

# Roamin' Rockcastle

BY HILDA PAYNE GABBARD



Here goes for February birthdays - the month of love and Valentines. I hear this is the third holiday when the most greeting cards are sent to folks.

February 4th is my granddaughter, Diana Cornett Bowling's birthday, who lives in Texas. Geneva Gabbard also claims the 4th.

Jewel Davidson, Eugene and Halle Alexander's daughter, lives it up on the 5th with a celebration on the 7th for her daughter, Jenia Jewel (what a pretty name.)

Clyde Linville, Mayor of Scaffold Creek country, has the 12th and says the whole country honors him on his birthday but I suspect it is because it is the birthday of Abraham Lincoln, one of our past presidents.

Nyra Hart says she received many birthday cards and gifts on the 12th also.

April Dawn Cole became 16 on February 9th. What a pretty name and what a wonderful age to be, but Mama says she can't drive yet!

Cousin Roy Lee Abney got real excited on the 18th because he became 39 (Kay told me) and he's only one year away from 40 when "life begins."

Is that when you are going to make whoopee, Lee? Ruth Abney as Disputanta also looks for presents on the 18th.

Nannie Chasteen Shearer will have a special celebration on the 24th at Berea Health Care Center. Read our next week.

Our good friend, Woodrow Gabbard who is a deacon at our church, claims February 27th when he made Ed and Geneva happy by being their son.

I heard Brother Woody ask John if he was being a good husband to me. You see when he became a deacon at Galilee he said he was to help all members.

I asked him to see that John was a good husband (joke) and he agreed. Lewis Linville has a birthday in February but I'm not sure of the date.

While I'm talking of birthdays, let me correct the age of Charlie King on January 25th. He became 95. That's a lot of life.

As we made our visit up Anglin Falls Hollow Road, we traveled across a new bridge built up over Copper Creek.

It took the place of a wooden bridge built several years ago when Jim Anglin (deceased), who became magistrate of that district with the purpose to improve the road.

I wish Jim could see it now, a wide concrete bridge that was built by the county.

Lura Clark was making beautiful

els's business.

Maria said she was going to call the paper about it. She was babysitting with her grandson, Jay Cobb, a healthy little fellow, who was the son of James and Paula Cobb. Paula drives a school bus.

Coming on down Clear Creek, we stopped at John and Mary Harding's home. Mary and daughter in law, Kathy, had gone to Lexington to check on x-rays Kathy had made when she injured her back.

Do you remember my writing about Trenton Duane Harding about three years ago, the grandson of John and Mary who with his parents, Perry and Phyllis Harding, lived there with John and Mary.

I wrote about what a character he was, drinking from a bottle, driving recklessly on Clear Creek. Well, Trenton has entered the first grade now at Roundstone, as 6 year old.

We sat in the Harding's kitchen where a family life takes place. Phyllis was there waiting for Trenton to get off the school bus.

I could hardly believe the time

had passed and we laughed at the things I had written, that Trenton was a terrible character whose family just laughed at the law breaking things he did.

John and Mary saw no wrong in his drinking from a bottle, I had written. The joke was that Trenton drank milk from his bottle speeding through the house on his tricycle. Now, I'll probably have to tell about his chasing girls. At six years old?

Are you learning to make a healthy body and life from the mountain remedies I am giving you - yellow root tea is very good for stomach trouble.

'Til next week: Spring is just around the corner.

## Retired teachers meet Feb. 24th

The Rockcastle County Retired Teachers will meet on Feb. 24, at 3:30 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Library. This is a very important meeting concerning legislative ac-

tivity and matters relating to our insurance coverage. Miss Pearl Miller from Elizabethtown will be the guest speaker. She serves as AARP Vice Chairman Kentucky State Legislative Committee. All retired teachers are urged to attend this important meeting. Roundstone teachers will serve refreshments.

## Hodge deploys to Cuba for humanitarian relief of migrants

Army Spec. James S. Hodge has been deployed to Guantanamo Naval Station, Cuba, to support the U.S. efforts in providing humanitarian assistance and relief to thousands of Haitian migrants.

Hodge is a military police specialist at Fort George G. Meade, Md. He is the son of Capt. P. Regina F. Hodge of Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon. The soldier is a 1989 graduate of Rockcastle County High School.

## Weather...

A total of 1.90 inches of rain has fallen in Rockcastle during February, through Feb. 18.

Only a trace of snow fell, possibly totalling an inch.

The high was 64 on Feb. 4 and 15. The low was 22 on Feb. 9 and 10.

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VIRGINIA MULLIN CHRISTIAN, CHRISTINE MULLINS WHITT, MARY LOU SANDERS and her husband, DONALD MCFERRON SAUNDERS, and HUGH MILLER and wife, ROBERTA ANN MILLER

PLAINTIFFS

VS: NOTICE OF SALE

DORA ANN BOWLING BAKER

DEFENDANT

Pursuant to judgment and order of sale entered in this action on the 4th day of February, 1992, for the purpose of partition jointly owned and indivisible real property, I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

AT THE COURTHOUSE DOOR  
ON FRIDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF MARCH, 1992  
BEGINNING AT THE HOUR OF 10:30 A.M.

said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake in the old county road in the L & N right of way of the tunnel with a hickory pointer; thence N 34 W with old county road 20 poles to a black oak stump on the north side of the road; thence N 52 W 26 poles to a large white oak stump on the north side of the road and on the inside of the fence; thence N 78 W 44 1/2 poles to a stone at the angle of the fence where once stood a mulberry and on the north side of an old road not now used; thence N 15 1/2 W 17 poles and 4 1/2 feet to a poplar and chestnut on the brink of a hill; thence S 59 W 10 poles to a stake in the branch; thence up the branch S 36 W 12 poles to a stone; thence N 70 1/2 W 9 poles to a walnut; thence S 25 W 18 poles to a walnut; thence S 18 W 26 poles and 4 feet to a stone; thence S 11 E 10 poles to a stone by the north side of old county road known as the Casey road; thence S 46 W with an agreed line made by D.G. Bullock and Arthur Payne 16 poles and 10 feet to a sugar tree; thence S 10 W 12 poles to a cedar by the fence in the L & N Railroad right of way; thence with said right of way 131 poles and 63/4 feet to the beginning and contains 33 acres and 54 square rods.

There is excepted and excluded from this conveyance a graveyard consisting of one-half acres more or less, and a right of way to and from the graveyard.

Virginia Mullins Christian, Christine Mullins, Mary Lou Saunders and Hugh Miller each obtained their undivided one-eighth (1/8) interest in the above-described property by the intestate death of Edna Grace McKenzie as evidenced by Affidavit of Descent duly recorded in Deed Book 144, page 198, in the office of the clerk of the Rockcastle county Court, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. Dora Ann Bowling Baker obtained her one-half interest by virtue of the Last Will and Testament of Elsie Bowling, recorded in the office of the clerk of the Laurel County Court, London, Kentucky in Will Book 18, page 529. Edna Grace McKenzie and Elsie Bowling obtained the said property by deed dated January 14, 1984, from Gary R. Cromer, et al, recorded in the office of the clerk of the Rockcastle County Court, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, in Deed Book 121, page 551.

THE PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD UPON THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1. The property shall be sold to the highest bidder(s) for cash or for a deposit of TWENTY (20%) PER CENT of the bid price at the time of the sale and the balance payable THREE (3) MONTHS from the date of the sale, with interest at the rate of TWELVE (12%) percent per annum from date of sale until paid. The purchaser(s) shall be required to execute bond with surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner, for the balance of the purchase price. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve (12%) per cent per annum from date until paid, and to remain and be a lien on said property until fully paid.
2. The purchaser(s) shall have the privilege of paying all of the purchase price in cash or paying the bond before maturity by paying the principal amount thereon, together with all interest accrued thereon to the date of said payment.
3. The purchaser(s) shall pay the 1992 County, State and School taxes on the property.
4. The purchaser(s) shall have possession of the premises upon complying with the terms of sale and risk of loss of improvements shall thereafter be on the purchaser(s).
5. This sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise.
6. Should there be a lien on the property held by the United States, a federal right of redemption shall exist.

ROBERT E. ROBINSON  
Master Commissioner of the  
Rockcastle Circuit Court

### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY 28TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT Civil Action File No. 91-CI-00200-J

MICHAEL MULLINS and wife, DONNA MULLINS

PLAINTIFF

VS: NOTICE OF SALE

FRED MULLINS, TIMOTHY MULLINS, WILLIAM DEAN PONCER and wife, KATHY PONCER, JOHNATHAN PONCER and wife, STACY PONCER, STEPHEN MULLINS, DEBRA LYNN HOOVER, and SALLY PONCER and husband, ROBERT PONCER

DEFENDANTS

Pursuant to judgment and order of sale entered in this action on the 27th day of January, 1992, for the purpose of partition jointly owned and indivisible real property, I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

AT THE COURTHOUSE DOOR  
ON FRIDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF MARCH, 1992  
BEGINNING AT THE HOUR OF 11:00 A.M.

said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

On the waters of Crooked Creek and beginning at a stone where once stood a white oak near the Poplar Gap school house, a corner of Aldridge, now a corner of Ollie Durham; thence with Ollie Durham's line North 61 east passing a gum at 62 poles in all 118 poles to a stone where stood a hickory on top of a ridge, Logan McGuire's corner; thence with his line south 10 1/2 West 40 poles to the gap in a cliff with a pine and chestnut oak pointers; thence with the wire fence South 38 1/2 42 East 25 poles and 9 links to a hickory about 2 poles east of a spring; thence with the wire fence as follows S 25 1/2 W 2 poles 8 links to a chestnut oak, S 18 1/2 W 44 poles to a white oak, Marly McGuire's corner; thence leaving Logan McGuire's and Marly McGuire's line and wire fence S 70 1/2 W 6 poles to a white oak; thence N 84 1/2 W 5 poles and 5 links to a stone by a black oak stump; thence N 88 W 5 poles and 15 links to a white oak; thence N 80 W 3 poles and 21 links to a white oak; thence N 51 W 3 poles and 16 links to a white oak; thence N 55 W passing a walnut at four poles in all 24 poles to a hickory near Dean Mullins' barn; thence N 53 1/2 W 58 poles to the beginning and containing 35 acres.

There is excluded from the above described real property five acres deed to Raymond McGuire dated February 16, 1952, recorded in Deed Book 74, page 542.

There is conveyed grantor's estate which was obtained by Deed of Easement dated January 3, 1976, from Bertha Childress Durham, recorded in Deed Book 124, page 404-405, to which reference is made for a complete description of same.

Michael Mullins, Stephen Mullins, Fred Mullins, Timothy Mullins, William Dean Poncer, Johnathan Poncer and Debra Lynn Poncer, each obtained their undivided one-eighth (1/8) interest in the above-described property by virtue of a deed dated January 27, 1986, executed by Milton Miller, of record in Deed Book 127, page 106. Sally Poncer obtained her undivided one-eighth (1/8) interest by deed dated September 11, 1989, from Marianna Sue Brown, et al, recorded in Deed Book 137, page 684.

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Our neighbor, Arthur Davidson, who likes the wild life since he hunts so much, killed this deer during the season up in Jackson County.

Snowie Nicely, Brother Bill Hammond's grandmother at Sand Hill near Livingston, celebrates on the 22nd. Happy Birthday to a very nice person.

The 23rd of February is important to me for my son, Russell Lee Cornett of Florence came into this world saying, "Where are the girls? I'm going to chase 'em."

quils as always. She seems to have magic fingers since she looks at pictures of quilt designs and draws the design from them that she uses as patterns.

Lura's children, or some of them, came for Sunday dinner. Jim and Ingrid Clark from Somerset, Robert who lives nearby, and some of the grandchildren, Leon, George, Kevin and Stacy. Son, Kenneth and wife Darlane, with Lura's great-grandchild, Justin, came too.

I asked for news of Lloyd and Lura said he, and the Liberation group, had gone to a singing near Nashville.

Then we went down to Marie Cobb Venard's place and stopped to see her. We went in and there was where I had trouble that made me wish the

"Boss" had been along to smooth things over (he's good at that).

Marie said, "Come in. I've been wanting somebody to explain about the Signal and why your column isn't in it every week as we were led to expect. I take both the Signal and the Citizen but now I have to let one go."

I'd rather get the Signal as it has all the county news in it, but I also want to read your column. So I have to make up my mind which one to stop taking.

"Well...er...I don't know either. I began to mumble making excuses. I had just talked to the Boss a day or two before in the Citizen office and he didn't seem to know why my news wasn't regular in the Signal."

Sometimes they have so much news to print, it's hard on them to decide which one, I guess. I told her for I couldn't speak for someone

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Federal-State Market News

## Garrard County Stockyards

Lancaster, Ky.

February 14, 1992

**Cattle:** 2070 For The Week 2221. Compared to Last Week: Slaughter Cows 1.00 lower; Slaughter Bulls 1.00 lower; Feeder Steers 1.00-3.00 higher, most advances on precondition individuals; Feeder Heifers steady to 1.00 higher, Slaughter Calves and Vealers untested.

**Slaughter Cows:** Breaking Utility and Commercial #3-5 47-50, low dressing individuals 43-45; High Custer and Boring Utility #1-3 48-52.75; high dressing individuals 35-55; Cutters #1-2 40-45; Cannors 38-42 under 800 lbs. 29-35.

