of the Mayflower. They saw some of the Indians just a few. At first the pilgrims were afraid of the Indians. Then a little time after that they made friends.

Dustin Robinson

The pilgrims went on the Mayflower. The pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock. They met the Indians. The Indians taught them how to hunt, and taught them how to fish.

Daniel Dobbs

At Thanksgiving I will eat turkey. It will be fun. After we eat turkey we eat snacks. Then we play games. I love Thanksgiving.

Tanya Hasty

I love turkey at Thanksgiving. And I'm going to eat it. I'm thankful for food and for my family.

Jerrilynn Reynolds

I am thankful for my mom and for food, family and my earth. At my house I am going to have corn on the cob, turkey, potato salad, and strawberry pie. Happy Thanksgiving.

Amanda Rader

### Jerrilynn Smith's First Grade

I am thankful for God. I am thankful for mom. I am thankful for dad. I am thankful for my brother.

I am thankful for my sister.

I love Mom.

I love Dad.

Beth Durham

### The Mayflower

Thanksgiving is about giving thanks and giving. There was a pilgrim that went to a house. Knock, Knock! "Who's there?" said a lady. We need help! People on the Mayflower are sick. Can you help? Yes or no? Can you? Yes, I can help! Let me get the medicine.

Austin Miller

Turkey is my favorite food. I like turkey just from you. What is my favorite food? Turkey, of course.

Jonathan Baldwin

I get to go to my grand-maws and grand-paws house for dinner. I like brown turkey and stuffing. After dinner all kids got out to play. We will have a fun time on Thanksgiving Day. I think turkey is good.

Ashley Lacié Mink

I love Mrs. Smith.

Janet Carter's First Grade

Thanksgiving is very fun. I get to see the family. I like to play with cousin Megan. The family gets to eat turkey at Thanksgiving.

Nicole Nicely

Thanksgiving is when the pilgrims and the Indians join together and have a feast. After the pilgrims and the Indians have a feast they played games. The Thanksgiving went on and on.

Heather Richards

I was in the Mayflower and I saw land and I saw Indians.

Jackie Weaver

The Mayflower sailed across the ocean. They landed at the United States. They saw Indians and they were surprised.

Marie Collins

The Mount Vernon Signal, Thursday, November 28, 1991. P-B3 The first Thanksgiving was very fun and after they ate they played games and had fun.

Chris Settles

I wish I was a pilgrim. If I was what would I do? I would play games.

Whitney Hansel

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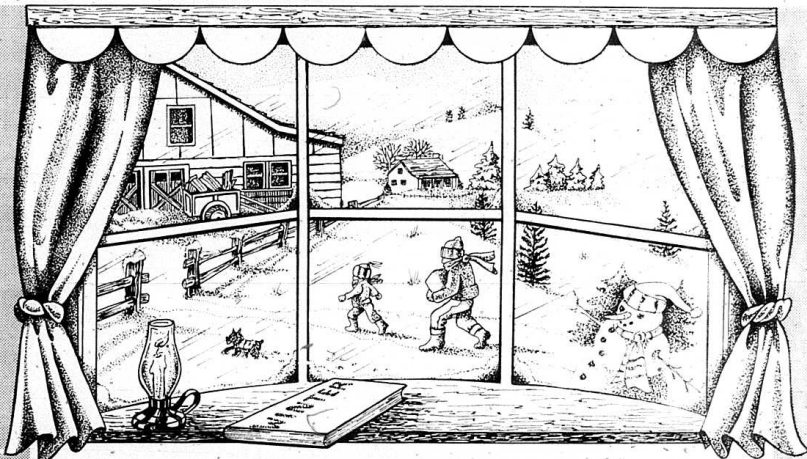
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Students at LES, BES, RES and MVES would like to thank Ms. Ann Benson and the staff at Mt. Vernon Dairy Freeze for providing materials for various art projects. The photo shows LES students wearing pilgrim hats made from lunch bags supplied by Ms. Benson.



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## Protective Parenting

By: Ginny Gilpatrick  
Drug-Free Schools  
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You were probably taught at some point that the way to be a good conversationalist is not to talk about yourself, but rather to give the other person the opportunity to talk. This is very true. In fact last week's column was about being a good listener in order to get a conversation going in the right direction.

However, there is an important place for the "I" message in opening the door to real communication. Think how hard it can be to converse freely with a stranger. In fact most of the time strangers stand or sit silently by one another for minutes or hours not uttering a word. Waiting rooms, lines, public transportation are crowded with bored, silent people

many of whom would welcome a friendly interchange... if only someone else would start it.

The "I," or "I feel" message is a way of breaking down your stranger status. Parents and their children are often strangers. Think about it: Do your children really know you: how you feel, what you dream about and worry about? When you lose your cool, do they know why? If you tell them where you are coming from you break through some of their defenses. On the other hand, "you" statements may be interpreted threats or manipulations.

Consider the difference:  
"You're always on the telephone. You don't care whether someone might be wanting to call me."  
"I feel frustrated when the phone is tied up all evening because I wonder if someone might be trying to call me."

When parents and teens have a difference in values; it is wiser to avoid challenging the child's point of view. Instead, state your point of view. Even if they don't agree with

you, you will be more likely to circumvent all-out war with a statement like:

"I know you are hurt because you think I don't trust you. But I cannot let you go to a concert where I know a lot of people will be using drugs. I trust your good judgement, but until you are older I'm just too uncomfortable with the pressure on you from the older crowd that will be there."

The "I" message does not convey criticism. It allows the child to save face and make his response with greater sensitivity to your feelings. For you are no longer a stranger, and he is less likely to treat you like a brick wall that needs to be hammered down.

With practice this kind of communication becomes natural. It is hard to break the habit of sounding forth your judgement and directives to your child. But the "because I said so" technique invites resistance, and though it may work for the moment it does not change behavior in the long run.

(Cont. to B5)

### Hurricane School

By: Wanda Burton

I'd like to tell the story about our old school house That sits by the side of the road But now is a dwelling house

We walked there every morning grades one through eight Some had to walk so far they couldn't help from being late

Maybe it would snow or maybe it would rain No matter what the weather was we had school just the same

One boy would go on early to build a fire So the house would be good and warm Everyone was cold for there were no cars

The wood floors we'd blacken covering them with oil Our feet would be so black for shoes often were not worn

The well we used for water stood very close by We took turns filling the bucket for we got to go outside

We'd draw that water from the well it was so fresh and cold We didn't drink from the dipper but from the glass we brought from home

When it was time for recess we were a real live bunch We may have a ball game or we may wait until lunch

We'd run and run and run or we might play fox and dog It didn't matter very much We'd just have ourselves a ball

We all packed a little lunch sometimes it was pretty small We didn't worry about it We hardly took time to eat at all

**EKU Registration**  
Eastern Kentucky University will hold a registration session for 1992 extended campus spring semester classes Tuesday, December 10, 5-6 p.m. at Laurel County High School. EKU will hold similar information meetings in 13 Kentucky communities across the region.

Spring semester extended campus classes begin Thursday Jan. 9, the same day regular day and evening classes start at EKU in Richmond. Payment is not due until Jan. 15.

In addition to answering questions about courses that Eastern plans to deliver throughout its service area, EKU representatives will be listening to suggestions for future classes that may be offered.

"Representatives will be each session to help students who may have questions," said Dr. Marion Ogden, director of the EKU Division of Extended Programs.

"And we'll also be set up to register students quickly and easily for spring semester extended campus classes," he said.

This spring, EKU will offer about 235 courses at 20 off-campus locations, including Beautyville, Bowling Green, Corbin, Covington, Danville, Fort Knox, Frankfort, Hazard, Liberty, London, Manchester, Mt. Vernon, Pineville, Somerset, Stanford and Stanton.

For more information about EKU's spring semester registration sessions for off-campus course offerings, contact the EKU Division of Extended Programs at 1-800-262-7943, or call (606) 622-2001.

Eastern Kentucky University is a comprehensive, regional University serving more than 16,500 students on its 330-acre Richmond campus, throughout its 22-county extended service region, and beyond.

We'd always ask permission if to the outhouse we had to go We'd get to turn that little sign that was hanging by the door on the wall

We all had a long walk on our way back home We'd play and skip and sing that was the best fun of all

My teacher wore a fur coat I'd walk close by her side To stop the wind and snow from blowing in my eyes

I guess the highlight of the year was the pie supper night If we made lots of money We'd buy the school something nice

We would pledge allegiance to the flag We'd sing some little songs We'd bow our head and say a prayer before our rights were gone

I thank God for that little school where we learned to read and write Back then we learned what was wrong and right

### Boar's Head Madrigal Dinner at LES Dec. 3

"Come rouse ye, lads and lasses, and hear the joyful strain," sings the Madrigal Singers in this year's Boar's Head Madrigal Dinner at Livingston Elementary School. The 1991-92 L.E.S. 7th and 8th grade chorus will be presenting this festive celebration on Tuesday, December 3rd at 6 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

The chorus, along with director Jamie Cornelius, Allen Pensol and the Livingston P.T.O. invite you to share in this holiday spirit as the Christmas Season fast approaches. Admission price is free and is open to the public.

### Take The National Parent Quiz on Ket

Kids, parents, celebrities, and experts discuss the toughest job in the world when KET airs *The National Parent Quiz* at 9 p.m. Monday, December 2.



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# The Week at Livingston

By: Frances Dickerson

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Mr. and Mrs. Stephen George and grandson Marshall of Middletown, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Noel Faulkner this weekend.

The Ladies Auxiliary Club of Livingston had dinner Tuesday in London at the Bonanza.

Mathew Bond spent the weekend with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bond.

Janita Medley, Margaret Burdine, and Margarita's daughter Lisa were in Danville one day the past week for Lisa to see a doctor.

We want to thank the CSX Railroad Company for the work they did this past week at the entrance of the Ward Cemetery. They also cleaned a road from the crossing to the steps. They did a good job, thanks again.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shackelford were in Richmond shopping Sunday.

Mrs. Pauline (Halecomb) Pennix of Louisville, s her daughter and her family spent the weekend with Pauline's mother Mrs. Hazel Halcomb.

James Arch Mullins of Jackson has had surgery in the hospital in Lexington. His mother, Mrs. Nettie

Mullins, reports he is doing fine. A large crowd attended the community Thanksgiving dinner given at the school lunch room Sunday. Everyone enjoyed the dinner.

## Fairview News

Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

By: Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

Thanksgiving greetings and good wishes to you all at this time.

God has blessed us to be here for another day of Thanksgiving. But I've said in many times, and our pastor and another minister I heard on the radio Sunday also said the same thing, which is this, "Every day should be a day of Thanksgiving." We need to thank the good Lord every day of our life for the many blessings that He bestows upon us. We have a wonderful and loving Heavenly Father who loves each and everyone of us. Praise His Holy name.

This morning I'm not sending in news but sepding in an article I read in the Jackson County RECC Magazine.

is often monotonous: Thank you, Lord, there are many who have no work.

Even though I grumble and become weary from day to day, and with my modest circumstances were not quite so modest.

Thank you, Lord, for the gift of life.

May God grant to each of you good health and a wonderful day of Thanksgiving. God bless you.

## Dix River Board of Realtors elect officers for '92

The Dix River Board of Realtors met Nov. 19 and officers were elected for 1992. Glen Alford, Alford Realty, Inc. president; Danny Ayres, vice president with Danny Irwin Realty in Lancaster, secretary/treasurer Grace T. Gilbert.

Members of the Dix River Board of Realtors are Ford Brothers, Inc., Evelene Raines of Mt. Vernon, Danny Irwin Realty Estates, Holton Howard Real Estate and Arnold, Napier and Hammonds of Lancaster, Glenn Alford Realty, Inc., Richard Rowe Realty, and Jody McFee and John Baughman Real Estate of Stanford.

## MT. Vernon Message

Schedule of Events  
Dec. 2 - Monday - Boys' Basketball - Roundstone - Away  
Dec. 3 - Tuesday - Academic Team - Northern Pulaski  
Dec. 4 - Wednesday - S.B.D.M. Cozer Grading 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Public is invited.

"Alice In Wonderland" Field Trip  
By: Angie Ford  
Grade 4  
Mt. Vernon Elementary

On Monday, November 18, my class went to see a play called "Alice In Wonderland." It was at Richmond. One character in the play was Alice, she wore a pink jumper and a little white blouse. The first person she met was Cheshire the Cat, he wore a cat suit. Then they saw the Queen of Hearts. She was very mean and so was her husband. Alice asked if the queen could help her find her way home, but the Queen of Hearts would not help.

When the play was over we went to McDonald's. After we ate, we got on the bus and talked all the way back to school.

## Protective Parenting (Cont. from B-4)

Be careful not to make the mistake of making "I feel that" messages: "I feel that you ought to do your homework right this minute!" This is just a "you" message in this disguise. Instead, say, "I feel disappointed that you haven't done your homework because I know you wanted to bring your math grade up."

Last week more than fifty students

in Brodhead and Livingston joined the after school Drug Free Kentucky poster-making workshops. These children went home with enthusiasm and something exciting to talk about. The more active and involved children are, the easier it is to find positive topics for conversation at home.

## Please note!

In last week's Signal, in the marriage licenses, it should have read Connie Jo Turner, 19, Berea, waitress/student, to Shannon Deon Taylor, 20, Mt. Vernon, Mt. Vernon Plastics, November 14, 1991.

