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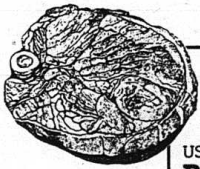
6.5 oz. can

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with coupon

Coupon good Wednesday, June 17, 1992 through Tuesday, June 23, 1992. Customer must be 18 years or older to redeem coupon and must pay all applicable sales tax. Limit one per family. None sold to dealers. #801

And while you're cashing in, hook onto the other great specials swimming at Super One.

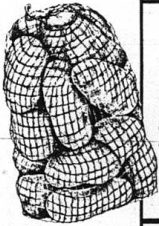
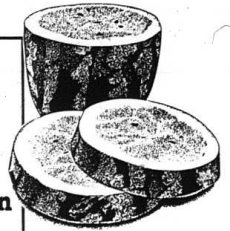


USDA Choice
**Round
Steak**

\$1⁷⁷
lb.

\$2⁷⁷

Whole
**Red Ripe
Watermelon**

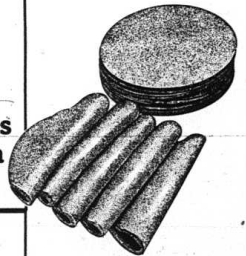


10 lb. bag
U.S. #1
**Idaho
Potatoes**

\$1⁴⁸

\$1²⁸

1 lb. pkg.
**Fischer's
Bologna**
Except Beef

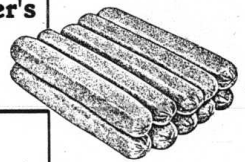


1/2 gal.
All Flavors
**Holland
Deluxe
Ice Cream**

\$1⁸⁸

88¢

12 oz. pkg.
**Fischer's
Hot
Dogs**



8 oz. pkg.
Fisher Boy
**Fish Sticks
or
Portions**

98¢

77¢

32 oz.
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COMMUNITY



Croucher - Gilliam

Croucher-Gilliam vows exchanged

On Saturday, March 21st at 6 p.m. at the Berea Baptist Church, Dawna Croucher and David Gilliam were united in holy matrimony. The bride is the daughter of Velma and Roy Lee Croucher, the groom's parents are Paula and John W. Gilliam.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Harvey Pensol before an altar adorned with a profusion of fresh flowers, ferns and candles. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father and given in marriage by her parents. She wore a gown of white bridal satin combined with jeweled tie-embroidered lace which featured a vee neckline. Juliet sleeves were frosted in lace and highlighted with pearls and sequins, lace motifs defined the skirt front and cascaded the train, the bodice back was highlighted with a large bustle bow and deep scallops of lace edged the hemline. Her veil of tulle was scattered with seed pearls and attached to a pearl tiara with an Australian crystal fall. She carried a Golden Artemis Leaf accented all white flowing cascade composed of Mt. Blanc Lilies, Jack Frost Sweetheart roses accented with spergeri, imported seed pearl garland designer lace and torino tulle. She carried a small textured gold basket and scattered white rose petals. Jonathan Poynter, age two, nephew of the bride acted as ring bearer. He carried a lace covered-satin pillow and wore a tuxedo identical to the ones worn by the men in the wedding party. The groom wore a formal black tuxedo with tails and white tie and cummerbund. John L. Gilliam performed duties of best man for his brother, groomsmen were Jeff Poynter, Teri Skupowich, Bert Brown and Jim Newby. Serving as ushers were Ray Himes, Todd Harris, Scott Buchanan and Gary Lee Stout. All the men in the wedding party wore full formal black tuxedos with tails and boutonniers of white sweetheart roses. The mother of the bride chose an emerald green crepe street length dress with gold accessories. "The groom's mother wore a fuschia shan-

ting street length dress with a white alencon lace collar. They both wore over the shoulder corsages of white sweetheart roses.

The wedding was coordinated by Donna Harrison. Music was provided by organist, Terry Gish and vocalists Joe Bognoli and Elizabeth Pike, whose selections included "I Will Be Here" and "Jesus in Your Eyes." Elizabeth Stout presided at the guest register. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Boone Tavern Hotel. The focal point of the brides table was a beautiful five tiered wedding cake topped hearts, wedding bells and floating doves of hand blown glass trimmed in gold. Servers were Tracie Alexander, Theresa Collins, Cheryl Mullins, Beth Eaton, Paula Stout and Carol Gilliam.

A rehearsal dinner hosted by the groom's parents in the educational building at the Fairview Baptist Church was catered by Anne Howe. After a weeklong honeymoon in Hawaii, Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam are residing in Berea.

Missionary Society

By: Elizabeth F. Mullins
The Ladies Missionary Society met at Ella Mae Martin's home, Sat., June

13 at 7:30 p.m.

Oh yes, it rained but Nellie Colson, Elizabeth Mullins, Barbara Watson, Loraine Newland, Marjorie and Kimberly Shivel were there. Jean Oatis came with Nellie. She was welcomed as a new member!

Kimberly Shivel gave the lesson which was a parable with a fairy tale lesson. The moral of the story was, "The more love you give, the more love you receive back."

Barbara Watson read a letter from Mike and Brenda Diskens, the missionaries the group helps to support. She also read the Grapevine, Sowder

Nursing Home's newspaper.

Ella Mae passed birthday cards she'd made for Sowder Nursing Home's July birthdays. Each of those present signed them.

R.E.A.P. was discussed to find ways that we could help this good cause.

Painters are needed to paint the inside of Broadhead Christian Church's parsonage. Any volunteers?

The hostess served a delicious dessert, dip and crackers and choice of drink.

July hostess is Elizabeth Mullins. Betty Machal presents the lesson.

Father's Day Sale

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Melanie Sandlin to wed Charles York

Mrs. Dorothy Walton of Lancaster and William Sandlin of Mt. Vernon would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Melanie Jo to LCPL Charles L. York, son of James F. and Martha York of Mt. Vernon. The wedding will be an event of June 27th at 2 p.m. at Skeggs Creek Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon. All friends and family are invited to attend. The reception will be immediately following the wedding.

"Accreditation" (Cont. from front)

Inc. occurred in February 1992.

"In becoming accredited, Cumberland River Regional Mental Health/Mental Retardation Board, Inc. was evaluated against a set of national standards by a Joint Commission team which included surveyors experienced in the delivery of mental health care services," said Kenneth Heymann, Pharm. D., vice president for accreditation surveys at the Joint Commission. "Achieving accreditation demonstrates Cumberland River Regional Mental Health/Mental Retardation Board, Inc.'s commitment to provide high quality care to its clients."

Ralph Lipps, Executive Director said accreditation shows that "we've made a significant investment in quality on a day-by-day basis from the top down. We sought accreditation for our organization because we want to be the best and we view obtaining Joint Commission accreditation as another step toward excellence."

He noted that accreditation was attainable only through the cooperation and commitment among all members. "Everyone here at Cumberland River Regional Mental Health/Mental Retardation Board, Inc. played a valuable role in working to meet the standards. I think it gives them a feeling of pride to work in an accredited organization," said Mr. Lipps. "They also appreciate the educational aspect of the survey and the opportunity to interact with the Joint Commission team."

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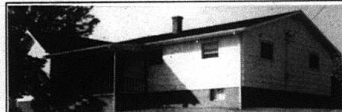
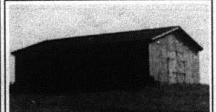
IF MORE THAN JUST A WORD WITH US

Absolute Auction

of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ponder

Modern Frame House - 16 Acres, m/1
IN TRACTS
Personal Property
Saturday, June 20, 1992 1:30 p.m.
Red Hill Section of Rockcastle County

LOCATION: From Livingston, turn off U.S. 25 in front of the Elementary School onto 1955. Follow 1955 approximately 3.5 miles to auction site. Signs are posted.

Due to the health of Mr. and Mrs. Ponder, they have decided to sell their property at absolute high dollar and will soon be moving to Berea. The property will be offered in tracts, reserving the right to regroup in any manner for the best results.