**Slaughter Bulls:** Yield Grade #1-2 1260-1970 lbs. 78-80 carcass boning percent 64-68; Yield Grade #2 970-1800 lbs. indicating 77-78 carcass boning percent 59-63.25; Yield Grade #3 875-1665 lbs. indicating 74-77 carcass boning percent 55-58.25.

**Feeder Steers:** Medium and Large Frame #1 200-300 lbs. 97-101. Large Frame #1 119-123; 300-400 lbs. 98-104, Large Frame or Thin 107-115; 400-500 lbs. 90-97, Large Frame 101; 500-600 lbs. 82-89.50, Large Frame 90-93; 600-700 lbs. 75-85.95; 700-800 lbs. 73-78.30; 800-900 lbs. 76-77; 900-1000 lbs. 71-20-74.50. Small Frame #1 300-500 lbs. 78-89; 500-700 lbs. 77-83. Medium Frame #2 300-500 lbs. 76-83; 500-700 lbs. 75-77. Large Frame #2 (Holsteins) 200-300 lbs. 96-99; 300-400 lbs. 87-93; 400-500 lbs. 73-80; 500-700 lbs. 68-72. Load 57 head 682 lbs. 71.30; 800-900 lbs. 62-70. Load 47 head 899 lbs. 64.55.

**Feeder Heifers:** Medium and Large Frame #1 200-300 lbs. 105-114; 300-400 lbs. 84-87. Large Frame or Thin 93-100.50; 400-500 lbs. 78-86.50, some 90; 500-600 lbs. 75-81.50. Large Frame 82-85; 600-700 lbs. 75-79; 700-800 lbs. 70-76. Heiferettes \$30-1100 lbs. 65-68. Small Frame #1 300-500 lbs. 71-77; 500-700 lbs. 65-72. Medium Frame #2 300-500 lbs. 71-80; 500-700 lbs. 66-67.

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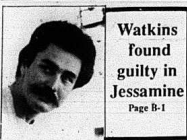
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## New high school will cost \$8.5 million

By: Richard Anderkin

The new Rockcastle County High School will cost an estimated \$5.5 million dollars and many local residents are asking why we need a new high school.

"All of us expected the state to inform us that we needed a middle school after they completed their facility survey, last year," said Rockcastle County Superintendent Bige Towery, Jr.

"But, what they told us was that we needed a new high school which will allow us to use the present high school as a middle school," Towery said.

"If we had taken the other route it would have cost us about a million dollars more than it will now," he said.

According to Towery, if the local board had opted to build a new middle school and renovate the present high school, it would have cost taxpayers about \$9.5 million, compared to the \$5.5 million estimated cost of the new high school.

The state told the local board that if they did not build a new high school they would have to renovate the old one to the tune of about \$3.5 million. A new middle school would have carried a price tag of \$6 million. "We had to have new lab facilities, more classrooms for all of the special programs that have been started under the Kentucky Education Reform Act, and a new library, at the high school" Towery said.

The present high school meets all of the requirements for a middle school and will not have to be renovated.

Once the new high school is completed and grades 6, 7 and 8 have been moved to the high school, all space problems at the present grade schools will be eliminated.

### A small excerpt

## Rockcastle recollections on sale at local businesses

We get our first glimpse of the Great Wilderness that was Kentucky by going back to the coming, in 1750, of the first White man briefly, through his eyes, the dark and gloomy forests, the towering cliffs, the rushing mountain streams, the acres of tree trunks laid low log cabin by white men and, what is more strange, the discovery of log cabins built and lived in temporarily by the Indians, long before the coming of the White man to this part of America. (And we had always thought that the White man introduced the log cabin to Kentucky!) We learn from his Journal of companions injured in an encounter with a bear, of horses bitten by rattlesnakes, of canebreaks which impeded their way, of becoming discouraged

Profile:

**New Rockcastle County High School**

Cost:

**\$8.5 Million**

Size:

**800 students**

Site:

**60 acres on hwy. 461 - Mt. Vernon by-pass across from**

**Rockcastle Industrial Park,**

**owned by Clarence Carter,**

**Sam Ford and Danny Ford.**

**\$600,000 price tag**

Construction:

**Tentatively set to begin October 1, 1992.**

Completion Date:

**April 1, 1994 - ready to open in Fall of 1994.**

Current Status:

**Local board awaiting approval from the state on decision to buy Carter/Ford property.**

By: Ray McClure



Local school officials are waiting to purchase this 60 acre tract of land on Hwy. 461 to begin work on the new school. The price tag on the

property is \$600,000 and the tentative schedule includes beginning construction on October 1.

## Local school money may not be everything that it appears to be

By: Ray McClure

Rockcastle Schools may not be as well off as Gov. Breton Jones' Budget for 1992-93 would have you believe.

The budget lists \$8,683,885 or 6.3 percent over this year and that money indeed will come to the school district.

However, when "pullout" programs are figured in the 5.3 percent basic state funding and 3.7 percent of local money the overall increase is 5.9 percent.

"Confusing? It all has to do with percentages of local money compared to state money."

Rockcastle won't be the only one that has an increase. In one of four school districts across the state there will be no new money.

"They're adjusting to the new reality. There's no new money," Education Commissioner Thomas Boyesen said.

Richie Bray, director of Administrative Services, said "pullout" programs of various kinds that the district has working this year will have to absorb the cost next year.

And, the 6.3 percent is based on Kentucky Department of Education forecasts and some of the forecasting may be off including the assessed valuation of property obtained from the Revenue Cabinet.

"If we get the \$8.6 million it will depend on the average daily attendance," Bray stated. "Last year that was \$2,420 per pupil. I believe this is too rosy a picture."

The district will also have to account for such programs as remediation program, psychology for students, increase in the retirement rate, teacher Medicare, and changes that may be made in transportation and other school housekeeping.

The problem was similar to others across the state.

Calloway County Superintendent Jack Rose said he was burned by overly optimistic predictions last year and feared a repeat.

Superintendents also warned that the drastic decline in state money for school construction will hurt. But not Rockcastle where construction funds

are already available.

Several superintendents said the outlook for local revenue growth was bleaker than portrayed.

## Renfro opens on March 7

For the 53rd year in a row, Renfro Valley opens March 7 with a Saturday night Barn Dance and a Sunday Morning Gatherin'.

There will be all the special events to be held during the year including an Easter Egg Hunt on April 18, a Robo on June 5 and 6 and on Sept. 25 and 26, and clogging competition on May 23 and 24.

The 12th Annual Rockcastle Sreet Ridders Car Show is set for June 7,

and Old Joe Clark Bluegrass Festival July 2 through 4.

The All-night Gospel Sing will be Aug. 1; Talent Roundup on Aug. 15; 'Lasses Makin' and Harvest Craft Festival on Oct. 2, 3, and 4. The Fiddlers Festival will be Nov. 6 and 7.

Many more special events are scheduled.

The one-weekly Barn Dance at 8 p.m. Saturday and the Sunday Morning Gatherin' at 8:30 a.m. Sunday,

will continue through March. In April it will be joined by the Friday Jamboree at 8 p.m. and May through October with a 8 p.m. and May through October with a 8 p.m. Thursday combination as well as Barn Dance at 7 p.m. and Jamboree at 9 p.m. and a 3 p.m. Saturday Mountain Gospel Jubilee.

During November and December there will be one 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday Show. The Gatherin' will be a regular Sunday show at 8:30 a.m.

## Local Fires

A house belonging to Manly McGuire was heavily damaged by a fire Sunday night on Saltpetre Cave Road.

Some furniture and belongings were saved.

There was no report on how the fire started.

A house belonging to Lewis Cromer was destroyed by fire last week between Ky. 461 and Blue Springs.

The house had burned to the ground when Mt. Vernon firemen arrived.

## Tobacco cards

Tobacco marketing cards are used to identify the marketings of burley tobacco produced on farms. The tobacco marketing quota regulations require that the marketing card issued for a farm be returned to the issuing county office following

## Local Police raid

All burley tobacco producers are hereby requested to return the burley tobacco marketing card to the county ASCS office.

The tobacco marketing quota regulations further provide that failure to return the marketing card or to furnish a satisfactory report of disposition shall constitute failure to account for disposition of the tobacco.

This violation will cause a reduction in the quota next established for a farm. The reduction will result in the farms basic quota being reduced to zero (0).

completing of marketings.

Only a trace of snow fell, possibly totalling an inch.

The high was 65 on Feb. 4 and 15.

The low was 22 on Feb. 9 and 10.

Also found was a gallon container partially filled with moonshine.

Mrs. Mullins was cited for transport and selling alcoholic beverages in a local option territory; possession and use of radio that sends and receives police messages and possession of (moonshine) untaxed liquor.

## Rockcastle County Hospital opens new wing



The new respiratory wing of the hospital will add 80 new employees to the staff. Pictured above from left to right are Dana Bullock, WC, Jill Stevens, RD, and Edna Harper, LPN.

By: Laura Mize

After months of planning, construction and detailed interior designing, the new wing of the Rockcastle County Hospital is finally completed.

The new expansion provides additional, needed space which houses ventilator dependent patients.

Dr. Sandra Auvil was hired, along with Dr. Kimberly Cornelius, to oversee the respiratory wing and the administrative duties involved.

According to Dr. Auvil, the expansion concentrates on caring for patients who have been successfully weaned from the machines yet still require long-term care in the hospital.

With an existing staff of 180, the new respiratory wing will provide an additional 80 jobs. Lee Keene, hospital administrator, stated that the overall, current hospital staff is composed of "local folks who live nearby and who spend their money in this county."

Since the expansion provided the space to accommodate more patients, the need for additional staff has in-

turn arisen. Due to the current shortage of technicians, the facility will become fully occupied in phases, until the addition is properly staffed. Mr. Keene hopes to continue the trend of hiring locally when the workers come available. Since the Harry Sparks Vocational School trains students in caring for respiratory patients, those students will be the main source of new employees upon their graduation.

The expansion will consist of 28 beds designated for ventilator dependent patients, most of whom currently remain on a waiting list and reside in acute, or short-term, beds in various hospitals.

The 3.8 million dollar expansion, a fourteen month long construction project, was funded by a mortgage to be paid within 30 years.

Rockcastle County Hospital's respiratory care center is the largest ventilator dependent department in the state, and possibly within all the surrounding states. With such great demand for respiratory care centers, the addition to the local hospital will create a steady flow of opportunity for employment in the county.



Pictured above are Darlene Cromer, PCA, and her patient Connie Collier. Connie is in one of the new rooms that was added to the respiratory center earlier this year.



# County Statistics

## Deeds Recorded

Earl Jr. and Alice Butler, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Phillip and Paulette Humphrey, Tax \$15.50.  
Jackie and Sharon Sigmon, Joyce Faye and Donald Gabbard, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Joyce Faye and Donald Gabbard.  
Herbert and Brenda Faye George, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Mary S. Rogers, Tax \$78.50.  
Velma Stewart and Henry Edward Stewart, real property located near Sand Springs, to Harold and Verla Miller, Tax \$2.50.  
Florence Albright, real property located in Rockcastle, to Lucille Ponder, Tax \$2.00.  
Florence Albright, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Verla Casey, Tax \$5.00.  
Kenneth and Doris Sturgill, real property located on the Rockcastle River in Livingston, to John A. Ouis, Tax \$1.50.  
Lynn and Carla Parsons, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Lovell and Sadie Clinton, Tax \$1.00.  
Coolie and Joyce Ann Wells, real property located in Rockcastle

County, to Coolie and Joyce Ann Wells, No tax.  
Charlie and Anna Isaacs, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jim Isaacs, No tax.  
Jackie and Sharon Sigmon, real property located near Green Hill, to Joyce Faye and Donald Gabbard, Tax \$6.50.  
Michael and Pam Stewart, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Bernard P. and Audrey M. Parcell, Tax \$23.00.  
Ernest E. Bryant, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Juanita S. Cloud and Iris V. Young, Tax \$13.50.  
Lillian Dowell et al., real property located in Rockcastle County, to Samuel C. and Lottie Sayers, Tax \$12.00.  
Martha and Marshall Strouse, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Samuel C. and Lottie Sayers, Tax \$1.00.  
Terry Michael Reynolds and Shirley Katherine Reynolds, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Shirley Katherine Reynolds, No tax.  
Dennis Sturgill, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Dennis Sturgill and Pamela Sue Mason, Tax \$8.00.  
Floyd Miller and Dorothy Miller,

real property located in Rockcastle County, to Dennis Sturgill, Tax \$2.00.  
Cass and Co., real property located near Brodhead, to Alvin and Donna Pigg, Tax \$6.00.

## Marriages

Patricia Ann Durham, 26, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to William Leon Mason, 39, Orlando, Trane Co., February 14, 1992.  
Kimberly Elaine Miller, 17, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Jeffrey Robert Phelps, 19, Mt. Vernon, saw mill worker, February 14, 1992.  
Trina Denise Centers, 24, Berea, Paragale, to Cameron Clay Abney, 29, Richmond, Banker, February 14, 1992.

## Circuit Civil

Doris Jean Farris vs. James Farris, petition for dissolution of marriage. 92-CI-00029.  
Lynda Kristina Koliene Rogers vs. Jimmy Brady Rogers, motion for temporary custody and support. 92-CI-00030.  
Commonwealth of Kentucky, ex rel. Donald Adams vs. Lenora Gampier Adams, complaint for child support. 92-CI-00031.  
Commonwealth of Kentucky, ex rel. Loretta Marler vs. James S. Bradley, complaint for child support. 92-CI-00032.

