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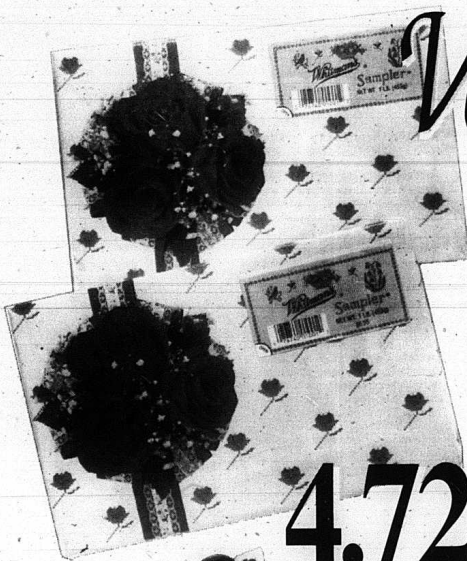
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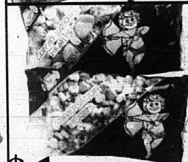
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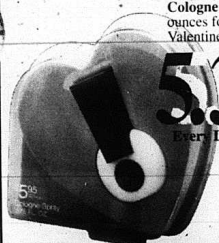
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## Protective Parenting

By Ginny Gilpatrick

**By: Ginny Gilpatrick  
Drug-Free Schools Counseling  
Consultant**

"Paddling ban upsets Wolfe teachers," reads the heading of a front page article in the *Lexington Herald-Leader* last week. The article goes on to quote desperate parents and teachers who are pulling their hair out... none of whom impress me in the least. When I moved to Kentucky a year and a half ago I was agghast to discover that paddling still existed anywhere in the United States; the ban a few months later boosted my confidence in the enlightenment of state educators.

Perhaps Peggy Patton (who is shown on the front of the paper sitting in the principal's office with her son, Jeremy) is herself a product of a paddling school. If so, she apparently learned the one lesson that such a practice has to teach: the only (best?) way to control a child's behavior is through corporal punishment. She may likely have conditioned Jeremy at home in the only way she knew how: to behave at the sight of a nifty backhand. How many of the child abuse cases, now occurring in epidemic proportions, are extensions of the beliefs taught so well in the public schools, that children cannot be controlled in any other way? Nonsense.

There are many better ways to manage children's behavior, and educators, above all, can and should be role models for parents. Teachers have devoted many credit hours to studying and practicing child management. I don't believe there is a course in corporal punishment taught anywhere in our universities. I find the privilege to teach the four kindergarten classes at Mt. Vernon Elementary recently. Here was the sum total of the new crop of unpaddled little children entering our local school. In each class I was faced with a semicircle of self-controlled children attempting to do and enjoying the fun of a lesson presented to them by McGuff (crime dog puppet) and myself. None appeared to be candidates for the paddle because their skillful teachers had managed to instill in them an expectation of appropriate behavior.

Now I am not so naive as to believe that there are no strong-willed and defiant children in our schools. I have encountered a few. And while over the course of many years of teaching I would have loved to have paddled a few myself, I never once believed that it would have in any way benefited the child. For the moment, short term, physical confrontation (or threat of it) quells inappropriate behavior, but it has been demonstrated to have no positive effect on a child's long term behavior or his desire to bond

with the system. Paddling sets up an awareness of "them against me." School then becomes a game of dodging the system rather than buying into it.

So what do parents do instead? Be consistent, is rule number one. A child who can get away with mischief one time, but is reprimanded for the same thing another, is confused. He continues to test because he needs to be assured of his parents' ability to control him, or keep him safe. Being out of control feels insecure. A tired parent who gives in or looks the other way at times should be aware of the consequences of inconsistent parenting.

Children need attention and much acting out achieves the desired result of making them feel noticed. The wise parent and teacher will take extra time to develop a special relationship with a difficult child.

My father inadvertently taught me the most valuable lesson I ever had in raising my own children. It is a principle I applied repeatedly to various situations that arose. One evening I observed my dad carrying my eleven-month-old around the living room checking out the fascinating objects on the mantle and the upright piano. As Kenny would reach for a fragile knick-knack, Dad would step back slightly and repeat gently, "those things are for looking at." It was magic. I never had to put anything up in my house once I mastered the concept. Everything had a purpose; outside was where you throw balls, candy was for special treats, beds were for sleeping, etc. The world makes sense to young children when it is put in those terms, and children do not feel repressed when they can understand their part in a world that works; there is no reason to rebel against it.

Spanking, I believe, can serve a purpose when administered out of love. Probably a kind parent is the only one who loves a child enough to spank him. Some children never feel trauma that cannot possibly be fathomed by the casual observer. Lifting the paddling ban would be a step backward. As parents and educators we should take advantage of the new law to motivate us to find a more excellent way.

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Hometown News

## Teen Center Perspectives

By: Michael Durham

This past week brought the teens, and staff had and good news: first the bad, Jennifer Blain, our volunteer from San Clemente, California finished her one month stint at the Rockcastle Teen Center. However, her last night at the center was one big blow out for all. T.G.I.F. was (Fiesta Night) at the center, Mexican style food and games were the rule for fun. The food was prepared by Dina, Jennifer and the teens. It was monumental fun for all. Dina, Julie and myself and the teens will miss Jennifer and hope she can return someday. She was an impressive Ambassador from the great state of California and we wish her the best of luck in the future.

The good news is we have the pleasure of procuring the help of Julie LeBrun of Lancaster, in helping to staff the R.T.C. until a full time manager can be found. Julie was the manager of the Garrard Teen Center, until she turned the duties of the G.T.C. over to the able Teresa Toller to manage, because Julie had decided to marry and start a family. She retired from active duties at the G.T.C. However, she has taken the time to help out at the R.T.C., and her presence is warmly welcomed and appreciated. The teens have really taken a shine to Julie and we hope she enjoys her stay at the R.T.C., C.A.P. and the R.T.C. welcomes Julie.

**Schedule for the Week**  
Monday: Junior High Night 4:30-7:30 (every Monday unless otherwise noted)  
Tuesday: Karate/Human Sexuality 5:30, AA Alanon C.O.A. 7:30  
Wednesday: World of Work - 5:30-games or movie 6 p.m.  
Thursday: O.R. Teen Challenge 6/6:30 R.T.C. Chorus  
Friday: O.R. til 5:00/5:00-9:00 T.G.I.F. Teen Council  
Saturday: Service Project, Road Trip, or Special Event

Shaunna Stevens placed first in the English Composition segment at the Governor's Cup District.



## Dairy refund payment program

The Rockcastle County ASCS Office announces the Dairy Refund Payment Program. Those eligible include persons who were commercial producers of milk at the farm level, and those who received milk proceeds that were reduced by the statutory reduction, and those who did not during the year for which the reduction was made except their milk marketing from the equivalent months and days of the preceding calendar year.

A producer is eligible to receive a refund payment of withheld amounts if evidence is provided that the producer, and all dairies in which that producer has an interest, did not increase milk marketing in the refund period, when compared to the immediately preceding calendar year.


The producer seeking the refund payment shall be responsible for providing that the refund payment is due by submitting all relevant data needed to establish eligibility of the refund payment amount. Acceptable evidence of marketings and reduction amounts shall be payment receipts or statements from milk handlers showing the following: name and address of producer, pounds of milk marketed during the refund and base periods (1991 and 1990), amount of assessment deducted for CCC during the refund period (1991), and the name and address of the milk handler.

Those interested in the Dairy Refund Payment Program should come by the Rockcastle County ASCS Office no later than March 15, 1992, with the needed documentation to file an application.

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## New tobacco farm quota applications being accepted

The Rockcastle County ASCS office wishes to announce it is once again time to accept applications for new burley tobacco farm quotas.

New burley tobacco farm quotas applications are taken through February 18, 1992.

Before an allotment or quota is recommended it must be determined that each applicant meets all eligibility requirements as set forth in the guidelines for burley tobacco. Eligibility requirements include: No burley

tobacco quota, own land, 2 of 5 years marketing history of burley tobacco, 50 percent of all income from farming.

Any person wishing to make an application for a new burley tobacco farm allotment should contact the ASCS office in the county where the farm is located no later than Feb. 18, 1992.

ASCS programs are open to all regardless of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, political affiliation, personal sponsorship, physical or mental handicap, age, marital status or other nonmerit factors.

### "LIVINGSTON COUNCIL" (Cont. From Front)

foot of Red Hill, around Piney Branch, and the Jesse Mason Road.

James Flannery, water superintendent, will remain as a full-time employee of the city to oversee maintenance of the project after it is completed.

Parsons of London was hired for the construction and has 240 days to complete the task.

### A boo boo!

There was an error in last week's R-TEC pictures. Two local residents were left out that received Safety Awards, Lola Swinney and Ronnie Mink.

*Super Clearance Sale  
Starts Friday*

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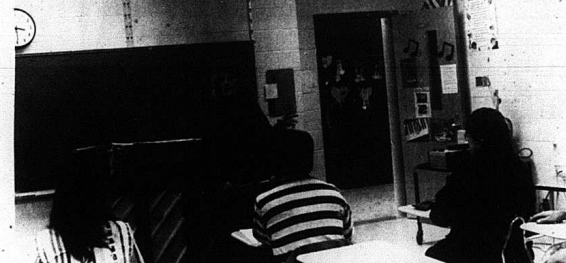
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Renfro Valley Entertainment



Ginny Gilpatrick led a training session for participating activity leaders involved in Rockcastle Champions. Among the participants, Jim Maxwell of Paint Lick, will be an activity leader. Maxwell is renown for his recycling efforts.



The Roundstone Elementary School Academic Team placed first in the Governor's Cup Districts. This is the fourth first place win Roundstone's Academic Team has received in the event.

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- Display Classifieds—\$3.00/inch

(Deadline for Classifieds is Noon Tuesday.)

Classifieds Should Be Paid In Advance. If Billed, There is a 50¢ Billing Charge.

## PROPERTY FOR SALE

For Sale: House with 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining room, utility room, 2 baths, washer/dryer hookup, built-in appliances, and basement. Also garage fixed into a room with 1 1/2 bath. Approximately 1,100 lb. tobacco base. Located on the new #461 by-pass. For Sale by Owners - call 256-4179. 15x4

For Sale: House with 3 bedrooms, living room, large bath, kitchen with built-in cabinets, total electric - also has ceiling fans in all rooms, 2 large porches - located on Poplar Street - lot measures 203 x 100 - call 256-2037. 17x3

Call Classifieds to 256-2244

House For Sale: 4 room country house and lot - city water - no bath - 1 acre, more or less - can be seen Feb. 8th between 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 - call Feb. 7th between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 in Brodhead - \$7,500 - call 256-5841 Friday only.

## MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

For Sale: Bib overalls by Pointer (closed low back), \$19.95; work pants by Key, \$14.95; Brown Duck chore work coats, \$29.95; Coveralls by Key, \$39.95; Wolverine workboots and shoes; large selection of young men's Duck Head clothing. Napier Brothers Clothing, 35 Public Square, Lancaster, Ky. Call 792-2535. 13x6

For Sale: Kirby upright vacuum cleaner with all attachments including shampooer - new cost \$600 - will take \$150 - call 758-9015.

For Sale: Monogram oil heater with pipe - call 256-2650 17x2

For Sale: AKC Registered Rotweiler puppies - 8 weeks old - call 758-8114 - 5pm-11pm 17x4

Teen Challenge Barn Sale: Every Friday, 9 to 5, Saturday, 9 to 12 - clothing and other assorted items - located next drive to right after Jean's Restaurant on 1004. . . . 16x3

For Sale: Williamson Electric heating furnace - 61,500 BTU - very good condition - \$200 - call 758-8854 daytime or 758-4174 at night 17x2

CALLOWAY THRIFTY SHOP - Bag Sale - Clear out inventory in order to get ready for spring - open weekdays 9:00 - 4:30, Saturdays 9:30 - 4:00 17x1nt

M & M VARIETIES - old business now re-open on old hwy. 25 at Pine Hill. Used clothing of all sizes, men, women, and children. Large load of winter coats of all sizes. All items priced from 25 to 200 - open Friday and Saturday 10:00 - 4:00

For Sale: STACK CAKES! try one of Mattie's Ole Fashion Stack Cakes. They're delicious! Ole Ky, Kitchen, 1-75 and Exit 59. Call 256-3822

For Sale: Mobile home - located on hwy. 618 - Quail area - can use to make farm wagons - \$125 - call 256-3294

## MOTOR VEHICLES FOR SALE

TAKE OVER PAYMENTS! On a 1991 Chevrolet Cavalier, one owner, bought new. Has power steering and brakes, air condition, 4 cylinder, 2 door, automatic, bought locally, still has warranty, lady driven, 19,000 miles, kept clean, had oil changed on schedule, Pearl blue with blue interior - good car for new driver or commuter - great gas mileage - financed through GMAC - one year paid. For more information call 986-9326, days, and ask for Sara, or 256-4177, nights. 17x1nt

For Sale: 1984 Camero - black - CD stereo - tint windows - louvers - \$3,550 - call 256-5570 17x2

For Sale: 1986 Chrysler New Yorker - has all the options - \$3,500 - call 256-3341 17x2

For Sale For Storage: 1983 Ford pick-up truck - sale date, February 8th - Vin#1F1TEF26Y4D126781 - French Towing, 256-9504. 16x3

For Sale: 1980 Chevrolet Malibu - V6 - automatic - \$600; 1985 Z28 T-top - new tires - 305 5 sp. automatic - drive - \$5500 - call 256-69708 17x3

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Federal-State Market News Garrard County Stockyards Lancaster, Ky. January 31, 1992

Cattle: 2015 Compared to Last Week: Slaughter Cows and Slaughter Bulls steady; Feeder Steers 1.00-3.00 lower; Feeder Heifers 2.00 lower; Slaughter Calves and Vealers untested.

Slaughter Cows: Breaking Utility and Commercial #3-547-48.75, low dressing individuals 41-43.75; High Cutter and Boning Utility #1-348-51.75, high dressing individuals 52-54.75; Cutters #1-242-4; Canners 38-40, under 800 lbs. 27-35.

Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade #1-2 1275-1585 lbs. indicating 78-80 carcass boning percent 65-69; Yield Grade #2 1240-2025 lbs. indicating 77-78 carcass boning percent 59.25-63.75; Yield Grade #3 1270-1955 lbs. indicating 74-77 carcass boning percent 54.50-58.50.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large Frame #1 200-300 lbs. 96-97; large frame 109-116; 300-400 lbs. 94-99; large frame or thin 101-105.50; 400-500 lbs. 88-95.50; 500-600 lbs. 77-86.90; 700-800 lbs. 70-76.60; 800-900 lbs. 74-75, including load 60 head 897 lbs. 74.10.

Small Frame #1 300-500 lbs. 85-93; 500-700 lbs. 65-75.

Medium Frame #2 300-500 lbs. 76-84; 500-700 lbs. 70-75.