REAL ESTATE

TRACT NO. 1 - contains 5.66 acres, more or less, and has 535 ft. of road frontage on State Road 1955. It is improved with a dandy combination barn and also has a pond. This would be an excellent tract for someone to build your new home.

TRACT NO. 2 - contains 3.87 and is improved with an excellent one-story frame house. The house has 3 bedrooms, family room, living room, kitchen/dining room combination and bath. It also has a full basement, fuel oil furnace, hardwood floors, central air, washer/dryer hook-up, and almost new vinyl storm doors and windows. This tract also has 12x40 shop building and 8x10 storage building.

TRACT NO. 3 - contains 2.27 acres and has 220 ft. of road frontage on State Road 1955. This tract would also be ideal on which to build.

TRACT NO. 4 - contains 2.36 acres with 290 ft. of road frontage on State Road 1955. Fantastic view!

TRACT NO. 5 - contains 1.76 acres with 536 ft. of road frontage on State Road 1955. A panoramic view of the Kentucky hills!

When combined, there is a total of 15.92 acres, by survey.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

2 pc. Early American living room set **set of end tables** set of lamps **odd end table** **Speed Queen wringer washer** **Sears automatic washer** **laundry tub** **odd couch** **Zenith B&W TV and stand** **odd chair** **rugs** **old Frigidaire refrigerator** **wood burnin stove** **miscellaneous dishes** **table for records** **pint quart jars** **ice cream maker** **pictures** **gas fireplace log** **brass fireproof screen and trons** **vanity with bench** **Craftsman table saw and blades** **hand tools** **& 16" traler** **odd windows** **gate** **3 lawn chairs** **aluminum ladder** **4 tires** **foot locker** **car bicycle holder** **bicycle** **child's sled.

TERMS: Real Estate - 20% down day of sale, balance in 30 days with delivery of deed. Personal property - cash or good check day of auction.

Auctioneer's Note: This is one of the premiere properties in this section of the county. Remember, it's an absolute auction and the last bid will buy. See you there!

Announcements day of sale take precedence over printed matter.

For additional information, contact the selling agents:

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- In Memorials—5¢/Word, Minimum \$2.00
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Deadline for Classifieds is
Noon Tuesday

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

PROPERTY FOR SALE

For Sale: 3 bedroom house with living room, kitchen, large bath, built-in cabinets, ceiling fans, 2 large porches, total electric, flue for other heat. Large lot, 100x203 on Poplar Street, Mt. Vernon. 256-2037. 35x3p

For Sale: 3 bedroom log house. fireplace and insert, 4 acre wooded lot, 1 1/2 years old. Call 453-9508.35x4p

Property For Sale - By Owner: 13 acres - farm - house with 3 bedrooms, central air, city water-also detached garage, barn and pond. 256-2440. 342.500 - call 502-692-1074 37x2

For Sale: Dixie Boone Motel and apartments - nice income - call 256-2444 29x11

Call classifieds to
256-2244

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

For Sale: STACK CAKES! TRY one of MATTIE'S OLE FASHION STACK CAKES. They're delicious! Ole Ky. Kitchen, 1-75 And Exit 59. Call 256-3822

For Sale: 87 Honda spree 50 Scooter - excellent shape - \$400 - call 256-4933, ask for Bob 36x2

For Sale: 12 x 24 building - call 256-9490 36x2

For Sale: 1988 21' Pontoon Boat - like new - 50 HP motor - trailer included - must see to appreciate - \$6000 - call 256-5636 34x4

For Sale: upright piano, mahogany with antique finish, good condition - \$25 - call 758-8661

For Sale: 2-19" color TV's and work uniform pants and shirts, all sizes - location - well known as Cromer's Discount Store 37x2

For Sale: 10' subwoofers, in carpeted truck boxes, \$80 firm - ask 2-12' subwoofers in carpeted box, \$110 - carriers great bass - all speakers bought new in March. Call days 226-2241 and nights 256-3156. 37x2

Ten Challenge Barn Sale: new items in all time - located 1st gravel driveway to the right after Jean's Restaurant at Burr - Friday 9-5 and Saturday 9-12 37x3

For Sale: rotary tiller with chain drive and Briggs & Stratton engine - \$90 - call 758-8665 37x11

For Sale: Limousin Bull, age 22 mos., priced at \$750 - call 256-4628

For Sale: 2 - 12ft. cattle guards, factory made, concrete - both for \$950 - call 256-2678 37x2

For Sale: 1969 International 1800 Series - 16 ft. dump bed - new motor - 5 sp. - 2 sp. axle - \$4,000 - call 256-5217 23x11

MOTOR VEHICLES FOR SALE

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For Sale: 1985 Chevrolet Celebrity V-6, 4 dr. with air, good condition - \$2,700 - call 256-2915

For Sale: 1989 Ford Festiva L - 4 cyl., air, PS, stereo/cassette, sun roof, excellent condition, 36,000 miles - \$3,425 - call 453-4205 37x2

For Sale: 1984 Isuzu 4-speed pickup, long bed and 1985 Chevrolet Celebrity, PB, PS, air, 4 door - call 758-9863

FOR RENT

For Rent: Mt. Villa Motel - now phones in room - weekly and commercial rates available - cable TV - electric heat and air - Sunday thru Thursday - \$16.95 per night - call 256-2127 8x11

For Rent: Furnished apartments at Dixie Bone Motel - call 256-2444 27x11

Castle Village Apartments

Large 1 bedroom apartments and 2 & 3 bedroom townhouses with private entrances and patio, kitchen appliances and central air. Children's play area. HUD Section 8 assistance makes these units affordable for all families. Now accepting applications for WAITING LIST - Monday thru Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Apply at 165 Castle Village Dr., Broaddock, Ky. 40409. 758-4111. Equal Housing Opportunity

For Rent: trailer in town, 2 bedroom, \$200 per month \$200 deposit - also small go-cart for sale - \$75 - call 256-4267

For Rent: 2 bedroom trailer - call 256-3964 36x2

Valley View Apartments

We are now taking applications for our three bedroom, town house apartments. Private entrances, kitchen appliances and central air and heat. If you qualify for HUD Section 8 assistance, these units are affordable for all families. Applications are for our waiting list and can be taken Monday through Friday at Valley View Apt. office, located on old U.S. 25 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Equal Housing Opportunity

For Rent: Small house, partially furnished, in Broadhead. \$150, 986-2867. 35x4p

HELP WANTED

Help Wanted: Hiring in all areas - Christmas Around the World Demonstrators. No investment, delivery or collecting - free sample kit and training - super Hostess program - booking parties new - call Judy collect or direct 1-606-758-9048

Help Wanted: Basin Lumber Company Mt. Vernon is now conducting interviews for 1st and 2nd shift. Apply in person Mon., Tues., & Wed., between 8:00 and 11:00 a.m. No phone calls please. contact person Mark Bastin

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Help Wanted: The Cumberland Valley District Health Department, Rockcastle County Health Center, is now accepting applications for a registered nurse position. Qualifications are graduate of Associate Degree or Diploma program that is state approved. Current license to practice in Kentucky. Previous Public Health experience not a requirement. Excellent fringe benefits. Salary commensurate with education and experience. Applications may be obtained at the Rockcastle County Health Center, phone 256-2242, Diana Napier, PO Box 841, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. EOE 27x11

Help Wanted: Hiring waitresses and cooks - apply in person only to Derby City Truck Stop 37x3

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32 ACRES woodland, good building sites. \$9,500. 43-47.
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BUILDING LOT & ACRE IN CONWAY AREA - Has city water, propane gas, tv cable available. Not restricted. \$45,000. 6-314.
JUST LISTED - 46 Acre farm in Wildie. Tobacco base, pasture and woodland, barn and stripping room. Well for home or mobile home. Creek water for livestock. 1/2 off Wildie/Creek. Creek Rd. \$28,500
ENGLISH TUDOR - home with country setting on 1 acre lot looking over historic Renfro Valley. Features includes 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room, large 2 car garage plus much more, call today for details. 13-409.
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215 ACRES IN WILDLIE - with beautiful old well kept home! Forestry Dept. says it has lots of hardwoods, maple, white ash and oak. Call for details. 6-313. Call today.
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Yard Sale: Friday & Saturday 9-5 Owners Subdivision corner of Floyd and Wood Street...