## District

EKU Perkiel Loan vs. Patricia Brandenburg, \$1,285.52 claimed due on loan. 92-C-00013.  
Kentucky Medical Services Foundation vs. Marvin Smith, \$217.20 claimed due for services and materials. 92-C-00014.

## Small Claims

Rockcastle Ready Mix vs. Steven Pittman, \$73.67 claimed due for merchandise. 92-S-00012.  
Dr. David B. Coleman vs. Leda Gail Mason, \$80 claimed due for merchandise. 92-S-00013.

## District Court

D.U.I.: Clayton I. Frith, \$200 plus costs plus \$150 service fee plus time served.  
Speeding: Ellis B. Kirby, \$26 plus costs; Ricky Lee Roberts; Carl Lee Baker, paid prepayable; Douglas W. Wilson; David L. Demey, state traffic school.  
Defective equipment: Eugene Epperson, \$20 plus costs.  
No insurance: Lonnie D. Bustle, \$500 plus costs.  
Operating on a suspended or revoked license: Kimberly R. Jones, \$100 plus costs; Clayton I. Frith, \$25 Show cause hearing; John Tim Garrison, \$572.50 (suspend \$450 or prepayable); Antonio Devon Hamilton, \$87.50; Charles S. Sparks; Robert

Attention Former Students of Dorothy Landrum Please send our donation for the memorial page in the Rockcastle County Kentucky and its People history book to: Carol C. Woodall Rt. 4, Box 195-C Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 Ph. (606) 256-8627

## People Poll

Would you favor mandatory garbage pick up for Rockcastle County?



I think people should take care of their own garbage and not dump it all on the side of the road.

Jody Johnson



Absolutely...even if it costs. I'm tired of looking at garbage everywhere. If everyone has to pay for it, they'll be a little more careful about throwing it around. They'll think more about it.

Charles Mullins



I favor it because I don't have any place to take mine unless I take it all the way to Mt. Vernon.

Liz Stewart

## Rockcastle Community

# Bulletin Board

### 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.

### Woman's Republican Club To Meet

The Rockcastle Republican Woman's Club will meet at Jean's Restaurant on Mon., Feb. 24 at 7 p.m.

### Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., Feb. 24: Calloway, Red Hill, Sand Hill, Livingston, Lamerco. Tues., Feb. 25: Burr, Pine Hill, Maple Grove, Climax, Three Links. Wed., Feb. 26: Spiro, Level Green, Willailla.

### Caregiver Training

A Family Caregiver training will be held March 3 at Sowder Nursing Home at 6 p.m. The training will teach how to care for the sick and/or elderly at home. Registration deadline is Feb. 28th. For more information, call Lena at 256-4316 or Ruth at 986-3151, ext. 597.

### Singles Club

The Rockcastle Co. Singles are having a potluck supper at the library Sat., Feb. 22 at 7 p.m. It is also family night. Bring a covered dish and come and enjoy the fellowship with other singles like you. For more information, call 256-3877.

### LL Final Sign-Up

Final sign-up for Little League baseball will be at Thacker Field in Brodhead Sat., Feb. 22 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, the Rockcastle Co. Little League board meeting will be Sun., Feb. 23 at the library at 2 p.m.

### Kiwanis Club

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon for lunch and to hear an informational speaker at the Rockcastle Steak House. Everyone is welcome to attend. Kiwanis is a community service organization.

### Young Republicans

The Rockcastle Co. Young Republicans meet at the courthouse every first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for March 3 and will primarily be to elect new officers. Members are urged to attend and guests are always welcome.

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## Red Cross Babysitting Certification Training

Dates: Feb. 26th and 27th  
March 4th and 5th  
Time: 3:30 - 5:30 p.m. each day  
Location: Rockcastle Co. High School Home Economics Dept.  
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**Our Readers Write**  
(Cont. from A-2)

When we voted the judge in he was supposed to work for and with the public not against it. I think the closest the lot there will be garbage all over the county again. I know McWhorters charges \$1 per bag whether the haulers pick it up at your home or if you bring it to the lot. I believe if people will call the judge, mayor and garbage coordinator, they will see they have approved her for all other permits except she can't get a permit for the lot. We need more garbage service. Why is the judge so hard on McWhorters?

If you'll check back dated Signals you will find Mrs. McWhorter and the judge worked together on garbage clean-up. The judge was pictured shaking hands with her. So what has happened that he is making it so hard on her.

Let's try to help her keep the lot open. Let's write letters, call anyone you can think to help. Appear at the court house for the next fiscal court meeting on Mar. 3. Let's get the news teams from Lexington T.V. and also put a call into the office of our governor.

If we don't do something we will be paying no telling how much for garbage service no matter what the price.  
Bety McFerron

Dear Sir,

Hello, my name is Dustin Dewey and I am a seventh grade Social Studies student at Clyde Junior High School in Clyde, Ohio. We are currently doing a unit on comparative geography and I picked Rockcastle County, which is why I'm writing to you. I will compare your county with my county for the report.

First off could you please send me a copy of your newspaper so I can hear about what life is like? Secondly, could you please print my requests for help in your letters to the editor section in case any of your readers would like to help a kid get a good grade by telling me about their impressions of living in Rockcastle County?

My goal is to find out as much as possible about your county and also to get an "A".

Your help is greatly appreciated.  
Thank you,  
Sincerely,  
Dustin Dewey

Dear Editor,

I would like to know what is wrong with this county. Linda McWhorter is doing all she can to help clean up this county. If the judge wants to talk about places that are messy and dirty looking why not start with some places in town like that house across the street from McKenzie's court. I don't know who lives there but he sells ax handles. That place is a real mess and the house behind Thrif-D Drug Store and Dairy Mart. There is old washers and garbage all over the place at that house. Cox Trailer Park should also be cleaned up. After all the judge himself told Mrs.

McWhorter she could put the lot there. E.P.A. went there and told her it was the best lot that they had seen. It's not by restaurants and gas stations. It is closed in behind a double wood fence. And cannot be seen from U.S. 25. It is kept clean. I have never smelled it. But you sure can smell the sewer coming down Green Hill. If McWhorters lot is closed then Rockcastle County will really be a mess. There will be more garbage on the roadsides and in the fields than before McWhorters took over the lot from the last owners. Let's try to help keep McWhorters garbage service open and where it is.

Thank you,  
Mrs. Susie Kidwell  
Rt. 3  
Mt. Vernon

**Hearsay . . .**  
By: Jon Norman

Not long ago I took my car to Tooler Clark's Garage over in Siler. While he worked, we talked-politics, in particular.

"You should have been here last month," Tooler said. "We had us a real-bony-fide broohaw" at the Court House."

He explained that a bunch of steamed-up Silerites are after Ap Edwards' hide. Ap, the County Judge/Executive, stuck them with fines for illegally dumping garbage in a dried-up pond bed on the slope behind Eudd's Feed mill.

Ap had mailed them two warnings explaining that state law bans dumping—even on their own property if it is unsightly or poses a health hazard. Later, he phoned to let them know the dump is a definite danger. Water from that slope flows into the reservoir at the city water works.

Ap's word didn't cut any ice with Milo Beeson, owner of the slope. He got on the phone and rallied a few neighbors and supporters of Ned Isom, who lost to Ap in the election three years ago. All told, about twenty irate souls met for breakfast at Smother's Inn. Then they marched up the middle of Broad Street to the Court House.

Several dumping dissenters waved "Junk Edwards" signs. Some belatedly "Out with Ap!" through mega-

phones made out of plastic jugs with the bottoms cut out. They demanded to see the Judge, but Ap's secretary, Ida Ames, told them he was in Frankfort seeking funds to help needy people heat their homes. So, they tossed their paraphernalia in the drainage ditch behind the parking lot and left.

Seamus Quinn, regularly three sheets into the wind, tarried. Since he couldn't see the Judge, he decided to fling some flack at Ida. First, he made a stop at the man's room. When he came out, he had a bulging cut of tobacco in his mouth—and was four sheets into the wind.

"I'll have you know," said Seamus, "I've lived nearly seventy years at the bottom of that slope. I've seen many an outhouse built on it—and filled up, too! They drain, by golly. But you

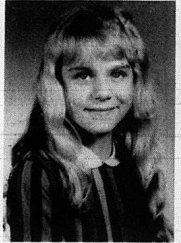
can see they ain't done me no harm."

Ida just stared at him. Then Seamus bent over her desk to make a point. "If you ask me, your boss is in Frankfort kissin' 'up to somebody." Right then Seamus' stomach turned, and he punctuated his opinion with a fummy, Day's Work-Jack Daniels (Cont. to A5)

**NOTICE**

Descendants of Jonathan and Sallie Ann Bishop - seeking contributions for monument for the above at Negro Creek Cemetery. Would like to have completed prior to Memorial Day. Send to:

Roy L. Bishop  
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Kendal Mink, recipient of a bicycle for school attendance, is shown above with Mark McKinney, principal. Jessica Hopkins, who won the bicycle in the primary grades, is a morning session student and was not present for the afternoon assembly presentation.



Congratulations to the Academic Team on their finish in Regional competition. Roundstone has two members that will go on to State in English Composition. They are Shauna Stevens and Jama Cornelius. Shauna placed 2nd in the region. Jama placed 4th in the region. Way to go Academic Team!

The staff and students at Roundstone Elementary School would like

to welcome a student teacher from Berea College, Ms. Lisa Begley to her senior Elementary Education major from Madison County. Ms. Begley will be working with Mrs. Darlene Larkey in third grade.

The third grades students, their teachers, and several parents visited the children's Museum in Lexington on Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1992. The students and teachers would like to thank all of the parents that chaperoned or helped make the trip a success in other ways. The educational trip was sponsored by the school staff.

Mr. Gabbard's Fabulous Fifth grade has been reading tall tales and folk stories. The students have enjoyed illustrating their favorite tall tales with

drawings and dioramas. The dioramas are on display in the hall near Mr. Gabbard's classroom. The students have been very creative.

The eight grade at Roundstone Elementary traveled to Rockcastle County High School Thursday, Feb. 13 to tour the school and receive information about classes for next school year. Dale Whitaker, Guidance Counselor, and several teachers from the high school described the classes and requirements for graduation and college bound students. Each student received a packet about the classes and an enrollment request sheet. Mr. Whitaker will be at Roundstone on Thursday, Feb. 27 to complete the enrollment process. Parents who have questions about classes can call Rose Brown, Guidance Counselor, at Roundstone Elementary or Dale Whitaker, Guidance Counselor, at the high school.

## Tiger Pause

Congratulations Korry Lowery! Korry, an eighth grader, won the district Spelling Bee and will represent our school/county at the state competition in Louisville March 20.

The Brodhead Academic Team represented our school well at the Regional Governors Cup in Whitley County Saturday. Chance Potter advanced to state competition.

We welcome Mrs. Marion Cable and Mrs. Rita Hayes to our staff. Mrs. Cable teaches adult education and pre-school education in the PACE program. Mrs. Hayes will be working as an instructional assistant in the same program. Mrs. Cable is the mother of two of our students, Chaz and Jamison. Mrs. Hayes is the mother of fourth grader, Matthew.

The staff and faculty would like to thank Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Owens, and the lunchroom personnel for the appreciation that they received Friday, Feb. 14. A beautifully decorated table of "goodies" was made available for all to enjoy throughout the day.

As a part of the Effective Schools Plan, which was developed by our Effective Schools Council, an assembly was held Friday, Feb. 14 to recognize those students who have shown continued improvement in some area of the school discipline. Teachers nominated students for the Principal's List (which can be found elsewhere in the Signal) and those students were recognized along with the academic team, honor roll, cheerleaders, ballplayers, and attendance. Students with exemplary attendance were given a chance to win a bicycle.

Miss Jessica Hopkins, kindergarten, and Kendall Mink, sixth grade, won the bicycles.

Mrs. Paula Bullock and Roger Reynolds were elected by PTA members to serve as parent members of the SBDM (School Based Decision Making) council. Those representing the faculty are Katherine

Bradley, Molly Hamm, and Gary Scott.

Some of our older students are participating in babysitting classes provided by the Family Resource and Youth Services Center. The classes will be held Feb. 26 and 27 and March 4 and 5 from 3:30 til 5:30 at the Rockcastle County High School. If you have questions, call Dawn Lang or Jill Ponder at 256-2557.

Allen Pensol, Basics Arts Coordinator, is on our school this week working with students and teachers. The Primary students have been constructing solar systems and multi-media human bodies. Mrs. Doyle's fifth graders have written puppet plays and devised their own puppets to be used in performing for the lower grades. Mrs. Cash's and Mrs. Reynolds' fourth graders are creating relief maps and solar dioramas. Mrs. Bullock's 4th and 5th graders are constructing ships and sailing vessels.

Three of our parents, Kathy Payne, Debbie Woodall and Phyllis Deatrage will be attending a workshop, February 26 entitled, "Parent Involvement". This workshop will be held in Somerset and Mrs. Bobbi Durham, Chapter I specialist, will be our teacher representative.

Mrs. Katherine Bradley, Ms. Molly Hamm and Gary Scott attended a Quality School Training Program in Louisville, Monday, February 17 along with other county educators. William Glasser, M.D., world renowned psychiatrist, conducted the session.