Large Frame #2 (Holsteins) 200-300 lbs. 96-106; 300-400 lbs. 85.50-92; 400-500 lbs. 81; 500-600 lbs. 68.75-74; 600-700 lbs. 64-67.75; 700-900 lbs. 57-64.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large Frame #1 200-300 lbs. 95-99; 300-400 lbs. 84-90; large frame or thin 94-99; 400-500 lbs. 75-84.50; 500-600 lbs. 72-80.50; 600-700 lbs. 68-74.30; 700-800 lbs. 71-50-73.75. Heiferettes: 900-1000 lbs. 53-54.

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For Sale: 1972 3/4 ton Dodge - excellent running condition - \$550 - call 355-2751

For Sale: 1980 Datsun 200 SX - fair condition - high mileage - \$700 - call George Powell at 256-3183 18x2

For Sale: 1980 Volkswagen Rabbit - 4 cylinder - nice car - will trade for truck - call 256-9303

For Sale: 1979 Ford 4 wheel drive truck - big tires - lots of extras - also camper top - very good condition - \$2,600; also a 1985 Chevy Chevette - 4 speed - 2 door - red - new tires - drives good - \$925 - call 256-3009.

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BUILDING LOT - near foodland in Brodhead, water, sewer, lot, view restricted. Only \$3300. Call now 35-86.

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For Rent: Furnished apartments at Dixie Boone Motel. Call 256-2444, 27xmf

For Rent: Mobile home in the city of Mt. Vernon - references and deposit required - call C.A. Thomason at 256-4628

Trailer For Rent: Cox trailer park - call Andy Barnett at 256-9018

For Rent: 2 bedroom house - 1.2 miles north of Brodhead on hwy. 150 - water included - deposit and references required - call 864-9776 or after 4:30 pm.

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Help Wanted: Cumberland Valley District Health Department - Rockcastle Co. Home Health is now accepting applications for RN's and LPN's. For more information contact May Arnold 256-9196. EOE10xmf

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**Notice is hereby given that Esther Gail Anderson, 2122 Mt. Vernon Rd., Berea, Ky. 40403, has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Johnny Allen Ballard.** Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Esther Gail Anderson or to Lambert & Lambert, P.O. Box 736, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456, on or before July 27, 1992. 17x3

**Notice is hereby given that Katherine Ballard, 2122 Mt. Vernon Rd., Berea, Ky. 40403, has been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of William Keith Ballard.** Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Katherine Ballard or to Lambert & Lambert, P.O. Box 736, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before July 27, 1992. 17x3

**Notice is hereby given that Judy Osborne, 33 Osborne Lane, London, Ky., or Elaine Simpson, Hwy East 6970, Paint Lick, Ky., has been appointed co-administrators of the estate of Roy Hensley.** Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Judy Osborne or Elaine Simpson or to Samuel E. Begley, 106 South Broad St., London, Ky. 40741, on or before July 15, 1992. 16x3

**Notice is hereby given that Shirley Ray Cable, Rt. 1, Box 491, Mt. Vernon, Ky. or Georgia Canedy, 3608 Crestline Dr., Cinn., Oh., has been appointed co-executors of the estate of Grace Brown.** Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Shirley R. Cable or Georgia Canedy or to Clintz & Cox, P.O. Box 1350, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456, on or before July 27, 1992. 17x3

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**Notice is hereby given that an order has been entered dispensing with administration of the estate of David B. Mullins, Deceased.** All persons having claims against said estate shall present them, verified according to law, to Hazel B. Mullins, 1627 Mt. Vernon Rd., Berea, Ky. 40403 for said estate, no later than February 19, 1992. 18x2

**Notice is hereby given that an order has been entered dispensing with administration of the estate of Lewis Hurst, Deceased.** All persons having claims against said estate shall present them, verified according to law, to Donald L. Hurst, Rt. 1, Box 344 B, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 for said estate, no later than February 19, 1992. 18x2

**Notice is hereby given that Ponza Green has filed a Final settlement of her accounts as executrix of the estate of Wilson L. Green, Deceased.** A hearing on said settlement will be held on February 19, 1992. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 18x2

**Posted:** No trespassing or hunting on land belonging to Harold Miller located at Sand Springs. 18x3

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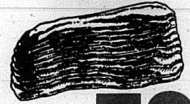


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Supreme Court will decide fate of Watkins murder trial



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# Mount Vernon Signal

Mount Vernon, Kentucky 40456 Volume 103 - Number 18 Thursday, February 01, 1992

To maintain 116 miles

## County to get \$1.3 million for roads

How much can be spent on Rockcastle County roads in 1992 was reported to the Rockcastle Fiscal Court at its monthly meeting Tuesday.

First came Rural Secondary Roads which will receive \$573,789 and \$305,000 for routine maintenance of 116 miles of Rockcastle state roads.

The County Road System will receive on July 1, less 3 percent set aside for an emergency fund, \$444,821 which comes from the state gasoline tax.

In enhancements and improvements, the State will have four priority roads. They are:

- End of scaffold Cane Road to the Madison County line, 4.7 miles \$11,000;
- Wildie-Clear Creek Road, 3.6 miles \$90,900;
- Wildie-Clear Creek Road (another section), 1.5 miles, plus its intersection with Scaffold Cane road, \$60,000;
- Sand Springs Road, 3.6 miles \$102,400.

Should funds become low, the Sand Springs would be the first to go. With work wanted by various

companies, a total of 9 bids were received by the court for two bridges. Apparent low bidder on Mt. Zion road bridge over Renfro Creek was \$38,999 by Lincoln County Red-Mix of Stanford.

The apparent low bidder on Buckeye Road Bridge over Renfro Creek was London Bridge Company for \$61,000.

N and N Contracting of Mt. Vernon bid \$42,870 on the Mt. Zion Bridge and \$66,890 on Buckeye Bridge.

In other business, the court approved three persons for service on the reapportionment committee which will discuss and redraw county district lines if needed. They are Roy Adams, Phillip Sargent and Olen McGuire.

The Extension District Board have two new faces. They are Lloyd Cain and Norrita Thompson.

The annual sheriff's quarterly financial status report showed the sheriff has \$6.48 excess receipts over expenditures.

A petition, asking that a road known as Eagle Creek be closed, was tabled until a later meeting.

A grant of \$48,000 to purchase equipment for the solid waste management projects has been approved by the Kentucky Infrastructure au-

thority. The money will go for a loader, truck, and van to be used for dump cleanup and to transport prisoners from Lincoln County to be used for cleanup purposes.

A groundwater contamination study of the Sand Springs area will receive \$10,000 from the state.

The area to be studied is Dry Fork Watershed. The amount exceeds the amount necessary for performing a

groundwater contamination study in a watershed the size of Dry Fork. However the amount should provide a buffer in the event an expansion of the study area is warranted or unforeseen work elements arise.

## City agrees to number houses in Mt. Vernon

By: Ray McClure

A representative of the Postal Service came to the Mt. Vernon City Council Monday night to discuss house numbering for the city.

Wayne Wylie told the council the Postal Service would be glad to help the city if the city wants its houses numbered.

The council listened then voted to

## Five apply in Brodhead

A total of five engineers have submitted letters of interest to the Brodhead City Council to fulfill the duty of solving the water drainage problem in Brodhead.

A committee of three was designated to examine all five letters and determine which engineer possesses the most experience and qualifications. The council will then further research the tentatively chosen engineer, and will determine if that engineer is the suitable candidate.

Once the engineer is chosen, the city will apply for a grant to cover expenses.

Fire chief, Keith Riggsby, requested that two fire hydrants be replaced.

## Flag stolen

For the second time, and all in one week, the flag was stolen from Roundstone Elementary School.

Sometime during the weekend of January 25, the flag that remained atop the building throughout the day and night was hoisted down the rope and taken away.

The flag, donated by Jean Towery, was as an all-weather flag. According to Rose Brown of RES, the school carefully followed proper flag etiquette by lighting the flag during the dark hours. Jean Towery again donated a flag to replace the stolen one.

The first evening the replacement was displayed, it was also stolen.

The school is now forced to use a cotton flag that will be removed at the end of each school day unless a replacement all-weather flag is obtained.

## Trivia winner

Ruby Jean Genry, R4, Mt. Vernon, is this week's Signal Trivia winner.

Ruby answered all five questions correctly and her game piece was chosen at random.

The correct answers are as follows:

1. Mt. Vernon Elementary
2. 27th
3. Pete Carpenter
4. Denny's
5. Druthers

Ms. Genry will receive \$25.

approve beginning the numbering process.

Wylie said the numbering was for emergency services and not for mail delivery. "It would not affect post office mail service."

He told the council the county is studying numbering and is likely to make a decision soon, possibly Tuesday.

If the process begins within a week then it would probably be completed in May or June.

In other business, Will Linder of Will Linder Associates of Berea asked the council for permission to go into an area on old U.S. 25 and Cox Lane to visit residents to determine if they would like improved to their property to generally improve the area, and to determine the possibility of constructing four to eight units of housing for the handicapped, all at low interest rates.

"We want to see if there might be something worth doing," Linder stated. "If they don't want it will discover that also."

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## 1220 households received help

A total of 1220 households in Rockcastle received heat subsidy in the income Heating Emergency Assistance Program.

The amount spent was \$138,625. During the January crisis program 466 families received \$42,491 in assistance.

Mrs. Betty Carter reported the program is out of money temporarily.

## Denny granted shock probation

Thomas Denny has been granted "shock probation" by Circuit Judge Dan Venters.

Denny was found guilty by a jury June 30, 1989 of cultivating marijuana and received a five year sentence and a \$5,000 fine.

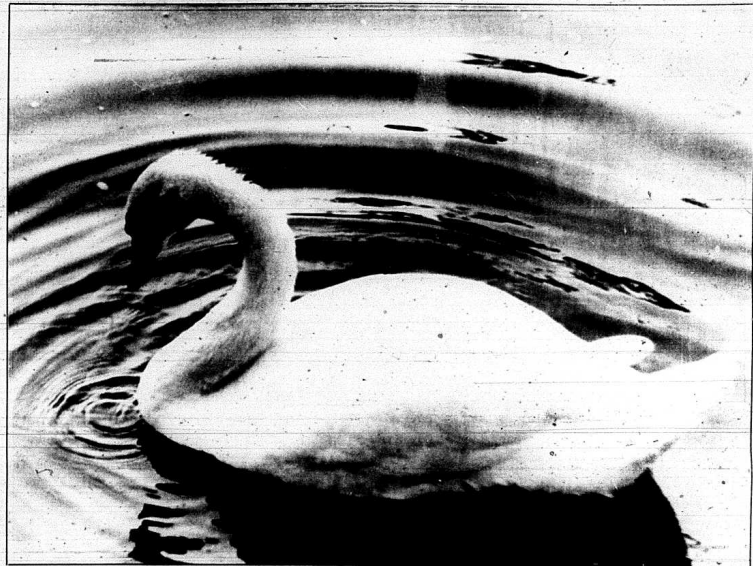
He appealed the case to the Kentucky Court of Appeals but it was denied.

Judge Venters granted shock probation but changed the verdict to five years probation and kept the \$5,000 fine to be paid within 12 months.

## Screening

The Rockcastle County Health Department will be providing a screening for Diabetes Related Eye Disease on Friday, Feb. 28, 1992. If you have diabetes and have not had an eye exam in the past year, you may be eligible for this screening.

For more information or to make an appointment, please call the Rockcastle County Health Department at 256-2242.



## Down by the old Mill Pond

This swan was spotted in Mill Pond at Renfro Valley this week during the warm weather. The unusually high temperatures allowed outdoor ac-

tivities to increase and wild animals such as this swan could be seen throughout the area. (Photo by Mike French)

## Council hires Flannery as new city clerk in Livingston

The City of Livingston hired a new city clerk at Monday night's council meeting.

Sheila Flannery, wife of James Flannery, water superintendent, was chosen to replace Becky Bullock who resigned effective January, 1992.

A previous request to lower the privilege license of a landowner, Elton Jones, was granted by the council. Jones was paying in excess of the required amount according to an ordinance of May 11, 1988. The ordinance states all privilege licenses will cost \$26, with the exception of any business that has vending machines, which requires an extra \$6 per machine.

Water superintendent, James Flannery, reported that the chlorinator for the water plant was in need of replacement, and that past due bills were accumulating. He requested action be taken against those who have past due accounts.

Mayor Faye Baker informed the council of a letter she received this week from Cox and Cloniz attorneys. The letter stated that the city owed \$3,000 from an audit and deadline for payment is Feb. 14.

Since the city does not have the amount in full, the mayor opted posing to Cox and Cloniz that the city make arrangements to pay the bill in pay-

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## Little Rascals open house is Sunday

A new business, especially for kids, has opened up in Mt. Vernon and will hold an open-house on Sunday, Feb. 9, from 2-4 p.m.

Little Rascals Daycare, Inc., began its operation in January and plans to celebrate the grand opening with an open house.

The only privately-owned daycare in Rockcastle, the center is owned by Tracy and Tammy Gabbard, Richard and Connie Graham, and Keith and Jerry Lynn Smith.

The day care is located in a house on Hunter Street in the Barnett Subdivision (5th house on the right to be exact). Newly remodelled, the house meets all requirements as set by the Kentucky Department of Human Services and offers an exciting, inviting, yet safe environment for the children. "The children really enjoy coming here," said Connie Graham, "sometimes they don't want to go home."

If you have a child at home and have contemplated day care but aren't quite sure, the open house is the perfect opportunity for you and your child.

Little Rascals is open 6:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Friday to provide a healthy environment for children. For more information, call 256-3475.



Little Rascals Day Care, Inc., is hosting an open house on Sunday, February 9, from 2-4 p.m. Pictured above are Megan Griffin and her day care leader, Millicent Bond. Megan and Millicent spend nearly every day together at Little Rascals.

## Livingston water project

by Laura Mizé

The City of Livingston will begin construction to complete new water lines and extensions from Woods Creek on February 3, with the aid of three grants and one loan.

A total of over \$700,000 in grants was secured from FmHA, CDBG, and ARC. In addition to the grants, \$280,000 was obtained through a loan from FmHA.

The monies will allow the city to change water sources as the water treatment plant built in the mid 1950's was recently declared outdated by the Environmental Protection Association during inspection. The options were to either locate a different, pretreated water source or build a new water plant, costing nearly \$2 million dollars. The procedure began to locate a new water source last year under the administration of former mayor, Billy Medley.

"The money will go to retire old bonds," said Mayor Faye Baker. "This new plan will allow for us to add 49 new customers, who really are in need of water."

According to Baker, new areas that will be included will be the Sand Hill Road to bottom of hill, parts of old U.S. 35, Gauley Branch to the

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# County Statistics

## Deeds Recorded

Horace Jr. and Victoria Johnson, real property located in Rockcastle, to Lloyd L. Jr. and Marcia Cain. Tax \$2.00.

Byrda McCall, real property located in Rockcastle County, to David Lewis McCall et al. No tax.