# Christmas Open House

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## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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**3 ACRES - Jct. of U.S. 150 & Old Hwy. 461 -** Could be used for Commercial - City water. Good buy at \$12,500.00 M284

**JUST LISTED -** In one of Kentucky's hottest locations, Renfro Valley with 1536 sq. ft. commercial building, including inventory. Presently operating as craft and record shop. Adaptable for most any other commercial use. Take advantage of this opportunity. Priced at \$200,000. M328

**Hidden in the Valley -** Commercial Potential. Frame home with living room, kitchen, dining room, family room, 2 bedrooms, and bath. Also has wall to wall carpet, washer/dryer hookup and 1/2 basement - in addition, there is also a barn on the property. Priced at \$69,500. M338

**Excellent Business Opportunity -** Furniture Business that has been in operation for 50 years - includes 2 story building & inventory. A \$40,000 investment. Your own boss for only \$44,900. M386

**Commercial Property -** Near I-75 South of Mt. Vernon - 3 comm. buildings, dwelling house & 8 mobile homes. Rental potential of \$3,000 per month. Priced at \$150,000. M396

**Commercial Property -** Hardware Store - Inventory - 2 bedroom apartment w/city water & sewer. Located on Main St. in Livingston. Priced at \$40,000. M397

**Going Business -** Brodhead Laundromat - Located on Main Street in Brodhead, Ky. All new plumbing, hot water heating system and furnace. All this for only \$36,500. M403

### FARMS & ACREAGE

**10 ACRES IN MT. VERNON -** Ideal for residential or multi-family development. City water and sewer available. Good view near Rockcastle County High School and 461 By-Pass. Priced at \$55,000. **56 Acre Farm - Weaver Road - Lincoln Co. -** Approximately half of the farm is grass, balance is wooded - 1890 lbs. tobacco allotment. Improved with 1988 28x58 double-wide with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large living room, central air, washer/dryer hookup, 3 car detached garage, 2 storage buildings, 32x40 barn with beds. Priced at \$63,900. M363

**Near Brodhead -** 31 acre farm with frontage on Hwy. 150. Modern house with living room, family room, 2 bedrooms, bath, utility and kitchen with built-in oak cabinets. Also has barn and garage. Ideal for small time farmer. A good buy at only \$46,900. M379

**Jim Weaver Road - Crab Orchard -** HAY, HAY, look at this farm before it gets away. 135 acre farm, approximately 54 acres tillable, joins Back Creek. Several thousand feet of marketable timber, 2200 lb. tobacco base, 2 barns, 1 shed, 2 wells on property. Good hunting and fishing! Only \$79,900.

### Homes

#### \$50,000 & Up

**Privacy -** Almost new A-Frame just off Copper Creek Road - 1 bedroom, bath, kitchen, living/dining room combination & foyer downstairs - 2 bedrooms, & bath upstairs, heat pump, city water, deck, thermopane windows, built-in appliances, plenty of closets - Situated on 2+ acres. Reduced to \$69,900. M330

**JUST LISTED -** One of Rockcastle's finest 2 story English Tudor - Renfro Valley, Ky. 2,300 sq. ft. living area, approx. 1 acre lot - family room, formal living room, kitchen/dining room comb., 3 bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, utility room, 2 car garage, central air. Reduced to \$129,950. M295

**New Home - Houston Point Estates -** 3 bedroom brick with 2 baths, kitchen/dining room comb., living room, family room, heat pump - Reduced to \$57,900. M382

**JUST LISTED -** Evergreen Estates - Almost new - 2,200 + sq. ft. of gracious living area - Home features a huge family/recreation room, living room, large kitchen with oak cabinets, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, utility & storage room & deck on approximately 1 acre lot - All for only \$79,900. M392

#### Homes 40,500 - \$50,000

**Ranch-Style Brick -** Near hospital - Hillview Subdivision. House has kitchen with built-in cabinets, living room, 3 bedrooms, family room, 1-1/2 baths and partially finished basement. Situated on large lot. All for \$47,900. M381

**2 Country Acres - Ottawa Area** Nice brick home with 3 bedrooms, living room, large kitchen with built-in cabinets, utility room and bath City water. Dandy small back yard. Reduced to \$44,900. M380

**Beautiful Country Setting -** Log home surrounded by 12 wooded acres - Home has large living room, field stone fireplace with back stove insert, kitchen, 2 bedrooms & 1 bath. Located on scenic Anglin Falls Road. Priced at only \$45,500. M387.

#### Homes \$30,000 - \$40,000

**Just Listed -** 3 Bedroom Stone Home - Smokey Road, Brodhead - Home also has living room, kitchen and bath - City water - Cable - Oak cabinets - 10x8 storage building and cellar - Situated on approximately 1.9 acres. Priced at \$33,900. M359

**INVESTMENT PROPERTY -** Duplex - Daily Street - Mt. Vernon, Ky. \$400.00 per month income - newly remodeled - each apartment has 1 bedroom, living room, kitchen and bath with refrigerator, oven and range. Owner says sell! Only \$34,900. M362

#### Homes Under \$30,000

**NEW LISTING -** 12x60 mobile home - with 2 bedrooms, bath, living room, kitchen, dining room combination - oven, range, refrigerator - total electric - large, spacious 1/2 acre lot on Dailey

Street, Mt. Vernon - Priced right at only \$13,000. M361

**Mobile Home -** 30x60 metal garage building & lot. Located in Rainbow Valley Subdivision. Home has living room, kitchen/dining room combination, 2 bedrooms & 2 baths. Garage has concrete floor, insulated and is wired for 220. Ideal for home and business combination. All this for only \$22,500. M341

**JUST LISTED -** Modern home in Livingston with vinyl siding on large lot - Home has large lot - Home has large living room, 2 bedrooms, kitchen/dining/family room combination & bath. Good buy at only \$25,900. M378

**Near Mt. Vernon -** Next door to Sav-A-Lot. Home with living room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and bath on dandy lot. Commercial potential. Priced at \$24,000. **WOODED LOT -** 1-1/2 acres near state garage - Mt. Vernon - blacktop road - city water - Priced at \$10,000. **LOT NEAR SAV-A-LOT and CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH -** 9 acre - city water - good building site - Priced at \$10,000. M367

### LOTS

**Large Lake Lot -** Approximately 13 1/4 acres - 200 ft. of road frontage - City water available. Priced at \$13,500. M266

**JUST LISTED -** In Ottawa - 1/2 acre lot with septic tank - ideal for home or mobile home - blacktop road - city water - near Ottawa Baptist Church - good buy at \$4,500. M360

**ONE ACRE LOT -** more or less - located on Hwy. 150 - \$750. M364

### Future Auctions

**Estate Auction of The Late Rev. S. Hines' Brick House & Lot -** Extra Lot Sat., Dec. 7, 1991 10 a.m. London, Kentucky

**Absolute Auction of David Ellis' House and Lot -** Sat., Dec. 7, 1991 10:30 a.m. Burnside Community Pulaski County

**Absolute Auction of Tri-County National Bank's House and Lot -** Sat., Dec. 7, 1991 11:30 a.m. London, Kentucky

**Estate Auction of The Late Hazel Phillips' Personal Property -** Sat., Dec. 7, 1991 1:30 p.m. Waynesburg, Kentucky

**Dispersal Auction of Mr. Homer Day's 300 Acre Farm -** Brick House, Dairy Cattle - Farm Mach. Sat., Dec. 14, 1991 10:30 a.m. 475 Homer Day Road Stanford, Kentucky

## Rise and Shine Homemakers

The November meeting for the Rise and Shine Homemakers met at the home of Bea Hensley. The meeting was centered upon Thanksgiving, including the delicious meal that followed our meeting. Our lesson for the month was entitled "Strengthening Your Self-Discipline." What a timely lesson topic for this particular time of year, considering our eating habits and fast pace schedules confronting most families during the holiday season.

The Rise and Shine Homemakers also visited the Tea Room in Danville for the month of October. It was a good time of fun, fellowship and fun, as six of our homemakers spent most of the afternoon afterwards window shopping.

We would like to invite anyone not involved in Homemakers, but would like to be, to feel welcome to join us.

## Everyday Thanksgiving

Even though I clutch my blanket and growl when the alarm rings each morning: Thank you Lord, that I can hear. There are those who are deaf. Even though I keep my eyes tightly closed against the morning lights as long as possible: Thank you, Lord, that I can see. There are those who are blind. Even though I huddle in my bed and put off the physical effort of rising: Thank you, Lord, that I have the strength to rise. There are those who are bedfast.

Even though the first hour of my day is hectic, when socks are lost, toast is burned, tumors are short:

Thank you, Lord, for my family. There are many who are lonely.

Even though our breakfast table never looks like the pictures in the ladies' magazine and the menu is at times unbalanced: Thank you, Lord, for the food we have. There are many who are hungry.

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**For Sale:** House at Conway with 2 1/2 acres. Asking \$35,000. Call 256-3143 after 5pm Mon.-Fri. and anytime on weekends.

## MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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**For Sale:** 1974 Dodge pickup, \$675; flat top Epiphone guitar, \$150. Call 758-8685. 2xmf

**For Sale:** Metal shelving, can be seen at Saylor's Furniture on the corner of Williams and West Main Streets. 5x2

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**For Sale:** 1983 Chrysler New Yorker, good shape, \$3200. Call 256-2574. 5x2

**For Sale:** 1978 Ford LTD, good condition, new exhaust system, very dependable, \$550. Call 256-3020. 5xmf

**For Sale:** 1973 Ford LTD, 4 door, good condition, runs good, clean good tires. \$2,000 miles. Call 256-2039.

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**Wanted:** Andy Barnett wants to buy junk cars and has used auto parts for sale. Call 256-9018. 6x5p

## MOBILE HOME FOR SALE

**For Sale:** 1992 14x70 Northern-built home with fireplace, vinyl siding, shingle roof, 2x6 sidewalls, heavy insulation, ONLY \$16,995. Interstate Mobile Homes, 1-75 exit 95, Richmond, Ky. 623-0807. 5x2

**For Sale:** BRAND NEW 1992, 16x80, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, DE-LUXE with double-door frost-free refrigerator, ceiling fan, and lots more! just \$17,998 at Interstate Mobile Homes, 1-75 exit 95, Richmond, Ky. 623-0807. 5x2

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**PRE-OWNED mobile homes (some salvaged), \$1,000 and up, Interstate Mobile Homes, 1-75 exit 95, Richmond, Ky. 623-0807. 5x2**

**For Sale:** 1989 Clayton Doublewide, 5 bedrooms, 2 full baths, woodburning fireplace, like new priced at \$20,000. Phone 758-9451 days and 758-9813 nights. 6x2

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**GEORGEOUS** Northern built manufactured sectional house, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, 2x6 exterior walls, heavy insulation, many extras, beautiful to behold, 1,369 sq. ft., only \$29,995, limited time offer! Interstate Mobile Homes, 1-75 exit 95, Richmond, Ky. 623-0807.

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### HELP WANTED

**Skilled Driver Needed:** Part-time. Must have valid Kentucky drivers license, insurable. Willing to work flexible hours and have the ability to maintain daily records. Apply at The Rural Transit Enterprise, Coordinated, Inc. office on Main Street, Mt. Vernon. An equal opportunity employer.

**Job Opportunity:** The Rockcastle County Adult Day Center will be accepting applications until December 13th for an aide position. Must have

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BUILDING LOTS - Located on Hickory Hollow Drive, Houston Point Estates, on 1500 Mt. Vernon area. Large rolling lot over 1 1/2 acres. 45-13.  
BUILDING LOT - near Foodland in Brodhead, city water, corner lot, level, restricted. Only \$3300. Call now 35-86.  
BUILDING LOT JUST LISTED - near Jean's Restaurant. City water available, mobile home for sale. BIDDING NOW.  
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**Remodeling and Repair:** Call Henry Woodall and 758-8327. 3x3

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**Masonry Contract:** We do brick, block and fireplace work. Cecil R. Abney, Call 758-4016. 6x3

### NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that an order has been entered dispensing with administration of the estate of Myrtle Bowman, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate shall present them, verified according to law, to Amos Bowman, Rt 1 Box 172, Orlando, Ky. 40460, or to Lambert & Lambert, PO Box 736 Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456, attorneys for said estate, no later than December 2, 1991. 5x2

Notice: No trespassing on land belonging to Homer Brown, Lonnie Brown and Jean Brown Towery, all at Roundstone. 4x3p

**PUBLIC NOTICE:** Pursuant to 05 KRS 8.010, Section 16(4) (b), the following is a summary of terminating 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 ROCKCASTLE county.

Notice is hereby given that Wm. Preston Hill, 1004 Tanner Rd., Plant City, Fla. 33567, has been appointed Administrator of the estate of Martha Shearer Hill. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Wm. Preston Hill or to Lambert and Lambert, P.O. Box 736, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before May 27, 1992. 3x4

Notice: No hunting or trespassing on land belonging to L.A. McKinley in the Spino section of Rockcastle County. Violators will be prosecuted. 3x4

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**Federal-State Market News**  
**Garrard County Stockyards**  
Lancaster, Ky.  
November 22, 1991  
Cattle: 733 For The Week: 829 Compared to last Week: Slaughter Cows 2,003-3,000 higher; Slaughter Bulls 1,000-3,000 higher; Feeder Steers and Heifers unevenly steady, light offerings; Slaughter Calves and Vealers unsteady.  
Slaughter Cows: Breaking Utility and Commercial #3-544-49.50, low dressing individuals 39-43.25; High Cuts and Boning Utility #1-347-51.75, High dressing individuals 53-57.50; Cutters #1-239-46; Canners 37-41.75.  
Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade #1-2 1605-1865 lbs. indicating 78-80 carcass boning percent 64-66.75; Yield Grade #2 1440-1730 lbs. indicating 76-77 carcass boning percent 57-62.25.  
Feeder Steers: Medium and Large Frame #1 300-400 lbs. 85-90, large frame #1-99; 400-500 lbs. 84-89, large frame #1-95-50; 500-600 lbs. 77-86.75; 600-700 lbs. 79-84; 700-800 lbs. 78-82.85, including load 68 head 745 lbs. 78-80; 800-900 lbs. 73-78.80, including load 65 head 849 lbs. 78.80; 900-1000 lbs. 70-76.05, including load 56 head 903 lbs. 76.05.  
Small Frame #1 300-500 lbs. 77-83; 500-700 lbs. 68-71.  
Medium Frame #2 300-500 lbs. 68-74; 500-700 lbs. 69-72.  
Large Frame #2 (Holstein) 300-500 lbs. 81-84; 500-700 lbs. 64-74.  
Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large Frame #1 300-400 lbs. 76-80; 400-500 lbs. 74-77; 500-600 lbs. 72-77.50, large frame 84; 600-700 lbs. 68-72.50; 700-800 lbs. 65-71.50. Heiferettes 52.25-57.75.  
Small Frame #1 300-500 lbs. 68-72; 500-700 lbs. 65-69.  
Per head: Medium Frame #1 Stock Cows 7-8 yrs. old with 80-150 lb. calves by side 555-655. Medium and Large Frame #1 Stock Cows 4-8 yrs. old 2-7 months bred 525-590. Stock and Small Frame #1 Stock Cows 2-10 yrs. old 2-7 months bred 345-500.  
Baby Calves: 95-140, weaned 160-190.