Onna Kaye Owens, Nancy Sexton, Kareka Cash, Kathy Reynolds, Tammy Nugter, and Sonia Francis attended a staff development seminar Tuesday, Feb. 18 on the collaborative model.

Before closing we must recognize one very special person. (We hope he continues to be a faithful reader of Tiger Pause.) We want to wish a happy birthday to Tom Payne, Saturday, Feb. 22. We love you, Mr. Payne!

## Brodhead Elementary Principal's List

Primary: Kelli Bullock, Beth Durham, Matthew McKinney, Larry McPherson, Brandon Campbell, Jessica Poynter, Shana Noc, Peyton Rogers, Roy Evans, Chris Eldridge, Warren Whataker, Robbie Spencer

Fourth: Jeremy Reynolds, CRAIG Sowler, Jessica Lowery, Ellis Dale Sexton, Julie Burdette, Lucas Noel, LeeAnn Frih, Janda Mink, Courtney Payne, Ryan Ison, Brian Ison

Fifth: Billy Deborde

Sixth: Renita Blanton, John LaF-

vers, Angie Murphy, Susan Swinney, Josh McKibben, Shannon Nicely, Stephanie Ritter, Polly McKinney, John Houk, Clyde Hasty, Holly Saylor, Jennifer McClure, Kathy Houk

Seventh and Eighth: Ashley Scoggin, Jon Adams, David Osborne, Jody Carrier, Shannon Mink, Billy Bowling, Anthony Mink, J.D. Woodall, Sherry Pugh, Rachel Hamm, Barry Bryant, Bryan Hammons, Travis West, Kyle Barnett, Rodney Ellison, Paula Bishop, Bart Baldwin, Michael McKinney, Lance Lovell, Reggie Pennington, Stevie Denney, Jason Woodall

## Identifying Family Strengths in Appalachia

Wednesday, February 26  
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**Target Audience:**  
School personnel, parents, teachers, health and social services professionals, ministers and others interested in strengthening families in Rockcastle County.

**Focus:**  
This program is designed by a group of native Appalachians practicing in the helping systems. In this program, participants will confront some of the stereotyped images of Appalachia. Emphasis is placed on the positive aspects and strengths of the area.

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### Testing for Rockcastle County Schools

The Kentucky Education Reform Act (KERA) of 1990 calls for substantial changes in the educational system statewide. A major component of this reform is the establishment of an innovative assessment (test) program which is to be primarily performance-based by the spring of 1996.

The Kentucky Department of Education has contracted the services of Advanced Systems in Measurement and Evaluation, Inc., in New Hampshire to structure this assessment.

An interim accountability system is being implemented this school year for purposes of establishing baseline data for the first biennial school success determination in 1993-94. During the 1991-92 school year, students at grades 4, 8, and 12 will:

- \* develop writing portfolios;
- \* participate in performance events in mathematics, science, and social studies; and

\* complete transitional items and tasks in reading, writing, mathematics, science, and social studies. These assessments include multiple-choice and open-response questions, and on-demand writing prompts.

KIRIS, (Kentucky Instructional Results Information System), Students Assessment should drive instruction toward a realization of the following six goals specified in KERA:

A. Expect a high level of achievement of all students.

B. Develop students' abilities to:

1. use basic communication and mathematics skills;
2. apply core concepts and principles from mathematics, the sciences, the arts, the humanities, social studies, and practical living to situations they will encounter throughout their lives;
3. become self-sufficient individuals;
4. become responsible members of a family, work group, or community;
5. think and solve problems in a variety of situations;
6. connect and integrate experiences and knowledge from all subject matter fields.

C. Increase school attendance rates.

D. Reduce dropout and retention rates.

E. Reduce physical and mental health barriers to learning.

F. Evaluate schools on the proportion of students who make a successful transition to work, postsecondary education, and the military.

Since this new approach to assessment involves three main sections for grades 4-8-12, we have outlined a schedule of dates for this assessment.

**Transitional or NAEP Like**  
Grade 12 - February 19-21  
Grades 4 & 8 - April 13-May 1  
(estimated time 7 1/2 to 10 hrs.)

**Performance events**  
Grade 12 - March 25  
Grades 4 & 8 - May 4-8  
(estimated time 1 day)

**"HERESAY"**  
(Cont. From A3)

belch, point blank in Ida's face.

Ida wheeled her chair backward so fast you would have thought the Red Death had walked in. She grabbed Seamus by his sweater and jerked him into the hall. Then she shoved him down into the big turp-sided trash bin that Effie Flegle, the cleaning lady, wheeled around. Ida is stranger to heaving hales of hay into a barn loft.

Seamus was a sight, sprawled out on his blessed assurance with his hush puppies pointing toward heaven. His pant legs had slipped to his knees and exposed his unmatched socks and spindly, blue-white shins. Shocked and addled, Seamus gazed at Ida. He looked like a Thanksgiving turkey begging to be spared the axe. "Listen, you amber spitin' ole sot!" Ida raved. "What the Judge says he's doin' is what he's doin'! Don't ever come in here again breathin' booze or bad mouthin' anybody. If you do, they'll find what's left of you on that dump you flea-brained dimwit as so bent on heavin' up."

"Ida, I swear I didn't aim to burp on you," Seamus said.

"Well, your notions stink worse than your breath," Ida came back. "Seamus, you used to be half decent-until you took up with Milo Beesom-and the bottle."

Tooler isn't sure how folks will react to dumping penalties.

"Some will go to jail first," he said. "And Milo's goin' all over whippin' up opposition."

"What does Ned Isom have to say?" I asked.

"Not a word. Every fine Ap levies is a vote for Ned next year."

"How about Seamus?" I asked.

"Haven't seen him lately," Tooler said, "but word has it he's sober when he goes to the Court House."

**Writing Portfolio**  
Grades 4, 8 and 12 - Must be finished by March 31

We are conducting a scrimmage test for grades 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9-10, and 11 which will be given between April 15 - May 15. (Exact dates are not available yet.)

The school system must also continue with the CTBS/4 and Effective Schools participation. The CTBS/4 schedule is as follows:  
Grades K-8 CTBS/4 March 23-27  
(Cont. to A6)



On Friday, February 14, Dale Whitaker informed the seniors at RCHS about the transitional or NAEP-like test to be taken on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (February 19, 20 and 21). (See accompanying story on this year's testing in the Rockcastle County School System).



Valentine's Day at RCHS found students searching for flowers and balloons sent by their "Valentine."

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## Teen Center Perspectives

By: Michael Durham

Our Valentine's dance this past Friday was a resounding success, thanks to the efforts of Julie, Dina, and our DJ, Johnny Bullock, and a special tip to the hat to the CAP volunteers who came down to help the R.T.C. staff chaperon the event. The dance was decent fun for everyone involved.

Now onto more serious matters. This Tuesday the 18th, will be the kickoff of the Champions Against Drugs Program, sponsored by the Rockcastle Board of education, and Title V Drug Free Schools Program. The program is spearheaded by Ginny Gilpatrick, the Title V agent for Rockcastle County. This promises to be a great program and has much

### "TESTING"

(Cont. From A5)

Grades 9-11 CTBS/4 April 20-24 The school district realizes this is an enormous responsibility for students, teachers, administrators, and parents.

We must continue to work together for the benefit of our students and their continued growth toward becoming well educated adults ready to function in society. If you have any questions regarding our assessment program this spring please contact me, Claudinnia B. Cash, Test Coordinator, at 256-4144.

potential. CAP and the RTC are pleased to work with the Champions Program in order to provide our young people with quality activities to positively enhance their lifestyles. Several people have volunteered their particular talents, to help in making this program a success. I can't mention all the people by name here, however on behalf of CAP and the RTC we appreciate their magnificent efforts. One particular individual I will mention, is Jim Maxwell, a celebrity in his own right. Jim owns and operates, 'Silver Hammer Workshop' in Berea. He is an amicable and talented man, and has been featured in several newspaper articles lately. Jim is extremely interested in environmental issues, and we hope some of that concern rubs off on our teens as he imparts his particular skills with them. We are fortunate to have Jim, indeed fortunate to have all our volunteers in this program. Dina, and the RTC staff will be involved in the program as well. Ginny has put a lot of energy into this program and is tireless in her efforts to work for this community. Thanks, Ginny. Information and particulars about the program can be obtained from Ginny, as she makes all her rounds at the elementary schools in the county, so be on the lookout for her. You can also call the RTC for information as well at 256-4919.

colobies at 7:30  
 Wednesday - Open Recreation - Games R' US, World of Work - 5, R.A.P.  
 Thursday - Open Recreation - Games R' US 3:30 - 5 p.m. - Champions Program - 'Crossroads' with Dina  
 Friday - Open Recreation, Games R' US, Teen Council, R.A.P., T.G.I.F.  
 Saturday - Special Events, Road Trips, Service Project

## Students to perform at EKU's Honors Band Weekend

Five students at Rockcastle County High School will perform at the fifth annual Eastern Kentucky University Honors Band Weekend Feb. 21-23. The students, selected by their band director, Robert Pybas, are: Stacy Thacker, flute; Angie Stallsworth, French horn; Melinda Ann Dykes, saxophone; Sandra Himes, trombone; and Kevin Isaacs, trumpet.

About 280 students, narrowed down from a field of over 600 appli-

cants, from 60 schools in Kentucky and Ohio are expected to attend along with their directors and chaperones. The event will feature two free concerts open to the public. Performing at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, will be the EKU Symphonic Band, under the direction of Director of Bands Dr. Robert Hartwell, and the Faculty Woodwind and Brass Quintet. A second concert featuring the two honors bands will begin at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23. Both concerts will be held in the Gifford Theatre in the Jane Campbell Building.

Students attending the Honors Bands Weekend will spend some 15 hours in rehearsals with guest conductors will attend the Saturday evening concert and be treated to clinics on each of the instruments by EKU Department of Music faculty. Students will have the opportunity to audition for scholarships to attend either the University, if seniors, or the 57th season of the Stephen Foster Music Camp.

Guest conductors for the 1992 Honors Bands are Richard Suddendorf, recently retired as director of bands and professor of music at Western Michigan University, and Pat Brumbaugh, assistant professor of music and director of bands at

Arkansas State University. In addition to 12 years at Western Michigan, Suddendorf was director of bands at Capital University in Ohio for nine years and for 14 years was professor of trumpet, director of the university brass choir and associate conductor of the concert band at Ohio State University.

## Rockcastle County Elementary Schools MENU

February 24 - 28, 1992

### Breakfast

Monday: Breakfast pizza, juice, milk  
 Tuesday: Cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk  
 Wednesday: Peanut butter/jelly sandwich, juice, milk  
 Thursday: Ham biscuit, juice, milk  
 Friday: Sausage and gravy, biscuit, juice, milk

### Lunch

Monday: Fish nuggets, whipped potatoes, green beans, cornbread, milk, cookie  
 Tuesday: Chicken 'N' waffles and cheese wedge, potato rounds, cole

slaw, milk, frosty creme  
 Wednesday: Chili and sandwich, crackers, vegetable sticks, milk, mixed fruit  
 Thursday: Pizza, buttered corn, green beans, milk, fruit  
 Friday: Turkey on bun, french fries, lettuce and pickles, milk, peanut butter square

## Rockcastle County High School MENU

February 24-28, 1992

### Breakfast will be served each day.

Monday: Chef salad or steak/gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Tuesday: Chef salad or pizza, garden salad, buttered corn, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Wednesday: Chef salad or vegetable beef soup and sandwich, crackers, vegetable sticks, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Thursday: Chef's salad or cheeseburger on bun, french fries, lettuce and pickles, milk, choice of offered desserts  
 Friday: Chef salad or barbecued chicken on bun, potato wedges, cole slaw, milk, choice of offered desserts

### Week's Schedule

Monday - 3:30 - 7 p.m., Jr. High Night 12-14 years of age only  
 Tuesday - Open Recreation - Games R' US, 3:30 - 5 p.m. - R.A.P.A.A./Alton/Children of al-



The following students from Roundstone Elementary School participated in the Rick Pitino Easter Seal Basketball Shoot-out recently. They were, front row, from left: Matthew Brown, Krissy Himes, Holly Best and Melissa Kidwell. Second row: Chris Sears, Tiffany Gabbard, Christina Judd, Amber Coffey and Kara Owens. Not available for photo was Ashley Lawson.



In preparation for the adoption of textbooks for the 1992-93 school year, Rockcastle County High School has one public display of textbook samples. Literature, foreign language, health and driver education are the subject areas being considered. The public is invited to view these samples between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. until Wed., Feb. 25. On this date, representatives from textbook publishing companies will make presentations to the English teachers at the high school. The time for this will be 11 a.m. to 3:20 p.m. in the library. Shown above are Ms. Eric Young and Ms. Nancy Mullins discussing a sample literature textbook as Donisha Mullins, Carla VanWinkle and Laurie Marcum watch.