Yard Sale: Friday & Saturday 9-7 Town Hill at Pete Hurd's

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Wanted: would like to do babysitting for children ranging in ages 3 and up...

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Yard Sale: Friday 9-5 and Saturday 7 - 11 home of Bea Hensley on Tevis Street

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Remodeling and Repair - call 758-8327

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Concrete - wants to do concrete work - 30 years experience - call 256-5640

Help Wanted: 3 state registered nursing assistants needed to begin July 1, 1992...

MOBILE HOMES FOR SALE

For Sale: 1969 12 x 60 mobile home with 12 x 24 underground addition...

ABSOLUTE BARGAIN!! 3 bedroom mobile home, 14 wide, appliances, new carpet, excellent condition...

Yard Sale: Friday & Saturday - at the home of Shirley Wallin on 1004 2 miles from Burr - 5 families - first sale this year - cancell in case of rain

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For Sale: 1988 14x72 mobile home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, and central air - on Barnett Road overlooking Lake Linville...

Yard Sale: Thursday and Friday 9-7 - Crawford Street, 1st white house behind Board of Education.

Appliance Repair - (Service Calls) and servicing window air conditioners now for spring - also parts for sale - call 256-4146

Berea Bridal and Party Zone going out of business sale. Wedding gowns, attendant dresses, wedding supplies, party supplies, fixtures and equipment...

WANTED

Wanted: Prospective subcontractors for all trades for apartments to be built in Crab Orchard starting in July...

HOLLY PARK'S 1992 SPRING BLOW-OUT

Now is the Time to Buy! To make room for our '93's, all '92's have been priced below invoice...

YARD SALES

Inside Sale: Thursday - Saturday 9-4 - corner of old 461 and 150 - lots of 25 and 1.00 items 36x3

Yard Sale: Friday 9-7 - home of Patsy Morgan on Gum Sulpher Rd - lots of misc. items - rain or shine

Davis Sewing Machine Sales & Service - Tuesdays and Fridays - Lorey Davis, 407 Crab Orchard St, Lancaster, Ky...

NOTICES

Notice is given that Pearl P. Bowman has filed a Final Settlement of her accounts as executrix of the estate of Ralph Bowman...

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Notice is hereby given that an order has been entered dispensing with administration of the estate of Mildred Ann Bullock, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate shall present them, verified according to law, to Billy Ray Bullock, Rt. 4, Box 289F, Mt. Vernon, Ky, or to Lambert & Lambert, P.O. Box 736, Mt. Vernon, Ky., Attorneys for said estate, no later than June 22, 1992 36x2

Notice is hereby given that LeRoy Brown, Rt. 1, Brodhead, Ky. 40409, has been appointed executor of the estate of Henry M. Brown. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said LeRoy Brown or to James F. Clay, 319 W. Main St., Danville, Ky. 40422, on or before Dec 9, 1992 36x3

Notice is hereby given that Ronald Sutton, 732 Scalfill Cane Rd., Berea, Ky and Linda Cheney, 5336 King Arthur Dr., Lex., Ky. 40517, have been appointed co-executors of the estate of Minnie L. Sutton. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Ronald E. Sutton or to Linda Cheney, on or before December 9, 1992. 36x3

Notice: no trespassing on property belonging to Norma Mullins on Richmond St. 36x4

Notice: \$200 Reward Offered - for information as to who stole fuel tank at Nona McFerron's in Sand Springs.

Notice: The Rockcastle County Board of Education is accepting bids for the following items: School Pictures and High School Yearbook. Bids will be accepted until 1:00 p.m. July 7, 1992. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained at the Board's Central Office. The Rockcastle County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Notice: I am not responsible for any debts made other than my own. Chris Hansel.

Notice: Lost Dog! Small female poodle - lost 6-2-92 near I-75 - Reward Offered! Call 864-6942

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Library News
By: Geraldine Robbins

The Summer Reading Program "READiscover Kentucky" is underway at the library. If you haven't brought your children into the library yet, it's not too late for them to join in the special activities. We have had two very good programs already with Charlotte Griffith and Claudia Cash. There will be special programs the next two Wednesday afternoons at 1 p.m. Shirley Martin will be here Wednesday the 24th and Lucille Carlolitis will be with us Wednesday July 1st. They will be telling stories, reading books and helping the children participate in crafts. It is not necessary for the children to come to these special programs, to join the Summer Reading Program but we planned these days for the children's enjoyment. There are several prizes to be awarded for number of books read, (t-shirts, caps, etc.) Also a first, second and third prize offered to the children with the most correct answers to the Kentucky trivia quiz.

A pizza party and birthday celebration for Kentucky's 20th birthday is planned for July 8th at 1 p.m. Prizes will be awarded at this time.

The library has received 54 new, easy books for the young children to read and enjoy this summer. These were donated to the library from the Department of Libraries in Frankfort.

Two new non-fiction books have been purchased recently. They are: 1. *Barbara Bush: A Biography* by Pamela Kilian. --- Few First Ladies have matched Barbara Bush's remarkable popularity. Even her husband's detractors often speak glowingly of her. 2. *Chief: My Life in the LAPD* by Pamela Kilian, a reporter for Scripps Howard News Service, has known George and Barbara Bush for more than ten years. Here she paints an unforgettable portrait of the American who has quietly become a woman icon.

Notice: Sheriff's Sale - July 7-1977 Chevrolet Silverado pickup, CCL147F515681 at courthouse

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of June, 1992, Martha Burdett, the duly appointed, qualified and acting administratrix of the estate of Raleigh H. Burdett, deceased, filed with the Rockcastle District Court a final settlement. Exceptions thereto shall be filed in writing with the Rockcastle District Court on or before June 29, 1992. 37x2

Notice: All flowers not removed from ground of Fairview Cemetery before June 25th will be thrown away.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Myrtle Woodwell would like to thank each and every one for the kindness shown with the loss of a dear loved one. Thanks for the food and the money and for the kind words said. Also, those who came in and cleaned and a special thank to the ambulance service and the Mt. Vernon Hospital and staff.

Thank You and May God Bless!
James, Tommy, and
Grandchildren

The parents and family of Paul Owens would like to express their appreciation to the friends, neighbors, and relatives during our time of sorrow. In our time of need we truly thank you for your kind words, prayers, flowers, cards and food you sent our way. Everything you did to support us helped through our loss. Again, we thank you.

Sincerely,
Luther & Laura Owens

The family of Elizabeth McMillen would like to express their appreciation to the friends and relatives during our time of sorrow. We want to thank you for your prayers, flowers, and food you sent.

Virginia Desjardins
Bill McMullen

Assayist Examines the Changing Ethnic Mix in America

A hundred years ago, 85 percent of American immigrants were of European ancestry. Today, 85 percent are not. *Wattenberg: Trends in the '90s - The First Universal Nation*, airing on KET at 10 p.m. Monday, June 22, looks at how the ethnic mix in America is changing as the proportion of hispanics, Asians, and the black populations grow.

Travels Journeys Into the 'Land of Oz'

English novelist Howard Jacobson leaves the breezy southern coasts of Australia and goes "Into the Land of Oz" when *Travels* airs on KET at 10 p.m. Sunday, June 21. After traveling the entire perimeter of the continent, Jacobson sets out by bus, determined to traverse some of the harshest terrain on earth to arrive at the city of Darwin on the north coast.