Orville James and Pamela Gay Shepherd, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Bobby Ray Samms, John Samms Jr. and Jennis Pauline Shepherd. Tax \$13.00.

Bank of Mt. Vernon, real property located in Rockcastle, to Charles L. and Carolyn Sue Bullock. Tax \$2.00.

DeAlvia and Phyllis Hopkins, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Robert Cameron. Tax \$38.00.

Chester and Lillie Lakes, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Millard Ray and Evelyn Woodall. Tax \$4.00.

Gerald and Juanita Lucille McFerron, real property located on the waters of Dry Fork of Skages Creek, to Nona McFerron Cromer. Tax \$10.00.

DeAlvia and Phyllis Hopkins, real property located in Rockcastle County, to the East side of Ky. 70, to Donnic and Joann Barnes. Tax \$4.00.

Danny Spoonamore, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Millard Ray and Evelyn Woodall. Tax \$4.00.

## Marriages

Melora Rae Wren, 20, Mt. Vernon, medical coder, to Christopher Stephen Jones, 20, Berea, refrigeration. February 1, 1992.

Meinda Gail Higgins, 15, Orlando, student, to Merrill Keith Brown, 19,

Orlando, saw mill. February 1, 1992.

## Circuit Civil

Tammy Lynn Doan vs. Jessie Dale Doan, motion for temporary custody and support. 92-CI-00023.

Charles W. Clark vs. William J. and Veria Ann Shelton, complaint. 92-CI-00024.

## District

Bank One, Columbus N.A. vs. Janice F. Tolle and Bobby Tolle, complaint, \$2,021.50 claimed due on past due account. 92-C-00008.

Berea Hospital vs. William Buswell, complaint, \$840.65 claimed due on services rendered. 92-C-00009.

Commonwealth of Kentucky Transportation Cabinet vs. Phillip D. Devet, complaint, \$628.76, claimed due for damages. 92-C-00010.

## District Court

D.U.I.: Kimber Dixon; Joseph Strunk, \$200 plus costs plus \$150 service fee plus time served

Alcohol intoxication: Ronald Dean Slaton, \$25 plus costs; Freddie Wood, bench warrant for failure to appear; Jody Johnson; Brent E. Edmonds; Larry Neal, warrant issued

Alcohol intoxication/Reckless driving: James E. Hurst, \$200 plus costs

Appealing: Tony K. Swafford, \$65 plus costs; Scott A. Todd, Jacob R. Sparks, \$20 plus costs; Charles S. Sparks; Douglas G. Amos; Deborah W. Bugg; Louis D. Duncan; Charlotte Lovell; Pamela J. Newell; Christopher F. Lambdin; Renee M. New;

Amy L. Hale, state traffic school/pay costs; Loris L. Bowling, License suspended/warrant issued; Jeffrey Dennis Jones; Amy L. Hale, license suspended; Jong Ha Hwang, license suspended/warrant issued for failure to appear

Family equipment: Douglas S. Jones; Douglas G. Amos; Jim Lavins; Lewis E. Loy; Charles Miller, \$20 plus costs

Operating/suspended/revoked/license: Leonard Jones, 20 days (credit 7 days)

License to be in possession: Jeffrey Allen; Chad Robert Strait, \$20 plus costs

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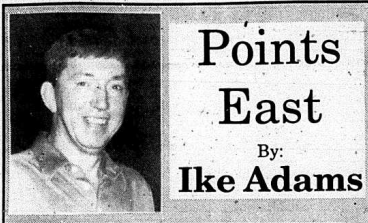
Expired or no registration plates: Chad Robert Strait; Ray Willie; Jeffrey Allen; Scott A. Todd, \$20 fine

Improper registration: Douglas G. Amos, \$50 fine

No operators license: Kimber Dixon, \$100 plus 30 days (probated for 1 year); T.R. Downing, \$50 plus costs; Virlean Henson Patton, \$25 plus costs plus 10 days

No insurance: Jeffrey Allen; John Tim Garrison; Kimber Dixon, \$500 fine

Show Cause Hearing: Franklyn E. Bond, \$97.50; Andy Mason, \$67.50; Charles W. Miller, \$357.50; Glen Spoonamore, \$547.50; Danny J. Conner, \$162.50; Mike Merriman, \$72.50; Ken Neal, \$47.50; Hugh B. Stampel, \$147.50; Jack Lewis Union, \$97.50; William Roger Barrow, warrant issued/failure to appear; Danny L. Wilson, \$83.50; Steve S. Johnson, \$67.50



# Points East

By: Ike Adams

(Editor's Note: Columnists do not necessarily reflect the views or opinions of this newspaper.)

I hesitate to write this opinion because not a single branch of State Government owes me any favors. They all feel like they owe me something but it doesn't include any kindness. Toxic waste, for example is treated far more favorably by the Governor's Office and the State Legislature than anything I have to say. So don't count on this influencing anyone the way they need influencing, but what the heck—the legislature seems bent on restoring whipping to our schools anyway.

I just drove through Wolfe County last Friday. I spent about three hours off on the side roads finding myself on the road map and just looking around. Wolfe County was on record the previous day in both big city

papers and CNN because its school officials have come to believe that they going to be out of business real

soon if they aren't able to restore padding to the classroom. They believe, in Wolfe County, that the only way they can educate their children is to promise them a beating if they don't stay in line.

Now, if I were getting paid what teachers get paid these days, and my boss told me that keeping my job meant that I had to stay after school, say two days a month, and supervise the delinquents, I think I'd do it. I might not want to, but from my observation, a lot of teachers don't want to do much of anything these days except draw a bigger pay check than they had last month. And make sure that anybody who sasses them gets a good paddling.

And it seems to me that most teach-

ers in Wolfe County majored in paddling while they were in college. The only alternative they have found to paddling is to let the kids stay after school and have parties. According to the reports, kids get into trouble on purpose so they can stay after school. Makes you wonder about the supervision doesn't it?

The roads in Wolfe County and for that matter the Eastern Kentucky County of your choice are littered knee deep with all sorts of garbage. Why not have the kids who fight and cuss and make rude gestures and fail to do their homework pick up garbage out of the ditchlines and off the school grounds for a few hours. And if they don't want to do that, then get a court order that keeps mom and dad in jail until they do. It would be a real simple thing to institute in spite of anything the board of education would have you believe. It would, in fact, knock the court system for a few weeks that that's not a new problem. But it would go a long way toward getting discipline back where it belongs. (In the home)

Wolfe County is just plain old dirty. For every ounce of garbage it sends to a landfill, there's an ounce lying along side the road and they can't blame it out of state tourists. Wolfe Countians put that garbage there and it seems to me that they ought to clean it up. And if you make a strapping young man who was in the hallway fighting down his knees and handle it for awhile, he'll learn two lessons.

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The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Rockcastle Steakhouse. Everyone is invited to attend.

### AA, Al-Anon, Teens of Alcoholics

Tuesdays at 7:30. Alcoholics Anonymous and family support groups meet separately at the Rockcastle Teen Center on Williams Street in Mt. Vernon. All are welcome. No charge. Coffee provided.

Rockcastle Region Rodgers  
 The Rockcastle Region Rodgers will meet Monday, Feb. 10 at 7 p.m. at the Red Top Restaurant.

### Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., Feb. 10: Scaffold, Clear Creek, Wildlife, Tues., Feb. 11: Buffalo, Castle Village, Broadhead Adult Day Care and Negro Creek. Wed., Feb. 12: Ottawa and Bee Lick.

### Sunshine Volunteers

The Sunshine Volunteers of the Rockcastle County Hospital will hold their regular meeting Friday night, Feb. 7 at 7 p.m. at the library and the community club. Glenna Smith from Somerset will be the guest speaker and there will be special singers and potluck. Everyone is welcome.

### Historical Society

Rockcastle County Historical Society Workshop will be held Sat., Feb. 8 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Library.

### Little League Note

There will be a Little League board meeting Sunday, Feb. 9 at 2 p.m. in the District Courtroom.

### DAV here

Jim Poland, a state service officer for the Department of Kentucky, Disabled American Veterans, will be in Mt. Vernon at the library from noon until 2 p.m. on Feb. 10 to assist veterans and their dependents with claims due as a result of military service.

### Shriners Meeting

The Madison County Shriners will meet Thurs., Feb. 20 at 6:30 p.m. at the Downunder Restaurant in Richmond.

## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,  
 On Dec. 27, 1991 I lost my home

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# Roamin' Rockcastle

BY HILDA PAYNE GABBARD



We are still in Wildie, in the General Store of Jan Stevens who is also postmaster. Jan called my attention to several folks in the store.

James Reynolds, a bachelor who does just bought a new car, began talking. "I'm 82 years old in April, was born on Easter Sunday. Since I got my new car, the girls won't leave me alone," James said, with a twinkle in his eyes and that caused a lot of laughing in the crowd.

A yellow school bus pulled in front of the store and a group of high school boys, noisy as only youth can be, got out and came into the store.

Jan said, "Meet Scott Parkey who is a senior quarterback on the Rockcastle High School football team. His grandma has promised to buy him a car if he makes the Dean's List."

Scott's eyes got bright at the mention of a car and I'll bet he burns the midnight oil studying.

Mayor Steven's New Year's Resolution was to "Trim my wife better."

Hold him that to June when he says he's going to work but it's seen on the creek bank.

Stop by and see Ballard Parsons' new car. "Jan called to us as we left and went up the road a short distance to Parsons Grocery.

It was a nice, clean looking store for a man who spends time in a wheelchair. He was talking to some men when we entered.

Pool tables sat in the back where men, who wanted to get away from their wives finding jobs for them to do at home, came to loaf and play.

John said to Ballard, "This is the best place to loaf. I believe I'll slip off and come back and stay a day down here."

"You've already told your wife where to look and if she finds you, I don't want a big fight in here," Ballard was laughing.

He mostly sits at a counter while customers bring the groceries over where he checks them and is paid.

But today Ballard sits in a brand new shining wheelchair with all kinds of gadgets on it.

While we stood watching, Ballard showed us how all the gears worked. It was powered by electricity and he drew so well that he could turn on a dime, I'd say. He worked the gears as easily as I could use a fork and knife.

"What are you going to use this new machine for besides in this store," I asked Ballard.

"Why I'm going to give a ride to as many girls as I can up and down this road," he answered as if he were serious.

"Better be careful speeding while you do that. I've heard Sheriff Smith patrols Wildie. He and his men will pick you up for speeding no matter what you are driving," John told Ballard.

Across the store, Joe Bullens sat talking about being in World War II and being in Germany. I ran into Emmitt, John's brother, (deceased) whom I had known back in the states. We spent a few days together before each went his way.

I'll be calling it quits after I tell of these resolutions made to me.

Myrtle Gabbard says, "I'm going to start losing weight and stop smoking. Then instead of eating two pounds of chocolate covered cherries a day, I'll cut down to one pound a day," says Melinda Rayburn when asked what she would do. (Why not cut it all out, Melinda?)

Manuel Lakes of Lakes Funeral Home tells me he wants to lose 15 pounds badly and he's making that his wish for '92. (Just have wife Bonnie kick you under the table when you reach for seconds of cooked hogs ears and feet, Manuel).

Clay Gabbard says, "I'm going to act this year like a young colt let into the barnyard for the first time kicking up my heels. (Yes, but you're no young colt, Clay).

Old timer, Charlie King from Upper Clear Creek, had his 94th birthday on January 25, 1992. He can't walk but gets about in a wheelchair and still does what he likes best - chew tobacco and has since he was four years old.

A smiling pretty face, framed in dark, curly hair came before me as I entered the restroom of the Richmond Mall. I saw it was Carolyn Christmas, the former Body Recall Exercise Class teacher, that I had just a few months ago. It made me very happy for I'd always liked this young woman.

As I used to say to Carolyn to tease her, I did again, "How's your love life," after we greeted each other.

Her beautiful dark eyes lit up. "Oh,

I don't have a single love life. I have a married one which is better than ever." Tell me about yourself," I said. "Well, in 1990, I met Mike Wallace who is employed at Hyster Company in Berea. We just clicked and took off from there. I'm very happy. I'm here today to teach a class in Body Recall because I'm still part of it," Carolyn said smiling.

I write of family roots being in Clear Creek from the descendants of the old timers who went out into the world but can't forget the mountains.

My brother, Bluford Payne, in Michigan, was one who settled there and now I hear from his great-grandson, David Payne, living in Florida. He is an elementary student.

David wrote on a class project which was "Kentucky" because he is greatly interested in the state.

Bluford gave him the interest with all the things Bluford has told him about his life in the hills.

David's paper was in the form of a booklet with information on the state, a dream map, drawn state flower and bird, including the state seal where two men are shaking hands with the

words underneath. "United we stand, divided we fall."

As a former teacher, he brought back memories of my school years and the pupils I had doing the same kind of project.

David had made the Dean's List with his A on this assignment and it made Bluford and Laura, his grandparents, very proud as well as myself.

I visit the "Strawberry Man" in next week's column.

Till then: It's about time for sassafras root digging. It is a blood thinning tea and helps folks throw off that draggy, sluggish feeling we get in the spring. It wouldn't hurt the boss to have a cup of the tea and even his wife will notice how spry he moves about.

## Lawmen concerned about alcohol dismissals

It is a growing concern of lawmen throughout the county -- the court's arbitrary dismissal of alcohol-related charges is the cause of their discontent, particularly to Broodhead Police Chief Joe Bussell's discontent.

Bussell recently had two such incidents, the first of which occurred following an arrest on July 10, 1990 which was dismissed December 30, 1991, 1 1/2 years later, by Judge Cain. And, according to Bussell, the dismissal was ordered without notification to him and without any reason



Despite the fact that the case was dismissed, Broodhead Police Chief Joe Bussell was allowed to confiscate the nine cases of beer and 16 pint bottles of whiskey in a recent arrest for illegal sale of alcohol.

being given.

The incident involved a 52-year-old man who was suspected of selling alcohol to minors. After many complaints and eye-witness reports, Bussell obtained a search warrant and, together with Sheriff Shirley Smith and his deputies, nine cases of beer and 16 pints of unopened whiskey were found inside the man's apartment at Castle Village in Broodhead.

Immediately, the man was arrested and charged with illegal sale of alcohol. "We had proof that he was selling it. We had a search warrant and, to get one, you have to have proof," said Bussell.

Bussell recounted a second incident in which a woman was arrested

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## Around Brodhead

By: Mary McWhorter

Saturday dinner guests of Willard and Edith Nicely were, Paul D. and Mary Ann Albright, Julia Dawn Scott, Edith and Beckie Watkins, all of Paris, Everett and Jean Albright and grandchildren, Jamie and Beckie Lawrence, Garner and Mary Ann Brown, Lorene McClure, Jessica and Chris Childress. Everyone enjoyed the day. Afternoon visitors were Sonny and Doris Jean Farris, Bobby and Lorene Lawrence.