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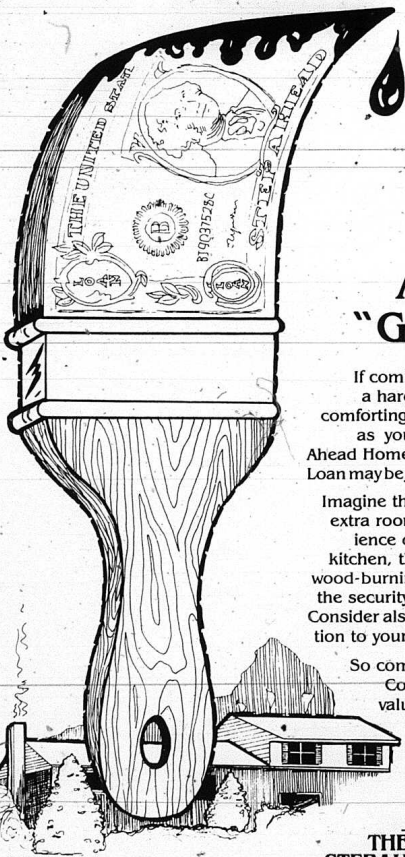


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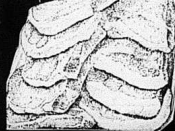
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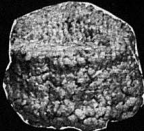
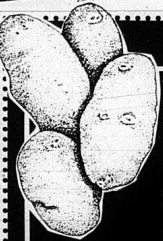


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# Obituaries

## Adams

Mrs. Bernice Stephens Adams, 67 of Brodhead died Tuesday, February 18, 1992 at the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, Ky. She was born on June 6, 1924 at Spiro, Ky. the daughter of the late Samuel and Bertha Jane Gentry Stephens. She was a member of the Ottawa Baptist Church.

Survivors are: her husband, George K. Adams of Brodhead; one son, Jerry Wayne Adams of Mt. Vernon; two daughters, Mrs. Violet Cash of Brodhead and Mrs. Shirley Sargent of Berea; one sister, Mrs. Lillian Gall of Reading, Ohio and five grandchildren; Danny Bruce Sargent II, Dennis Wayne Sargent, Jerry Wayne Adams II, Asa Kelly Adams and Donna Lynn Cash also survive.

Services will be held Friday, February 21 at 2:00 p.m. at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. R.C. Flynn officiating. Burial will be at Oak Hill Cemetery.

Watson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

## Clark

John Clark, 87, of Red Hill, died Feb. 11, 1992 at his residence.

He was born in Clay County Sept. 20, 1904, the son of Thomas and Rebecca Hensley Clark. He was a retired factory worker and a member of the Pine Hill Holiness Church.

He is survived by a son, Dr. Randall Clark of Somerset and a daughter, Thelma Mullins of Mt. Vernon; two brothers, Joe Clark of Red Hill and Bill Clark of Richmond, Ind. and a sister Tommy Smith of Richmond, Ind. Also surviving are five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a

great-grandson, a daughter, his first wife, Ada Carpenter Clark, and his second wife Mayfrey Gilbert Clark. Services were held Feb. 13 at Dowell and Martin Funeral Home. Burial followed in the Red Hill Cemetery.

Burial services were Burchell Clark, Richard Clark, John Clark, Ed Worley, Liege Clark and J. Nate Mullins.

## Gadd

Nancy Jane Baker Gadd, 96, of Scaffold Cane Road, Berea, died recently at the Berea Hospital following an illness.

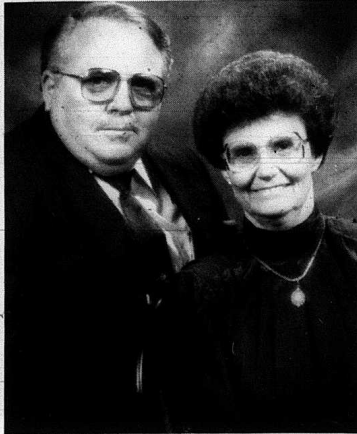
She was a native of Rockcastle County and a resident of Madison County for the last 40 years, where she was a retired housewife and mother. She was a member of the Crestview Holy Sanctuary.

She is the daughter of the late Eligh and Mary Peters Baker and the widow of McKinney Gadd. She is survived by four sons, William Gadd, Jimmie Gadd and Vernon Gadd of Berea and Earnest Gadd of Richmond; three daughters, Mary Jane Ramey, Lizzie Gadd and Martha Northern of Berea; 31 grandchildren; 72 great-grandchildren; and 52 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were at the Crestview Holy Sanctuary with Bro. Harold Eads officiating. Burial was in the Scaffold Cane Cemetery.

Reaper Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Don and Martha Tennon

## Tennons conduct revival

Don and Martha Tennon, of Radcliff, will be conducting revival services at the Lighthouse Assembly of God Church beginning March 8th according to pastor Robert Nicholas. The church is located on highway 1004 behind Jean's Restaurant.

Don and Martha's sensitivity to the leading of the Holy Spirit with their love and compassion for the lost and helping them to minister to the needs of people today. Having pastored for twenty years, the past twelve at Radcliff First Assembly, they know the heartbeat of the church and the heartache of fiery trials.

They know the Grace of God in personal tragedies, having lost 27 precious lives (3 adults and 24 children) in a fiery bus crash caused by a drunk driver going the wrong way on an Interstate near Carrollton, May 14, 1988. They have experienced many personal healings in their lives from cancer and ulcers.

Pastor Nicholas invites you to come hear this appointed couple present the Word of God with authority in exalting "Jesus as Lord and Savior". Services begin at 7 p.m. each evening. For further information call the church at 256-9299 or 878-0267.

## Cards of Thanks

The family of Henry Ries would like to thank the Rockcastle County Hospital and staff for the fine treatment my father received while he was there. Dr. Griffith, Dr. Arvin, and Dr. Lerzer, The Ambulance service, Fowler Nursing Home and staff. The Watson Funeral Home, Brother Roger Carr for his nice service, Mrs. Linda Whit for the beautiful organ music.

To all the ones who sent flowers, cards, and brought food during the loss of our father and grandfather.

Sincerely,  
Mayzell Ries  
and  
Dennis Thomas

The Earl Mason family would like to express our sincere thanks to each and everyone for their thoughts, prayers, visits, calls, gifts, and support during the illness and death of our husband and father.

The kindness of so many will always be a gift that we all will treasure.

To the nurses of Rockcastle County Hospital and to the doctors and ministers, thanks so much for the care that you gave to dad.

The food that was prepared was good and the flowers were beautiful. Everything was greatly appreciated.

To all who came, the people that walked in the rain, and to the Brushcreek Holiness Church and each.

## Church news..... Nova sheds new light on JFK Assassination

### Gospel singing at Green Hill Baptist

Gospel Singing at Green Hill Baptist Church in Jackson County, Sunday, Feb. 23rd at 6 p.m. featuring Joyful Noise. The church invites everyone to attend.

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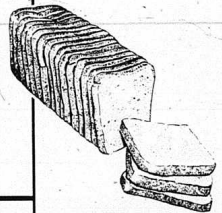


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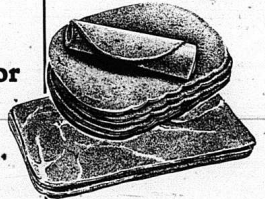
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Mrs. Bessie Kirby spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Lavada Graves. Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney visited his brother Mr. and Mrs. David McKinney of Walnut Grove Sunday.

Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Barnett were their daughter Mrs. Connie Hasty and grandson Devin.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney were their daughter Mrs. Sharon Lovins and granddaughter Jamie.

Mrs. Dollie Payne returned home after spending several weeks with her sister, Sharon Belcher, in Nashville, Tennessee.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Houston were Everett Cromer of East Bernstadt, Mr. and Mrs. James Houston of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Houston of Berea, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houston.

Charlie Hines has returned home after spending some time in the U.K. Medical Center at Lexington. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Dorothy Oakley of Henderson visited her mother, Mrs. Lillian Anglin, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Newton of Somerset visited her mother Mrs. Vallie Burton last Sunday.

Joe Adams has returned home after spending several days in the Rockcastle Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Albert York visited his mother Mrs. Ora York recently.

Mr. Vina Spoonmore was taken

to the hospital last week. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Mildred Hunt celebrated her birthday Feb. 14th. We wish her many returns of the day.

Ulysses Baker was taken to the Rockcastle Hospital last week. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stephens and Amanda of Lexington visited Mrs. Arbie Kirby recently.

### Celebrates birthday

Mr. Carl Brock had several of his family and friends help him celebrate his 75th birthday at his old home place Sunday, Feb. 16th, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jewell Bengel.

Those attending were his wife Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Brock and Jessica, Mr. and Mrs. John Brock and children of Broadhead, Mr. and Mrs. Don Kidwell and son of Berea, Austin Brock of Lockland, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Brock of Hartwell, Ohio, Orbin Brock of Broadhead, George Brock of Crab Orchard, Ida Mae Kelly of Huntington Gap, Va., Sherman Brummett of Lockland, Ohio, Paul Brummett and daughters Becky and Kathy of Waynesburg, Mr. and Mrs. Helen Brummett and grandchild of Paint Lick, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Neal, Crab Orchard, Mrs. Glenda Barker of Bethel, Ohio, Mrs. Rhonda Brock and son Brandon of Danville, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Brock of Danville, Louise Graves, Mt. Vernon, Zella Underwood of Crab Orchard, Johnny, James T. Denise, Josie and Jerry Bengel of Broadhead.

## SCC Fall Graduates announced

Dr. Rollin J. Watson, President of Somerset Community College, announced that twenty-six students from eight counties received degrees at the end of the fall term.

Karen Faye Bullock from Rockcastle County received an Associate in applied science degree.

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## Around Brodhead

By Mary McWhorter

Mrs. Lillian Ramsey of Brindle Ridge was Monday guest of her aunt Bernice Wilson.

Mrs. Bernice Wilson was Saturday visitor of Carolyn Collins and family at Pine Hill.

Miss Mickie Lea Pruitt was weekend visitor of her mother Pat Pruitt and her brother Freddie and also visited me a short time.

Mrs. Ruth Russell spent the weekend in Ohio with her son Danny and family and also visited her sisters in Mason, Ohio.

Mrs. Lula Bussell is a patient in Room 104 at Rockcastle County Hospital. We wish her well.

Mrs. Zola Wenger and Mrs. Pauline

Smith were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Elva Mobley.

Louise Sargent of Lexington spent Sunday night with her parents, Monroe and Gertrude Renner, also Jessie and Sue Holbrook were Saturday guests of the Renners.

Recent visitors of Bob and Clara Proctor were Louise and Suzanne Graves.

Doug, Linda, Mark and Jason Proctor, Paula, Heather and Tanner Allen spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Bob and Clara Proctor. Glen and Shirley Burton, Bob and Clara Proctor attended and enjoyed the U.K. ball game Saturday afternoon.

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## The Week at Livingston

By: Frances Dickerson

Lois Mullins and I visited Maxine Kincer. Friday afternoon. We also visited Evelyn Blackburn, Eva Fernan, Gilbert Smith and Jimmie Poynter in the Sowder Nursing Home Friday.

B.J. Mason had the misfortune of getting his arm broken. The report is he is doing nicely and is back in school.

Lelia Sturgill of Louisville visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ponder during the week.

Norman (Rass) Mullins has returned to his home in Spokane, Washington after spending several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Mullins. Last week end was Denver's and Hazel's birthday. Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Grody of Shepherdsville spent the week end with them to celebrate the birthdays. Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Turnmire and

children, Leigh Ann, Ashley and Zack of Franklin, Ohio spent the week end with Mrs. Turnmire's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Durham.

Visitors of Mrs. Gladys Smith this week were her granddaughter, Lori Caldwell of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Senter and Tony Loudermilk. Mrs. Carol McFaden, her son, Mike, of London and Mike's friend, Jeff, had lunch with Carrie Loudermilk Wednesday.

Bill Shackelford made several trips to Lexington this week with Bill Caudill to see the doctor.

Tracy Mullins of Mt. Vernon visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Mullins, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mullins and children, Stuart and Rachel, of Frankfort visited Mr. Mullins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mullins Sunday.

## Quail News

By Vivian Owens

Mrs. Phyllis Reynolds and Mrs. Linda Reynolds, Joey and Emily visited Florence Albright Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lois Miracle and friend visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cupp and Roy Cupp Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker of Leitchfield visited his aunt Mrs. Selma Scoggins and Curvis also visited his cousin Mrs. Vivian Owens.

Raymond Caldwell and Wayne Caldwell of Ohio visited their mother Mrs. Edna Caldwell over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Gabbard and family of Independence and Mrs. Jennifer Stewart and Jerry Jackson of Lexington visited their mother, Mrs. Zelma Hayes and family recently.

Mrs. Vivian Owens and Ruth Mink visited some of their friends at the Sowder Nursing Home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Taylor visited Ruth Mink Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rogers and Mrs. Nannie Brown were in Ohio Saturday to visit his mother who is

on the sick list. We wish her a speedy recovery.

## Mt. Vernon Personals

By Mrs. Vallie Burton

Mrs. Sallie Coffey has returned home after spending several days in the U.K. Medical Center at Lexington. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Tommy Burdette has been on the sick list for some time. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Seems like I've almost written a hospital report every week. But there's a lot of sick people that need our prayers and also the ones that have lost loved ones. We can sympathize with them but we really don't know what is means until we have to go through it. I've lost a son and my husband in 10 years. We have to put our trust in the Lord.

Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney visited their mother, Mrs. Calvin Barnett Tuesday afternoon.