**YARD SALES**  
Garage Sale: At the home of Kenneth Mink on West Main St. Will open anytime except Sunday and holidays. You can call 256-4225.

### Cards of Thanks

The family of Carrie Barnett wish to express their thanks and appreciation for their prayers, flowers, food and visits in the loss of our dear mother. A special thanks to Bros. Shawn Madden, Earnest Martin, Randall Adams and Buford Parkerson for their comforting words. Also, to Dewey and Lucille Barnett and Brown and Jean Brown Towery, all at Roundstone. Also, thanks to Watson Funeral Home. The Children and Step-children

We would like to thank everyone who came and helped us celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary, especially our three daughters Carl Boggs, Libby Burdette and Marsha Franklin. The celebration was held at the Family Life Center on November 23. We love you all.

J.L. and Alfine Wilcox

Notice is hereby given that on October 7, 1991, I seized the following described property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, in the Eastern District of Kentucky pursuant to a Warrant of Arrest in Rem issued by the Clerk of the United States District Court and signed by Civil Action No. 91-199 of the London Docket, United States of America v. One (1) 1990 Chevrolet Beretta VIN, IGH144T0LY212670. With all Appurtenances and Improvements Thereon: 1990 Chevrolet Beretta VIN, IGH144T0LY212670, registered in the name of Jack D. Hensley. All persons claiming an interest in this property are hereby notified to file a claim within ten (10) days and to serve an answer within twenty (20)

Just completed. Come and enjoy the good life at beautiful, well-kept "Houseton Point Estates" located on Hwy. 150 between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead.  
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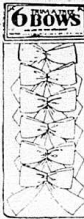
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**Wanted to Purchase**  
Rockcastle County Fiscal Court is accepting sealed bids until 3:00 p.m. Dec. 3, 1991 on the following equipment:  
1 1986 GMC, equipped with cab, 4 wheel drive, diesel engine with wet sleeve liner, comparable to John Deere Model 310C.  
1 used 1985 GMC or equivalent single axle tractor, equipped with 800 Cummins Engine, 7 speed low hole transmission, power steering, air conditioning, 12,000 pound front axle, 23,000 pound rear axle, and air brakes.  
1 late model used 15 passenger van with rear air  
Bid specifications can be picked up at the office of the County Judge Executive in the Courthouse, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456  
The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

**Kentucky Mill Flea Market**  
Open Fri, Sat. & Sun. 9 a.m. to ?? - Open Year Round  
Located 7 miles from Renfro Valley on US 25 North at Conway  
All items reduced until Christmas. New Christmas gifts arriving each week. We also have men's work uniforms, porcelain dolls, toys, tools and much more from which to choose. We also have underfoot storage to rent for boats, cars & trucks.  
TO RENT A BOOTH - Call 256-3689

Coming Fri., November 8th  
**The Balloon Boom!**  
Talking Balloons  
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**RED VELVET BOWS**  
Six 4 1/2" size red velvet bows  
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**GIFT WRAPPING RIBBON**  
400" red curling ribbon or 1200" red flat for holiday cards  
**97¢**



**SEASONAL TABLEWARE**  
12 piece set of 1/2" paper hot tub, 20 count. All have holiday designs.  
**PAPER PLATE \$1.77**  
**PAPER CUP \$1.17**



**WOOD LADDER**  
Red, white, or green color ladder. 24" size. For Christmas decoration!  
**\$2.99**



**2 for \$1.00**



**1,000 VCR TAPES**  
Scotch or Full Blank Scotch or Full Blank tapes for 2-4 hours of recording time.  
**\$2.88**



**MINI PLUSH STOCKING**  
17 mini plush red Christmas stockings  
**GARLAND BY-THE-YARD**

**PINE GARLAND**  
10' pine garland  
**\$1.99** yard



**3-FT CHRISTMAS TREE**  
10' pine garland  
**\$8.88**



**WHITE TISSUE PAPER**  
20 sheets per pack. Each sheet 20" x 20". Total 70 square feet.  
**89¢**

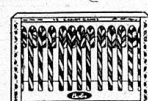


**BOXED CHRISTMAS CARDS**  
24 cards with matching envelopes.  
**\$2.47**

**we've got stockings full of gifts...**



**INDOOR/OUTDOOR GARLAND**  
6 1/2" by 3 1/2" size in pine or pine with red & green.  
**\$3.98**



**CANDY CANES**  
12 Cakes in Red & White, Snow Red & Green.  
**89¢**



**CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS**  
Red footed sock meeting with plush white cuff, 10 1/2" size, or red with Monogram Santa print design, 17" size.  
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**JUMBO GIFT WRAP**  
30" wide, 30" square feet per roll. Traditional holiday designs.  
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**PARADE ELECTRIC ALARM CLOCK**  
Elevated dial, large case.  
**\$3.19**



**PLUSH ANIMALS**  
14" poodle, penguin, and cuddle bear, or 9 1/2" teddy bear.  
**\$5.44**



**CHRISTMAS CUTOUTS**  
Printed on both sides.  
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**EXTENSION CORD**  
White braided cord.  
**\$1.17**



**PLUSH PUPPIES**  
White, tan, or black.  
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**CANDLE HOLDER**  
Crystal star candleholder.  
**77¢**



**INDOOR/OUTDOOR 25-LIGHT SET**  
Cool lighting, 27 light set, all size or colored transparent tubes.  
**\$6.44**

**Sale starts Wed., Nov. 27**  
Timex Watches 20% off  
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**PLUSH GARLAND**  
6 1/2" by 3 1/2" size in silver and white, or red with snowflake.  
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**HOLIDAY LUNCHEON NAPKINS**  
Pack of 100 luncheon napkins with Christmas designs.  
**99¢**



**OLD FASHIONED WOOD SLEIGH**  
2 1/2" size with metal blades and painted design.  
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**CHRISTMAS POLE ELF**  
Has bendable arms and legs. 6 1/2" size. Set of 2 styles in pick from.  
**\$1.99**



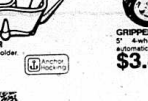
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Assorted sets which include paints, acrylic colors, and artist brush.  
**\$2.74**



**MINI GLUE GUN**  
100% hot glue gun with glue stick.  
**\$3.67**



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12" x 12" size. Includes children's board games.  
**\$2.54**



**CRAWLERS MONSTER VEHICLES**  
27 assorted drive vehicles. Real automatically shift from slow to fast.  
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**ROUND HEAD GARLAND**  
6mm x 18" long. Red, gold, silver, green, blue, or white pearl.  
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Pack of twelve 1-3/4" for pack of eight 2 1/2" ornaments. Many colors available.  
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Old favorite game with a new twist.  
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**2 rolls for \$1.00**



**GIFT WRAP**  
Scotch of Christmas patterns. Three rolls 10" wide 100' square. Net total.  
**\$2.88** pack



**WATER ACTION PLAYMAT**  
Just push down on the water level playmat and watch lakes sail, planes fly, and cars race.  
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Main St. 256-2691 **5 & 10**





Rockcastle County High School football coach Tom Larkey, holds the region runner-up trophy in the air, following his club's loss to Danville

Friday night 18-13. Turnovers hurt the Rocket's bid for the upset against the three touchdown favorite.

### To Rocket Football Fans:

When I came out of the locker room onto the field for the Regional Championship game at Danville, I felt a sense of pride and support that I have never felt before in all my years of coaching. My first thoughts were to win this game for all those people that were there to watch us play. That was not the way it turned out, but the team gave it all they had and were hurt very much because they didn't win. I guess the only real satisfaction would be to win the State Championship.

The loss at Danville cannot take away all the great things that happened during the season. A District Championship, Regional runner-up, and a record of 11-2 that included two wins over Corbin, is something this team can always be proud of.

However, the one other thing that stands out in my mind is the excitement this team gave to Rockcastle Co. I want to thank the cheerleaders, pep band, and all the fans that cheered us on at all the games. I want to thank the Quarterback Club led by Larry Carter for the long hours and hard work you did this season. I am afraid to list names because I may accidentally leave someone out, but thanks to all of you that bought meals, donated money for fireworks, and sponsored the team in any way. I hope to thank each of you personally in the future.

Congratulations to the Freshman and Jr. Varsity teams and their coaches on a great season. As Coach Tony Saylor leads these returning players through the off season program, I would like to see the support the football team had continue through the basketball season and Spring sports at RCHS. These coaches and players need your support too.

**Tom Larkey**  
Head Football Coach • RCHS

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# Mount Vernon Signal

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## Mt. Vernon man killed in multi-vehicle wreck

Robert Hugh Noe, 51, of Countryside Estates in Mt. Vernon died Saturday at the University of Kentucky Medical Center of injuries he received in a five vehicle accident last Thursday on Ky. 461.

According to State Trooper Gilbert Acciaro Jr., at the London Post, Noe was traveling south on Ky. 461 in his pickup truck when he tried to pass a tractor-trailer. He saw a small car hauler approaching, lost control and hit the hauler which continued on in the southbound lane and collided with another pickup.

The trooper reported a third pickup sideswiped the car hauler and went sideways across the road where another tractor-trailer trying to avoid the accident hit the pickup.

Trooper Acciaro said Noe was found lying under a pickup. He said it has not been determined if he was run over.

Lawrence Shaddon of Somerset, driver of the car hauler was in serious condition at Humana Hospital in Somerset.

Drivers of the other three vehicles were not seriously injured, Acciaro said.

Others involved in the accident were Russell and Charles Hines, both of Livingston.

Monroe Fain, Darrel Fain and Glennis Miller of Mt. Vernon. Glennis Miller was admitted to Rockcastle Hospital for treatment.

Tiffie Stone of Irvine, driver of the small car hauler, was not injured.

## Fire slightly damages Trooper Lane's home

A fire heavily damaged the den and contents Sunday morning at the home of State Trooper and Mrs. Gary Lane, at the junction of Hwy. 70 and 150.

Mrs. Lane reported the fire apparently started in a baseboard heater. Family members fought the fire until Brodhead firemen arrived on the scene.

Mrs. Lane said the firemen responded quickly and the family appreciated the effort.

Trooper Lane suffered minor burns on his hand and legs.

## Pedestrian struck near Gregory's truck motel

Kenneth Schwartz of Troy, MI, is in fair condition at the U.K. Medical Center after he was struck by a car while walking on U.S. 25 around 10:15 p.m. Saturday night in front of Gregory's Motel, near Renfro Valley.

According to Mt. Vernon city police, Schwartz apparently stepped in front of a car driven by Rock Castle Steak House owner, Donna Roberts. Mrs. Roberts told police that Schwartz was walking in the road and that she did not see him until she was upon him.

## Tree lighting is Friday night

Christmas in the Valley will officially begin Friday, November 29, at 5:30 p.m.

Mayor Gary Cromer will flip the switch that lights the tree located in Renfro Valley in front of the Museum.

With MC Pete Stamper, the festivities will include Renfro Valley Carollers and Quartets, and Santa will arrive on a Mt. Vernon volunteer fire truck.

The warm glow of holiday cheer begins in Santa's Workshop, located in the Village. Decorated in bright, festive colors, the workshop is filled with snowmen and elves, and even Santa himself.

In the true spirit of Christmas giving, Santa's Workshop has a Tree of Love. The ornaments on the tree depicts 62 children in the county who are in need of Christmas gifts. Visitors may choose an ornament, take it to one of the elves, and the elf will tell you of the child's Christmas desires. Gifts can then be purchased for the children and delivered to the security office by Dec. 20. The children will receive their gifts by Dec. 21.

## Burley tops \$1.84

It was up and down for burley tobacco when the marketing season opened Monday.

It ranged from a low of \$1.82 per hundred pounds at Harrodsburg, Lexington, Mt. Sterling and Richmond to \$1.84 at Glasgow, averaging \$182.29 a hundred.

Some farmers were unhappy with first day prices. Unlike last year when all grades brought \$1.75 per pound, this year, buyers bought mixed grades at \$1.77 a pound and medium grades for \$1.81 a pound.

Some unhappy growers withdrew from sales to await higher prices if it happens.

In the Rockcastle area, the price at Danville was \$182.01 a hundred; London, \$182.84 and Somerset, \$180.69.

Danny McKinney, chief executive officer of the Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative, said farm leaders

### Yesterday's burley sales

Market	Pounds sold	Average '90	'91
Brodhead	629,834	182.20	182.29
Harrodsburg	141,023	182.49	182.49
Cynthiana	629,115	182.49	182.49
Danville	662,486	182.84	182.84
Glasgow	633,328	182.79	182.79
Harrodsburg	644,600	182.71	182.71
Harrodsburg	195,667	183.74	183.74
Horse Cave	1,344,257	182.54	182.54
London	676,883	183.30	183.30
Lexington	531,959	180.48	180.48
London	257,459	182.01	182.01
Louisville	166,016	182.88	182.88
Mayfield	134,958	183.43	183.43
Mayfield	2,022,711	183.64	183.64
Morehead	452,903	183.01	183.01
Mount Sterling	424,845	182.58	182.58
Danville	746,890	183.81	183.81
Paris	649,208	183.89	183.89
Richmond	402,519	180.03	180.03
Russell Springs	274,642	183.02	183.02
Shelbyville	1,238,714	181.73	181.73
Homesburg	228,662	182.86	182.86
Springfield	663,113	182.45	182.45
Woolverton	103,341	181.96	181.96
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,902,087</b>	<b>182.29</b>	<b>182.29</b>

had been warning for several years that one-price markets would not continue. Still, he was upbeat about the sales.

"Farmers have more pounds this year, and it's bringing more money" than last year, he said. "That's always good whether you like the amount or not."