Mark Brown and girlfriend of Russell Springs were recent visitors of Willard and Edith Nicely.

Edith and Willard Nicely visited with Ann Campbell one night last week.

Carl Gentry and wife Ruby received word from Florida of her sister passing away. Our prayers are for her.

Mac Doan was Monday afternoon visitor of Maggie and Audrey Fletcher and also visited a few minutes and brought a delicious piece of cake which I enjoyed very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Proctor were in Covington recently visiting Clara's dad, Carter Caudill, who is doing

well. Mrs. Novera Proctor is at the home of her son Bob and Clara Proctor and is much improved. Mary Jane and Linda Randolph were in Somerset for Linda's check up with her doctor recently.

Jack and Betty Lou Whitaker were Sunday guests of Mary Jane, Arvil and Linda Randolph.

Last week guests of Mary Jane, Arvil and Linda were Ola and Mattie Burton and Jewell Brown.

Mary Jane Randolph was last Monday guest of Marie Burton who is improving from an illness. We hope she continues to improve.

Recent visitors of Maggie, Audrey, Charles and Patsy Fletcher were, Clarence Fletcher of Tipp City, Ohio, Grace Gill of Louisville, Kim Aalk and daughters, Tricia and Lindsey of Berea. Mac Doan also visited a week with Virginia Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Craig have returned to their home in Ohio after visiting relatives here and in Somerset.

## Quail

By: Vivian Owens

Mrs. Mable Cash and Mrs. Edna Caldwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thompson Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Owens and Mark Owens and son of Rt. Somerset visited his mother Mrs. Mattie Owens Friday.

Estil J. Owens and Nick Lucas of Ohio visited his mother Mrs. Vivian Owens Sunday.

Ruth Mink and Miss Rebecca Cummins and Miss Lauren Todd visited Mrs. Maggie Whittaker Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Donna Bullock and Mrs. Florence Albright was Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ponder.

Mrs. Fern Caldwell and grandson and Mrs. Edna Caldwell visited Mrs. Mollie Bryant Tuesday afternoon.

Curtis Bullock celebrated his birthday at the home of his father Ricky Bullock and Ms. Bullock and Sasha Sunday afternoon. Others to help him to celebrate were his grandmother Mrs. Delmas Bullock and Kristy and some more friends. They all enjoyed cake and ice cream.

Miss Josephine Albright celebrated

her 49th birthday, Sunday, Feb. 2nd at her home. Those attending were Don and Teet Stevens, Billy and Jean Gentry, Ann and Larry Taylor, Benjamin Taylor, Gary Gentry, Zachary Gentry, Betty and Kendra Jones, Nina and Fred Cash, Mrs. Vivian Owens, Aunt Audrey Hamm, Mrs. Glenda Riddle, Johnna Riddle, Jennifer and Andrew Salmon, Michelle and Christopher Riddle.

## "Lawmen Concerned"

(Cont. from A-3)

In August of 1991 for the third time on an alcohol-related charge. "Just like the other case, I received complaints about this woman," Bussell said. According to reports, the woman was intoxicated and threatening another lady. When Bussell arrived, he found the alleged offender intoxicated with beer in hand. She was charged with alcohol intoxication and drinking in public. And, for the third time, her case was dismissed.

According to Bussell, these cases are just two examples of the many cases that are dismissed. "I'm doing my best to enforce the law," Bussell said, "but I can't seem to get the court system to prosecute."

In recent cases, the sheriff's department has experienced the same

frustration. The frequent dismissal of such cases often decreases the credibility of law enforcement officers who are obviously doing their job.

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## The Week at Livingston

By: Frances Dickerson

Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bond visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sowder in Winchester Wednesday. Mrs. Sowder is L.D.'s sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Carroll of Knoxville spent the weekend with Mrs. Carroll's mother, Margaret Burdine.

Mrs. Todd Mink is in the hospital in Paris.

Lelia Sturgill of Louisville visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ponder Tuesday. Lois Mullins and her sister Minnie have just returned from a tour of Germany.

Mrs. Evelyn Hansel and daughter Kimberly of Frankfort visited Mrs. Hazel Mullins one day during the week.

William (Butch) Loudemilk of Evansville visited his mother Mrs. Carrie Loudemilk during the week-

end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell, Mrs. Winkie Krauth, Mr. and Mrs. David Mahaffey and little daughter Danielle, Larry Mahaffey and friend Terry, all of Louisville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mahaffey Saturday. The Mahaffey family had their six grandsons home Saturday.

Orville Burkhardt and Bro. Medley visited Denver Mullins during the week. Denver is still very sick.

Mrs. Ruby Mink celebrated her birthday recently. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Waddles of Somerset, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mink of Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Mink of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. James Mink of Lexington, Mrs. Cathy Crank and two children, Cindy and Stephany of Lexington, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee of Monticello.

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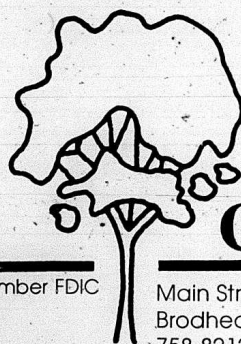
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## We should learn all the facts about AIDS

One of America's leading killers has recently had the limelight of a lot of television airtime. There have been specials, a lot of news coverage and commercials to try to relay a message and educate us on how to deal with it and how to avoid it.

The question is, will it work and can we gain some kind of control over Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome, better known as AIDS?

As we all know, AIDS is not prejudiced. It can strike at any time against anyone. However, unlike many diseases, such as cancer and so forth, most of us have a choice to whether we directly contract the disease or not. And like the many television programs have been trying to teach, we can be aware of AIDS and learn how to avoid getting it. Still, there are those who are innocent bystanders, that contract the disease - most through birth and blood transfusions.

But it all boils down to someone who passed the disease on to the undeserving who have to deal with AIDS for the remainder of their, usually short, life. And that is where the awareness programs come in to play.

ABC News anchor Peter Jennings had a very informative special that aired Sunday night. The segment answered a lot of myths about the disease and gave some pertinent information on how to avoid and deal with AIDS at the same time.

One of the more interesting and misleading myths that was clarified during the program was the fact that AIDS cannot be transmitted through mosquito bites. One authority on the subject commented that, unlike Malaria, not enough blood is carried by a mosquito to actually transmit AIDS. Another authority also stated that

the only known ways that AIDS can be transmitted is through sexual intercourse, blood transfusions, hypodermic needles and giving birth. Thus, eliminating any other myth or rumor about how AIDS can be transmitted.

What was most interesting about the whole program, and is true about every special discussion about AIDS today, is how everyone involved in the program talked about the disease openly. Just how does a person get the disease and what steps to prevent it were shared by everyone. Steps that should be taken concerning contraceptives, if abstinence was not practiced, was discussed by the middle-aged as well as teenagers.

As we all know, such topics as these were never discussed just years ago. But as mentioned on the programs, those growing up 10 years ago didn't have the serious threat of AIDS to worry about like teens living in the 90's. As it was summed in the program, teenagers today have a decision to make, and it's a decision that involves life or death.

Of course, a "dogma" is only a minor detail about this disease that has decided to plague the world. The program I've just mentioned went into a lot more areas than I've talked about and, if you missed the program I apologize for not mentioning more and urge you and your loved ones to take time and sit down to view one of these programs, but to those of you who did see it, I hope you got as much out of it as I did. If so, special programs such as these are doing their job. They are relaying a message to us to be aware and to attempt to make tomorrow a better place to live, for us and our children.

As they said on the program, if something is not done, AIDS could very well become the epidemic of tomorrow.....

## Read a Minute

By: Spencer T. Bengo





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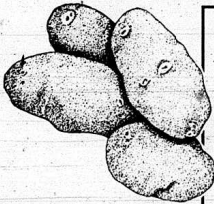
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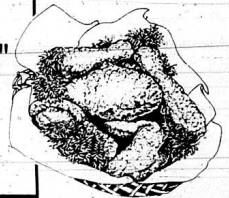
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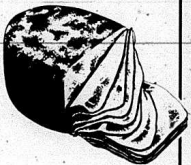
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Limit 12 Total

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**29¢**

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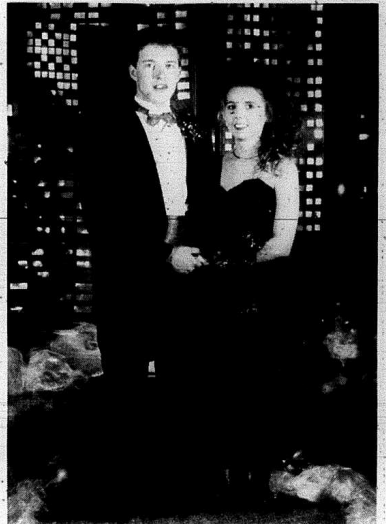
### Vanclave - Seals

Matt Seals and Mrs. Dorothy Seals Hensley wish to announce the engagement of their son, Larry Gilbert, to Debbie Vanclave of Clay City, Ky. Larry is employed by Lexington Bluegrass Army Depot and Debbie is employed at O.W.L. of Lexington. No wedding date has been set.



### Higgins - Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Higgins, Jr. of Orlando would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Melinda Gail, to Merrill Keith Brown, son of Merville and Rita Brown, also of Orlando. The wedding will be an event of Feb. 14 at 6 p.m. at the home of the bride. Family and friends of the bride and groom are invited.



### Ely-Bustle

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ely of Orlando wish to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Melinda to Robert Bustle, son of Robert Bustle of Mt. Vernon and Sue Bustle of Hamilton, Ohio. The wedding will take place Feb. 15 at 2 p.m. at the Brush Creek Holiness Church. All friends and family are invited.

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### Melora Rae Wren to wed Christopher Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wren of Fairview are happy to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Melora Rae to Christopher Stephen Jones, son of William and Pat Jones of Berea.

Miss Wren attended Rockcastle County High School and is a recent graduate of Eastern Kentucky University. She is employed at Williamson Medical Center in Franklin, Tenn.

Mr. Jones graduated from Madison Southern High School. He is an Electrical and Refrigeration technician at Dole Refrigeration in Lewisburg, Tenn.

The wedding will be an event of Feb. 15, 1992 at 2 p.m. at the Fairview Baptist Church. The custom of open church will be observed and all friends and relatives are invited.

### Busy Bees Homemakers Meet

The Busy Bees met January 21st at the County Extension Office with Barbara Merritt acting as hostess. We had seven members and three visitors present. We also had a new member, Jean Tenton. We're tickled to have her in our club. She is a very talented young lady that can teach us lots of new crafts. She will be teaching our mini-

craft for our February meeting; Barbara Prater and Wynona Isaac taught us to make Osanberg angles so we can get a early start on next year's Christmas decorations.

On February 11 at 7 p.m. the Busy Bees will meet at Jody Johnson's home. Irene Winstead will be teaching the lesson, "Landscape Know How." It's the time of year we begin thinking about spring planting.

See you old members and new members at Jody's, Feb. 11 at 7 p.m.

## Mt. Vernon Personals

By: Vallie Burton  
(delayed)

Dorothy Oakley of Henderson spent a few days with her mother Mrs. Lillian Anglin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Roberts of Rutledge, Tenn. visited her sister Mrs. Vallie Burton recently.

Mrs. Sam Newton of Somerset visited her mother Mrs. Vallie Burton last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barron of Paris visited her mother Mrs. Arthie Kirby Sunday evening.

Deepest sympathy is extended to all who have lost loved ones recently. May the Lord comfort each one.

Everett Cromer of East Bernstadt visited Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Houston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lillian Anglin and Mrs. Bobby Anglin visited Mrs. Delphia Cox one afternoon last week.

Monday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney were their grandson Jim Lovins and girlfriend Jenny.

Mrs. Lavada Graves visited Mrs. Bessie Kirby Tuesday night.

Monday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Brown were Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney.

Sunday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney were their

daughter Mrs. Sharon Lovins, Mrs. Joe Lovins Jr. and also Angie Stallsworth and Tonya Hammonds.

Mrs. Marie McKinney visited Mrs. Eunice Prater and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Miller last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hale and Salie Hale were in London recently.

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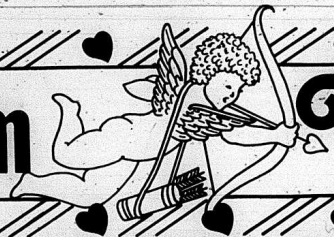
### Church News

#### Mt. Vernon Pentecostal Church

The Mt. Vernon Pentecostal Church invites all to a gospel singing featuring the Happy Pilgrims from Chatsworth, GA on Saturday, Feb. 8. Services start at 7:30 p.m.



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| <b>Dinty Moore Beef Stew</b><br><b>89¢</b><br><small>15 oz. Limit 2 with \$10 or More Additional Order</small>    | <b>Halls Cough Drops</b><br><b>89¢</b><br><small>30 count bag</small>                                     | <b>Colorox Bleach</b><br><b>89¢</b><br><small>gallon Limit 1 with \$10 or More Additional Order</small> |
| <b>Fischer Hot Dogs</b><br><b>89¢</b><br><small>12 oz. pkg. Limit 3</small>                                       | <b>White Potatoes</b><br><b>79¢</b><br><small>10 lb. Limit 2</small>                                      |   |

**Kraft Mayonnaise** quart **\$1.99**  
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- **Armour Potted Meat** .....3 oz. **3/99¢**
- **Armour Vienna Sausage** .....5 oz. **55¢**
- **Delmonico Macaroni & Spaghetti** .....1 lb. **59¢**
- **Swiftning Shortening** .....42 oz. **\$1.19**
- **Martha White Meal** .....5 lb. **\$1.29**
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- **Folgers Special Roast ADC** .....39 oz. **\$3.99**
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- **Dove Dish Liquid** .....22 oz. **99¢**
- **Surf Detergent** .....39 oz. **\$1.69**
- **Surf Detergent** .....136 oz. **\$5.99**
- **Banquet TV Dinners** .....11 oz. **\$1.19**
- **Banquet Pies** .....20 oz. **\$1.39**
- **Ore-Ida Crinkle Cut & Rég. Fries** .....2 lb. **\$1.59**
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- Neck Bones .....49¢ lb.
- Fischer Bologna .....1 lb. pkg. \$1.19
- Platter Bacon .....69¢ lb.

# Obituaries

## Cromer

Jarvis Cromer, 75, of Reading, Ohio, and formerly of Rockcastle County died Feb. 3, 1992 at the Mercy North Hospital in Hamilton, Ohio. He was born on April 21, 1916 in Rockcastle County, the son of the late C.C. and Nannie Kirby Cromer. He was a former employee of Cooperative Mills, a Veteran of World War II, and a member of the Paul Vale VFW of Sharonville, Ohio.