YARD SALE
Friday, 9 to 5 and Saturday, 9 to 2. Hunter St. beside High School, 8th house on right.

Deadline for classifieds is noon Tuesday!!

In Memory of
Delbert G. Cromer

Son, you would have been 33 on Tuesday, June 28. I think of you every year on your birthday and am so sad you are not here for your birthday. I miss you so much. Thinking of you brings back such sweet memories. How happy you were when you were here with us. You always had such a sweet smile and lots of fun and happy times before God took you from us. It was so hard to give you up so suddenly. I loved you so much. So, Happy Birthday to you son.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The second reading of the Rockcastle County proposed budget ordinance for Fiscal Year 92-93 will be held at the courthouse on June 29, 1992 at 3 p.m.

BUDGET SUMMARY

AN ORDINANCE Relating to the Annual Budget and Appropriations. WHEREAS, the proposed budget was tentatively approved by the fiscal court on the 1st day of June, 1992 and approved as to form and classification by the State Local Finance Officer on the 12th day of June, 1992.

Be it ordained by the Fiscal Court of Rockcastle County, Kentucky: SECTION ONE. The following budget is adopted for the fiscal year 92-93 and the amounts stated are appropriated for the purposes indicated.

(01)	General Fund	
	General Government.....	\$185,486
	Protection to Persons and Property	28,520
	General Health and Sanitation	25,824
	Social Services	3,000
	Recreation and Culture	10,074
	Debt Service	None
	Administration	65,251
	Total	\$318,155
(02)	Road Fund	
	Transportation Facilities and Services	\$ 5,000
	Roads	440,990
	Debt Service	84,279
	General Government	81,402
	Capitol Projects	75,599
	Administration	97,981
	Total	\$785,251
(03)	Jail Fund	
	Protection to Persons and Property	\$246,497
	Administration	196,298
	Total	\$442,795
(04)	Local Government Economic Assistance Fund	
	General Government	\$ 8,546
	Protection to Persons and Property	1,000
	General Health and Sanitation	2,500
	Social Services	1,250
	Recreation and Culture	1,126
	Transportation Facilities and Services	27,000
	Roads	45,000
	Administration	4,128
	Total	\$70,550
(27)	Economic Development Fund	
	General Government	\$24,812
	Administration	20,436
	Total	\$45,248
(12)	Forestry Fund	
	General Government-Forest Fire Protection	\$2,600
	Administration	3,500
	Total	\$6,100
	Grand Total All Funds	\$1,668,099

SECTION TWO. This ordinance shall be published in the Mt. Vernon Signal by title and summary within thirty (30) days following adoption.

SECTION THREE. This ordinance becomes effective upon passage and publication.

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

All interested persons and organizations in Rockcastle County are hereby notified that a copy of the county's proposed annual budget is available for public inspection at the office of the county judge/executive during normal business hours.

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16 oz. **1.19**

Shedd's Country Crock Quarters

1 lb. **.69**





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Sixth graders need physicals

second front

Basketball camp at RCHS

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CRP sign-up is June 15-26

second front

Dolphins lose to Knox Co. Piranhas
(See results next week)

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Old courthouse gets new look

Moving day isn't far off for county officials.

The move to the new Rockcastle County Judicial Complex is scheduled for late June to mid July.

This will leave expansion room in the existing Court House for several offices.

The most dramatic change will be that of the PVA offices. This office will be moved to the third floor and will occupy what is not the Circuit Court Clerk's office and Daniel Boone Development's office.

The six offices in the current PVA complex will be converted to jail space.

On the second floor, the County Court Clerk's office will expand to include the office currently occupied by Justice Joseph Lambert.

The sheriff's office will expand to include the two offices next to the

existing office.

Also, the office of County Attorney will be moved into the court house on the third floor in space currently occupied by Trial Commissioner and District Judge.

The office of the County Judge Executive will remain as is.

These moves take pressure off the County Court Clerk relative to storage of license plates and other items that must be maintained in a safe and controlled environment.

It will also allow the Sheriff to have space for his deputies as well as storage space for confiscated items.

Further, elevator access to the second and third floor of the existing Court House will be available through the new complex at the connector between the two buildings.

Information on the new judicial annex will be forthcoming at a later date.

Sheriff, state make marijuana haul



Deputy Sheriff Darrell Doan is shown with some of the many marijuana plants found recently during a raid on a farm at Possum Kingdom. Authorities will be on the lookout for marijuana during the summer months and into the fall until the first frost. (Photo by Raymond McClure).

Police found and confiscated 4,306 marijuana plants on a farm in Possum Kingdom.

It took police two days to cut and bag the marijuana. Plot 1 had 2,963 plants and plot 2, 1343.

The marijuana was on a farm belonging to the Brogan family. The plant ranged from a few inches tall to about a foot.

It will be remembered that on Dec. 4, 1991, Ms. Betty Brogan, 42, tried to cross rain-swollen Grassy Creek and was swept to her death down Dix River.

The car was found and towed to the home of policeman Joe Bussell. When the trunk of the car was opened, police found 60 pounds of marijuana in the car with a value of about \$150,000.

Later, her mobile home was broken in and ransacked.

Also police became suspicious when strange men were seen near the car before the trunk was drilled open.

Police who confiscated the "pot," one of the largest hauls in Rockcastle, were Sheriff Shirley Smith and wife, Deputy Libby, State Trooper Greg Sutton, Deputies Leonard Miller and Darrell Doan. The Possum Kingdom farm is for sale.

Thad's an honest fellow

Thad Cheatham is an honest fellow!

That's what Harold D. Stoffelch of Evansville, Ind., will attest.

Stoffelch lost his wallet in Dairy Mart in Mt. Vernon recently with over \$500 in cash, credit cards, driver's license and checkbook.

Cheatham, a Dairy Mart execu-

tive, found the wallet and returned it. Stoffelch offered him a reward but he refused it.

He also refused to divulge his last name to Mr. Stoffelch and we had to resort to subterfuge to report it. "I just wanted you to know there are some honest people left in this world," Stoffelch said.

Wreck injures three

Five persons were involved in an accident June 4 on Trace Branch Road.

Jackie Johnson of Ft. Leonardwood, Mo., was traveling on the road, and collided with a car driven by Phyllis Hensley, 45, of Rt. 2, Livingston.

Also in the car were Keven Hensley, 11 months and Mossie Gibbons, 68. Also in the Johnson car was Alicia Johnson, 11 months.

Deputy Darrell Doan investigated the accident.

Labor figures

Rockcastle had 654 persons unemployed in March, according to the Cabinet for Human Resources in Corbin.

There were 8,102 employed out of a labor force of 8,756.

The unemployment rate was 8.8 in March.

1991 compared to 10 in February 1992 and 7.5 in March 1992.

Highest in March 1992 in the Cumberland Valley area was 12.9 in Jackson County and 10 in Clay.

Break-in reported

A .22 pistol, \$500, and an undetermined amount of jewelry was stolen from the home of Carlos McClure on Rose Hill Road.

Entrance was gained through the front door.

Second wreck

Three persons were treated and released at Rockcastle Hospital Monday night following a two vehicle wreck on Negro Creek Road.

David Bullock of Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon, was traveling east on Negro Creek Road, Sheriff Deputies Ronnie Roark reported, came upon a sharp curve, hit the brakes and crossed into the west bound lane into the path of a car driven by William Miller of Mt. Vernon.

Miller's passenger was Regina McClure of Brodhead.

Boat stolen

Someone stole a 14-foot John Boat belonging to Carl Doan, plus a 10 horsepower Johnson motor.

The theft occurred Monday night. The boat was chained on the dock at Lake Linville.

Weather

According to Bud Cox, local weather records keeper, Mt. Vernon received .37 of rain Saturday. However, in other parts of the county, particularly to the west, the rainfall was heavier.

The high temperature this month thus far has been 84 on June 16 (the high reached during May) and the low was 48 on June 1 and 2.