McKinney said prices varied because the size of this year's crop was expected to come close to satisfying manufacturers' demands. The 1991 crop is estimated at more than 650 million pounds.

"They can be a little more choosy," he said. "If the companies see the crop is in the 600-million-pound range, they will get hungry for it and you could see a one price market again."

Statewide, 20,902,087 pounds were sold Monday compared with 22,794,766 last year.

### Our first edition!

Tuesday marked the beginning of a new era for the Mt. Vernon Signal. Berea Citizen and Laurel County Weekly. All three publications were printed at our new printing facility behind the current Signal office in Mt. Vernon.

Hazel Herbert of Route 1, Orlando answered all five trivia questions correctly in last week's Signal Trivia. Her game paper was randomly selected and she received a \$25 prize.

- The correct answers were as follows:
1. 42-7
  2. Mayor Billy Medley
  3. Strait Shot/New Found Gold 4. school buses
  5. Robert E. Robinson
- Thanks for playing and keep watching for next month's game, you could be the next winner of a \$25 prize.

## Gabbard says working together a must

Ralph Gabbard, resident of Renfro Valley Folks, told Friday night's farmers and businessmen that the key to Rockcastle County's success in tourism is a solid relationship and mutual cooperation between business and political infrastructures.

"Let us come together as a group

with a strong sense of purpose and a resolve to make things happen. Where there are differences, let us resolve them. Where there are resources, let us maximize them," said Gabbard, guest speaker at the Farmer's and Businessmen's Banquet.

The dedication to preserving and recapturing the area's history and

traditions was of great importance to Gabbard, which led to his involvement in the project. A native Rockcastle Countian, Gabbard recalled his early days working at WRVK Radio and the changes and progress the county has completed since.

Reflecting a family atmosphere

and holding the values of family close at hand, Gabbard stated that Renfro Valley is indeed a family. "Just maybe our Kentucky values and traditions of family and community will have a positive influence on many who will visit here," said Gabbard.

Renfro Valley has helped to stimulate further businesses and tourism facilities, such as the business growth at the Mt. Vernon exit 62. In addition to actual businesses, Renfro Valley has aided in creating more support businesses. He explained that support businesses were businesses that supplied food for the restaurants and constructed the hotels. "Even though we are in the home of the Rockets, it does not take a rocket scientist to figure out that this kind of future development will also create the need for more support businesses," he said.

Tourism expenditures have increased 92% since 1989, which is the product of visitor spending, benefiting all area businesses.

Citing two Kentucky communities with tourism potential, one which was successful and one that had failed, Gabbard relayed that the successful area, Bardstown, had a great relationship with the community as they would quickly "jump in" to contribute. "We have opportunity starting us squarely in the face. What we have is an opportunity to duplicate what many others have done successfully. What 1



A.B. Thomason, owner of Thomason's Service Station in Mt. Vernon, surveys the damage to a Toyota pickup that was being driven by Robert Noe when he wrecked on Hwy. 461 last Thursday morning. Noe died Saturday at the University of Kentucky Medical Center.

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# County Statistics

## Deeds Recorded

Norma Coffey, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Scottie and Wanda Coffey, Tax \$3,500.  
 Donna Elam and Leon Elam, real property located on the waters of Copper Creek, to Leon Elam and James Rosella Halcomb, Tax \$10,500.  
 Tammy Harley Hays and James Hasy, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Carlous McClure, Tax \$23,000.  
 David and Lucille Reed, real property located on the waters of Copper Creek, to Deward T. Spillman, Tax \$12,000.  
 Recie E. Robinson Cummins and Clyde Cummins, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Recie E. Robinson Cummins and Clyde Cummins, No tax.

## Marriage Licenses

Evelyn Leigh Mink, 22, Livingston, baby sitter, to William Neal Powell, 21, Mt. Vernon, national guard, November 21, 1991.

## Circuit Civil Suits

Randal Anderkin vs. Tamela Anderkin, petition for dissolution of marriage, 91-CI-00236-J.  
 First National Bank of Manchester, Ky. vs. Tommy Philbeck, et al, complaint, 91-CI-00237.  
 R. Thompson and C. Thompson, joint petition for dissolution of marriage, 91-CI-000238.  
 Billie Jean Bowling vs. Calvin Ray Bowling, petition for dissolution of marriage, 91-CI-00239.  
 Tammy Nickle vs. Gregory J. Nickle, petition for child support, 91-CI-00240.  
 Janice Vanzant vs. Roger Karl Vanzant, petition for dissolution of marriage, 91-CI-00241.  
 Peoples Bank and Trust Company of Madison County vs. Lisa Mullins, complaint, 91-CI-00242.

## District Court Suits

John T. Cannon Plumbing and Heating Company vs. James Proctor \$131.65 claimed due for services rendered, 91-C-00077.  
 Danville Anesthesia Associates vs. Mrs. Veona Woodall, \$345.86 claimed due for services rendered, 91-S-00078.

## Our Readers Write

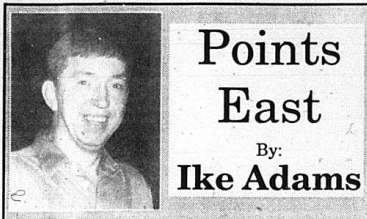
Dear Editor,  
 As many of you, we have always had our doubts about Rockcastle Hospital. We have always had great respect for Dr. Saylor, however since we have Humana Insurance and since we thought Humana Hospital would be a better hospital, we have always taken our children to the Children's Clinic in Somerset.  
 Our youngest, Kyle, now five months, had been treated five times in two weeks for an upper respiratory infection; the last time being October 25 at which time his antibiotic was changed for the third time. I requested blood work, which showed a high white blood count. The doctor there said Kyle obviously still had infection somewhere, however it appeared that the upper respiratory infection no longer existed. His throat and ears were clear but he was still running a fever. I was only concerned that he had been on antibiotics for two weeks and was still not well, and I was not comfortable bringing Kyle back home. I felt that he should have been hospitalized, however the doctor did not agree.  
 At 4 a.m. on Oct. 26, Kyle's father and I were up with him. He had been crying and David had him on his shoulder, when he finally calmed down and was lying very still. All at once David had him in his arms, calling his name, Kyle had stopped breathing and was lifeless. Knowing we didn't have time to get him to Somerset, we immediately took him to Dr. Saylor's house. She told us to go to the emergency room and she would be right behind us. All the way

to the hospital, I was blowing in Kyle's face trying to keep him breathing. As I would blow, he would take one shallow breath. Upon arrival at the hospital, he was only getting eight breaths per minute. They immediately began working with him. After a few minutes of having oxygen, Dr. Saylor noticed a jerking of Kyle's arms and legs when he took a breath. She explained that he was having a seizure. He was given a shot, and soon stopped seizing and began breathing normal.

Kyle needed to be hospitalized and as we have Humana Insurance, he would have to be transferred to Humana Hospital. The doctor from the Children's Clinic requested that Kyle not be sent there but to the UK Medical Center, however because of our insurance, hospitalization would only be covered at a Humana Hospital. It took over an hour for Dr. Saylor to get clearance from Humana to send Kyle to UK, where he could have the best treatment. We were very upset with the doctor in Somerset, not because they would not accept Kyle, but more because he felt that since he had been treated there five times in two weeks, that they could have been more cooperative in trying to get Kyle in to UK. We felt like Kyle's regular doctors turned their back on him when his life was on the line. Needless to say, Dr. Saylor is now our family's doctor and as soon as possible, we will be changing from Humana Insurance.

Kyle was at UK for a week, having several tests run. According to all the tests run, they could find nothing wrong with him. The doctors there felt that as Kyle had the upper respiratory infection for so long that the infection caused swelling around his brain causing him to stop breathing, which then caused him to have the seizure. They found no signs of brain damage. He was sent home on an opha monitor for precautionary measures. So far he has done wonderful.

We want to thank Dr. Saylor, the Ambulance Service, Rockcastle Hospital, especially Greta McClure who was very supportive at the hospital and in the ambulance. We will always be very grateful to all of you who had us in your thoughts, those



# Points East

By: Ike Adams

If everybody had to keep the schedule and deal with the myriad problems I've had over the last two weeks, then I am convinced that the average life expectancy for Americans would drop from 75.7 years to somewhere near zero to several thousand miles per hour in a second or two. His car didn't perform up to expectations and he met her head-on as he tried to pass in the middle of a blind curve.

It's been a combination of things. And it all began with the most important. Late on Tuesday Loretta had a head on collision with a 2-28 driven by a fellow who actually believed that it would go from nearly zero to several thousand miles per hour in a second or two. His car didn't perform up to expectations and he met her head-on as he tried to pass in the middle of a blind curve. She had called to tell me she was going to be late because she had some paint to "drop off at a client's house" and none of the family was really worried when she hadn't show up at home, an hour late, at 5:30. Loretta is known to us, (shall we say politely?), converse at length, and leave it there. Then one of our neighbors showed up at the door to explain that she had been in an accident but that she was okay.

He told me that she didn't seem to be very injured, but they had taken her to the hospital and he suggested I might ought to go on over there. He had actually spoken to Loretta and she had sent word that we need not worry.

So I consoled the kids and took off to the hospital. Three miles enroute I came upon the scene of the accident and it was one of those deals that you take a glance at and conclude that nobody lived through it. I'm talking talking with ALL CAPS. And I'm thinking to myself that I have neighbors who could send cars, flowers, food and money, the visitors, and most of all, for your prayers, because we know that without them, we would not have this precious child with us today.

David, Sandi, Weston and Kyle Riddle

### Dear Editor,

Parks and recreation is an area that Rockcastle County desperately needs to better itself in. Our county needs a well developed facility to better accommodate our little league and senior league program, as well as provide other recreation for the citizens of our county. Our present facilities at Broadhead and Roundstone have served the program very well, but our county program has expanded since 1980 and I believe we need to expand our facilities. I also believe when considering this facility, we should give some consideration to our high school baseball team and build a nice complex that other schools would enjoy playing on. Also this would be a step upward for the high school baseball program, in terms of creating outside interest. As coach James Ward, Eastern Kentucky University baseball coach told me, "you can tell the quality of a good baseball program by their facilities." I believe there is some truth to that. Just look at the facilities that Laurel County, Madison County, Pulaski County, and many other places have. These schools have good baseball teams every year, but they also have nice facilities and parks. This county has some good talent, let's give them a nice facility to showcase their talents, a facility that a college recruiter would be impressed with, and a place he would enjoy watching good baseball.

During the All-Star games this summer I traveled to a really nice facility in Hazard, where our senior league all-stars were playing for a state championship. And as anyone who went to the all-star games can attest to, this was a really nice facility. This facility contained lighted baseball diamonds, lighted tennis and basketball courts, as well as a walking track and other attributes. This is the type of facility that we need in our county. This is the type of facility that would bring all-star regional and sectional finals to Rockcastle County. One that would be used for high school sectional and regional championship games.

This type of facility is also needed for our tennis team at the high school who have no place for home matches.

bor who simply isn't good at breaking bad news. Somebody's dead, maybe my wife, and this guy is just trying to let me down easy.  
 My knees go to knocking and I get

the weak trembles so bad that I have to pull off the road myself and I do what anyone with an ounce of sanity does in a similar situation.  
 "Hey God. Are you listening? I need some help right now myself, but if you're paying attention please just find Loretta and make her all right. Because I honestly don't know what I'd do or how I would survive without this woman who is, indeed, my better half. Loretta is simply too kind and wonderful to everyone who knows her. Please God just take care of her."  
 And as the wreckers separated the cars I wanted as much as I can want that I could be in her place because I knew she had to be hurt awfully bad. And I can tell you matter of factly that the world would be better off without me than it would without my wife. She does more good on any given day.

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## ROCKCASTLE COMMUNITY

# Bulletin Board

### Offices Closed

The Sheriff's office will be closed Nov. 28, 29 and 30 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

The Rockcastle County ASCS office will be closed Thurs., Nov. 28 for Thanksgiving. The office will reopen Fri., Nov. 29 at 8 a.m. RTEC will be closed Nov. 28 and 29.

The Circuit Clerk's office will be closed Thurs., Nov. 28, Fri., Nov. 29 and Sat., Nov. 30 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. The Road Test/CDL Test/Permit Test will not be given on Friday, November 29.

### Turkey Shoot

The Livingston Fire Department Turkey Shoot will be held Sat., Nov. 30 from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m., 1 1/2 miles south of Mt. Vernon on U.S. 25. \$1 per shot. All shells will be furnished by the fire department and there will be 10 shooters per round. Winner will receive a chicken. In the 8th round, the seven winners will shoot-off for a turkey. Absolutely no drinking allowed.

### Retired Teachers Dinner

Annual Christmas Dinner, Tues., Dec. 3 at 5:30 at Rock Castle Steak House for retired teachers. Cost \$7.65.

### History Book Committee

Rockcastle County History Book Committee will meet Tuesday, Dec. 10 at 7 p.m. in the Fiscal Court Room at the Courthouse. Highlight of the meeting will be the distribution of the "Footprints in Time" brochures, which will give complete instructions to those wanting to be a part of the Rockcastle County, KY and Its People. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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# Social and Women's News



## Benson - Singleton

Mrs. Ann Benson and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Singleton, all of Mt. Vernon, wish to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Melissa Carol and Steven Keith. The wedding will be an event of Sat., December 21, 1991 at 6:30 in the evening. The ceremony will be held at First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon.

### "POINTS EAST" (Cont. From A2)

than I manage to accomplish in a year.

To make a very long story a bit shorter, I found her in the emergency room on a gurney looking more perturbed than in pain. Fully conscious, not bleeding but with obvious tear stains on her cheeks.