Survivors are his wife, Grace Foyter Cromer of Reading, Ohio; two sons, Gary Cromer and Morgan Farley; five daughters, Vivian Glover, Norma Kretschmar, Joy Bays, Karen Kelley and Wanda Faye Edwards, all of the Cincinnati, Ohio area; two brothers, Bud Cromer of Hazlet Patch, and Ernest Cromer of Pine Hill; four sisters, Lincha Whit of Livingston, Alice Proff of Lexington, Ruby Brown of Newport, and Gracie Puckett of Covington, 13 grandchildren, seven great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a daughter.

Services were held Feb. 6, at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Harold Edwards officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Don Snider, Keith Kretschmar, Rodney Kelley, Tommy Karr, Mark Edwards, and David Edwards.

## Falin

Eugene Falin, 54, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday Jan. 31, 1992 after a short illness at his home.

He was born in Rockcastle County on April 15, 1937, the son of the late Alva and Mahala Hickey Falin and was a drill operator for the Kentucky Stone Company and a member of the Bible Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ann Brewer Falin; three step-sons, Samuel Joe Hicks of West Palm Beach, Fla., Manas David Hicks of Berea, and Danny Least Hicks of Mt. Vernon; two step-daughters, Mrs. Marsha Marie McCarron of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mrs. Barbara Kay Miller of Albany; four brothers, Charlie Falin of Richmond, Lee Falin of Lexington, and Albert and Monroe Falin, both of Mt. Vernon; two sisters, Mrs. Edyth Allen of Covington, and Mrs. Darla Miller of Mt. Vernon.

Services were conducted Feb. 3 at the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Don Stayton. Burial was in the Scafield Cane Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Darrel Falin, Charlie Falin, Paul Thomason Jr., Freddy Brewer, Sam Hicks and David Hicks.

## Brockman

Bruce Brockman, 81, of McKee, died Feb. 1, 1992 at the U.K. Medical Center in Lexington.

He was born Nov. 10, 1910 in Jackson County, the son of Isaac and Millie Jones Brockman.

He is survived by his wife, Nannie Bowles Brockman of McKee, and six children: Fletcher Wise of Richmond, Ind., Floyd Brockman of Lexington, Ralph Brockman of McKee, Bruce Brockman Jr. of Kenil, N.J., Thelma Mullins of Mt. Vernon and Janice Rose of Versailles; five brothers, Herman Brockman of Richmond, Ind.; Arnold, Lloyd, and Oscar Brockman of McKee, and Enis Brockman of Annville; 19 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. He was a member of the Pine Grove Church of Christ. He was preceded in death by a son, two brothers and two sisters.

Services were held Feb. 3 at Lakes Funeral Home Chapel in McKee, with Bro. Larkin Pennington officiating. Burial was in Pine Grove Cemetery at Clover Bottom.

Pallbearers were Jack Farthing, Darren Brockman, Gary Rose, Isaac Brockman, Ricky Wise, Tommy Wise and Rick Graves.

## Swinford

Ronald Byard Swinford, 86, of Berea, died Wednesday, Jan. 29, at Paterie Clay Hospital following an illness.

He was a Rockcastle County native, and resident of Berea for the past 22 years following his retirement.

He attended Berea College and Allied Schools, was a graduate of Yale University and a member of Union Church in Berea.

He was associated with New York Life Insurance Company from 1931-1971 and served as an attorney in the Office of General Council and vice-president of the company in charge of its Office of Industry and Governmental relations.

From 1947 to 1957, he served successfully as judge, trustee, and Mayor of Brookville, N.Y., which was his home for over 30 years.

Survivors include his wife, Ann Sleeter Swinford of Berea; a daughter, Mrs. Hoyle (Jane) Miller of Mt. Vernon; two brothers, Paris Swinford of Middleboro and Edwin Swinford of Richmond; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Graveside services were conducted, Feb. 1, at the Berea Cemetery with the Rev. Charles Murray officiating, under the direction of Reppert Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to the Dr. John Bayard Swinford Memorial Fund at Berea College, Berea, Ky.

## Allen

Elbert Allen Sr., 64, of Dayton, Ohio, and formerly of Livingston died Jan. 29, 1992 at the Grandview Hospital in Dayton.

He was born on Dec. 14, 1927 in Rockcastle County, the son of the late Alfred and Delia Angel Allen. He was a retired B&O Railroad employee.

Survivor are his wife, Mrs. Louise Berry Allen of Dayton, Ohio; two sons, Duane Allen of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Elbert Allen Jr., of Dayton, Ohio; three daughters, Carol O'Dell of Frankfort, Beverly Lloyd of Cleveland, Ohio, and Ann Beal of Dayton, Ohio; three brothers, Willie Allen of Deland, Fla., Edwens Allen of Crab Orchard, and Ira Allen of Dayton Ohio; three sisters, Marie Tomlinson of Dayton, Ohio, Edna Hiter of Harrodsburg, and Laura Dye of Dayton, Ohio, and four grandchildren.

Services were held Feb. 1, at Union Baptist Church at Red Hill with Bro. Raymond Hampton officiating. Burial was in Red Hill Cemetery. Cox Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## Johnson

Jerry R. Johnson, 40, formerly of Rockcastle, died Jan. 30, 1992 at Columbus, Ind.

He was born June 3, 1951 in Bartholomew County, Indiana, and was a self-employed electrician and plumber.

He is survived by his father, William A. Johnson; a son, John W. Johnson; a daughter, Bridget Johnson; a brother, Terry L. Johnson, all of Columbus, Ind.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Doris Louise Smith Johnson, and his wife, Nannie Johnson, who died Sept. 16, 1991 while they were living in Brodhead.

## Kelly

Carl Kelly, 80, of Mt. Vernon, died Feb. 5, 1992 at the Rockcastle Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Pauline.

Funeral arrangements are by the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home and are incomplete.

## Cox

Mrs. Joyce Ann Cox, 42, of Mt. Vernon, died Feb. 1, 1992 at the Rockcastle Hospital after a long illness.

She was born on May 11, 1949 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of Mrs. Virgie Pittman Denney of Mt. Vernon and the late James Denney. She attended the Baptist Church.

Survivors in addition to her mother are: three sons, Charles, Billy, and Brian Cox, all of Mt. Vernon; two daughters, Miss Candice Cox of Mt. Vernon and Miss Cheryl Ann Cox of Lexington; three brothers, Russell and O.B. Denney, both of Mt. Vernon and Bobby Denney of Indianapolis, Ind.; two sisters, Mrs. Wilma Hayes of Brodhead and Mrs. Virginia Thomas of East Bernstadt.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Bill Cox, and by a daughter, a brother, and a sister.

Services were held Feb. 3 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Harvey Pensol officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Logan Mullins,

Burgess Mullins, Alan Brandenburg, Leonard Barnett, Wayne Manis, and Calvin Denney.

## Schneider

Novella Mullins Schneider, 65, formerly of Rockcastle County, passed away Tuesday Jan. 15, 1992 at Columbus Community Hospital.

Survived by her husband, George Schneider of Columbus, Ohio; sisters, Bernice Meehan, Xenia, Ohio; Sally Poncer, Danville; Pauline Frost, Middletown, Ohio; Violet Minor, Jackson, Mich.; Norma Warren Columbus, Ohio; brothers, Charles (Jack) Mullins, Cincinnati, Ohio; John (J.L.) Mullins Florence and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Dean and Sophia Mullins of Orlando; three sisters, Louise Forster, Jane Mullins and Lorene Mullins and two brothers, Rollie Mullins and James Mullins.

Maeber-Quint-Tiberi Funeral Home of Columbus, Ohio was in charge of arrangements. Mass was held Jan. 18, with burial at St. Joseph Cemetery in Columbus.

**Obituaries courtesy of local funeral homes**



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| RECEIPTS  |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| License, transfers and title fees                   | \$243,407.21          |
| Usage tax   | 301,033.26            |
| Ad Valorem property tax and property tax liens      | 388,697.76            |
| Application for title                               | 7,055.00              |
| Recording fees--                                    |                       |
| Deeds, mortgages, affidavit of descents             |                       |
| chattel mortgages, leases, power of attorneys       |                       |
| Articles of Incorporation, State and federal liens  |                       |
| lis pendens, releases                               | 39,777.00             |
| Deed Transfer Tax                                   | 17,581.90             |
| Marriage licenses                                   | 4,590.00              |
| Hunting & fishing licenses                          | 47,773.12             |
| Occupational licenses                               | 1,485.30              |
| Notary Public Bonds                                 | 360.00                |
| Delinquent taxes                                    | 37,768.20             |
| Miscellaneous Receipts                              |                       |
| copies  | 1,150.28              |
| Miscellaneous recordings and fees                   | 31,337.45             |
| Interest on super now/account                       | 2,423.82              |
| <b>Total Receipts</b>                               | <b>\$1,124,440.30</b> |
| <b>EXPENSES</b>                                     |                       |
| Operational Expenses                                | \$137,727.73          |
| Usage tax   | 292,532.57            |
| License reports                                     | 190,458.90            |
| Monthly disbursements to county and state           | 479,369.32            |
| Postage   | 2,673.97              |
| Miscellaneous expenses, rentals and office supplies | 21,612.67             |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                               | <b>\$1,124,375.16</b> |
| <b>Receipts</b>                                     | <b>\$1,124,440.30</b> |
| <b>Disbursements</b>                                | <b>1,124,375.16</b>   |
| <b>Excess fees due county</b>                       | <b>\$65.14</b>        |

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to handle. I don't have any problem with paying teachers a good salary if they are willing to give the profession their best shot. But name one other thing besides lawrencing in this state that will pay you nearly \$30,000 a year for eight and a half months work.

My best guess is that about half the teachers in this state need to come to grips with the fact that they're going to have to earn the fair wage we're willing to pay them. The other half believes all they had to do was sign up and they don't have an inkling—not a clue about how to make education reform work. And that's why they're voting in overwhelming numbers to do everything they can to prevent it from happening. I'm ashamed to be from Letcher County right now where teachers are doing everything they can to block the reform that absolutely must happen if their students are to have a chance at rising from the bottom of the heap.

They talked a good line until the law passed, but now it looks like some work is involved, the teaching profession is starting to look a lot like welfare. Kiss the board members' behind and draw a check folks. Is that all it means to you?

Second is not fight if you want to avoid this sort of humiliation. The second is littering ain't such a good idea either.

Of course, it takes a lot longer to supervise garbage collection than it does to administer a paddling. I call it laziness. I call it lack of commitment and incompetence. Because any

teacher ought to realize that everytime they strike a child and render pain they are reinforcing the belief and attitude that the best way to settle an argument is to resort to violence. Beating on a kid with a wooden board is an act of violence. That's a plain and simple fact. Bend over sometime and let someone swat you across the behind and see whether or not you feel inclined to fight back.

Kids can't do it because the teacher is bigger and has more reinforcements and all that, so they harbor the anger and eventually, maybe years later, take it out on their own children or they shoot someone.

School boards and school councils across the state are going to have to come to grips with discipline, but if we let them restore padding or any other form of brute force to teaching it, then we are spitting in the face of education reform.

A school system that has nobody on its staff capable of coming up with some unpleasant responsibility and accountability for kids who need to be held accountable doesn't have much business in the education field in the first place. Those systems need to be taken over and the personnel fired just as much as the politically corrupt ones like Harlan and Boyd County have recently been.

But it's not just the boards of education that are corrupt and incompetent. It's their nephews and nieces and uncles and wives and husbands and brother who have gotten their jobs down through the decades, not because they had any teaching ability, but because they came home from college with a little political pull and wound up in a classroom that they were ill prepared and uncommitted

**RCHS**  
**Minute**

By: Julie Coffey

**Young Farmer's Banquet:**  
The Young Farmers Banquet will be held Thursday night at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria.

**RVES PTA news**

The Mt. Vernon PTA is supporting our students in the PTA Reflections Project. The reflections is an opportunity for the students to show their talents by their drawings, writing, photographs, and music. Our students worked very hard on this project and we greatly appreciate every entry. The Reflection winners for this project are as follows:

Visual Arts - 4-6 grades - first place-Dusty Mullins; second place-Cherie McHargue; third place-Josh Rickles; honorable mention - Megan Holbrook and Jennifer Singleton.

Visual Arts - K-3 grades; first place-Jordan Bales.

Music - 4-6 grades - first place-Josh Bray; second place-Cherrie McLemore; third place - Debra Spencer; honorable mention - Miranda Phibick.

Literature - 4-6 grades - first place - Heather Bray; second place - Josh Bray; third place - Wayne Powell; honorable mention - Stacy Mullins and Dawni Mullins.

Photography - 4-6 grades - first place-Kristy Lovell; second place-Crystal Carpenter; third place-Cory Bailey-Jasmin Carnack; honorable mention-Jason McFerron, Jason Demoy, Phillip McLemore.

Photography - 7-8 grades - First place-Dreama Plummer; second place-Maria Bailey; third place-Brian Brown-honorable mention-Joey Alcorn and Victoria Steele.

Thank you students for the wonderful pieces of art you submitted to the Mt. Vernon PTA Reflections. We appreciate your hard work and support.

Darlena Bowles  
PTA President

**PTA Meeting:**  
There will be a PTA Meeting Feb. 18 at MVES cafeteria at 6 p.m. The playground equipment will be given. The public is invited, MVES Budget:

The MVES Budget Committee Meeting will be Feb. 10 at MVES cafeteria at 4 p.m. The public is invited.

**Mt. Vernon**  
**Message**

**Schedule of Events**

February 10 - Mohday - Rockcastle County All-Stars play Corbin February 12 - Wednesday - Abraham Lincoln's Birthday. School is scheduled.

School-Based Decision Making Council meeting - 4 p.m. (The public is invited)

February 13 - Thursday - Rockcastle County All-Stars play Corbin at Roundstone at 6 p.m.

February 14 - Friday - Valentine's Dance 4-H Dance - 7-9 p.m. Rockcastle County All Stars play at Whitley County at 4:30 p.m.

Mrs. Webb's students are currently studying a unit on Kentucky. They are learning about the history of our state by making scrapbooks. They are really enjoying learning about Kentucky.

Mrs. Alexander's morning and afternoon groups are learning the letter Q and the number 15. They are also studying about good dental health.

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held Thursday night at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria.

**Last Dance:**  
The last dance will be held this Friday following the Boy's Varsity game against Mercer County. The cost will be \$3 per person.

**Academic Team:**  
The District competition will be held Friday and Saturday.

- College Round Reminder List:**
1. Admission applications should be in (if not, do so immediately).
  2. Follow school's instructions on all admission policies.
  3. Pay deposits if required.
  4. Find out if the school has an orientation day.
  5. Gather information about registering for classes.
  6. If you have been admitted to more than one school, notify all concerned of your final decision.
  7. Turn in housing application.

**Financial Aid**

1. Kentucky Financial Aid Form must be sent in by April 1st.
2. If any needs assistance in filling out the forms please do not hesitate to seek help.
3. Keep copies of everything you mail.
4. Be aware of all scholarship deadlines.

**Tests ACT**  
Admission applications, Financial Aid Forms, and ACT registration forms are available in Mr. Whitaker's office.