County won't lose population by 2020, state survey shows

As surveys and speculation go, Rockcastle will fare better in the year 2020 than a lot of other counties in the state.

As related by the State Data Center, Rockcastle is one of those counties that may actually gain population by 2020.

The census in 1990 found 3,685,296 people living in the state. The forecast calls for that to decrease to 3,678,168 by 2000 and down to 3,586,232 by 2020.

Those numbers reflect trends of people leaving the state, as well as declining birth rates and increasing death rates, Price said.

A word of caution: Trends change. A decade ago, Price was looking at rapid growth in the 1970s and projecting a population well over 4 million by now. It didn't happen.

The study also contains a second set of figures showing a moderate but

declining growth rate if the trend of people leaving the state changes. Those numbers are recommended for use by planners and policy makers.

The latest forecast shows 70 of Kentucky's 120 counties losing people in the 1990s.

The biggest losers would be Owsley (down 15.5 percent), Harlan (down 13.1 percent), Leitcher (down 13 percent), and Perry and Pike (each down 12.8 percent).

The biggest population gains would come in Oldham (28.6 percent), Boone (23.7 percent), Grant (21.2 percent) and Anderson (17.9 percent).

Fayette County's population is projected to increase by 5 percent in the 1990s.

Kentuckians are projected to grow older.

The average Kentuckian was 29.1 years old in 1980. The average was 32.9 by 1990. It is projected to by

36.5 in 2000, 38.2 in 2010 and 39.6 in 2020.

The working-age population will increase in the '90s, but the number of children will decline dramatically.

The natural increase of births over deaths increases population about half a percent a year. By the end of the (Cont. to 2)

Cox honored by ABA

Local attorney Jerry J. Cox of the firm of Clontz and Cox was recently elected chairman-elect of the Criminal Law section of the Kentucky Bar Association at their annual meeting in Lexington. The Criminal Law Section is composed of both prosecution

Greg Brown burned

Greg Brown of the Ottawa community was reportedly badly burned Wednesday morning while burning "the pot."

He was taken to the Rockcastle County Hospital and transferred to the UK Medical Center in Lexington.



Chairman-Elect Jerry Cox

Rev. Beiting to conduct boat ministry on Ohio

Father Beiting is going on a preaching tour.

Rev. Beiting, founder of the nationally known Christian Appalachian Project, recently met with reporters to talk about a floating revival he plans on the Ohio River this month.

Beiting said a houseboat will be used on a 16-day tour to towns along the river featuring preaching, teaching, singing and dancing.

Along with Kentucky's 200th anniversary, the revival is celebrating the 500th anniversary of the introduction of Christianity to the New

World.

Beiting, a Catholic priest, said the revival will include ministers who are Methodist, Baptist and non-denominational. At each stop, local ministers and speakers have been invited to join.

Beiting, a Campbell County native, started the Christian Appalachian Project 35 years ago as a way to help the Appalachian poor help themselves. Today the project has a \$30 million budget, 350 full-time employees, 150 part-time employees and close to 3,000 volunteers.

Todd retires from VoEd

By: George Ferrell

After teaching for 23 years at Harry Sparks Vocational School, Henry Todd is retiring effective August 1 as the only teacher who was on the staff when the school opened in 1969.

Sparks' first principal, Lloyd Cain, was on hand to help Todd celebrate his retirement with a group of teachers and staff who have worked with Todd down through the years.

Donna Hopkins, the current principal at the school, was also on hand and said Todd's career has helped a lot of young people.

"Mr. Todd has trained a lot of students whose training has allowed them a lifelong livelihood," said Hopkins.

Cain also had words of praise for Todd.

"He was probably one of the most intelligent teachers that has ever been at this school," he said.

Todd said he has no plans for retirement, but he is entertaining the notion of setting up a small electrical service.

Also, recently he has received his ham radio technicians license which will allow him to talk with people the world over.

"Todd has many memories, but says some things have changed over the years.

"Electronics has gone all solid state," he said. "I had to redo the course to include solid state and digital electronics."

"To get jobs nowadays they're going to have to know hi-tech, a fairly skilled training and you can get this hi-tech training in most vocation-

schools," he said.

Todd said there is more specialization and new fields such as robotics and computers have come on strong in relation to the traditional radio and TV repair courses.

He said students have remained somewhat the same over the years.

"They're basically the same," he said. "You have some that want to learn and some that don't—some are more interested in it."

Todd said he has always been willing to help students get started in the electronics field.

"It's a program set up if they get interested and get involved in it's more and less to get them off on the 'right foot with electronics it is their type of interest,'" Todd said.

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Henry Todd, center, was honored Tuesday afternoon by some of his friends and co-workers at the Harry Sparks Vocational School in Mt. Vernon. Joining Todd were Principal Donna Hopkins, left, and his first principal, Mr. Lloyd Cain. Todd taught in VoEd for some 23 years.

Commentary
By George Ferrell

Quite often, as I stop and go in the door of a convenience store nearby my home, I stop and glance at the Wall Street Journal to see what type of stories they have that day.

The other day, I was interested enough to buy one, they are always well written and I enjoy reading up on not only the business, but the people features and business related news.

This past week a headline on the front of the B-section caught my eye: "Toy Maker Faces Dilemma as Water Gun Spurs Violence."

The story is yet another indication of the polarization in America between the rural life and the lifestyles found in big cities.

The article goes on to tell about Super Soaker squirt guns, which are the hottest sellers of the summer in the toy category.

It seems that for some youths the toy has turned into a weapon.

"Already one youth in Boston has died, and two others — one in New York, another in New Castle, Pa. — were wounded in shootings triggered by doustings."

The incidents were triggered, according to the Wall Street Journal report, by "Super Soaker-wielding youths squinting people with water, bleach, ammonia and urine."

These incidents have caused the manufacturer, Laramie Corp., a small company, to take pause at the dilemma.

In Michigan, a state Senator has introduced a bill to outlaw the squirt gun.

The mayor of Boston, has suggested that retailers quit selling the gun.

Two retailers, Woolworth's and Bradlee's have stopped selling the product and another retailer, Shaper Image, is donating the proceeds from the gun to charity.

The maker of the super squirt gun which fires a stream of fluid up to 50 feet? What is his position?

Lonnie Johnson, an aerospace engineer in Atlanta, Ga., the inventor of the toy, said that real guns should be banned instead of toy guns.

"Let's not forget which ones kill," he said.

Laramie has 70 percent of the market, but other manufacturers are jumping on the bandwagon.

It is currently outselling Nintendo — that will tell you how popular this high-tech toy is with young people.

The company, small though it is with only 50 employees and based in the Philadelphia area, has made no changes.

Some have suggested a moratorium on production. Others have called for an end to sales in the urban areas.

A toy in rural America is yet another tool of violence in urban America.

I guess that just shows us the differences between rural and urban in this country.

A simple toy squirt gun turned into a weapon, causing gun battles in the streets.

That sort of thing would have been unheard of when I grew up in the 1960's.

In rural America it is still unheard of. Why is it that everything in urban America is directed toward violence?

I don't know, but one expert quoted in the Journal, Kenneth Goodpaster, professor of ethics and corporate leadership in St. Paul at the College of St. Thomas made two interesting observations.

"Violence unfortunately is a common and accepted way of life" in inner cities. He also said, "The issue isn't the product but the locality in which it is being misused."

My guess is that these incidents are yet another sign of the times.

Urban America in recent years has been cited for the mindlessness, the cradly of crime, the lack of conscience among offenders and the ever-increasing youth living the criminal life.

My only hope is that this doesn't spill over into rural America.

Take stock, middle America, the big cities loom ever threatening in the horizon.

Be careful the next time you go to a big city, if you still care to go, because a Saturday Night Squirt Gun Special might be on the next corner.

Can you imagine the motto should the National Rifle Association take up the cause — "Squirt guns don't kill people, people kill people."

I'd guess they might have a powerful argument against the ban of squirt guns.