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<p>3-Pc. Dinettes as low as <b>\$149<sup>00</sup></b></p>	<p>Swivel Rockers As Low As <b>\$59<sup>00</sup></b></p>	<p>Oak-Maple-Pine 5 Pc. Dinettes (Table, 4 Chairs) Solid Wood, Your Choice Formica Top <b>\$299<sup>00</sup></b></p>
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# Rockcastle Recollections

Cont. from Front

pinions find their way across what Dr. Walker called Lawless River. Walker and his fellow Rockcastle River. After another six years, Daniel Boone and his hunting companions come into Kentucky for a two year trip of hunting and exploration. In 1775 he settled Boonesboro, and thousands of men and women opened and pioneers poured into the state.

Through all those earlier years, beginning with Dr. Walker's visit, we have very meager accounts of activities which were taking place. Many excellent historians have devoted much time and talent to ferreting out the history of this period, but they have had so little to go on that they have been forced to fall back on the fiction of other historians. Many mistakes, as well as their important discoveries, have been repeated over and over, in volume after volume. For example, it has long been repeated and believed that Dr. Thomas Walker discovered and named Cumberland Gap and Cumberland Mountain, but the finding from his journal of so many years ago shows that he referred to the gap as Cave Gap, and made no mention at all of Cumberland Mountain. He does state that he gave the Cumberland River its name. No doubt both the gap and the mountain later took the name by association.

I have tried to make a special study of Dr. Walker's Journal. It was published in 1898 by J. Stoddard Johnson and (has) long (been) considered the final authority on all things connected with Walker's famous work, "First Explorations of Kentucky," that he (Johnson) did much more than read the Journal and all printed comment on it. I am convinced that he never went over any of the ground covered by Walker in his exploration. At the time he produced his very definitive volume on the subject, very little could have been accomplished by such explorations, but a careful reading of Walker's Journal and a lot of on-the-scene investigation last summer has convinced me that Mr. Johnson was in error, in a very minor way, to be sure, in some of his conclusions, but more about that later.

The settling of Kentucky was not as simple and romantic as we at this distance in time are want to believe. It was not the gradual invasion of a few daring pioneer families, encroaching upon the dark and forbidding wilderness to establish homes. Back of it all were groups of well organized, well financed businessmen, who envisioned nothing more romantic than ample profit from real estate transactions. One such group was the royal Land Company, which sent Dr. Walker on the first land hunting expedition into Kentucky in 1750. The Ohio Company, (of which George Washington was a member), was another such group. They employed Christopher Gist for a like purpose in the area north of Dr. Walker's operations. An association of business men, eventually to be known as The Transylvania Company, twenty-five years after the exploration of Walker and Gist, really got things moving when they purchased outright from its Indian claimants, an immense tract of land in Kentucky and immediately set about the settle of it in a business-like manner. It was Daniel Boone, "The Pathfinder," rather than Richard Henderson, promoter and financier, that public credit for the opening of Kentucky was accorded. This was largely as a result of the publicity given (Boone), in John Filson's, *Kentucky and the Adventures of Col. Daniel Boone*, published in 1784. That was the first book published about Kentucky, and it made Boone's name synonymous with that of Kentucky.

## Public Service Announcement

The United States Postal Service will accept applications for the entrance examination for the position of rural carrier/rural carrier associates for this area. The post offices in this area that have rural carrier positions are Berea, Brodhead, Crab Orchard, McKee, Mt. Vernon, Paint Lick, Ansville and Tyner. Qualified persons may apply for the examination by completing an application card at any of the above named offices during normal window service hours beginning Feb. 24, 1992 and ending Feb. 28th, 1992. No applications will be accepted before the 24th or after the 28th. Information regarding salary, benefits and job requirements will be posted at the above named offices. The examination will be scheduled at a later date and all applicants will be notified by mail.

Dr. Thomas Walker

The first white man to visit Kentucky and keep a written account of it was the above named Dr. Thomas Walker who in 1750 came through Cumberland Gap and penetrated as far as Rockcastle County before he crossed back into his Virginia home. He had with him a party of five men. He had been sent out of the Local Land Company of Virginia to locate an area of good land large enough to satisfy a grant of 800,000 acres which had been made them for settling. It was thought that such a body of level land lay somewhere behind the high wall of mountains to the north of them, and that somewhere there was a break in this mountain wall, known as Cave Gap, that would let them through to it.

After locating the Gap, and naming Cumberland River, they proceeded in a generally northerly direction, and a five or six days later cutting out a path to its "tinent at Boonesboro." (Mr. Lair used both this spelling and "Boonesbe" spellings appear as Mr. Lair used them.) They crossed and named several rivers, beginning at last to one which Walker named Lawless River in honor of Henry Lawless, a member of his party. After floundering around for a few days among the steep and rock hills bordering the stream and despairing of finding the type of land they were searching for, they followed it up to its source, crossed the Kentucky, Licking and Big Sandy Rivers and went down over the mountain to Staunton, Virginia where they disbanded.

Although they failed in their primary purpose of finding a large tract of fertile land for settlement, their journey was by no means wasted. Walker had discovered what came to be called Cumberland Gap. He found and named the Cumberland River, on the banks of which he erected the first cabin ever built by White men in the county later to be known as Kentucky. It really did not matter that the names he gave to many of the streams in honor of his companions were all later changed. For example, seventeen years after he had named the Lawless River, its name was changed to Rockcastle River by Isaac Lindsey, a hunter from South Carolina. Lindsey is supposed to have given it that name on account of a huge, castlelike rock by which its waters flowed. This account of the naming of the Rockcastle is sometimes disputed by writers who say that the name derived from the big shelving cliffs common along the river's course which were often called by early explorers rock "houses" or rock "castles".

One of such cliffs, or rock houses in particular is very important. Dr. Walker tells of spending some time at the mouth of a cave or under a big cliff that would shelter two hundred men from rain at one time. He says it was some distance from the river itself and was located on a small stream or creek. He does not say on which side of the river. He mentions that they found there a kind of soft yellowish rock with something of the taste of alum, which may well have been saltpeter such as is abundant in Great Saltpeter Cave. (The English spelling (saltpetre) will be used in historical notation, the current spelling will be used in current references.)

Since the names he gave streams and points of interest were not the same as they now bear, it has been well-nigh impossible to follow his meanderings and locate this big rock. We know that it was somewhere south of the head of Rockcastle River, and it is likely that he struck the river somewhere between its head and "The Narrows." I do not believe he came onto it below the Narrows. If he had, it is very likely that he would have mentioned this scenic wonder in his report. So, somewhere between the Narrows said the head of the river, situated on a small stream site of the rock or cave to which he had reference. Who knows the location?

As previously mentioned, J. Stoddard Johnson, in a book entitled, *First Explorations of Kentucky*, published in 1898 under the auspices of the Filson Club, states that Dr. Walker never crossed the Rockcastle River, but turned back on the southern side of it. His entire book was based on the reading of the journal kept by Dr. Walker, as there is no other known evidence outside of this report. I have made a careful study of Walker's journal and I am not entirely convinced that Johnson is right, especially in view of the fact that in trying to actually locate this rock shelter, he indicates that it might have been near Sinks, Kentucky, which is certainly north of the Rockcastle River. The first copy of this report I ever saw was in the possession of Mrs. W.R. Gott of Mt. Vernon, who was a descendant of Dr. Walker and it was identical in every way with the original used by Mr. Johnson in his book. Regardless of whether or not Dr.

Walker crossed Rockcastle River, Rockcastle County can still claim credit for his visit. The original boundaries of the county took in land south of the river. This was not changed until 1825 when part of Rockcastle County was taken and included in the bounds of newly-formed Laurel County.

Unlike any who may have been before him and the many who came after, Dr. Walker was not interested in hunting, trapping, trading with the Indians or establishing a home. Therefore, Dr. Walker's journey was considered something of a failure and offered no inducements to the many would-be settlers. Had Dr. Walker continued his journey for two days beyond the Rockcastle River, he would have reached the rich cane and peaving lands of the Bluegrass Region and found the acreage for which he was searching.

Even had he done so, the settlement of Kentucky would still have been slow. Trouble with the various Indian tribes who claimed the country was beginning to develop, culminating in the French and Indian War, which was not concluded until 1763. In the meantime, various indi-

viduals and small groups were making hunting and exploring ventures into the wilderness so that by the time of the first settlements in Kentucky, there were believed to be at least 300 White men in Kentucky.

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After the advent of Dr. Walker and his party, it was a matter of some thirty years before the Rockcastle country was again visited by White men. In that year, Elisha Walden, of Henry County, Virginia, brought a party of hunters, penetrating as far as Crab Orchard. Included in this group were two men who left their imprint on Rockcastle County. They were Charles Cox, remembered by a Skaggs who pursued a buffalo across Rockcastle River, discovering the Creek which was to be named for him, as was the trail he followed along its banks.

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Castle Rock, and the river flowing by it Rockcastle River. This was the stream which Dr. Walker, some six or seven years earlier, had named Lawless River.

Most of the early hunters coming to Kentucky had, at one time or another, passed through the Hazel Patch, junction point of all early trails into Kentucky via Cumberland Gap. At the time of its formation in 1810, Rockcastle County included the Hazel Patch within its original boundary lines. Hence, we might reasonably claim all who visited it as visitors to Rockcastle County, but we include in our chronicle only those directly concerning with incidents connected with the history of the county, or the area from which it was made up.

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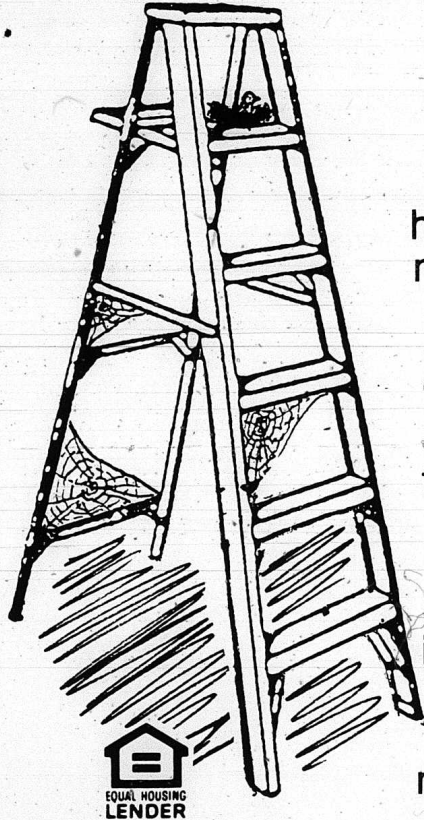
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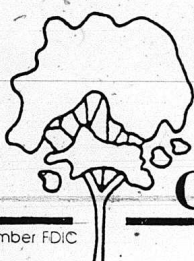
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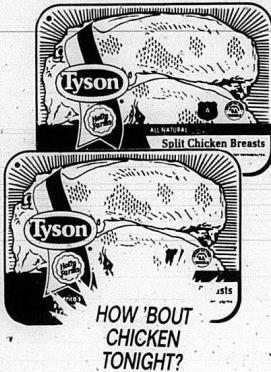


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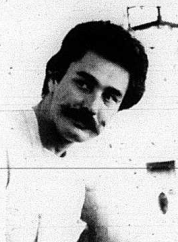
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# Watkins found guilty of killing Gary Kidwell



Thomas Wade Watkins was found guilty of manslaughter Tuesday night.

Thomas Wade Watkins was found guilty Tuesday night of killing Stanford police officer Gary Kidwell but the jury reduced the charge to manslaughter, eliminating the possibility of a death sentence.

Watkins was smiling as he walked from the courtroom while Kidwell's family left in tears at the end of the trial, which carried the charge to manslaughter, eliminating the possibility of a death sentence. The jury was beginning deciding a sentence for Watkins on Wednesday.

Watkins faces a sentence of 10 to 20 years on the first degree manslaughter conviction.

Watkins faces potentially more time in jail on three kidnapping charges the jury found him guilty of. Kidnaping carries penalties of 20 years to life in prison.

In its verdict, the jury found that Watkins, shooting blindly outside his car window at Kidwell approached him on Jan. 20, 1991, instead to injure Kidwell or his partner that night, Sgt. Bobby Durham.

The finding also indicated that the jury didn't buy Watkins' self defense theory. In his instructions to the jury, Circuit Judge Robert J. Jackson told the jurors that a verdict of guilty on first degree manslaughter was possible only if they believed that Watkins was not acting in self defense.

First degree manslaughter was the third most serious charge the jury was asked to consider in judging guilt or innocence in Kidwell's death. The jury's selection of a lesser charge than intentional murder, while rejecting the self defense argument, also indicates they didn't believe the police version of the story completely, either.

The jury of five men and seven women began at 12:51 p.m. Tuesday deciding whether Watkins should be punished for killing Kidwell.

The jury could be heard from behind closed doors arguing among themselves across the large courtroom as the evening wore on.

The jurors listened to evidence and arguments for six days in the Jessamine Circuit Court room — two days less than it took for lawyers to select the jury panel — the jurors took all the physical evidence presented in court, their view of the testimony and 18 pages of instructions from Judge Robert into the jury room to decide.

Watkins, 33, was charged with murder, kidnaping, robbery and an endangerment for the spree that began with what police describe as a routine traffic stop and ended in a hail of bullets on Interstate 75 in Williamsburg near the Tennessee state line.

In the hours between that traffic stop and the wounding of Watkins by Williamsburg police, Watkins shot and killed Kidwell, kidnaped a man and two girls at gunpoint then stole their car.