**District Governor's Cup Competition** was held Friday evening and Saturday at Livingston Elementary School. The academic teams from the four county schools competed in the areas of written assessment (which included math, science, social studies, and language arts), future problem solving, English composition, and quick recall.

In a very close battle for first place our Roundstone Eagle Academic team was successful in overall competition and took home the 1992 Governor's Cup District Championship. Our success was truly a team effort with members placing in 6 out of 7 categories. Way to go Eagles! We're proud of you.

We would like to thank our host, Livingston Elementary School, the coaches, Beverly Owens and Lisa Johnson, parents, teachers and administrators who helped make the district competition a success.

The fourth grade classes have been studying a Social studies unit on mountains and different kinds of maps. As a finishing point to the unit, students will be making relief maps. The students will sculpt landforms such as mountain ranges from a salt and flour dough. After drying, the students will paint their maps.

The fourth grade classes, also, recently made another kind of sculpture. Using colored wire, students created wire sculpture using the design elements of line, shape, and movement. The students gave their art work titles and will put them on display.

Both of these activities are under the supervision of Pat Midkiff. Mrs. Midkiff is a former art teacher who now enjoys incorporating art activities into other subjects.

The staff and students would like to welcome a student teacher from Berea College to our school. Miss Veronica Ennis will be working with Mrs. Norma Eversole in the final seven weeks of student teaching. Miss Ennis from Galingburg, Tenn. is a senior education major at Berea College.

February is National Dental month. Dr. John Parsons is a local dentist with a practice in Mt. Vernon will be visiting in several primary classrooms at RES. Dr. Parsons will talk to the classes about proper dental hygiene and will provide toothbrushes for the students. Thank you Dr. Parsons for giving us this time.

Remember, February 8, 1992 is "Reading in the Mall Day" at Richmond Mall from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Several of our students will have work on display. RES reading teacher, Mrs. Shelby Poynter will be on hand to explain or discuss the displays.

**Mills graduates**

Airman Sherman Mills has graduated from the missile facilities course at Chanute Air Force Base, Rantoul, Ill.

Students were taught the fundamentals of electrical circuits, components and symbols, internal computer engines and systems, micro-processor/monitor for electrical power systems, and refrigeration and environmental systems and components.

Mills is the son of Julie Rowe and stepson of Jack Rowe of Mt. Vernon. His father, Clarence Mills, resides on Rt. 7, Manchester.

**Reynolds on Dean's List**

Heather Gaye Reynolds, daughter of Lawrence and Genevieve Reynolds of Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, has been named to the Dean's List of Berea College for the term just completed.

To be eligible, a student must maintain a 3.0 average and earn grades of B or better in at least four full-credit courses, the equivalent of 16 semester hours.

**Special Services**

**Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene**  
**Friday, Saturday and Sunday**  
Feb. 7th, 8th and 9th

*The Rev. Melvin Dolores will bring the messages and special singing with the Rev. Melvin and Shirley Hogan.*

Evening services Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m. Sunday School at 10 a.m. and worship service at 11 a.m. on Sunday. Evening services Sunday at 6 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited.

**Pastor: Rev. Charles C. Hurst**

**Robert Moore, Hearing Test Administrator, will be conducting a**

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**Rockcastle County**  
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The information for bidders, form of contract, plans, specifications, and form of bid bond, performance and payment bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following:

**Central Kentucky Design, Inc.**  
1011 Paint Lick Rd.  
Berea, Ky. 40303  
Phone # (606) 986-8493

**Dodge Construction Statistics**  
2525 Harrodsburg Road  
Lexington, Ky. 40504  
Phone # (606) 223-5564

Copies may be obtained at the office of Central Kentucky Design, Inc. (Architect) located at 1011 Paint Lick Road, Berea, Kentucky upon a non-refundable payment of \$30.00 for each set. A \$10.00 charge will be added for any set mailed.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the information for bidders.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

2-03-92 *Shirley L. Commey, Director*  
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We'll be open beginning Tuesday, February 11, and every Tuesday thereafter (8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.) Our phone number is 1-800-221-7597. Call us anytime.

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# Stella Edwards is Teacher of the Year



The Kentucky Department of Education has recognized excellence in teaching exceptional children with the Stella A. Edwards Special Education Teacher of the Year Award for thirteen years. This award remains one of the highest honors available to Kentucky's teachers of students with disabilities.

Each district across the state may choose one nominee who will be recognized by the Kentucky Department of Education. Rockcastle County is very fortunate to have quality teachers of exceptional education.

This year's, 1991-92, Stella A. Edwards nominee is Ms. Susan Reed. Ms. Reed is our TMR teacher at Mt. Vernon Elementary. This is her third year in the county. She holds degrees from Berea College and Eastern Kentucky University. Ms. Reed

teaches daily living skills, functional skills, survival skills, and has worked very diligently to set up a community-based instruction program.

We would, also, like to recognize the 1990-91 Stella A. Edwards nominee, who was not publicly recognized last year. The 1990-91 nominee was Ms. Janice Davidson. Ms. Davidson is a primary EMH teacher at Mt. Vernon Elementary School. She has taught in the county for nine years. Ms. Davidson holds a BA, Rank II, and Rank I from Eastern Kentucky University. She has helped for several years with Special Olympics. Her greatest joy comes from teaching her students to read and to feel good about themselves.

Congratulations to both of these exceptional teachers for their dedication and commitment to the children of Rockcastle County!

Ms. Susan Reed, Shelby Reynolds, John Hale and Ms. Janice Davidson assist two students with their assignment.

## Six from here student teaching

Six Rockcastle County students at Eastern Kentucky University are among 270 teacher-education students doing student teaching this spring semester. They are: David W. Owens, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon, Madison Central High; Troy Taylor, Rt. 1, Brodhead, Pulaski County High; Melissa C. Singleton; Mt. Vernon, Pulaski County High; Audrey Tanya Parrett, Rt. 1, Brodhead, Mt. Vernon Elementary; Bruce Blanton, Rt. 1, Brodhead, Model Laboratory, Richmond, and Nicholasville Elementary; Johnnie A. Coffey, Wilde, Mt. Vernon Elementary.

advantage of gaining practical classroom experience at Model Laboratory School, the only university-operated laboratory school in Kentucky. It is designed to provide educational experiences for future teachers that might otherwise be unavailable.

Most of the student teachers, 150, are working at the secondary level. Others are teaching in elementary classrooms, and several are assigned to special education classrooms, Rush said.

Eastern is the state's largest producer of classroom teachers. In fact, a recent survey by the American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education (AACTE) ranked EKU among the nation's 20 leading producers of new classroom teachers.

The success of our program is based on high admission standards, a dedicated faculty, and a course of study that combines strong content and methodology courses with practical experience at the laboratory school before our students student-teach, said Dr. Kenneth Henson, dean of EKU's College of Education.

"We believe our students are well-prepared to be outstanding teachers," Rush said.

EKU students preparing for teaching careers also have the unique

movie on drugs written by Rissie Griffin.

## "Mt. Vernon Message"

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Mrs. Maples' students are writing their own mystery stories. They are also learning to use encyclopedias to do research on various animals.

Mrs. Cameron's class has been doing art projects about Lincoln and Washington. Their students of the week are Chris Glen Baker and Heather Kirby. Last Friday, they had a food tasting party as a part of their study of good nutritional foods.

Mrs. Vanzant's students of the week are Matthew Miller and Janelle Jones.

Mrs. Adams' students of the week are Scotty Van Winkle and Andy Hensley. Her class has been learning how to boil eggs, and practicing life skills.

Mrs. Ford's class also did an art activity. They wrote paper pictures of Lincoln or Washington. The students of the week are Jessica Owens and Ter Cromer.

Mrs. Renner, Mrs. Clontz, and Mrs. DeBorke's classes are learning what 100 actually is. Each student brought 100 items to school to count. They also celebrated 100 days of school by making a circle of 100 people on the playground.

**4th grade news**

The 4th grade at Mt. Vernon Elementary School has just completed their annual St. Jude's Math-a-thon program. It was a huge success! The largest donation was submitted by Angie Ford from Clark's home. Angie collected \$251. The total donation from the 4th grade was \$1327.84.

The money will be sent to St. Jude's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee to help provide medical care to children with diseases.

Mrs. Kincaid's class has been studying about the four middle colonies in Social Studies. The Pennsylvania Dutch people decorated their barns with large, brightly colored designs inside of circles. These were called Hex signs. The students in this class made some Hex signs as a Social studies assignment.

We are starting on our 4-H Variety Show Act, and we also are going to start studying about geometric shapes in Math.

Mr. Napier's 5th grade class is doing a sink or float program for the next seven days. They'll be finding out what objects sink or float.

They will construct boats of clay and have a contest to see whose boat can hold the most produce. They will also produce their first

movie on drugs written by Rissie Griffin.

**6th McKinley and Alexander**

We're very proud of our Reflections winners! Jennifer Singleton got an Honorable Mention in Visual Arts, Josh Bray won 1st in Music and Miranda Philbeck got Honorable Mention. In Literature we really did well with Heather Bray taking 1st, Josh Bray 2nd and Wayne Powell 3rd. We also did pretty good in Photography with Crystal Carpenter in 2nd place and Cory Bailey, 3rd. Jason McFerron, Jason Denney and Phillip McLemore were all Honorable Mentions. All these people's work was sent to Somerset for District judging.

Ms. Shannon Bales' 6th grade. We are continuing to enjoy all the good things associated with perfect attendance. We are going to Dairy Mart on Tuesday and to Pizza Hut on Thursday. We are trying to get 6th grade to win the annual class attendance trip. We need help so we will all get to go.

We are looking forward to the 4-H Variety Show at Brodhead. We have great and always have a lot of fun with this project. Several of our class members have finished 4-H project books. We are waiting for new ones to arrive.

We are very proud of those 6th graders who won in the school-wide judging of the "Reflections" contest. Every member of both classes entered something. Many students had several entries in various categories. Our winners were: Cherie McHarigan, 1st place; Jennifer Singleton, 2nd place; and Stacey Scott, Renner, 3rd place. Students Scott, Renner, 3rd place-English Composition-Dreama Plummer. Honorable mention for the Future Problem Solving Team-Quick Recall team, and all other students who participated.

**8A - American History - Studying the Constitution**

8B - English - We're writing brochures to be used for our "Students of the Week."

Mrs. Parsons' Social Studies classes have been watching the movie, "George Washington" and learning about the Revolutionary War.

## Tiger Pause

We would like to extend congratulations to the Roundstone Eagles' win of the District Governor's Cup. Our academic team won first place in the 1991-92 Regional Division of the Solving, Individual winners were Chris Arch Bradley (Social Studies and Science), Angela Blanton (Language Arts), and Chance Potter (Science). Roundstone and Brodhead will compete in the Regional Division in Whitley County, Feb. 14 and 15. Good luck, Tigers!

We would like to thank Ms. Regina Burton for all of the extra time given in preparation for the competition. KAD, OS to Mr. Bradley, Mrs. and Mrs. Daina Thompson, Mrs. Onna Kay Owens, Ms. Molly Ham and Kevin Robinson for their help. Also, a BIG special thanks to our luncheon personnel, Bobby Taylor (Tart for food donation) and Dairy Mart for food donation preparation.

Our teachers continue their professional growth through participation in staff development. The Textbook Committee, which consist of Mrs. Kathy Dyeboch, Mrs. Kathy Reynolds, and Ms. Tammy Napier, will review reading materials from various publishing representatives at EKU, Thurs., Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>

Friday, Feb. 7, Mrs. Jeleta Bradshaw, Mrs. Jeannine Pagons, and Mrs. Daina Thompson will attend a meeting of Primary teachers. These teachers will be helping develop a county-wide primary format.

Mrs. Rita Shaffer's kindergarten classes constructed a beautiful paper quilt while studying the problem and initial sound of the letter "Q". The quilt adorns the hallway wall for all to appreciate.

Thirty of our eighth graders were randomly selected to participate in the 1992 National Assessment of Educational Progress. This national activity keeps parents and citizens abreast of the knowledge, skills, and attitudes of young Americans and the subjects they are taught in school.

Spring winners for each classroom 4-8 were: Jonathan Bishop, Joel Deatherage, Jeremy Reynolds, Brenda Daniels, Christina Crawford, Shannon Hess, Josh McKibben, Kevin Kelvalch, Jonathan Pop; Amy Scoggin, Randy Hastey, Korr, Lowell, and Anna Hulker. Next week the grade winners and finally the school winner will be chosen. This winner will represent our school at the District level, Thursday, Feb. 13 at the Board of Education in Mt. Vernon.

**Students honored**

Six students from Rockcastle County have been honored for being among the best academic students at the University of Kentucky in Lexington.

The students were named to the 1991 fall semester dean's list for having outstanding grades. They are: Charles Edward Milk, Chemical engineering, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon; Leslie A. Norton, history, Mt. Vernon; Alan S. Purcell, Political science, Brodhead; Allison Soper, Topical Major, Mt. Vernon; Jason Dick Wilson, Mathematics education, Mt. Vernon; and Cindy I. Whate, Science education, Mt. Vernon.

UK's enrollment statewide is a record-high of over 70,000 students this year, with 24,000 on the Lexington campus and 46,000 in the Community College System.

UK also recorded another milestone with the enrollment of 481 National Merit scholars in the 1991 freshman class - nearly double the number enrolled last year and four times the number enrolled two years ago.

## Reading in Mall set for Feb. 8!

A "Reading in the Mall Day" will be sponsored by the Jesse Stuart Council of the International Reading Association for students, teachers and parents.

Planned is a day to celebrate the love a child has for reading throughout his/her lifetime. It will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Feb. 8 at the Richmond Mall.

This "Reading in the Mall" program is a unique community involvement program commending children's reading. It provides a showcase for local school talent in reading and includes not only exhibits of students' work and community resources, but also a "write-your-own-book" center.

Mayor Ann Durham will proclaim Saturday, February 8, as "Reading in the Mall Day" at 10 a.m. A parade of storybook characters will be presented at 11 a.m. Pre-school through eighth graders may dress as their favorite storybook character and parade around stage.

Participants will receive a balloon certificate, and book. Door prizes will be given away. People of all ages will enjoy listening to professional storytellers Mona Mowbray, Dr. Odelle Hill, John Ramsay and Marian Bauer. They also character, Ahelia Bedelia, will also be on hand to entertain everyone.

Schools from the following counties will be participating in the events planned: Madison, Clark, Estill, Garrard, Jackson, and Rockcastle. All parents are cordially invited to bring their children to the Richmond Mall for this special day.