"Well, that's about all for this week. Head for the hills if you see a squirt gun wielding youth coming your way."

tion of the Almighty that is far more startling -- and humbling -- than anything that ever happens in a run-of-the-mill, order-of-service limited, Sunday morning worship hour." (Some congregations do not have a printed order but are just as structured when you think about it -- everyone knows what's next.)

Well, I realized I was coming on strong. So I conceded by saying, "However, 'awesome' is the only word that comes close to describing my favorite pro-basketball player, who is none other than -- and I hold out an open palm, soliciting a class response.

"Michael Jordan," several students answered in unison.

I said, "Thank you" and continued the lecture about Jacob and his trying to cut a deal with God (on Jacob's terms, of course) and of his promise to tithes if God would keep his end of the deal. God did that, but Jacob never paid the tithes. (That alone is strong evidence that he was a Baptist

who didn't feel obligated since he never signed a pledge card.)

At least five minutes later, Gretr raised her hand to ask a question.

"Yes, Gretr?" I said, expecting another intelligent inquiry.

"Who is Michael Jordan?" she asked.

"State Survey" (Cont. from front)

decade, it is forecast to drop to one-fourth of a percent a year. By 2020, deaths will outnumber births.

The survey found that counties bordering on I-75 were most likely to grow including Rockcastle, Fayette, Madison, Laurel and Pulaski, but not Whitley, Jackson or McCreary. Only 19 counties west of Louisville will have increases the survey showed.

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R.C. Singles

The Rockcastle Singles will be having a cook-out at Lake Linville under the shelter at 5 p.m. on June 20. Come and have a good time. For information call 256-3877.

Prayer Breakfast

There will be a prayer breakfast June 25th at 7:30 a.m. at the Rockcastle State House sponsored by the Kiwanis Club.

Alcoholics Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous, All-Anon, Children of Alcoholics will meet Tuesday, 7:30, Our Lady of Mt. Vernon recreation building (behind the Tenc Center on Williams Street).

TOPS

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meet every Thursday night at 7 p.m. at Sowder Nursing Home in the Blue Room. For more information call 758-4047.

Madison Shriners

The Madison County Shriners will meet Thurs. June 18 at 6:30 p.m. at the Down Under Restaurant in Richmond.

Bookmobile Schedule

Monday, 22: Broadhead, Copper Creek
Tuesday, 23: Green Hill, Conway, Boone, Fairview, Lambert Road

Wednesday, 24: Rock Villa, Mt. Vernon Manor, Brindle Ridge

Republican Woman's Club

The Rockcastle Republican Woman's Club will meet at the Red Top Restaurant Monday, June 22 at 6 p.m.

Retired Teachers Assoc.

The Rockcastle County Retired Teachers Association will meet on Mon., June 22, at 3:30 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Library. Devotion will be given by Bro. Wendell Romans of First Baptist.

The guest speaker will be Ms. Virginia Murrell who is a member of the Kentucky Teacher Retirement System Board in Frankfort. Please make plans to attend this important meeting. Refreshments will be served.

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Summertime television is usually dull, but not the past two weeks.

Watching the Chicago Bulls win the NBA championship again was most enjoyable. And there are no words to describe Chicago's Michael Jordan. Danny Ainge of the losing Portland Trail Blazers was correct when he said Jordan "is the best player on the planet." Many think he is the greatest basketball player ever. And mentioning Michael brings to mind an occasion when the table was turned on me.

Not long ago when I was a professor at a mid-south, Baptist College, Gretr, a thirteenth Nursing major, enrolled for Religion 101, Old Testament Survey. Not "teared in Sunday School" like most of her classmates, she asked clarifying questions often. Too often for a handful of students whose only goal was to get that required course out of the way. After all, since they knew everything they needed to know about the Bible, why take the course? Whenever Gretr raised her hand, that cluster of students — the kind who rolled for the back row seats — smirked or rolled their eyes upward as if to say, "Oh, no, not the Nerd again!"

One day when Gretr was absent, I chided her scoffers for their attitude and told them Gretr was encountering Bible stories for the first time. I also remarked that a few of them would not be flinching with a failing grade if they had a tad of Gretr's "zeal for knowledge." I thought that was a clever way of getting on their case and praising Gretr at the same time.

In the very next class meeting, we studied the story of Jacob's "Ladder

"Dream" in the Book of Genesis.

I explained to the class that when Jacob awoke and said "How awesome is this place!" he was describing a "fearful" awareness of the presence of God. In other words, it really shook him up!

Then in an aside remark, I commented that the term "awesome" is used frequently and loosely today, as in "Man, your new sound system is awesome!" or "My tee shot on the last hole was totally awesome!"

In other words, "awesome" depicts anything above average. But there is a problem: when a word is used too often, it loses its impact. (When we applaud everything, nothing stand out — even in church.) I encouraged the students to reserve the expression for very striking experiences, such as seeing a Saturn rocket lift off or viewing the Grand Canyon for the first time.

"Awesome," is best used," I explained, "when it describes a recog-

"Todd retires"
(Cont. from front)

He estimates that he has had over 600 students down through the years, most of them young men.

A native of Berea, Todd graduated from Berea High School and went on to attend Berea College and EKVU.

He has worked in private industry and in various government training programs.

Todd and his wife, Rhonda, a registered nurse, reside in Berea and have one son who is currently doing research at the University of Kentucky while working on a Master's degree from EKVU.

Todd says he will miss everyone as he leaves.

"After a while there comes a time you get tired," he said. "I'll miss the teachers, the students and the staff too."

He said he's taken some ribbing, especially during the speechmaking segment of his retirement party.

Still, Todd says he may return and do substitute teaching during his retirement years.

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 Earl and Minnie Ponder, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Sherry Sue Mahaffey. Tax \$50.
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 Willie L. and Carol Ann Coffey, real property located in Mt. Vernon, to Allen H. and Virginia Gilpatrick. Tax \$58.00.
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real property located in Rockcastle County, to David and Donna Buswell. Tax \$14.00.
 James Harold and Viola Robinson, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jack and Margaret McCormick. Tax \$10.00.
 Sybil Cromer, real property located on the waters of Roundstone Creek, to Gwen Holbrook. No tax.
 Ricky Ray and Patricia A. Kirby, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Kimberly J. Hoover. Tax \$40.00.
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 Henry H. and Laura Cook, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Lucille and Paul Beisner,

Edward and Mona Jean Robinson and Anabelle Helton. Tax \$50.

Marriage Licenses

Rebecca Gail Lamb, 17, Rt. 2, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Donald Abney, 23, Mt. Vernon, farmer. June 10, 1992.

Circuit Civil Suits

Commonwealth of Kentucky Ex Rel Molly R. Brown vs. Timothy L. Owens, agreed order for medical support. 92-CI-00130-J.
 Mary Linda McClure vs. Roger Earl McClure, petition for dissolution of marriage. 92-CI-00131-J.
 Janice Beverly Ingram vs. Jeffrey Keith Ingram, petition for dissolution of marriage. 92-CI-00132-G.M. McFerron vs. B.W. McFerron, petition for dissolution of marriage. 92-CI-00133.

District Court Suits

ITT Financial services vs. Elvin W. Singleton, \$2,159.86 plus interest claimed due on note. 92-C-00055.
 Kentucky Account Services, Inc. vs. Larry Settles, \$501.56 claimed due for services. 92-C-00056.

Small Claims

William E. Kidwell vs. Danny Craine, \$25 claimed due for antenae. 92-S-00038.
 Arvel McGuire vs. Darin Sigmon, \$80 claimed due for pup. 92-S-00039.
 Kings Creek, Inc. vs. Rebecca Hammond, \$740 claimed due for furniture. 92-S-00040.