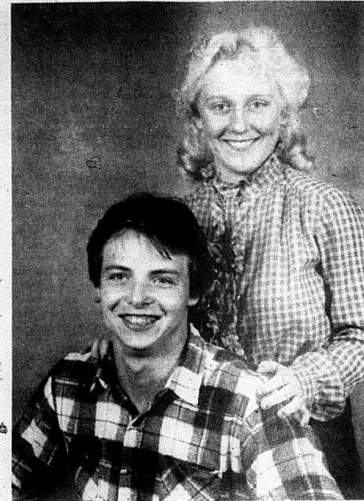
She'd been crying over her car. A 1988 Taurus wagon with over 100,000 miles on it. Loretta's daily companion, was in fact, about as dead as a car can get. The other driver was sitting on yet another gurney and he'd been crying because he was worried about the woman he didn't even know. I talked to him long enough to know that he felt pretty miserable about his Z-28 too, but his first concern was about the other driver who happened to be my wife and that made him some sort of hero in my eyes.

But neither of them said anything about seat belts. And that was saved both their lives. The impact was roughly like driving head long into a steel wall at 20 miles per hour.

Loretta has been to and from Humana Hospital a few times since the wreck and she is bruised and battered but take my word for it that she is very much alive. She's fussed at me all evening long.

Since the wreck I believe that I have spoken with and subsequently threatened law suits with approximately 35 representatives of one insurance company or another. I will say this much for State Farm (our automobile insurance company) however -- they have been remarkably fair and expedient in settling our car claim. Loretta believed it to be worth a million dollars because it was so much a part of her life. We didn't get that much, but we didn't have to fight to get almost what it looked for and Chet Copeland who owns the Berea Agency really went to bat for us.

I wish that health insurance people at Humana and Kentucky State's Workman's Compensation people were so understanding. And I'm finally beginning to understand why health insurance costs so much. They've got all these computers but



## Bostic - Sandlin

Mr. and Mrs. Tina Bostic of Mt. Vernon wish to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jackie, to Clifford Sandlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rosie Kidwell of Mt. Vernon. The wedding will take place at the Buckeye Christian Church, December 7 at 11 a.m. The custom of open church will be observed. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

nobody knows what to do with them. And they have all these people on the payroll who haven't the faintest idea about why they're getting a pay check. And, they don't know beans about medicine. They get paid to make excuses and give subscribers the run-around. If you have a question they don't know, they'll be glad to refer you to someone else who don't know, who will refer you to someone else who don't know and it's a never ending chain.

If the health insurance companies would fire all the people who don't know a damn thing about anything, and hire just five people capable of giving an intelligent answer to any reasonable question, then the cost of insurance would decrease 50 percent. Believe you me I have spent hours and hours over the last two weeks talking to people who work for, and I assume to be getting salaries from the health insurance industry. As far as I can determine they are paid solely to pass the buck. It's driving me crazy, but I'd bet any amount of money some of them were looking forward to last weekend. And I'd bet some of them were looking at the job ads in Sunday's classifieds.

You think I can't sell this old Buick, they were telling Ole Don Jacobs and Paul Miller on Monday. Heck, I sold it to Eskimos ten times last week. Just don't be sending me no hillbillies. They bite too hard."

Talking about me. I hope they find work.



Roy C. Pingleton

"The Granddaddy of them all" celebrated his 78th birthday Nov. 26. Happy Birthday, Poppy. We love you; Dwight, Kathy, Curt, Janet, Zoe Ann, Doug, Glen, Lance, Rob, Kristie, Mike, Richie, Jessie, Heather, Britanny, Kayla; Annie, Jill Jess.

Happy Birthday to my husband, My Best Friend, I Love you, Ora

## SCC hosting display of crafts

Somerset Community College is hosting a display of crafts created by Charlonia Burchett. Ms. Burchett, a native of Wayne County, was born March 29, 1950. Her two sons, Patrick and John, are currently attending Somerset Community College.

The crafts currently displayed are Ms. Burchett's version of the old time rag baskets and rugs which were made of old items that no longer could be used. Now, these items are no longer used as necessities, but are used as

accessories to complement any decor. Her reproduction of these baskets and rugs have drastically been upgraded by the use of a variety of materials and colors. She has added her own personal touch such as the single and double loop handles, bows, and flowers. The display is open to the public from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. until Nov. 27.

## "What Saith the Scriptures"

Peter in Ac. 10:34-35 said "Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons: But in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with him." Let's notice some lessons from Peter's statements here.

First, Peter was stating a truth that he had come to learn. He was not merely giving an opinion or a mere "think-so" on these matters. He had learned that God is no respecter of persons. Literally, God is not a respecter of face, i.e. God does not accept or reject based on the "face" of things. It does not make any difference whether one is a Jew or a Gentile, black or white, rich or poor, educated or uneducated, male or female. He will show us what does make a difference with God in vs. 35.

"But in every nation," God is ready and willing to accept people unto himself. The gospel of Jesus Christ is for all humanity and should be preached and taught to every creature, Mk. 16:15, Mt. 28:19, Lk. 24:47.

Now notice what is necessary to be accepted of God. "He that feareth him and worketh righteousness is accepted of him." The fear of God, Solomon said, is the beginning of wisdom and knowledge, Pr. 1:7, 9:10. We must stand in awe and reverence of the great God of heaven. Far too many do not fear God and some don't even believe in him. He also says we must also work righteousness. What does he mean work righteousness? Paul in Rm. 1:16-17 says, "for I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth, to the Jew first, and also to the Greek. For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith. As it is written, the just shall live by faith." God's righteousness, is found in the gospel. By obeying the gospel, men and women in every nation can be accepted of God. Have you obeyed the Gospel of Jesus Christ? Let us know if we may help you.

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Every effort will be made to keep parents and concerned citizens informed as to school closing, early dismissal and possibly a delay plan.

The number one concern is the safety of students. After an extensive evaluation of road conditions in the county, taking into consideration all roads, a decision will be made in regard to closing school.

School closing will be announced on 4 radio stations and 3 television stations and they are as follows: Radio - WRVK (AM-1460), WKXO (AM-1500, FM-106.7), WVLC (FM-93); Television - WKYT (Channel 27) WLEX (Channel 18), WTVQ (Channel 36). If possible, the closing will be announced the evening before the closing date. If a determination can not be made the day prior to the closing date, every possible effort will be made to reach a decision by 6:00 a.m. The announcement will be made no later than 6:30 a.m. This will be conducted the same for the delay plan, if it is concluded the delay plan would be the appropriate plan of action.

If the delay plan is used, breakfast will be served upon the arrival of students at school.

Early dismissal of school due to inclement weather will be announced only on WRVK. Roads will be closely monitored as school is in session, to determine if there is a need for early dismissal. If the need for early dismissal does occur, parents should make arrangements to meet children as they arrive early.

Parents and students should not call any radio or television stations to inquire as to the information they may or may not have received in relation to school closing. This could delay the information distribution to the necessary channel by phone lines being tied up.



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# Obituaries

## Barnett

Mrs. Carrie Barnett, 83, Castle Village Apartment, Brodhead, died Nov. 22, 1991 at her home.

She was born on Jan. 9, 1908 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late Joe Fry and Carrie Houk Adams. She was a member of the Union Chapel Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, Lonnie and Barbara Lovings of Charleston, Ind.; three daughters, Mrs. Bernice Sowerder and Mrs. Dorothy Martin, both of Jeffersonville, Ind.; four step sons, Duoy and Ray Barnett, both of Broadhead, Charles and Roy Barnett, both of Middletown, Ohio; three step daughters, Mrs. Christine Scott of Mt. Vernon, Mrs. Irene Roberts of Erlanger and Mrs. Josephine Rose of Middletown, Ohio. Nine grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and one great, great, grandchild and several nieces and nephews also survive. She was preceded in death by her first husband, John Lovings, her second husband, Henry Barnett, one son, John Lovings Jr. and one step son, Oscar Barnett.

Services were held Nov. 24 at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Revs. Ernest Martin and Shawn Madden officiating. Burial followed in Oak Hill Cemetery.

## Jackson

Collum Jackson, 82, Kenvir, Ky. and formerly of Rockcastle County, died Wednesday, Nov. 22, 1991 at the Harlan Appalachian Hospital after a long illness.

He was born April 14, 1909 in Clay County, the son of the late Tom and Laura Stewart Jackson. He was a retired miner and a member of the Pentecostal Holiness Faith.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Isabelle Kelly Jackson of Kenvir; four sons, John Jackson of Garrard, Edward Jackson of Jonesville, Va., Earl Jackson of Eastview and Roger Jackson of LaFayette, Tenn; five daughters, Gracie Holland of Roark, Deloris Cornelius of Kenvir, Ruth Jackson of Brightshade, Opal Asher of Long Branch and Judy Ann Sizemore of London; one brother, Burchell Jackson of Brightshade; two sisters, Ollie Sizemore of Brightshade and Berth Jones of Manchester; 82 grandchildren, 60 great grandchildren and 25 great, great, grandchildren also

survive. He was preceded in death by one daughter, Nancy Faye Jackson Mason.

Services will be held Nov. 22 at 11 a.m. at the Everts Funeral Home with Rev. Willard Wynn officiating. Burial will follow in Sand Hill Cemetery at Livingston.

This obituary is courtesy of the Cox Funeral Home.

## Noe

Robert H. Noe, 51, Mt. Vernon, died Nov. 23, 1991 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center in Lexington of injuries received in an automobile accident.

He was born on June 15, 1940 in Harlan County the son of the late A.B. and Myrtle Messer Noe. He was a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist and employed by the Cumberland Anesthesia Associates in Somerset and had worked in several area hospitals. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War having served in both the Navy and Air Force, a member of the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists, and the Wallins Creek Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Beth Ralston Noe of Mt. Vernon; one son, Robert A. Noe of Mt. Arlington, New Jersey; one daughter, Miss Jennifer Noe of Mt. Vernon; two brothers, Paul F. Noe and A.B. Noe Jr., both of Wallins Creek; one sister, Mrs. Marilyn Troutman of Harlan and several nieces and nephews.

Services were conducted Tuesday, Nov. 26 at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Revs. Wendell Romans and Lester Caldwell officiating. Burial was in Resthaven Cemetery in Harlan County.

Palbearers were Dale Winstead, Jerry Hansel, Jerry Ham, Gene Noe, Mike Scott and Danny Howard.

## Blackburn

John Blackburn, 77, of Mareburg, died Tuesday, Nov. 26, at his home. Arrangements are incomplete at Cox Funeral Home.

## Reynolds

Everett Edgar Reynolds, 66, of Mareburg, died Tuesday at the Rockcastle County Hospital. Arrangements are incomplete at Cox Funeral Home.

## Philbeck

Mrs. Elizabeth Philbeck, 88, Mt. Vernon, died Nov. 21, 1991 at the Sower Nursing Home in Brodhead.

She was born in Laurel County, Sept. 8, 1903, the daughter of Tandy and Mary Wolfe Reese. She was retired from the Champion Paper Company and a member of Northside Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Robert Eversole of McKee; a brother, Leonard Reese of Roundstone and one granddaughter.

Services were held Nov. 23 at Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Lester Caldwell officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Palbearers were Vester Maples, John Hale, Jimmy Hale, Jason Cogner, Don Reese and Larry Cogner.

## Chandler

E.P. Chandler, 71, Brodhead, died Nov. 24, 1991 at his home.

He was born on Nov. 26, 1919 in Rockcastle County, the son of the late Dock Baird and Rose Evans Chandler. He had been a factory worker and former employee of the State Highway Department and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Linda Collins of Cincinnati, Ohio and Mrs. Patsy Helton of Brodhead; one sister, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Carson of Brodhead; six grandchildren and five great grandchildren also survive. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Opal Cummins Chandler.

Services will be held Wednesday, Nov. 27 at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Shelby Reynolds officiating. Burial will be in Pincoy Grove Cemetery.

## Smith

Mrs. Lou Lena Rimmel Smith, 94, Green Hill, died Nov. 22, 1991 at the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

She was born March 11, 1897 in Rockcastle County the daughter of John Columbus and Samantha Watkins Rimmel. She was a member of the Brindle Ridge Baptist Church. Survivors include two sons, James O. Smith of Mt. Vernon and Hubert Smith of Kirksville; a daughter, Oona Coffey of Conway; five grandchildren, four great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Nov. 24 at Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Ron Roberts and Wendell Romans

officiating. Burial was in the Rommel Cemetery.

Palbearers were Bill Joe Howard, Ralph Sigmon, Bernard Proctor, Mike Smith, Bob Rucker and Bert Wheat.

## Liese

Mrs. Lillian Edith "Pat" Liese, 70, Mt. Vernon, died Nov. 20, 1991 at the Rockcastle Hospital.

She was born in Pulaski County, Dec. 29, 1920, the daughter of James Bennett and Lillie Mae Woodall Hasty. She was a retired hair stylist, member of Moose Lodge Chapter 518 of Speedway, Ind. and Auxiliary American Legion Post 64 in Indianapolis.

Survivors include a brother, Ray Hasty of Mt. Vernon, a granddaughter Dawn Renee Liese and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Nov. 21 at Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Don Stoyton officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

## Fugate

Mrs. Clara "Sister" Fugate, 83, Rt. 1 Brodhead, died Wednesday, Nov. 20, 1991 at the Rockcastle Hospital after an illness of several months.

She was born on March 24, 1908 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late P.C. and Eugenia Hayes Lear. She was a member of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Chandler and Mrs. Cora Hodge, both of Brodhead and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jack Fugate.

Services were held Nov. 22 at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Gary Messer officiating. Burial was in Pincoy Grove Cemetery.

## "LETTERS TO THE EDITOR"

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Also this facility is needed for adults, to have picnic shelters, playground for children, and other areas of interest. And being an avid softball player each-and-every summer I know that a park to play mens and womens softball leagues and tournaments is needed. There are at least 10 or more softball teams, womens, churches/ from our county, that spend over a thousand dollars a year, per team, playing in leagues and tournaments outside the county. That's around \$10,000 dollars for one summer, of money that would stay

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inside our county if we had the much needed facility, not to mention the teams from out of the county that would come play on a nice facility.

So I am in full support of bringing a parks and recreation facility to Rockcastle County, and support it wholeheartedly and hope others will support something that is long over due.

Thank You Sincerely,  
J. Bruce Blanton

## Give Blood during the holiday season

The holiday season brings thoughts of family gatherings, decorations, and gifts. Volunteer blood donors can give a gift of love to patients in local hospitals. Most donors' blood is separated into three components and transfused to three patients to meet their specific needs.