The jurors were assigned the task of deciding whether Watkins is guilty of intentional murder, for which he could die in the electric chair, or one of five lesser charges or whether he was acting, as he claimed, in self defense.

As to the kidnaping of James Young, Juanita Payton and Donna Rogers, the jury was given three possible charges ranging from kidnaping to unlawful restraint.

The instructions to the jury also contained a host of definitions for words used in the various possible findings.

The jury took the case under consideration after hearing final arguments from lawyers on both sides of the case Tuesday morning.

Commonwealth Attorney Thomas Lockridge argued in his summation before the jury retired to deliberate the case that Watkins was scared to let the police find the three guns and 200 rounds of ammunition in his car when they stopped him for running a stop sign near the Logan's Trace apartments on Goshen Road.

Lockridge said that Watkins fired at Kidwell as he approached his car, thinking that it was Sgt. Bobby Durham, who had "smacked" Watkins at the Lincoln County Jail a month earlier when Watkins was arrested on a drunken driving charge at Convenient Food Mart.

Watkins didn't want the police to find the .357 Magnum revolver, the .32 caliber pistol and the semi-automatic assault rifle he had with him because, as an ex-convict, he was not allowed to have any guns. He feared returning to prison, Lockridge said.

Although the jury wasn't told this during the trial, Watkins had done time in Kentucky for stealing guns from Bob Noe's store in Stanford in the 1977 and engaging in a shootout with police when they went to arrest him. He also was convicted in Texas of burglary, theft and escape later that same year after being paroled in Kentucky. The jury is allowed to hear of Watkins' prior record in detail during the sentencing phase of the trial.

Lockridge told the jury that Watkins didn't care much for police officers and his traveling so heavily armed was an invitation to trouble. He was a walking time bomb armed with a .357 Magnum, .32 pistol, 200 rounds of ammunition and a semi-automatic assault rifle, Lockridge said.

Lockridge said that Watkins' defense that he fired in self defense after Durham fired first is "preposterous." Believe that, Lockridge told the jury, and Watkins will "laugh all the way back to Stanford."

Lockridge called the defense theory that Durham was out to get Watkins "far fetched" and "absurd." He told jurors to ask themselves whether Durham would "commit attempted murder right there in front of another policeman (Kidwell) with houses nearby."

In his closing argument to the jury, Lockridge said that the evidence presented in court completely backs up the prosecution case that Watkins fired the shot that killed Kidwell without reasonable provocation and anything other than that, primarily Watkins' defense, was conjecture.

John Halstead, Watkins court-appointed attorney, argued on behalf of his client that the shooting death of Kidwell was the unfortunate outcome of Watkins defending himself after being fired upon first.

Halstead laid out a scenario in which Watkins was stopped by Kidwell and Durham about 11 p.m. for no reason other than Durham was out to get his client.

In his final argument, Halstead reiterated Watkins' testimony that Durham fired first, shattering the back window of Watkins' car and wounding him.

When that happened, Kidwell, who was approaching the Watkins' car window ducked down, Halstead said. Watkins got one of his guns (the one carrying them because he was an amateur gunsmith and dealer, he said) and fired blindly out the window.

Kidwell must have been crouched down below window level, Halstead said, because the path of Watkins' bullet through his body was a downward one from the left shoulder to the right arm.

Lockridge said that Kidwell's position doesn't prove or disprove anything. He said it is just as likely that Kidwell crouched when the barrel of the .357 Magnum emerged from the

## Watkins cannot receive death penalty with manslaughter conviction . . .

car window.

Halstead argued that Durham was out to get Watkins for some reason. During the trial, Halstead called Bill Robertson, a local fire fighter, to testify that he had heard Durham inquire over the police radio two hours before the shooting whether Watkins was out of jail from the December arrest.

Lockridge called Robertson's testimony "a bald face lie," and brought in two deputy jailers who were working that night who had no recollection of such an inquiry.

Halstead laid out his theory and said that the prosecution didn't disprove it so it must be true.

"Wade meant no harm to anyone that night," Halstead said. "He was ambushed and he fired in self defense."

If the jury finds Watkins guilty, the case almost certainly will be appealed because evidence that Judge Jackson refused to be introduced.

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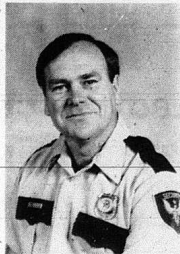
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By becoming a nationally known franchise, the Econo Lodge will offer comfortable, clean and brand new rooms at an affordable, competitive price. "People tend to trust a national organization," said Wayne.

Wayne and Dawn Gregory will attend a training session for Choice Hotels International this summer in Washington, D.C. "We want to attract more business to our area," said Wayne.

## Former Rockcastle countian Gary Kidwell was shot to death by Thomas Watkins.



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Jackson ruled that some defense evidence was not directly related to the case and could not be used.

Among that evidence was testimony by Kidwell's family that he always carried two .25 caliber pistols, in addition to his police revolver. The police have never found any evidence of those guns and told Kidwell's widow, who was in court every day, to keep quiet about them.

The other issue was a romantic affair between Durham and Phyllis Henshaw, who was the first person on the scene after the shooting of Kidwell.

Henshaw testified in the judge's chambers out of sight of the jury on Monday morning.

She said that she and Durham were to meet later that night and had a quarrel at Logan's Trace minutes before the shooting occurred.

Durham testified that he couldn't recall seeing Henshaw in Logan's Trace that night.

Henshaw also testified that she was the first on the scene after she heard the shots and saw Watkins drive away. She said she left the scene not to hide the .25 caliber pistols, as Halstead

charged, but to go get an ambulance. She said she got about a block away, decided that she would try to help the mortally wounded Kidwell so she parked her car and ran back to administer whatever aid she could and wait for the ambulance.

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# Sports

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## Lady Rockets beat Pulaski Co., 67-55

The Rockcastle County Lady Rockets have pushed their record to an impressive 15-9 on the season with a win over Pulaski and a loss to Somerset.

The Lady Rockets won a close one Monday night as they defeated the Pulaski Maroons, 67-55.

But the score does not reflect how close the game actually was. Pulaski took a one point lead at the end of the first quarter, 11-10, but the Lady Rockets came back to take a one point lead, 32-21, at the end of the first half.

"We just came out and stood, we didn't play our type of game," head coach Christy Beaver said.

The Lady Rockets were up by as many as 11 in the first half, before Pulaski cut their lead to one.

Pulaski came out hot and Rockcastle came out cold in the third quarter. The Lady Rockets couldn't buy a point as they finally scored on a free-throw by Kristi Sargent with 5:33 left in the third quarter.

"We didn't play ball the first three quarters. We finally decided to play in the fourth quarter, which wasn't a minute too soon," coach Beaver said.

The fourth quarter was all Lady Rockets. The Lady Rockets outscored the Maroons by an impressive, 26 to 10, to take home the victory, 67-55.

The Lady Rockets starting scrapping and out-hustling the Maroons and hitting the boards.

Cindy McCauley, Kristi Sargent, Jennifer Thacker, Danetta Ford and Christy Coleman all led the Lady Rockets in the fourth quarter behind tenacious full-court defense causing turnovers and forcing Pulaski to call two time-outs in 4:00 minutes to try and stop the Lady Rockets

momentum. The Rockets were beating the Maroons on the boards and also beating them down the floor for the easy bucket.

"I felt Danetta Ford played a really good game, she came out and gave our team the boost they needed to put this one in the win column," coach Beaver said.

Thacker was the hot one on the boards for the Rockets pulling down 16 for the game.

"The girls had really hard practice last week and they really deserved this win," coach Beaver said.

Scoring for the Rockets were: Kristy Sargent, 19; Jennifer Thacker, 16; Cindy McCauley, 12; Danetta Ford, 11; Christy Coleman, 5; Irene Gruter, 2.

The Lady Rockets lost a tough one last Thursday night as they traveled to Somerset and were defeated, 66-49.

"We probably played the best team we've faced all year," coach Beaver said. "If it could go wrong, it did for us that night," she added.

The Lady Rockets were down by only one at the end of the first quarter, 17-16, but Somerset came out and outscored the Lady Rockets, 17 to 7, to take an 11 point lead at the end of the first half.

Somerset only added to their lead in the second half, taking a 10 point lead at the end of the third quarter.

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Danetta Ford goes up for two of her 11 points in Monday night's action against Pulaski. The Lady Rockets went on to defeat the Maroons, 67-55. Also in the photo is #25, Irene Gruter.

## Grace I wins regular season; tourney resumes Monday at Mt. Vernon

By: Margaret Offutt

The church basketball league ended the regular season play Monday night, February 16th with Grace I winning the league for the second straight year, going undefeated with a record of 8-0. Second place was a four way tie until after Monday night games were played.

Ottawa II was defeated in overtime by a score of 55 to 54 by First Baptist II. In overtime Robbie Phillips hit six out of six free throws for First Baptist II to give them the win and put them in third place in the league. Ottawa II was led in scoring by Gordon Pope with 17 points and Dale Scoggins with 14. Darrin Smith and Robbie Phillips led First Baptist II with 13 points each.

Bible Baptist defeated Teen Challenge 61-53 to take over second place in the league. Bible was led in scoring by David Bryant with 21 points. Playing with a broken hand, Darrin Allen scored 13. Teen Challenge was led by Jeff Edwards with 18 and Mark Halford and Bryan Reed both with 11.

First Baptist I and Grace II were both looking for their first win of the season. First Baptist I won with a score of 47-44. Bobby Bailey led

First Baptist I and Gene McAdams, who was playing only his second game, scored 16. Leading Grace II was Billy Reynolds with 21 points. Reynolds attempted to tie the score with only three seconds left, but came up short. Jeff Bullock added eight for Grace and Jason Lear, playing his first year, also added seven.

The last game of league action squared off Ottawa Baptist I against Grace Baptist I with Grace easily taking the win, 88-49. Grace led the first quarter 25-6 and continued to play superbly the rest of the game. Dale Robinson sank five three-pointers to score 21 points. Scott Parrett also added 21 while Danny Offutt scored 18. Mike Jones had a big night for Ottawa scoring 17 points, all coming in the second half. Jeff Laswell added 11.

Tournament action began Monday

night February 17th. All four games were played down to the wire.

The first game of the night faced Scaffold Cane against Ottawa I. With the game close all the way with only a point or two lead either way, Scaffold Cane came out on top, 43-41. Billy Todd played one of his best games of the year scoring 21 points for Scaffold Cane. Kenny Graves added 13. Dennis Harris had 16 and Mark Bishop had 10 to lead Ottawa Baptist.

First Baptist I drew the job of trying to stop the younger and quicker First Baptist II and did for the second win of the year, 41-37. Fouls plagued First Baptist I forcing two players to foul out and three others to have four each. Assistant coach Bobby Bullens had to check in and finish the game for the team. Leading First Baptist I were Glen Roberts with 13 and Bobby Bailey and Mike Smith with 12 each. First Baptist II was led by Darrin Smith and Jason Fletcher with 12 each and Robbie Phillips with seven.

Ottawa Baptist II faced Teen Challenge in the third game of action. Teen Challenge was victorious with a score of 48-43. Although the game was close all the way, Ottawa Baptist

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## Rockets lose three, record even at 11-11

The Rockcastle County Rockets have had a tough way to go this past week as they have had losses all on the road, to Estill, McCreary Central and Whitley to put their record at an even 11-11.

The Rockets stayed close to Estill County throughout the game last Tuesday night as they were down by only 10 at the half, 27-17. The Engineers managed to take an 18 point lead at the end of the third

quarter, 51-33 but the Rockets fought back to cut their lead to 12, 69-57, for the final score.

William Bullens scored half of his point in the third quarter in the losing effort.

Scoring for the Rockets were: William Bullens, 28; Micah Parkerson, 14; Corey Craig, 10; J.D. Bussell, 3; Chris Newland, 2.

The Rockets traveled to McCreary Central Thursday night and were beat 69-59.

The Rockets were tied at the half, 31-31, but the Raiders were too much for the Rockets as they outscored the

Rockets, 38-28 in the second half for the final score.

Mike Durham scored eight of his 11 points in the fourth quarter and William Bullens scored nine of his 13 points in the first quarter.

Scoring for the Rockets were: Micah Parkerson, 17; William Bullens, 13; Mike Durham, 11; Chris Newland, 9; Mikhael Shaffer, 6; Corey Craig, 3.

The Rockets lost to Whitley County Friday night, 85-71.

The Rockets were down by only six at the end of the first half, 42-36 but Whitley outscored the Rockets 43-35 to take home the fourteen point victory, 85-71.

J.D. Bussell scored eight of his 10 points in the fourth quarter.

Scoring for the Rockets were: William Bullens, 23; Mikhael Shaffer, 18; J.D. Bussell, 10; Micah Parkerson, 8; Mike Durham, 4; Corey Craig, 4; Chris Newland, 2.

The Rockets will now travel to Knox Central Friday night and host Barbourville next Tuesday for their final home game of the season.



Kristi Sargent, left and Cindy McCauley, center, defend a Pulaski player.

### Queen of the Boards



**Jennifer Thacker**

Thacker pulled down 16 rebounds against Pulaski County.

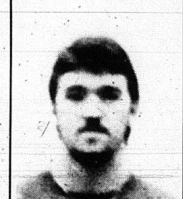
### Player of the Week



**Danetta Ford**

Coach Beaver felt Danetta deserved this honor for her play against Pulaski County. Ford came off the bench to help lead her team to victory.