**Rockcastle County Elementary Schools MENU**

February 10 - 14, 1992

**Breakfast**

Monday: Breakfast pizza, juice, milk

Tuesday: Cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk

Wednesday: Ham biscuit, juice, milk

Thursday: Peanut butter/jelly sandwich

Friday: Sausage/gravy, biscuit, juice, milk

**Lunch**

Monday: Baked ham, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, milk, cookie

Tuesday: Hot dog or chili dog on bun, french fries, cole slaw, milk, peanut cluster

Wednesday: Chili and sandwich, crackers, vegetable sticks, milk, mixed fruit

Thursday: Pizza, green beans, buttered corn, milk, fruit

Friday: Breaded chicken, whipped potatoes, buttered peas, roll, milk, fantasia

**Rockcastle County High School MENU**

February 10 - 14, 1992

**Breakfast will be served each day.**

Monday: Chef salad or baked ham, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, milk, choice of offered desserts

Tuesday: Chef salad or pizza, buttered corn, garden salad, milk, choice of offered desserts

Wednesday: Chef salad or chili and sandwich, crackers, vegetable sticks, milk, choice of offered desserts

Thursday: Chef salad or burger on bun, french fries, lettuce and pickles, milk, choice of offered desserts

Friday: Chef salad or chicken "N" vittles and cheese wedge, potato sticks, cole slaw, milk, choice of offered desserts

## Rockcastle Champions, after school club formed by residents

by Laura Mize

With the knowledge that children are the future of our community, local residents have formed an after school youth organization called Rockcastle Champions.

The Rockcastle Champions, with funding through Title V, will form a network of after school activities for children in grades 3-8.

According to coordinator, Ginny Gilpatrick, the program is designed to decrease the likelihood that youth will turn to drugs and other dysfunctional behaviors. She stated that major principles will be instilled in the children, including responsibility, goal-setting, decision-making, and development of self-confidence.

A workshop was held to train the participants in how to effectively offer an entertaining activity for the children. A total of 21 people attended the training, including parents, school personnel, and other residents. Each person specializes in one activity and those activities include fabric crafts, photography, clogging, karate, drama, choreography, environmental procedures, creative writing, wood working and meal planning.

Groups will meet at each elementary school after school for grades 3-6, and junior high students will use the teen center. Students in grades 6-8 will be bused in from elementary school and transportation will be provided home at 4:45 Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Christian Appalachian Project will be providing the transportation home and has been an exclusive sponsor. The Teen Center to the Rockcastle Champions Club on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The center will be closed to youth who are not in the club on those days.

Activity leaders include Marketa McKink, Catrina Ferguson, Michael Durkin, Jim Maxwell, Geraldine Anglin, Helen Albright, Wanda Carroll, Marlene Miller, Bonnie Wynne-Annette Hines, Tammy Howard, Jana McClure, Margaret Burton, Alejo Bond, and Sherry Bay.

The after school activities will begin February 18, and flyers will be distributed at each school next week. Parents are urged to return them as soon as possible because participation in some groups may be limited, and

applications are accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

"This project is a wonderful collaboration of community services," said Gilpatrick. "Hope is that ground-work laid this year will lead to an even larger network of programs next year."

Maxwell utilizes recycling skills for Rockcastle Champions Club. In the age of environmental consciousness, recycling is the key to retaining healthy surroundings. Other than separating home refuse, the majority of us tend to forget that there are other ways to recycle.

Jim Maxwell of Paint Lick, has derived such a method of recycling that makes one envious of his ingenuity.

Having worked as a log home contractor, Jim knew first hand of the waste involved in wood works. Then his knowledge expanded in his conscience as he became concerned with the amount of discarded wood while renovating a house of his own.

Maxwell utilizes the waste by creating birdhouses, squirrel feeders, bookcases, shutters, and other items.

"This isn't going to solve the problem of wood waste," he said, "but at least we're trying to make a dent. More importantly it is setting an example."

Getting an example is just what he does. Last year, Maxwell created a non-profit organization called Silver Hammer Workshops to encourage the reuse of waste such as wood.

He has become a well known face at many area schools as he performs assemblies to demonstrate his conviction to the environment.

First, he sets and exemplify picking up garbage he has strewn throughout the gymnasium. Then, when the students are finished, he makes a product out of the wood before the audience.

Rockcastle Champions is fortunate to have Jim Maxwell as one of the activity leaders for the newly established after school activities club.

A veteran example setter, Maxwell has agreed to participate in the Rockcastle Champions program as a weekly activity leader.

"We feel fortunate to have Jim as one of our leaders," stated Ginny Gilpatrick, coordinator. "He has a proven track record of success with children."

## Livingston Link

LES wants to congratulate all students that participated in the Governors Cup competition hosted by LES. A special congratulations to Roundstone 1st Place, Brodhead, 2nd place. Coaches: Michael Roark, LES; Ms. Beverly Owens, R.E.S.; Ms. Regina Burton, B.E.S.; and Ms. Debbie Abney, MVES, put much time and effort into preparing Rockcastle County students for this event. We appreciate these people and their contributions.

We continue to encourage parents to get involved in their child's education. If you could volunteer some time to assist in the Rockcastle County, we would appreciate it. We are Deborah Cummins, Guidance Counselor. We appreciate the support many parents offer for Livingston Elementary.

Eighth grade winners of the Recycling Contest sponsored by CVADD to Australia ready for the classes to use.

We have also finished reading a total of fifteen books for Chapter 1.

Victoria Arnold and Patricia Martin attended a computer workshop at Mt. Vernon Elementary School dealing with ExpressPublisher. They learned to create a document with two or more columns. We also learned to import pictures to make the document more interesting. Each participant left the workshop with a laser printed document created by them. We hope to be able to use what we learned in the classes to use.

In the Library we have been enjoying our many new books. All the students are very excited to have so many new titles. We have many new fiction as well as non-fiction titles.

We are busy getting materials about Australia ready for the classes to use.

We have videos about Australia's children, the unique animals as well as a travel video about the whole country. During Library, the fourth graders at LES are viewing the program, "Australia and Taiwan" and students are helping with their reference skills. They can't wait to see the next episode.

On Friday, Feb. 7, Mrs. Peggy McClure, Ms. Paula Phillips and Jerry Milk will attend the Primary School Local Institute. The main focus for

the morning session will be professional development. The afternoon session will include formulating a draft, Primary Plan for our district.

On Tuesday, Feb. 11, Mrs. Betty Jo McKinney will visit primary classes to share some very interesting and personal experiences about Australia. We feel privileged to have Mrs. McKinney share with our students.

Classroom winners for the Courier Journal Spelling Bee contest are 3rd Melissa Isaacs, Carissa Settles, 4th Christina Mahaffey, 5th Brady Hayes, 6th Jessica Roudree, 7th Tahya Wagers and 8th Eldon Brown. These students competed Tues., Feb. 4 for the L.E.S. school winner, Eldon Brown is LES winner! Congratulations!

On Saturday, Feb. 8, Sharon Hensley and Kyle Kirby will take the A.C.T. Sharon and Kyle qualified for the event, by meeting criteria from the CTBSA. We are very proud of Sharon and Kyle.

Many plans for Self-Esteem in March are underway. More on this later.

**Local students receive "Dean's Award" for fall semester at EKU**

Five Rockcastle County residents are among 197 students at Eastern Kentucky University to receive the Dean's Award for fall semester study. They are: Cynthia Taylor Anderklin, elementary education; Sonya M. Bullock, business education; Susan R. Coffey, elementary education; Mark A. McKinney, music merchandising; Audrey Tanya Parrett, elementary education.

To earn the Dean's Award, students must have achieved Dean's list honors at EKU for these semesters, not necessarily consecutive.

The lapel pin award is presented to students by the dean of their academic college, according to Jill Alliger, EKU registrar. "Achieving the Dean's List three times is a significant accomplishment."

To achieve Dean's List honors at EKU, students attempting 14 or more credit hours must earn a 3.5 grade point average out of a possible 4.0. Students attempting 13 credit hours must earn a 3.75 GPA, and students attempting 12 credit hours must earn a 3.75 GPA.

During the fall semester, 1,175 students qualified for the Dean's List at EKU. About 17 percent of that number also qualified for the Dean's Award.

## Poet's Corner

### "Things That Remind Us of You"

By: Debbie Childress

When we look at the sun  
That shines in the skies.  
We see a big brightness  
That came from your eyes.

When we see a lovely rose  
That stands so precious and tall.  
We see that warmly hug  
You gave us one and all.

When we look out at night  
We see the stars in place.  
It reminds us of that sparkle smile  
You wore upon your face.

Everyday that goes by  
No matter what we do.  
All of these good things  
Will always remind us of you.

I guess it will be old memories  
That will always get us through.  
We all lost the dearest friend  
When God came and took you.

"This poem is in loving memory" of a fine young man that everyone loved. Earnie Hamm, passed away, January 30, 1991 at the age of 25. He is dearly missed by his family "and friends."

The following poems were submitted by Bill Wells, P.O. Box 307, Nobleton, Fla. 34661 and written by a 13 year old, Dee Dee Thompson, who lost her father.

#### Death

Death is so hard  
But yet so real.  
I don't know why people have to die  
If it is so natural why do I cry?  
The feeling of numbness is like  
a cut thumb,  
But the being alone is hard to overcome.  
I miss you, dad.

#### Always Yesterday

You've always been so near  
You're the first to hear  
When I shed a tear.  
You're the one who keeps my days  
passing by.  
You make my spirit feel like a kite  
flying high.  
You were the first one I loved,  
I guess you will be the one I'll  
Always remember.  
If all this is so,  
Why do I feel you want to let go?  
To leave me here is like a fawn  
Would be left by its mother deer.  
The times we spent together may  
seem forgotten  
But to me they will be like yesterday.

#### Days Passing

As days go by I wonder why for you,  
As long as love is true,  
And the sky is blue,  
I will always love you!!!

#### You

You keep a smile on my face,  
You make me tingle from your  
slightest touch or embrace.  
You are always there to talk to me,  
I suppose that is why, when things  
get tough you never run or flee.  
You always have some spark of  
hope even when I feel I can no  
long cope.  
You are here for me each and  
every day.  
To help in the slightest most possible  
way  
You make me feel like I'm the one for  
you.  
An that is why this relationship  
will never be through.

#### A Friend

I stood by you,  
I listened to your problems.  
I prayed for you.  
I could even read your mind.  
I helped you out when I felt I could  
I always confided in you as a  
friend should.  
So when you are feeling blue,  
just sit and think of me and you.  
And remember I will be with you  
until the very end.

### Masterpiece Theatre Continues the Story of Titmuss

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### Sue Bennett to perform Arsenic and Old Lace

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chopathic and has been chased all  
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Sutton, Brian Eliza, Eric Garrison,  
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Mark Felts, Josh Grubb, Tom Weath-  
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C.C. Kinnison and Vic Waggoner.  
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# Supreme Court to decide fate of murder trial

By Tom Moore

Excluding evidence about missing guns, romantic affairs and alleged police misconduct prompted defense attorneys to ask the state Supreme Court to remove Circuit Judge Robert Jackson from the trial of a man accused of killing a Stanford police officer last year.

The murder trial in Nicholasville of Thomas Wade Watkins was postponed for a third time Tuesday as attorneys for the accused murderer of Stanford Patrolman Gary Kidwell attempted to get a new judge assigned to the case.

The attempt to remove Jackson followed a day-long series of hearings Monday where rulings by Jackson apparently cut the legs out from the defense's plan to show that Watkins may have acted in self-defense.

The rulings excluding certain evidence from the trial so changed the strategy planned for Watkins' defense, that attorneys were scrambling to prepare a new tack. The change was evident when they had a subpoena issued for Kidwell's widow, Sue Kidwell Miller, to testify for the defense.

Watkins, 33, faces the death penalty if found guilty of the killing of Kidwell on Jan. 20, 1991 after the patrolman and Sgt. Bobby Durham stopped him in what was described at the time as a routine traffic stop. Watkins allegedly ran a stop sign at Goshen Road and John Street.

On Monday, Jackson approved requests by Commonwealth Attorney Thomas Lockridge to exclude evidence from the trial that they have given credence to a self-defense claim.

Jackson agreed with Lockridge that evidence that Kidwell customarily carried more than one gun was "a collateral issue" without direct bearing on the case.

The other gun or guns, 25 caliber handguns were not found at the scene of the shooting and have not turned up since, despite the inquiries of Kidwell's family.

Mrs. Miller signed a statement that her late husband never left the house

without the two .25 caliber handguns.

The petition to the Supreme Court quoted Kidwell's widow as saying that she had asked State Police Detective Kenneth Ball and Durham about the guns and she was told to "be quiet about the guns and not ask about them again."

Kidwell had ammunition for a .25 caliber pistol as well as ammunition.

Ball acknowledged that he had told Mrs. Miller and her daughter, Kimberly Kidwell Maggard, not to ask about the missing guns "as Watkins might learn of the inquiry and tailor some type of story around an additional weapon that had not been an issue in the shooting."

Jackson said that barring evidence of other guns would not negate a self-defense argument.

"It is also noted of record that the claim of self defense relates to the shooting by and between Officer Durham and the defendant and not with the victim," Jackson wrote.

In his affidavit to the Supreme Court, Watkins said that using the missing gun information in his trial would have reflected on the reliability and credibility of Durham and Ball and their investigation of the shooting, the issue of whether additional weapons were on the scene and, if so, why they were removed.

After the ruling on the guns, Kidwell's widow, Sue, was served with a subpoena to testify for the defense. She had to be reviewed with smelling salts.

The judge, also at the request of the prosecutor, prohibited any evidence of a romantic affair between Durham and Phyllis Henshaw, who still could be called as a witness in the case.

The defense, using the affidavit, wanted to attempt to impeach Durham's credibility, since he has given "inconsistent statements" about why he was riding with Kidwell that night despite being off-duty. The affidavit to the Supreme Court said that Durham made no mention of his relationship with Ms. Henshaw for a month into the investigation.

Also barred from evidence will be

any mention of a complaint over rough police tactics filed by Melba Harris, an acquaintance of Watkins, against State Police Detective Kenneth Ball and Stanford Police Officer Keith Middleton.

Ball filed charges against Harris early in the investigation, charging she was abusive and uncooperative in the investigation of Watkins' death. Those charges were dropped and Harris tried to swear a warrant for Ball and Middleton, charging them with abusive tactics. A summons was issued last month on the charge but has not been served on Ball. Middleton was served with the summons but no court date has been set.

## Supreme Court will rule on Jackson this week

Other evidence Jackson refused to permit included threats made by Watkins against Durham and Middleton after they arrested him in December 1990 and testimony relating to Kidwell's church attendance.

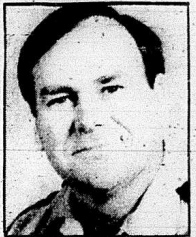
After the evidence rulings, defense attorneys renewed their request that Jackson "rescue" himself from the case. The judge earlier had refused to remove himself from the case out when the defense requested it based on his past career as a police officer.

Allison Connelly, one of Watkins three defense attorneys, said the new

request to have Jackson removed was filed with Kentucky Supreme Court. It renews the request based on Jackson's former career as a policeman and in light of the rulings he made Monday.

"We're doing everything to get a fair trial for our client," Connelly said.