During the holidays, many donor groups and individual donors do not schedule a blood donation. This means less blood is available to patients hospitalized during December

Drive Carefully during this holiday season!!

## Watch Night service planned

The Sand Springs Baptist Church is planning a watch night service this year. New Year's Eve, beginning at 8 p.m. Pastor Troy Eugene Gentry welcomes everyone. Asst. Pastor Bro. Jerry Ballinger.

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## Rockets finish runners-up in regional finals

It's been said time and again that the Rockcastle County Rockets are good. And, although they were involved in a loss that ended their season last Friday night at Danville, the Rockets truly proved just how good they are.

Why? Facing the #2 state ranked Danville Admirals the Rockets fell only five points shy, 18-13, of capturing a regional championship and a berth into the state championships.

The Admirals, have had only one loss this year, that loss coming to last year's Pennsylvania state champions, 31-27. The Rockets, played the Admirals better than any other team the Admirals faced all year and went into the game a three touchdown underdog.

But the people of Rockcastle knew better and this was obvious due to the fact that the Rockets fans outnumbered the Admiral fans in their show of support for a regional championship. Everyone had all the confidence and pride that the Rockets could beat the Admirals, and although the Rockets didn't win they let everyone know the Rockcastle County Rockets have arrived.

Danville's head coach Sam Harp was quoted after the game as saying, "The Rockets were the toughest team Danville had faced all year, including the team from Pennsylvania."

"With Friday night's loss, the Rockets ended their season with a 11-2 record.

Head coach Tom Larkey said Monday afternoon, "We went to the game, feeling like we could win with some breaks - like a fumble recovery run back for a touchdown, like Danville did."

Danville wasted no time getting on the scoreboard when the Admirals drove down to the Rockets two yard line and on first and goal scored with

6:27 left in the first quarter. Danville's extra-point kick was no good and the Admirals had an early six point lead.

The Rockets began their next drive on their own 26 yard line. Eleven plays later, the Rockets were faced with a third and 11 situation on the 50 yard line. Larkey called a time-out and on the next play, Scott Parkey connected with William Bullens on an 18 yard pass and a first down to the Admirals 32 yard line. The Rockets seemed to be coasting right along to what would be a touchdown until J.D. Harris was stripped at the 25 yard line and Danville was there to return the fumble 75 yards for a touchdown. The Rockets denied the endzone on the Admirals two-point conversion and Danville had a 12 point lead with 41 seconds left in the first quarter.

But, the Rockets would not quit. The Rockets started their next scoring drive in good field position at the Admiral's 42 yard line after a facemasking penalty on Danville on the kick-off. This drive featured runs by Harris, Bullens and Johnathon Saylor and was highlighted by a 14 yard pass from Parkey to Jason Kirby to the Admirals nine yard line for a Rocket first and goal. It took only three more plays for Saylor to score from the one yard line with 8:27 left in the second quarter. Curtis Cotton's extra-point kick was good and the Rockets had cut the Admiral lead to five, 12-7.

It looked like Danville may score again on their next drive until Stacy Nicely was there to recover an Admiral fumble on the Rockets 34 yard line.

"I thought our kids played as good a defensive game as they have all year long," Larkey said. "I was disappointed about our ground game but also pleased about our passing game.



A capacity crowd from Rockcastle County made the trip to Danville to support the Rockets in the finals of the regional



championship. The Rockets fell just shy to the Admirals, 18-13.

Our passing game kept us in the game."

The Rockets took over and three plays later Parkey found Kirby again at the Admirals 47 yard line for a Rocket first down. But the Admirals wouldn't give in. Four plays later, with a fourth and one situation, the Admirals held Saylor and Danville took over on their own 38 yard line.

Harris did likewise to the Admirals as he stopped their next drive on the Rockets 12 yard line. The Rockets could get only one play off before the end of the half and Danville had a 12-7 lead.

Danville scored what was their

third and last touchdown of the night on a Rocket fumble. The Admirals took the fumble recovery and marched down field to score from the Rockets eight yard line. The Rockets' defense once again denied the endzone and Danville's lead was 18-7 with 1:47 left in the third quarter.

But the Rockets came marching back on their very next drive. Bullens started the drive with a seven yard run and a 11 yard run for a first down, then Harris picked up another first down to the Admiral 39 yard line. Two plays later, a Danville defender tipped a Parkey pass and Kirby was

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Quarterback Scott Parkey gets the offensive call between plays from Rockets' head coach Tom Larkey.

### Rockets vs. Danville

By: Preston Parrott  
Our heroes won the District  
Took us to the final eight  
And anything more  
Would be icing on the cake.

The Admirals in Class 2A  
Were ranked number one in the state  
The Rockets would travel there  
To determine their fate.

Now the fans formed a canyon  
Everything went smooth as silk  
The only ones left at home  
Were those that had to milk.

Rocket fans rolled into Danville  
There was a tremendous crowd

And they were all on their feet  
Screaming mighty loud.

From Admiral and Rocket supporters

It was a battle of the bands,  
A cheering was between opposing fans  
Amid a thunderous clapping of the bands.

Clark Mullins joined in and blew his horn  
The music came out from behind a crowd  
For the man residing there  
Had never heard anything so loud.

Now the mighty Admirals  
Had battleships and flatops in their fleet,  
Along with speedy destroyers  
And a crew with nimble feet.

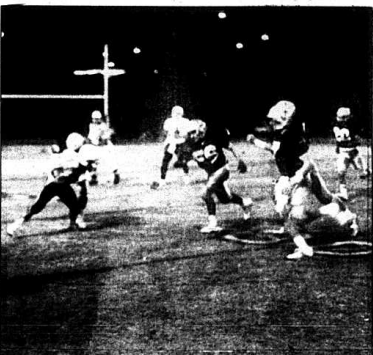
Offensively if they couldn't make it rushing  
Then they'd launch it through the air,  
And hit the flying target  
Streaching for the goal line there.

Defensively they struck with their battleships  
And tried to send their destroyers through.  
The Rocket offensive line  
To take on the back field crew.

The Rockets went into the game  
Fought with all their might,  
And they let the Admirals know  
That they were in for a fight.

In the first quarter  
The Admirals made the scoreboard burn,  
Mike Webb on a two yard run  
And Joe Gray on a fumble return.

In the second quarter  
The Rockets came alive,  
And John "Dog" Saylor  
Scored to cap off the drive.



Rockets' running back J.D. Harris gets pulled down by Danville defensive players.

Now at halftime  
The Admirals were up by five  
But they well knew the Rockets  
Were still very much alive.

In the third quarter  
The Admirals took to the air  
A pass from Morse to Simpson  
Put six more points up there.

Early in the fourth quarter  
The Rockets scored on a forty yard pass,  
From Parkey to Sticky Fingers Kirby  
And he took her into the end zone grass.

Now the Rockets were down by five  
When they got a break,  
But from the Rocket after burners  
They surely felt the heat.

Now throughout the season  
Rockcastle folks have been standing proud and tall,  
All because of a bunch of gutsy guys  
Playing with an odd shaped ball.

Followers of the team  
Have had a lot of fun,  
And to coaches, players and cheerleaders  
To us you'll always be number one.



Rockets' defensive coordinator Tony Saylor gives detailed instructions to Bobby Coffey.



An estimated 2,000 students, parents and just pure Rockcastle fans attended the Rockets match-up with the Admirals Friday night at Danville.



# "Rockets"

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there to make an awesome catch to run the ball in for a Rocket touchdown. Parkey's pass to William Hellard for the two-point conversion was no good and the Rockets were down 18-13 with 11:50 left in the game.

The Rockets still would not give up. Two plays later, Hellard was there to recover an Admiral fumble and the Rockets took over on Danville's 33 yard line.

The Rockets seemed to have all momentum going their way, until on third and two on the Admiral's 11 yard line the Rockets were called for holding and this call pushed the Rockets back to the 21 yard line. After an incomplete pass to Hellard the Rockets went for a first down on fourth down and Danville was called for pass interference which gave the Rockets a first down on the 14 yard line. After some unsuccessful runs the Rockets once again went for a first down on fourth down but this time the Rockets could not convert.

With time ticking off the clock, Hellard, Bobby Coffey and Saylor made some key tackles to stop the Admiral's drive and the Rockets took over on their own 27 yard line.

With less than a minute to play, the Rockets tried a Saylor run and a pass before Danville was there to intercept a Rocket pass to end the game for a final score of 18-13.

As coach Larkey put it in a letter in this week's Signal, the loss at Danville cannot take away all the great things that happened during the season. A District Championship, Regional runner-up, and a record of 11-2 that included two wins against Corbin, is something this team can always be proud of.

In the statistics department, the Rockets rushed for 138 yards and passed for 111 yards for a total offense of 249 yards.

Harris had 17 carries for 71 yards; Saylor eight for 27; Bullens, seven for 33; Parkey, one for seven. Parkey completed seven of 11 passes. Harris had two receptions for 10 yards, Bullens had one reception for 12 yards and Kirby had four receptions for 89 yards.

Defensively, Saylor, two tackles; Nicely, five tackles, one fumble recovery; Mike Durham, four tackles; Cotton; six tackles; Hellard, five tackle-one fumble recovery and one quarterback sack; Bullens, nine tackles; Harris, eight tackles, one interception; Coffey, 19 tackles; J.D. Bussell, two tackles; Jason Fletcher, three tackles; Mikhael Shaffer, three tackles and Ricky Moore, one tackle.

A complete run-down of season statistics and records will be published next week.

## Grade School Girl's Linescores

7th & 8th Tourney 1st round  
MVES 35  
LES 33

Mt. Vernon  
won in overtime

Red Devils scoring: Dee Reams - 9, Melinda Alcorn - 8, Nikki Bullock - 8, Cassey Mullins - 5, Dana Reynolds - 2, Lacosta Mason - 3.

Blue Devils scoring: Susie Carpenter - 23, Dorothy Scaff - 4, Amy Parker - 4, Rhonda Collins - 2.

7th & 8th Tourney 1st round  
RES 11 22 30 43  
BES 11 19 26 42

Eagles scoring: Jamica Cummins - 26, Ginger Mink - 9, Kim Poynter - 4, Teresa Robinson - 4.

Tigers scoring: Amy Robinson - 17, Kristi Moore - 13, Jessica Albright - 10, Sonya Peters - 2.

7th & 8th Consolation game  
LES 8 18 37 43  
BES 8 17 28 39

Blue Devils scoring: Susie Carpenter - 30, Rhonda Collins - 6, Amy Parker - 2, Monica Phillips - 2.

Tigers scoring: Amy Robinson - 24, Jessica Albright - 9, Kristi Moore - 4, Sonya Peters - 2.

7th & 8th Championship  
MVES 35  
RES 33

Mt. Vernon won

In two overtimes

Red Devils scoring: Melinda Alcorn - 7, Dee Reams - 10, Dana Reynolds - 8, Cassey Mullins - 6, Nikki Bullock - 4.

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## Grade School Boy's Linescores

5th & 6th  
RES 9 11 21 29  
Model 8 16 18 25

Eagles scoring: Shane Whittimore - 9, Jimmy Kidwell - 11, Brian Bullens - 6, Eric Powell - 2, Kevin Bullen - 1.

7th & 8th  
RES 12 29 35 45  
Model 6 14 25 39

Eagles scoring: Ronnie Miller - 14, Neal Sparks - 11, Eddie Todd - 12, Adam Powell - 6, Jarrod Singleton - 2.

5th & 6th  
RES 9 15 31 37  
Model 4 8 16 23

Eagles scoring: Jimmy Kidwell - 4, Brian Bullens - 6, Eric Powell - 12, Shuffie Whitmore - 9, Kevin Bullen - 6.

7th & 8th  
RES 17 35 42 55  
Model 13 25 35 39

Eagles scoring: Eddie Todd - 15, Jarrod Singleton - 2, Jamie Linville - 5, Ronnie Miller - 16, Adam Powell - 2, Neal Sparks - 10, Jason Brock - 2, Shane Whitmore - 2.

5th & 6th  
RES 13 18 24 28  
LES 0 0 2 11

Eagles scoring: Brian Bullens - 9, Jimmy Kidwell - 4, Eric Powell - 4, Shane Whitmore - 3, Chris Sears - 3, Kevin Bullen - 2, Michael Isaacs - 1, J. Little - 2.

Blue Devils scoring: Dougie Medley - 7, Tim Nolan - 2, Mike Bradley - 2.

7th & 8th  
RES 20 38 57 71  
LES 2 13 19 29

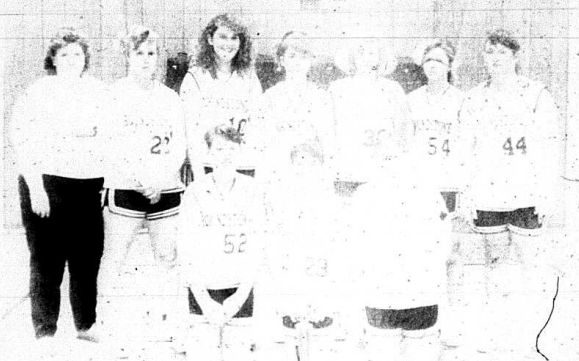
Eagles scoring: Eddie Todd - 13, Jarrod Singleton - 22, Jamie Linville - 7, Jimmy Kidwell - 8, Adam Powell - 4, Neal Sparks - 12, Jimmy Brock - 2, Shane Whitmore - 2.

Blue Devils scoring: Kyle Kirby - 4, Mark Bradley - 4, Jason Medley - 5, Johnathon Northern - 3, Rusty Newcomb - 2, Mark Carpenter - 7, B.J. Mason - 2.

Due to early publication - all linescores not in will appear next week



The Mt. Vernon Red Devils captured the 7th & 8th grade county tournament with a double overtime victory over the Roundstone Eagles 35-33 Monday night. Members of the team and cheerleading squad are front row from left: Dana Mason, Darlene Richards, Terenda Crumer, Amy Tull, Angie Lawless, Talona King, Tiffany McClure, Christy Mink, Nikki Whitaker, Renea Bowles and Shannon Powell. Back row from left: Debbie Abney, Jamie Cornelius, cheerleading coach, Denise Parsons, Ashlee Carter, Angie McFerron, Bethanie Hammond, Dee Reams, Lacosta Mason, Melinda Alcorn, Cassey Mullins-Dana Reynolds, Nikki Bullock and coach Judy Bullock.