Zola Wenger vs. Anna Mae Lovell, \$1,500 claimed due. 92-S-00041.
 Judy Dillingham vs. Trisha Tillery, \$787.33 claimed for damage to car. 92-S-00042.
 Gregory K. Hopkins vs. Estif Baldwin, \$775 claimed due for defaulting work on rebuilding engine. 92-S-00043.

District Court

Alcohol intoxication: Billy Milburn, \$25 plus costs; Charles E. Piman, \$50 plus costs; Melvin Smith, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 Speeding: Ricky Powers, \$40 plus costs; Michael A. Barbour, \$48 plus costs; Chester Jones, paid \$112.50 prepayable; Bobby J. Hall, state traffic school (pay costs).
 License to be in possession: Gary Cromer, \$25 plus costs.
 Defective equipment: Troy Harrison, Michelle A. Ashberry, Tommy E. Graves; Darin M. Sizemore, \$20 plus costs.
 Disregarding stop sign: Lee A. Ballard, license suspended for failure to appear.
 Driving contrary to law: Clifton G. Hammond; Elmo Price; Joyce Witt; Jason U. Kates, \$200 plus costs.
 No motorcycle operators licenses: Elmo Price, \$50.
 No head gear motorcycle: Elmo Price, \$50.
 No insurance: Saundra Baker, \$500 (suspend \$475).
 Theft by deception: Alma Mason; Anthony E. Mason, \$10 plus costs.
 Show cause hearing: James D. Lawrence, \$97.50; Quimon M. Vanzant, \$299; Danny Conner, \$217.50; William Lane, \$657.50; Leonard J. Thomas, \$687.50; Tracy Spurlock, \$66.50; Danny Conner, \$105; Jeffery A. Shivel, \$474.
 Balance due: Michael McFerron, \$817.50; Acres Harris, III, \$542.50; Rocky Powers, \$87.50; Ricky Caudill, \$450, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor,
 This letter is to the Superintendent of Rockcastle County Schools and the principal of our high school.

I called Mr. Cash last week and asked about pictures of the graduation this year and was told they didn't make any as they were too expensive for the parents to buy as everyone knows we weren't allowed to go down front and take pictures. I was told they had a place for people to stand to take pictures of their children graduating. We weren't told about this place and I don't believe anyone else was. Since when did they worry about parents spending money? This was an occasion that only once in a lifetime and to think we were denied that right makes you want to do and think very bad things about our schools. I already do. But they gave time to a woman to get on our stage and politic for Mitch McConnell, that was a cheap, low blow to a very dignified occasion. Our school system and the state is trying to separate families, there's no other excuse. I wonder if any other grandparents feel like this? With the school tax money we pay we should

have all been on stage. In fact they should have to do it again and let parents get the pictures that they deserve after getting up early, fighting with teenagers to keep them in school, spending money that we could ill afford, and supporting our schools the way we have. I have backed Mr. Cash all the way through Jason's high school. But if another one of my grandchildren graduates I'll get their pictures. You can count on it.
 Liz Mahaffey

Dear Editor,
 As someone who has moved many times and as someone who has experienced quite a few schools in Ohio and a couple of schools in Rockcastle County I have been greeted in many schools with cold indignation to say the least.
 My children attended both Mt. Vernon and Livingston Schools this last year. As former Mt. Vernon students, they did not wish to attend Livingston Elementary. I also had my apprehensions, after hearing what poor quality educational values they had.
 Well, my children attended L.E.S. for five weeks, due to unforeseen difficulties they were forced to return M.V.E.S. for the next six weeks. To my surprise, my children did not want

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Bears win Minor League, Cardinals win Major League, Reds lead Senior League

Compiled by David Brock

Two regular seasons have ended while another draws near in the Rockcastle County Little League. In finishing, the Bears came out on top of the Minor League with a flawless 14-0 record while the Cardinals claimed the Major League with an excellent 13-2 record. The Reds lead the Senior League with a 9-2 record going into the final weeks of regular season play.

In action this past week beginning with the Minor League, the Pi-

rates defeated the Giants, 24-14, and the Angels, 18-8. The Bears also routed the Giants, 17-1, while the A's defeated the Giants twice. They beat the Giants 23-21 and 22-14. Steven Carrera hammered a grand-slam to win the first game.

Note: Last week's Little League report left out the fact that Brad McNew had a grand-slam for the Pirates.

In Major League action, the Cubs whipped the Pirates, 21-11, defeated the Twins, 11-1, and edged out the Cardinals, 11-4. The Cardinals also

took three victories with wins over the A's, 15-2, the Reds, 17-0, and the Pirates, 15-4. Also following with wins were the A's with a 11-1 win over the Twins and the Pirates with a 7-5 win over the Reds.

The Indians defeated the Dodg-

ers, 14-2, to begin action for the Senior League. The Pirates followed with a 9-6 win over the Reds. The Indians

edged out the Expos, 12-11, in eight innings while the Expos bounced back to defeat the Dodgers, 16-3. The Dodgers rounded out the week with a 6-5 victory over the Pirates.

League standings are:
Minor League: (1) Bears, 14-0; (2) A's, 10-4; (3) Pirates, 8-6; (4) Angels, 3-11 and (5) Giants, 1-14.

Major League: (1) Cardinals, 13-2; (2) Cubs, 11-3; (3) A's, 7-7; (4) Pirates, 6-9; (5) Reds, 4-10 and Twins, 2-12.

Senior League: (1) Reds, 9-2; (2)

Indians, 9-4; (3) Expos, 6-7; (4) Dodgers, 4-10 and (5) Pirates, 3-10.

Home runs leaders for the leagues are:

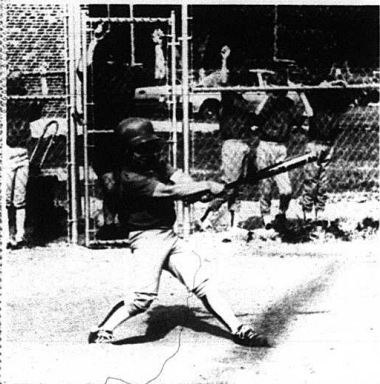
Minor League: Derrick Bussell, Bears, 3; Travis Eller, Bears, 3; Brad McNew, Pirates, 2; Steven Carrera, A's, 2; Sean Smith, Bears, 1; Brandon Bishop, Bears, 1; Shea Davidson, Bears, 1; Jarrod Burdette, Bears, 1; Jason Moore, Bears, 1; Brooke Roberts, Angels, 1; Derrick Bradley, Angels, 1; Greg Harper, A's, 1; John Smith, A's, 1 and Joel Deatherage, A's, 1.

Major League: Brian Houk, Cubs, 4; Blake Childress, Cardinals, 3;

Dusty McClure, Cardinals, 3; Andrew Carrera, A's, 3; Nathan DeLeon, A's, 2; David King, Cardinals, 2; Jimmy Houk, Cardinals, 2; Donald Monk, Reds, 1; David Griffin, A's, 1; Jeff French, A's, 1; Matt Brown, Cardinals, 1; Chris Bishop, A's, 1 and Josh Martin, Twins, 1.

Senior League: Jason Payne, Pirates, 5; Chris Kirby, Reds, 4; Brent Asher, Expos, 2; Scottie Cotton, Reds, 1 and Jonathan Lake, Expos, 1.

Minor and Major League tournaments begin Friday at Thacker Field. Please see tourney brackets for details.



Brandon Bishop gets a hit for the Bears in their Minor League game against the Angels Tuesday night.



In recognition of having successfully completed all requirements for their rank in the Shotokan Karate Club instructed by Renald Camp of Richmond, Joshua Lyons receives his bluebelt; Rebecca Lyons, yellow belt and Thomas Coffey, blue belt.



Amber Thacker of Copper Creek caught this whopper catfish in a local pond. The fish weighed 6 1/2 pounds and was 22 inches long.