### Player of the Week



**Mike Durham**

Coach Perkins feels Mike deserved this honor for his work on the boards recently.



Jennifer Thacker scores two of her 16 points against Pulaski County.

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### BOYS

### "Lady Rockets" (Cont. from B-2)

49-39 and finished the game with a 17 point lead, 66-49.

"We just never could get into our game, we were pretty flat all night," coach Beaver said, "Somerset was a good team but they're not 17 points better than us," she added.

Scoring for the Lady Rockets were: Cindy McAuley, 16; Jennifer Thacker, 15; Kristi Sargent, 8; Beth

Amyx, 6; Danetta Ford, 2; Irene Gruter, 2.

The Lady Rockets will now travel to Madison-Southern Thursday night and will host Garrard County next Monday night for their final game of the season.

Get out and support the Lady Rockets as they pursue what will be the best season the Lady Rockets have enjoyed at the high school in a long time.

### "Church League" (Cont. from B-2)

It couldn't get the baskets when they needed them. Doug Mullins led Ottawa Baptist II with 13 while Barry Blanton added 12. Jeff Edwards had another outstanding night for Teen Challenge with 26 points while Bryan Reed had 17.

The last game of the night matched

the number two team in the league, Bible Baptist against Grace Baptist II. Although Grace II led at the first quarter they couldn't pull off the upset. Grace II went scoreless through the second quarter but, with the help of Billy Reynolds, found the range in the third quarter to tie the score. With only three seconds on the clock, Jeff Bullock was fouled but failed to connect on the charity attempts. Bible took the game 51-49.

Billy Reynolds had another excellent game scoring 24 for Grace. Jeff Bullock also had 16, scoring most of them in the second half. David Bryant led Bible with 19 while Devin Ford added nine.

Tournament action will resume next Monday night at 6:30 p.m. at Mt. Vernon Elementary.

## Tracking the Cats

By: Jim Master

All year long we've talked about the toughness of the Southeastern Conference and its dreaded road trips. A glance at the schedule prior to the season showed a tough curve from January 21 through February 2 (Tennessee, Arkansas and LSU were in that stretch).

The final curve of the regular season is upon the Wildcats as they embark for a two game trek down south. An improving Georgia team awaits Kentucky next Sunday, but first it's on to Starkville to face Richard Williams' Mississippi State Bulldogs.

Mississippi State was one of the best teams in the conference last year, but lost most of its starters and was expected to be down this year. The Bulldogs, however, have become one of the surprises in the league this year. They are hard nosed and are difficult to beat on their home court. Even when they played Mississippi state in the early 1980s, they were tough on their home court. Players like Jeff Malone made the task even more difficult, but we beat Mississippi State on a Dicky Bell and Charles Hurt act in the final seconds in 1983.

Even with the Bulldogs' success this year, I expect the Wildcats to pull this one out. Kentucky displayed a penchant for winning on the road

after victories at South Carolina, Vanderbilt and Auburn. This, as each and every game from here through the rest of the regular season, will be winnable. As a matter of fact, Kentucky will probably be favored in remainder of the regular season games.

One of the top teams in the SEC pre-season polls was Georgia, but for most of the season, the Bulldogs were labeled as disappointments. That seems to be the case every year when Auburn is touted as a potentially good team. When the Bulldogs are labeled as having an off year, they surprise and win on- and go on to the NCAA tournament. Now with one of the nation's top recruiting classes of 1992, expectations will be high for at least the next four years in the SEC. Georgia pulled off a major upset

last week at LSU and is showing glimpses of putting it together at the right time. They did have difficulty making free throws in the latter stages of that game and if that continues, Kentucky will have the upper hand in a tight game. Litteral Green is explosive, but the Bulldogs play better as a team when not dependent on their senior guard's offensive ability. Again, I look for a tight game and if the Wildcats display the same type of tenacity that they showed against Auburn and Alabama, they should win their 20th game of the year.

Prior to the SEC Tournament in Birmingham, Kentucky is now playing for a top three seed in an NCAA regional. That is, it must be considered one of the top 12 teams in the country. A first or second seed is nearly unreachable, but a #3 is fea-

sible. Six games remain in the regular season and wins in each would place the Wildcats at 24. If they achieve at least two wins in the SEC Tournament, that would be 26 wins and sufficient to pass by for a top three seeding.

Signs are encouraging and I look for a big kick at the end of the season. Remember, those four seniors - Pelphrey, Feldhaus, Woods and Farmer are hungry and have not played in the NCAA Tournament during their careers. Pelphrey and Feldhaus taste their first 1988 as redshirts. One losing season and two years of NCAA sanctions have made these players hungry. A lull in the middle of the season is expected and that happened to the Wildcats. A strong stretch run is expected as the second season begins.

**Rockcastle County Little League Board meeting, Sunday, February 23rd at the library at 2 p.m.**

**Final Sign-ups**  
Final sign-ups for Little League Baseball at Thacker Field in Brodhead, Saturday, Feb. 22nd from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Linescores**

**RCHS Girl's JV**

RCHS	10	16	26	33
Som.	14	25	41	60

Scoring: Becky Osborne, 7; Melinda Alcom, 6; Susie Carpenter, 6; Melinda Smith, 4; Heather Deckard, 4; Amy Robinson, 4; Dee Reams, 2.

**RCHS 4 8 19 27**  
**Pulaski 12 19 32 46**

Scoring: Heather Deckard, 9; Becky Osborne, 5; Amy Robinson, 4; Jamica Cummins, 3; Melinda Smith, 2; Kristy Moore, 2.

**RCHS Boy's JV**

RCHS	9	16	25	39
Estill	15	34	48	57

**All-Stars**  
Scorebook not available.

**February Coupon Specials**

<p><b>Grilled Chicken Sandwich</b></p> <p><b>\$1.89</b></p> <p>Good up to four • Expires 3-1-92</p>	<p><b>Deluxe Bacon Cheeseburger</b></p> <p><b>\$1.79</b></p> <p>Good up to four • Expires 3-1-92</p>
<p><b>Fish Dinner</b></p> <p><b>\$2.79</b></p> <p>Good up to four • Expires 3-1-92</p>	<p><b>Chicken Dinner 2-piece</b></p> <p><b>\$2.49</b></p> <p>Good up to four • Expires 3-1-92</p>

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## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

**Farms & Acreage**

**Commercial Property - 114 acre farm with excellent development potential across from the Renfro Valley Boat Dock.** It has a 24x60 1985 Yorkshire modular home and approximately 90 acres of cropland with a 3,253 tobacco base for 1991. Priced at \$200,000. M301

**125 Acres by the River - Located in the level Green section of Rockcastle County. Ideal for recreational or investment property. Priced at \$30,000. M325**

**294 Acres - Big Sandy Road - Near Scaffold Cane - Ideal for retreat or investment - Owner would consider selling smaller tracts. Priced at \$185 per acre. M331**

**65 Acres, more or less - Just off Chestnut Ridge Road - Frame home with 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining room combination, 1 bath, washer/dryer hook-up, city water and 1 car detached garage - 32x28x28 and tobacco barn, several outbuildings - Some mature timber & 89% lb. basic allotment for 1991. All this for only \$40,000. M383**

**400 Acres - Located on Copper Creek Road - Home has a seven 1/2 bath. - All for \$24,900. M409.**

**53 Acres, more or less - Located 2 miles from Wildlife section of Rockcastle County. The property has been core drilled for coal, has some timberland 1084 lbs. tobacco base. Reduced to \$45,000. Owner says: make an offer.**

**33 1/2 ACRES - Located in Popular Grove Section of Rockcastle County. Good farm - fire on blacktop road - Priced to sell at \$32,000. M424.**

**Bea Lick Creek Road - A Dream of a Lifetime... can be yours in this super nice home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, dining room and family room. All this on a 100 acre farm with 2 great barns and city water. \$159,900.**

**2.59 Acres - Located just outside city limits of Mt. Vernon on Old 461. Has large horse and hay barn & city water. Only \$19,900. M404**

**15 Acres - Sale - Hwy. 618 near Quinn, cleared, level land - 100' frontage - 100' deep - water available. - Call for more info. M391**

**Owens School Road - More Than A Place To Live! This extra nice remodeled home, just off Owens School Road, is 95% new with 2 bedrooms, 1-1/2 baths, living room & kitchen on a 46 acre farm with 2000 lbs. tobacco base. Hurry, Call Today! \$79,900.**

**Commercial**

**Singing Hills Development - New commercial development - Renfro Valley - Acre lots and up - Prices start at \$60,000. Be a part of the growth! M227.**

**Commercial Property - Lots of frontage on Hwy. 21 & Wallace Pike. 5.29 acres zoned B-2 suitable for any type of development. Priced at \$165,000. M235**

**1.2 Acres - Renfro Valley, Kentucky - Excellent commercial site - fronts on US 25 next door to Shell station - be a part of the growth of the valley! \$250,000. M473**

**Approximately 4 Acres - Located on U.S. 25 - In the heart of Renfro Valley - Ideal for any type commercial development. Priced at \$500,000. M335**

**Mt. Vernon's Finest Property Available for Development -**

**18-1/2 Acres, ideal for subdivision, across from Rockcastle Co. High School. City water and sewer available. Improved with 6 room house. Good buy at \$169,900. M349**

**Commercial Property - 2-Acres - Restaurant Building and Business. City water and sewer. Located at Jct. 461 & 25. Near Renfro Valley. Priced at \$325,000. M356**

**Commercial Building - Located on Main Street in Brodhead - Presently under lease - if you are looking for investment property, this one by. Priced at \$14,900. M400**

**Homes Under \$30,000**

**4 MI. South of Mt. Vernon - 1 acre with frame house. House has 3bedrooms, living room, kitchen, utility room and bath with apartment for extra income. Apartment has 2 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath and washer/dryer hook-up. Nice country setting for only \$28,500. M351**

**Mobile Home & Lot - Located on Sweetwater Road - Mobile home is in need of repairs - Priced at \$27,000. M405**

**1727 Manhattan Mobile Home - Be Moved - Home has 2 bedrooms, living room/kitchen combination & 2 baths. Priced at \$3,000. M406**

**Mobile Home & 1/2 Acre Lot - Some repairs needed. Home has living room/kitchen combination, 2 bedrooms & bath. City water. Priced at \$3,200. M407**

**Mobile Home & Lot - 1981 Clayton mobile home - 14x70 - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, city water, washer/dryer hook-up - Appliances included - storage building - 1/3 acre lot - Priced at \$19,900. M426**

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

**3 Bedroom Home - Located in Owens Subdivision - Home has living room, family room, kitchen, 1 bath, washer/dryer hook-up. - Situated on 3/4 acre lot. Priced at \$34,000. M399.**

**2 Story House - Located in Brindle Ridge section - stone and vinyl exterior - Floor plan consists of living room, kitchen/dining room combination, utility room, 2 bedrooms and bath. Total electric - thermopane windows - w/d hook-up - 10x70 stone fireplace. Situated on large lot. Priced at \$36,900. M412**

**Homes \$40,000 to \$50,000**

**Frame House - Lovell Lane - Mt. Vernon. House has 3 bedrooms, kitchen, dining room; living room - bath - New deck and patio - washer/dryer hook-up - city water and sewer. Situated on large lot. Measuring 95 x 210. Priced at \$43,900. M388**

**In Brodhead - Modern ranch-style home with over 1,200 sq. ft. Home has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining room combination, bath, utility and large 2-car garage. All on level lot. Measuring approximately 100x175. Owners out-of-state. Priced to sell at \$43,900. M411**

**Ranch-Style Brick in Mt. Vernon - large lot - 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath, utility room, attached garage, plus carport, deck and storage building. Priced right at \$49,500. M413**

**LOTS**

**LOTS - Broughton town section - Lincoln County - 12 lots - financing available - \$2,500 each. M222**

**New Subdivision - Rolling Hills - Highway 461 near Ron's Country Market - large spacious lots - restricted - city water - choose yours today! Priced from \$2,500 to \$5,000. M163**

**Rockcastle's Finest Subdivision - Houston Point Estates - Restricted Residential Lots - city water - several to choose from - range in price from \$6,500 to \$10,000. M329**

**Subdivision Near Lake - Located on the Barnett Road - 26 lots measuring 1/2 acre and up and restricted. Several of the lots front on a blacktop road and city water is available. Ranging from \$1,500 to \$4,000. M3**

**1.5 Acre - Wooded lot on Hwy. 70 - Priced at \$1,250. M423**

**Future Auctions**

**Absolute Auction of the late Ernest Brown's 3 Farms**  
Sat., Feb. 22, 1992  
10:30 a.m.  
Poplar Grove Road  
Rockcastle County

**11th Annual London Farm Machinery Consignment Auction**  
Sat., Feb. 29, 1992  
9:30 a.m.  
Flea World & Flea Market Hwy. 229 & 192 Bypass  
London, Kentucky

**17th Annual Brodhead Farm Mach. Consignment Auction**  
Sat., Mar. 7, 1992 9:30 a.m.  
Brodhead Fairgrounds  
Brodhead, Kentucky

**Absolute Estate Auction of the late Cynthia Wilder Estate**  
60 Acre farm  
Sat., Mar. 28, 1992  
1:30 p.m.  
London, Kentucky

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