The Roundstone Eagles placed second in the 7th & 8th grade county tournament. Members of the team are front row from left: Jenia Davidson, Wendy Himes and Amber Medley. Back row from left: Cathy Short, coach, Kim Poynter, Teresa Robinson, Jamica Cummins, Ginger Mink, Lisa Whitliff and Leann Sigmon.

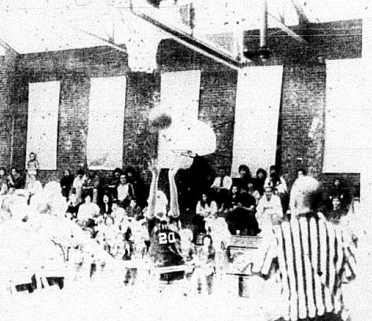


The Livingston Blue Devils placed third in the 7th & 8th grade county tournament. Members of the team are front row from left: Evelyn Scaff, Sharon Hensley, Amy Parker and Monica Phillips. Back row from left: Debbie Bugg, coach, Rhonda Collins, Susie Carpenter, Dorothy Scaff and Amanda Clark.



The Broadhead Tigers placed fourth in the 7th & 8th grade county tournament. Members of the team are front row from left: Sonya Peters, Heather Shivel, Stephanie Ritter, Brande Reynolds, Brooke Roberts and Cassandra Falin. Back row from left: Debbie Cash, coach, Shannon Brewer, Kristi Moore, Amy Robinson, Beth Durham, Sarah Barrett, Jessica Albright and Paige Bengt, asst. coach.

**Congratulations  
Rockets  
on an exciting  
and spectacular  
season!!!**



Mt. Vernon Red Devil Casey Mullins goes up for two of her six points in Monday night's championship game of the county tournament. Also pictured are from left Eagles' Jamica Cummins and Ginger Mink.



Livingston Blue Devil Susie Carpenter goes up for two points in Monday night's consolation game in the county tournament. Also pictured from left are Tigers Amy Robinson, Beth Durham, Jessica Albright and Blue Devil Monica Phillips.

## Ten Pins stretch lead to eight in RMBL

The Ten Pins have now stretched their lead to eight games in the Rockcastle Mixed bowling league with a record of 34-14. The Rockers and Jets are tied for second with a record of 26-22 and NAPA is in third with a 23-25.

High team series went to the Ten Pins with a 2424. The Tin Wins had second high with a 2409 and the Rockers had third high with a 2322.

The Ten Pins had high team game with an 866. The Tin Wins had second and third high game with an 835 and 804.

James Hamilton had high men's series handicap with a 655. Jack Lawless was second with a 646 and Dale Bray third with a 615.

James Hamilton also had high men's game handicap with a 248. Jack Noe and Jack Lawless tied for second with a 247.

High men's series scratch went to James Hamilton with a 592. Jack Noe was second with a 550 and Henry Vanant third with a 534.

Jack Noe and James Hamilton tied for high men's game scratch with a 227. Dale Bray was second with a 203.

High women's series handicap went to Laverne Winstead with a 652. Jamie Bryant was second with a 635 and Annette Thompson third with a 626.

Laverne Winstead also took high and second high women's game handicap with a 234 and 230. Annette Thompson was third with a 222.

High women's series scratch went to Laverne Winstead with a 526. Jamie Bryant had second high with a 524. Annette Thompson had third

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# Wildcats lose to Pittsburgh at Rupp

## Tracking the Cats

By Jim Master



Those rips and moaning roars you heard last Friday night were Kentucky basketball fans tearing up their plane tickets and reservations to New York. The Wildcats played like Wildcats and were routed by Pittsburgh by 18 points in Rupp Arena.

It doesn't take a PhD in basketball to analyze what went wrong. Poor shooting and inferior interior defense did the Wildcats in.

Last week we pointed out that the Wildcats' main weakness would play into the strength of their opponents' strengths. Pittsburgh boasted a strong inside game and went to the boards well. Kentucky does not. Take away the Wildcats' main strength—the three point shot and you are looking at a mismatch.

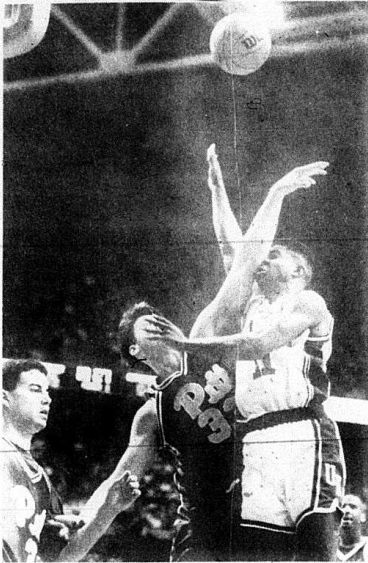
Give credit to Pittsburgh for its defense of the three point shot. It was excellent. Rare was the occasion when a Kentucky player had an uncontested shot from three—point land. Seven of 36 from beyond the magical line won't beat any team in Division I.

While the trip to the Big Apple for the NIT was cancelled, don't give up on this team. The Wildcats will evolve into an outstanding team. If you ever want to be a college basketball player, the next two weeks is not the time at Kentucky. Rick Pitino put his team through a 9 a.m. practice on

Saturday morning. He wasn't finished, however. A 10:30 p.m. wakeup call on Saturday night was the prelude to another practice.

The next 1 1/2 weeks will be a living nightmare for the players. Pitino is driven to win. I expect him to have one on one talks with each player, discussing their roles with the team. Sean Woods doesn't need to be looking at the basket. His forte is penetrating and kicking it out to teammates on the wing or breaking open under the basketball. Travis Ford has that mentality most of the time, but needs to play under control more often.

Jamaal Mashburn is as smooth and agile as they come. If there is one knock on his game, it's the lack of assertiveness. Mashburn put on great moves to the basket, but was tentative with his shot and several were blocked. The big man, who is Kentucky's only true inside threat (except Deron Folds, who faces a height disadvantage many times), needs to dunk some of those shots and be more aggressive. The Wildcats need desperate help inside, and look for freshman Aminu Timberlake to receive much more playing time. His limited play has been more encouraging than Gmel Martinez or Andre Riddick. Kentucky lives by the three and



Kentucky's Sean Woods takes it in the nose as he goes for two against Pittsburgh Friday night.

last Friday, died by the three. The loss was a great learning experience for this team. It's better to get beat now, in November, rather than later, in January, February or March. As the season progresses, it could be looked upon as a turning point—the great wakeup call.

The Rockcastle County School System will be offering training for persons interested in becoming a school bus driver. The training will be conducted on December 9, 10, and 12, 1991, from 6 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the Central Office Building Conference Room on Richmond Street. For further information and registration details call Glen Vanwinkle at 256-2125. Class size is limited.

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## Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court Civil Action File No. 90-CI-194

Standard Federal Savings Band Plaintiff

VS: NOTICE OF SALE

Orville James Shepherd and Pamela Gay Shepherd and MGM Collection Agency Defendants

Pursuant to judgment and order of sale entered in this action on the 8th day of November, 1991, for the purpose of enforcement of mortgage lien to recover the amount of \$14,298.50, interest and costs, I will offer for public auction the herein after described real property in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky,

### AT THE COURTHOUSE DOOR

ON FRIDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1991  
BEGINNING AT THE HOUR OF 11:00 A.M.

said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

**Tract No. 1 -** Beginning at a spruce pine stump standing on the east bank of Roundstone Creek opposite the old Louisville & Nashville Railroad Depot at Livingston Station close to the bank of Creek which is a corner of the land deeded by R.P. Gresham and wife, to J.S. Thompson; thence with line North to a stone corner division line of this property and the property sold to J.A. Preston; thence east to a cross on Gauley Branch; thence down the branch with the meandering thereto to Roundstone Creek; thence with the meandering of the creek to the beginning, containing one and one-half acres, more or less.

**Tract No. 2 -** Beginning at a rock corner between said tract and Sambrook tract to a stone corner between this property and the lot sold to J.A. Preston; thence with division line to a stone corner in Tract No. 1; thence with J.B. Clark line to a rock corner; thence to the beginning containing two (2) acres, more or less.

**Tract No. 3 -** Beginning at a spruce pine stump (now a stone) on Gauley Branch a corner; thence down the branch 87 feet to a rock corner; thence northwest with fence 278 feet to a rock at the old Tram Road thence with Tram Road to the Neil line; thence with the Neil line to the spruce pine stump (now a stone) the place of beginning, and contains one acre more or less.

BEING the same property conveyed to Orville James Shepherd and Pamela Gay Shepherd by deed dated June 7, 1978, recorded in the office of the clerk of the Rockcastle County Court in Deed Book 110, page 446.

### The Property Will Be Sold Upon the Following Terms and Conditions:

- The property shall be sold to the highest bidder(s) for cash or for a deposit of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars certified or cashier's check at the time of the sale, and the balance payable THREE (3) MONTHS from the date of the sale, with interest at the rate of TWELVE (12%) per cent per annum from date of sale until paid. The purchaser(s) shall be required to execute bond with surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner, for the balance of the purchase price. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve (12%) per cent per annum from date until paid, and to remain and be a lien on said property until fully paid.
- The purchaser(s) shall have the privilege of paying all of the purchase price in cash or paying the bond before maturity by paying the principal amount thereon, together with all interest accrued thereon to the date of said payment.
- The purchaser(s) shall pay the 1991 County, State and School Taxes on the property.
- The purchaser(s) shall have possession of the premises upon complying with the terms of sale and risk of loss of improvements shall thereafter be on the purchaser(s).
- This sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise.

**Robert E. Robinson**  
Master Commissioner of the  
Rockcastle Circuit Court



Jeff Lyons of Roundstone killed this 8-point buck on Nov. 13 in Rockcastle Co. The buck weighed 180 lbs. field dressed.



Danny Smith of Mt. Vernon recently killed this 13 point doe (yes, it is a doe) at Sand Hill. The field dressed weight of the doe was 155 lbs.



Coby Smith of Mt. Vernon recently killed this spike buck at Sand Hill. The buck had a field dressed weight of 115 lbs.

## "Bowling News"

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high with a 482. Laverne Winstead had high and second high women's game scratch with a 192 and 188. Jamie Bryant was third with a 184.

Henry Vanzant holds high men's average with a 177. Jack Noe has second high with a 176 and James Hamilton third with a 175. Debbie Bugg has high women's average with a 164. Jamie Bryant has second high, with a 155 and Alice Faulkner has third high with a 152.



**"SOCCER CHAMPIONS"**  
James Nathan Mullins IV The Blasters won the District Soccer Title for 10-year-olds in Lexington and the state title in Owensboro by defeating three teams in two days. Nathan is team captain and was voted Most Valuable Player. He is the son of J. Nate and Rhonda Mullins and the grandson of James and Thelma Mullins of Mt. Vernon and Jerry and Fern Hayes of Lexington.



Glen Ellison, Dana Ellison, Larry Leece and Clinton Harris, all of Brodhead, recently killed four deer in Adair County.

**ANNOUNCING:**  
**Rockcastle County History Book**  
Watch the Mt. Vernon Signal for your own brochure: "Leave Your Footprints in Time" It is your key to participation in the new history book being prepared by the Rockcastle County History Book Committee.

for more details, attend the next Rockcastle County History Book Committee meeting; Dec. 10, at 7 p.m. at the courthouse





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 Parkay Quarters ..... 1 lb. L-2/\$10 or more add. order **2.89**  
 Fischer's Hot Dogs ..... 12 oz. L-2 **.79**  
 Idaho Potatoes ..... 10 lb. L-2 **1.19**


**Domino Conf. &**  
**Brown Sugar**  
1 lb. **.55**




**Marshmallow Creme**  
7 oz. **.79**

**Karo Syrup**  
16 oz. **1.39**

**School Day Peas** ... 4.5 oz. L-3/\$10 opr more add. order **3/100**  
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**Tangelos**  
5 lb. **1.99**



Renfro Valley maintenance workers planted this year's Christmas tree in the Valley in front of the Museum (above photo). The 40-foot evergreen, from the Hummel area, will be decorated and lit at the ceremony on Friday. At top right, is shown the Tree of Love and, in the bottom right photo, is the interior of Santa's Workshop where children can tell Santa their fondest dreams and have their pictures taken with St. Nicholas.



**SBDM meeting**

The Mt. Vernon Elementary School Site-Based Decision making council will meet at 5:30 p.m. December 4th.

Wednesday, December 11 on KET at 8 p.m.

A Carnegie Hall Christmas Concert: A Great Performances Special

André Previn conducts a festive holiday concert of Christmas favorites with Kathleen Battle, Frederica von Stade, and Wynton Marsalis.

The Signal office will be closed Thurs. & Fri.

Tuesday, December 10 at 10:30 p.m. **Kwanzaa: A Cultural Celebration**

A look at a special holiday rooted in the traditions and symbolism of Africa and celebrated by 15 million African-Americans.

**ROAMIN' ROCKCASTLE**  
By HILDA PAYNE GABBARD



Let me wish all of you and yours, a happy Thanksgiving Day but for those of you who are holding your stomachs and chewing Roll-Aids to help relieve the too full part of your body, I say good enough for you.

In Wildlife last week, we ate lunch in the Wildlife Post Office. Howard Baker, Berea post master may find that funny but there is a table and chairs just in front of the post office and we were told to eat our lunch there, as other folks do. It was close to the store so we were warm anyway.

Didn't I tell you once that they serve the best ham sandwiches in the Wildlife General Store owned by Jan Stevens, that I've ever eaten.

He was just leaving when we got there and I asked for news.

Jan said his wife June, a teacher at Rockcastle High School, had taken a group of F.H.A. girls on a trip to Salt Lake City out west along with other teachers.