Prosecutor Lockridge said he was disappointed that the trial has been delayed in starting. Lockridge himself was the object of one defense motion to be removed from the case because he also might be called as a witness for Watkins based on his interviews with the Kidwell family.



## Felty still in pain during Kidwell's murder trial

By Mike French

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God." Matthew 5:9.

One year ago last week, Officer Gary Kidwell pulled over a car for running a stop sign in Staunton. The routine stop should have taken only a few moments and Kidwell would have soon been home with his wife, his son and his newborn child.

However, the driver of the car pulled a gun and shot Kidwell, killing him instantly.

One year later, to the minute, Kidwell's family sits in a courtroom in Jessamine County staring at Thomas Wade Watkins, who is accused of killing the officer.

One of the many who are affected daily by the misfortune is Vicki Felty who is the sister-in-law of Kidwell. Vicki lives in Berea and like most everyone in this quiet, comfortable town, she felt that such violence would never affect her family.

"I was always sad to hear about such things like the useless death of an officer. But, I didn't know what it felt like until it happened to me. It can happen to anyone. This kind of senseless killing can destroy a family in the blinking of an eye. Not only an officer died that day, but a man...a good man," she said.

Felty sits often in her comfortable home on South Dogwood Drive and looks at year-old photographs of her

brother-in-law with his wife and child.

"Something has to be done. I was sitting in my chair reading in the Berea Citizen about the officer who had a gun pulled on him last week. At that very moment, a news break came on the television about the sheriff and deputy who had been shot and killed."

"I had been sitting quietly for a year, like everyone always does. Trying to get over the grief. But I realized that someone has to do something."

"I don't know what we can do to stop this nonsense, but I know something needs to be done. Good honest men are being killed for nothing. Entire families are being destroyed. Someone needs to ask people to please... please stop doing this," she said.

Felty feels that perhaps a story in the local paper about her feelings, may help people to realize that the officers are people. They have families, they live lives, they matter. "It may not help much, but maybe some bad person will read this and think a little about it before he picks up a gun," she said.

Felty is not happy with the judicial system either.

"I haven't heard Watkins' story yet so I'm trying very hard not to hate this man. But, something is wrong with the system. It says that you don't have rights until you commit a crime," she said.

Felty said she is disappointed that the jury is not allowed to know of Watkins' criminal history.

"The jury can take it into consideration if a person has never been in trouble. But, when someone has a record like this man, the jury is not allowed to know about it."

"His sins in jail, his many crimes and his long record should also be taken into consideration by the jury. It tells you a lot about his character," she said.

Most importantly, Felty wants the public to know that these are not just police officers. She wants everyone to realize that these are not stories on the news about names with no faces.

"Gary was a loved man. He didn't get to see his son graduate from middle school. He will never be able to watch his child grow. Why are such things going on?" she said.

Felty says that every year in Frankfort there is a memorial service honoring those in uniform who have died in the past ten years.

"The memorial service is a special time. There are a lot of people who have lost loved ones because of this kind of thing," she said.

Felty says she doesn't expect to change the world with her story, but she feels that it must be told.

"I know I'm just one person and this story may not help anything. But, right now, it's all that I know to do, and someone has to do something."

she said.

Felty will be in attendance throughout the trial and she said this experience is one of the most difficult things about the incident.

"I really feel sorry for the families of the sheriff and deputy who were shot this week. I know that they will not sleep or eat for quite some time. I know of the tears they will cry and the heartbreak that can't be repaired."

"But most importantly, I know the worst may be yet to come for them. The death of their family member is a tragic thing. But it may be even more painful to watch the man that did this as the attorneys spend days telling everyone what a good boy the shooter is. And how the shooter shouldn't have to spend his life in jail," she said.

Felty said even with a guilty verdict, justice may not be served.

"The terms are very misleading. Life in prison means you can be a free man in about 13 years. I have to wonder how free Gary will be in 13 years," she said.

Felty wants the people of Berea to know that such incidents are not confined to other towns.

"People need to know that even though such activity really doesn't happen in Berea, it could at any time. And even if it never does, Berea people travel to other areas all the time. It could still affect Berea families," she said.

As the interview concluded, Felty gathered up her photos and newsclippings and hung her head.

In a soft, quivery voice she said, "Just tell everybody to please stop killing people."

## Blevins is Rockcastle's new State Senator in 27th

By Ray McClure

State Senator Walter Blevins Jr., newly elected senator of the 27th Senatorial District, that now includes Rockcastle, paid a visit to the county last week.

It was the senator's first visit to the county since he was elected to fill the vacant seat of Woody May, who resigned.

Blevins, who is from West Liberty, will serve 11 counties in the 27th District until December, and longer if re-elected. He is unopposed in the May Democratic primary election.

A personable man, he was a state representative for the past 10 years. During that time he served on the Transportation, State Government, Health and Welfare committees. He

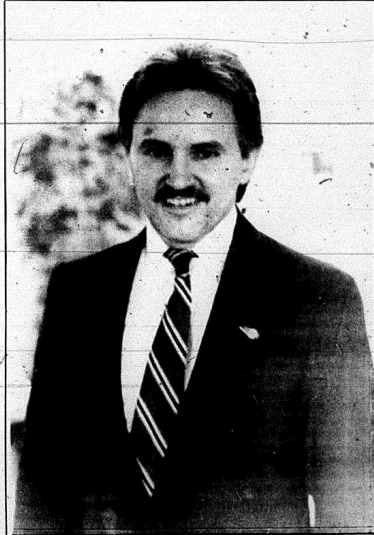
was accompanied to Rockcastle by administrative assistant, George Davis.

He had coffee and vokes with several people in Mt. Vernon and went from place to place shaking hands and introducing himself.

Blevins is 41, and is a dentist. He and his wife Carla, are the parents of Kristin, 9, and twins, Lacy and Leah.

In a special election Blevins defeated his Republican opponent Richard White, 6343 to 3024. Of the counties he lost only Lee and Owsley.

He replaces Sen. John Rogers who is now in the 15th Senatorial District which includes Pulaski and Whitley. Blevins must still run for May's unexpired term against either White or Pete Frye of Campton who oppose each other in the May Republican primary.



State Senator Walter Blevins Jr.

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# Sports

## Rockets win one, lose one; move to 10-7 on the year

Whitley County made 28 of 43 free-throws Friday night which proved to be the demise of the Rockcastle County Rockets, as they went on to defeat them, 86-81.

To make things worse, the Rockets outscored the Cardinals 20 points from the field. Lopsided? Maybe. The Rockets were whistled for 31 fouls and the Cardinals, 14.

"A team is supposed to get calls like that on the road, not at home," head coach David Perkins said.

But, the Rockets didn't help themselves much either. After letting the

Cardinals jump out to a 22-4 lead at the end of the first quarter, this deficit proved to be just too much for the Rockets to overcome.

"The first quarter killed us, we outscored the Cardinals 13 points the rest of the game," Perkins said.

The Rockets fought back, behind aggressive defense and streak shooting, in the second quarter and outscored the Cardinals, 28-18, to cut their lead to eight, 40-32, at the half.

The Rockets were never able to catch up with the Cardinals in the second half, mainly because the

Cardinals were staying on the free-throw line, and were down by seven at the end of the third quarter, 59-52.

Micah Parkerson scored 10 of his 16 points in the fourth quarter but it wasn't enough as the Rockets never could catch up for the final score of 86-81.

Mikhael Shaffer came off the bench to give the Rockets a lift scoring 12 points in the losing effort.

Mike Durham had a good night in the middle scoring 16 points and grabbing 13 rebounds.

Scoring for the Rockets were: William Bullens, 20; Mike Durham, 16; Micah Parkerson, 10; Mikhael Shaffer, 12; Chris Newland, 7; Corey Craig, 6; Kevin Mullins, 2.

The Rockets got a big win last Tuesday night as they traveled to Madison Southern and came away with the victory, 69-54.

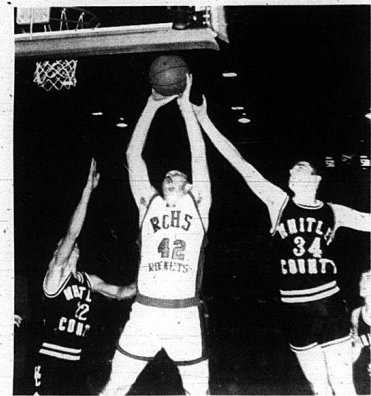
"Our whole team played really good," coach Perkins said, "we really went out and hustled and I think they really wanted this win," he added. Southern wasn't able to key on any one Rocket as they had four men in double figures, William Bullens, Mike Durham, Micah Parkerson and Corey Craig.

The Rockets took a seven point lead at the end of the first quarter, 19-12 and had a bigger lead 33-20 at the half.

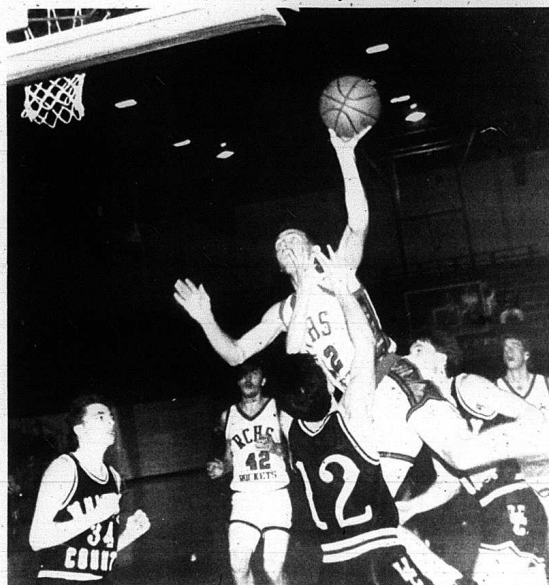
Southern fought back in the second half but it wasn't enough as the Rockets held on to their lead for the final score of 69-54.

Scoring for the Rockets were: William Bullens, 21; Mike Durham, 16; Micah Parkerson, 15; Corey Craig, 10; Mikhael Shaffer, 6; Kevin Mullins, 1.

The Rockets traveled to Jackson



Rocket's forward Mike Durham earned respect underneath the basket against Whitley Friday night when he pumped in 16 points.



Chris Newland works inside for the Rockets against Whitley County in last Friday's basketball action at RCHS. Whitley nalled 28 of 43 free-throws to oust the Rockets 86-81.

## Lady Rockets win by one; and lose by three to Mercer

The Rockcastle County Lady Rockets lost another close one Monday night as they traveled to Mercer County and were defeated 51-48 for their 8th loss of the season. In those eight losses, the average margin of victory has been four points, which means the Lady Rockets record doesn't show how good they are, they could easily be 21-0, but, instead they're 13-8.

The Lady Rockets hosted the Berea Pirates last Thursday night and came away with a 49-48 victory for their 13th win of the season.

"These two games were our worst of this season," head coach Christy

Beaver said, "we just went out, stood, and made silly turnovers," she added.

Mercer County hit a free throw with .03 seconds left to give the Scotties a three point lead and the game, as the Lady Rockets weren't able to get a shot before time expired for the final score of 51-48.

The Lady Rockets jumped on Mercer County early taking a 14-8 lead at the end of first quarter. But the Scotties came back and outscored the Lady Rockets 18-13 to cut their lead to one, 27-26, at the end of the first half Kristy Sargent, who Coach Beaver felt played a great game with her offense and great hustle, came out

scoring 19 of the Lady Rockets' 27 first half points. The Scotties came back in the second half keeping on Sargent and holding her to only two points.

"Mercer County played a good game, but we made just too many twos" Beaver said, "one person just can't carry the team, we have to have our whole team playing," she added.

The Lady Rockets just couldn't get things going in the second half and were having to play catch-up-ball. Second half the Scotties managed a two point lead, 39-37, at the end of

## Church League drawing near to end; only one week remains

Compiled by: Margaret Offutt

The church basketball league resumed action this past Monday night with the first game of the night facing Scaffold Cane against Teen Challenge. Scaffold Cane won the game, 50-44. Leading Scaffold Cane were Kenny Graves with 24 points and Billy Todd with 13. Teen Challenge was led by Bryan Reed with 23 and Jeff Edwards with 11.

The second game of the night squared off the two Ottawa teams against each other. The game was close all the way with Ottawa Baptist II coming out victorious with a score of 52-44. Leading Ottawa II were Ray Kirby with 15 and Barry Blanton with 12. Dennis Harris had 14 and Jeff Laswell had 11 to lead Ottawa I.

Grace Baptist II was still looking for their first win of the year Monday night when they faced Bible Baptist. Although the game was close all the

way, Bible came out the winner, 59-44. Billy Reynolds' 19 and Jeff Bullock's 13 led Grace II. Leading Bible were David Bryant with 26 and Jeff Vanhook with 15.

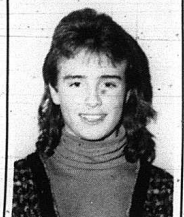
Grace Baptist I continued to win by increasing their record to 7-0.

Grace easily defeated First Baptist II by a score of 80-40. Leading Grace were Scott Parrett with 24 and Danny Offutt with 19. Billy Phillips and David Preston both had 10 to lead

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## Player of the Week



**Kristi Sargent**  
Jan. 30 - Feb. 5  
Sargent was awarded player of week for her performance against Berea and Mercer.

## Tin Wins and Jets are now tied in Rockcastle Bowling League

The Tin Wins and Jet are now tied for first in the Rockcastle Mixed Bowling League with a record of 49-39. NAPA is in second place with a record of 48-40 and the Ten Pins are in third with a record of 45-43.

In action last Thursday night, high team series went to the Top Guns with a 2371. The Tin Wins were second with 2360 and the Jets third with a 2258.

The Tin Wins took high team game with an 821. The Ten Pins and Top Guns were tied for second high with an 816.

High men's series handicap went to Rick Bryant with a 687. Second high went to Dale Winstead with a 600 and Scott Winstead had third high with a 598.

Rick Bryant also took high men's game handicap with a 242. Second high went to Scott Winstead with a 236 and Rick Bryant was third with a 228.

High men's series scratch went to Rick Bryant with a 582. James Noe had second high with a 525 and Dale Winstead third with a 504.

Rick Bryant had high men's game and second high men's game scratch with #207 and 193. James Noe was third with a 188.

High women's series handicap went to Annette Thompson with a 642. Second high went to Virginia Winstead with a 602 and third high to Laverne Winstead with a 596.

Annette Thompson had high women's game handicap with a 230.

Alice Faulkner had second high with a 219 and Virginia Winstead third with a 213.

High women's series scratch went to Annette Thompson with a 498. Jamie Bryant with a 477 and Virginia Winstead was third with a 476.

High women's game scratch went to Annette Thompson with a 230.

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Beth Amyx shoots for two for the Lady Rockets against Mercer County Monday night. Mercer edged the Lady Rockets, 51-48.

## Player of the Week

## Rockets BENCH

Coach Perkins felt his bench deserved this honor for their patience and hard work in practice and their play off the bench.

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