He was leaving his daughter-in-law, Carolyn, a senior at E.K.U. in charge of the store for the day. I



didn't mind for somedays Jan can't boil water without scorching it. So Carolyn, a real pretty girl fixed our lunch for us.

While we ate and talked to her, Ed Ramsey came in, said he had seen us at Roundstone Baptist Church one Sunday where he was now going each week.

I met some more of my readers in Richmond recently. Pete Lilly, a salesman at Heilig-Meyers with whom we did some business, told me he was a reader of this column and so was Mike Hood, another salesman there. As busy as they were, they took time to read this paper.

A Sears maintenance man, Jim Tyree, who came to check my washer told me he had roots in Mt. Vernon from where his Dad came and he read this. Thanks, fellows, for I'll still have a job.

Stopping in at Kentucky Fried Chicken, we talked to Jessie and Fairy Cope from Clear Creek who had come over to celebrate getting their tobacco crop ready for market.

Fairy and I both agreed that was the best way to celebrate - no cooking and no dishwashing.

Glen and Sue Cromer who run the Ole Kentucky Kitchen at Burr, the I-75 interchange south of Mt. Vernon, are good friends of ours. Last week I wrote they wanted the recipe for making country lye soap and by George, they got it. Two

ladies walked in with, not only cakes of lye soap, but how to make it (recipe).

Sue is tickled to get the soap. But she says she failed to get the two ladies names. Would you kind women see that she gets them so we can thank you in here.

Glen plans to start making the soap out in front of the place so come by and buy a cake.

Poor fellow, he didn't have much luck in picking up cans or digging ginseng roots to help out their family with expenses but he's willing, you have to give the man credit for that.

They are both in the business that you see listed on the truck by their place. That stack cake can cause you to swallow your tongue.

They will be glad to ship the cake anywhere for you if you want to send one as a gift.

The Book of Life was closed for Martha Shearer Hill on Saturday Nov. 16, 1991 in Florida where she was living with son, Preston Hill and wife, Edna.

Martha had been living on borrowed time at 87 years of age. God had given her several warnings in the last few months in the nature of slight strokes and heart attacks so Martha knew her time would not be long.

We were girlhood friends and she has always seemed like a sister to me even in later life.

Martha wanted to be back here where she was raised. She had told me many times but life was decided differently for her with failing health so she could not live alone.

Martha enjoyed reading my column and would talk about how she got a kick out of old time memories. She said to me, "Hilda, I'm proud of you and your writing. I know how hard you have tried."

A soft November rain started falling as the train of cars made their way in the funeral procession up Scaffold Cane Hill to the Macedonia Graveyard.

We parked our cars and walked down to the large tent put up by Reppert's Funeral Home.

Lonnie made a nice talk after the funeral was over, thanking the ones who came out to bid a last farewell to Martha, and anyone who had performed a service to the family during their sad time.

I'd never heard it done before but it was so nice and thoughtful of him.

I felt as if I had lost a sister. I told Preston and Edna and they said, "She talked about you all the time and things you all used to do."

The pastor of Clear Creek Baptist Church where Martha had been a member, and did church work for years, Brother Wayne Henson who spoke the final words over her said, "Martha was a good woman who loved the Lord," as all knew.

Martha was a retired teacher who still liked children, and they remembered her all their life.

A few years ago at a church singing at Clear Creek Baptist Church, Martha and I were in the audience when the Azbill family stood before the microphone. Chester stepped forward and said, "I'd like to sing this song for one of my long ago teachers, Martha Hill who is here tonight. It is called,

"When We All Get To Heaven" and I'm hoping I can meet her and my family when I get there".

It made Martha so happy that she cried.

As the group left the graveyard, the soft rain seemed to be God's way of getting Martha's last sleeping place ready while she waits to go home. Martha is at her last home back in the Rockcastle hills where she wanted to be buried by the side of her husband, Luther Hill.

Several relatives of the Shearer family from other states were there. Lucille Thomas Streeter, daughter of Martha's older sister Mary Thomas who was from Indiana. Beatrice Thomas Hollingsworth another niece from Indiana. Then I met Gladi Thomas Parker from East Tennessee who asked me if I were the one who wrote this column.

I nodded my head.

"I just wanted you to know how much I enjoyed it. You write just like you are talking to me," she said.

It was as if she'd given me a piece of cake and put the icing on it! Next week I meet Daniel with a skirt on!

**Bookmobile Schedule**

- Mon., Dec. 2: Sprio, Level Green, Willalla.
- Tues., Dec. 3: Buffalo, Castle Village, Brodhead Adult Day Care, Negro Creek.
- Wed., No schedule.
- Thurs., Dec. 5: Scaffold Cane, Clear Creek, Anglin Falls, Disputanta, Wildlife.
- Fri., Dec. 6: Ottawa, Bee Lick in the morning.



Livingston Elementary Poster Contest winners are (top photo), from left: Brant Salyer, 3rd grade - 1st place; Robert Clark, 4th grade - 2nd place; Lacy Sexton, 5th grade - 3rd place. In photo at left is Robert Singleton, an eighth grader at LES, who won the school essay contest.



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## UK-sponsored horticulture team wins top national honors

A team of three Kentucky high school seniors coached by a University of Kentucky horticulture professor captured top national honors recently at the National Junior Horticultural Association's judging contest in Florida.

Members of the team were: Marilyn Coffey of Mt. Vernon, a student at Rockcastle County High School; Liberty Adams of Jeremiah, a student at Lecher County High School; and Dean Byrd of Williamsburg, a student at Whitley County High School.

"They worked very hard preparing for the contest," said William Fountain, the UK horticulture professor

who coached them to their victory over 20 other teams from around the nation. "I'm really pleased with them and proud of them."

The contest, held October 25-28 in Altamonte Springs near Orlando, requires students to take a comprehensive written test on horticulture, identify and judge various species of plants.

The written test demanded extensive knowledge of plant science, and the judging portion required the students to pass accurate judgment on the quality and maturity of plants, and our kids came through in every section!!

Fountain, who has worked with Kentucky's program for 10 years, said Liberty Adams and Dean Byrd "Have expressed an interest in coming to UK and majoring in horticulture, and we're hoping to interest Marilyn Coffey into coming to UK."

### Note Schedule Change....

The *Frontline* episode for Thursday, November 28 has been changed. The new episode is "The Secret Story of Terry Waite," an examination of whether Col. Oliver North used the Anglican Church envoy as a cover for a covert arms-for-hostages deal and whether that deception may have led to Wain's kidnapping in Lebanon.



Marilyn Coffey, a member of the Kentucky National A.H. Horticulture team, traveled to Orlando, Florida and took top honors.

## Birthday Announcements

Bless His Little Hearty, Gary has turned 40!!



While visiting his in-laws, Brad and Blanche Coffey in Mt. Vernon, our esteemed minister of the gospel, Bro. J. Gary Boswell, thinking he was escaping any pranks, will be surprised to see his birthday was not forgotten. You see, he turns 40 today. *Happy Birthday from your family at Alexandria Christian Church*



William Weston Riddle

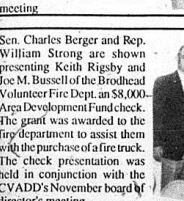
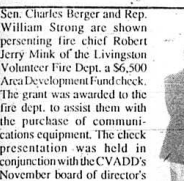


Derek Glen Adams celebrated his 4th birthday Oct. 5 with a Ninja Turtle Party at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Simpson of Copper Creek. Derek is the son of Glen and Tina Adams of Rt. 1, Brodhead. Other grandparents are Donnie Adams of Brodhead and Kay Fields of Richmond. Great-grandparents are Elden Chasteen of Copper Creek and the late Loretta Chasteen, Anna Simpson of Brodhead, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sowler of Brindley Ridge and Gladys Adams of Brodhead. Great grand-mother is Messie Noel of Brodhead. Derek would like to thank everyone for all the nice gifts he received.



Joseph Kyle Riddle

William Weston Riddle celebrated his 4th birthday June 19th with a Ninja Turtle party. This year, Weston had someone very special helping him celebrate -- Joseph Kyle -- his little brother, who was born June 12 at Humana Hospital Lake Cumberland. He weighed 7 lbs., 4 ozs, and was 19 inches long. Weston and Kyle are the sons of David and Sandy Riddle and the grandsons of Billy and Carol Riddle, Steve and Joyce Bullen and the late J.C. Rimelt.



Sen. Charles Berger and Rep. William Strong are shown presenting Keith Rigby and Joe M. Bussell of the Brodhead Volunteer Fire Dept. an \$8,000 Area Development Fund check. The grant was awarded to the fire department to assist them with the purchase of a fire truck. The check presentation was held in conjunction with the CVADD's November board of director's meeting.

## Forbes named "Airman of the Month"

Air Force Airman 1st Class James E. Forbes, son of Carol D. Forbes of Arcadia, Florida and James Forbes of Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, has been named airman of the month. Selection was based on the individual's exemplary duty performance, job knowledge, leadership qualities, significant self-improvement and other accomplishments.

He is a nuclear weapons specialist at Malmstrom Air Force Base, Great Falls, Mont.



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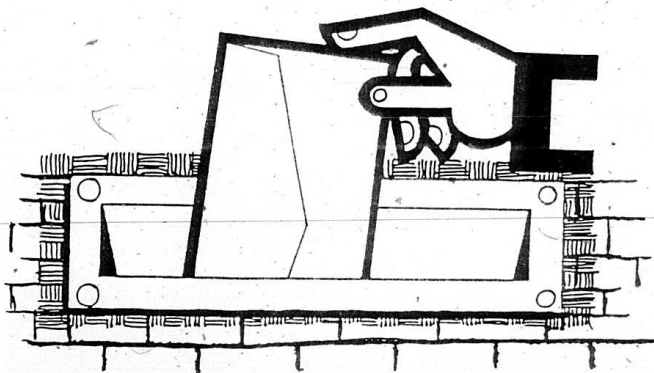
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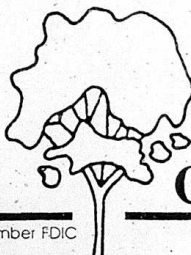
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# Mulch is like a winter coat for your strawberry plants

By: Tom Mills  
County Extension Agent  
for Agriculture

Mulching is like giving your strawberry plants a new coat to protect them against injury from winter cold and early spring frosts. Strawberry plants have a very shallow root system, which can be easily damaged because freezing temperatures can cause plants to leave out of the ground, breaking off fine roots or damaging crowns. Mulching also retards bloom growth in early spring, thus avoiding frost damage.

If you mulch too early, plants will continue to grow actively and be more prone to winter injury. You want the mulch to protect the roots after cool temperatures have hardened the tops by slowing plant growth. Apply mulch when the temperature is expected to reach about 20 degrees and leaves are beginning to change from green to gray color. In Kentucky, this usually is around Thanksgiving or early December. Waiting too late to mulch strawberry plants also can cause problems. Temperatures of 12 degrees, and sometimes as high as 18 degrees, can injure plants in the fall and reduce blooms next spring.

Although you can use any type of loose organic mulch, some are better than others. Wheat straw is preferred, but cut or rye straw also works well. Leaves tend to pack down too much; sawdust might tie up nitrogen; pine needles tend to be costly because

## Winter increases head lice problem

As temperatures decrease heading into winter, problems with head lice increase, according to a University of Kentucky entomologist.

"Most people associate winter with the end of insect problems," said Mike Potter, Extension specialist with the UK College of Agriculture. "In the case of head lice, it's just the opposite."

"Schools bring numbers of children together in close personal contact," he added. "Children share clothing, combs and brushes, or hang coats or hats close together in the same closet, permitting transfer of head lice from one child to another and aggravating the problem. Lice also spread by resting the head on upholstered furniture or carpets used recently by an infested person."

Another myth is that head lice are associated with the stigma of poverty and poor personal hygiene, according to Potter. "Infestations cut across all income and personal care levels," he said. "Head lice are very common on children age 3 to 10. An estimated 10 percent of elementary school children is treated for head lice each year."

The bloodsucking insects live solely on human beings. Lice usually infest the head, especially at the base of the hairline and behind the ears.

"Itching and scratching, caused by bloodsucking lice, are the first indications of a problem," he said. "Examining the hair and scalp reveals crawling forms and grayish-white eggs attached to hair shafts near the scalp. The eggs often are mistaken for leftover soap or shampoo globules."

Potter said there are three steps to eliminating head lice and preventing their return -- use of a medicated shampoo, delousing personal articles used by an infested individual, and not sharing hats, clothing, brushes or other personal articles.

"Treat the infested individual with a medicated shampoo made specifically to control lice," he said. "Several products, most containing pyrethrins, are available over the counter. Two shampoo applications usually are required to eliminate lice emerging from eggs. You can supplement these treatments by combing out eggs with a fine-tooth louse comb."

"You should use the shampoo and delouse personal articles, such as clothing, bed linens and towels, at the same time to prevent reinfestation after shampooing," Potter added. "Normal laundering with hot, soapy water -- 125 degrees Fahrenheit for 10 minutes -- or dry cleaning will kill eggs and crawling lice. Soak combs and brushes in a pan of very hot water for 10 minutes."

"To reduce reinfestations, instruct children not to share hats, clothing, towels, or brushes with their classmates," he said. "If it is not possible for each child to have a separate storage space for hats and other garments at home and at school, these articles should be hung on a hook so they do not touch, or on the back of students' chairs."

Insecticidal treatment of premises normally is not required or recommended to control and prevent head lice, Potter said.

they are scarce. Whatever the source, ideally mulch should be free of weed seeds to help reduce weed pressure next spring.

Match plants to a depth of 1 1/2 to 2 inches. This depth usually requires 1 1/2 to 2 tons of mulch per acre, or a 40-pound bale per 100 feet acre. If you mulched over the top of plants, it is important to remove this mulch before new flower buds emerge from the crown in the spring to keep from breaking buds off as you remove this

mulch. Leaving mulch around the plants help conserve moisture, reduces weed growth and keeps the ripening berries off the soil.

For more information on mulching and other aspects of strawberry production, consult "Strawberry Production in Kentucky" (HO-16) which is available from your County Extension office.

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