Rockcastle County Basketball Camp at RCHS July 13-17

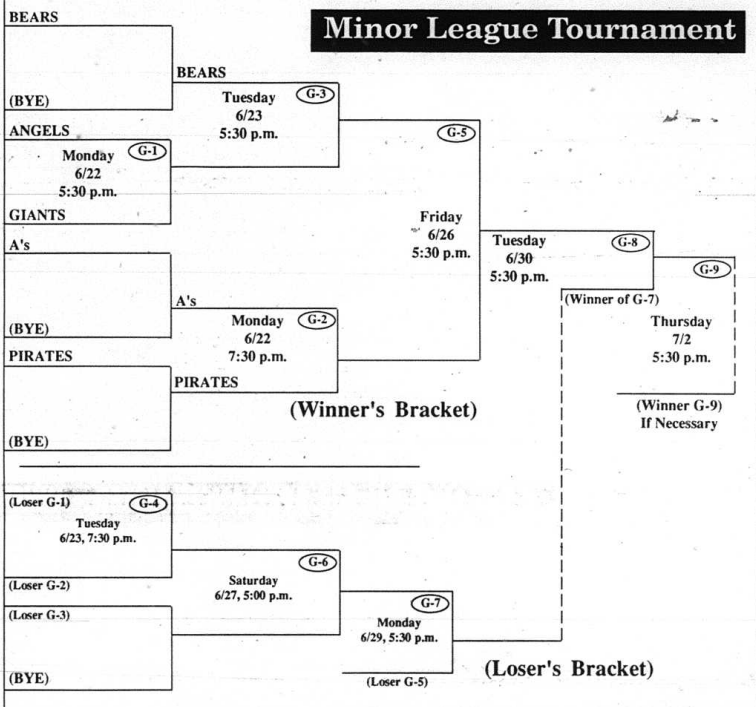
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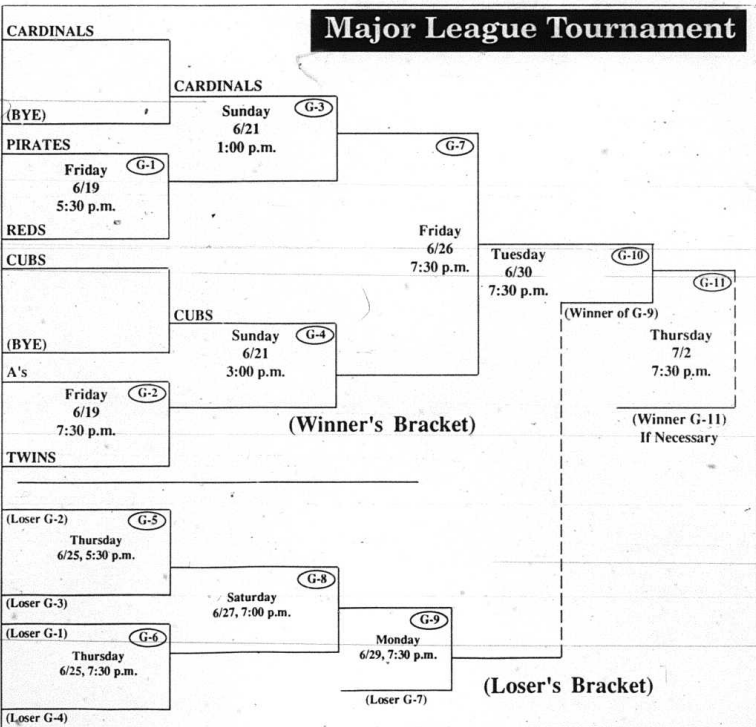
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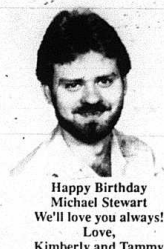


Major League Tournament





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Happy Birthday, Anna Rose



Happy Birthday Michael Stewart
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She's doing great!
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Happy Birthday, Nancy
Love
Papaw and Chad



Good heavens!
Look who's ten time seven
Happy Birthday Poppy



Chris Hansel fished these three Copperheads while fishing at a pond on the Ivan Cummins farm on Chestnut Ridge. Three males were 4 foot, 4 foot 3 inches and 3 foot long.

Births and Birthdays



Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lee McClure of Stockbridge, Ga. are proud to announce their first child, Michael William McClure. Michael was born March 26 at South Regino; Medical Center in Georgia. He weighed 9 lbs. 3 ozs. and was 21 1/2 inches long. His maternal grandparents are Patricia Melvin and the late Charles Melvin of Ga. Paternal grandparents Leon McClure and the late Grover C. McClure of Mt. Vernon.



Hi! My name is Kayla Marie Cameron. I celebrated my first birthday with a Minnie Mouse party at my home. My daddy and mommy are Michael Cameron and Debbie Rowe. My grandparents are Estil and Marie Kirby and Earl and Pat Cameron. I want to thank all my family and friends for all the nice gifts I received.



Wayne and Sandy Sizemore are proud to announce the birth of their first child, a son, born Feb. 28, 1992. The name Tyler Wayne has been chosen. Tyler was welcomed home by his sister Candice. Maternal grandparents are Wayne and Janice Denney of Mt. Vernon. Paternal grandparents are Alma Paddgett of Eubank and Sawyers Sizemore of Manchester.



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"Mother of the Year" conjures up pictures of aromatic delicacies being pulled from state-of-the-art ovens, den mothers, classroom volunteers, and cheery chauffeurs transporting half the neighborhood to a variety of enrichment activities. This, of course, is a myth... I suspect most "Mothers of the Year" have their share of gloom and exhaustion and perhaps are selected for a notable achievement or two worthy of the award.

But over the course of the last couple of weeks I have had a few conversations with a woman who would be my nominee. A year ago, when she had been in the county for a few months, I was introduced to this high strung woman who fluctuated between despair over her dreadful past and almost euphoric gratitude she had for the people and agencies in Rockcastle for her first taste of love, trust and stability.

Her children, pre-adolescents, were almost unmanageable in the group I was running. They certainly were unable to relate or participate in any meaningful way. Their constant nerv-

ous activity and silly remarks effectively assured negative attention from the other kids. Later I learned of the dozen or so moves the family had had to make in order to escape and survive. Mother and children were so fragmented from the fear and continual changes that they had lost the ability and motivation to connect in any meaningful way with other people. In fact the girls dropped out of the group where I had first met them.

A number of months later we got re-acquainted. The younger child had an habitual sweet, bright smile on her face. The older one was a little tougher, but she, too, was open, communicative and shared her sister's ability to make good eye contact and chatter appropriately about what was going on. Both were active participants in school activities and sports.

When I saw their mother I commented on the almost miraculous change in her children. In fact, she phoned me first: the first of a number of calls she made to make sure her children would have transportation home from the event they wanted to attend. She could not yet be the "cherry chauffeur" because she had

no car, but her consistent monitoring of her children tipped me off to the reason for the changes I had witnessed in them.

Recently we have had some longer conversations in which she told me of her determination to turn her family around. She has worked hard on her own problems by seeking counseling and support group involvement. This has given her added strength to be a better parent. She sets realistic limits and stays on top of their whereabouts. But the most remarkable thing she has done, and probably the key factor in their turnaround, is that she has set aside an hour every night when she and her children can just talk. They can talk about anything, but the hour is devoted to them. (A commonly quoted statistic states that the average American parent spends from 30 seconds to five minutes per day really talking to their children, other than giving commands.)

An hour a day! I'd hold this lady up against any Mother-of-the-Year on this score. What an inspiration to other mothers! She has found a secret success that any mother can achieve, and the proof of her success is in the pudding. Two lovely children are content in teenage able to concentrate on growing up, and able to relax and feel confident thanks to a year of terrific mothering.

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June 22 through 26, 1992

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Wednesday: Sausage gravy, whipped potatoes, tomato juice, biscuit, hot apples

Thursday: Battered fish, pinto beans, chopped greens, corn bread, hot roll, red gelatin/fruit

Friday: Sliced ham, macaroni and tomatoes, green beans, hot roll, fresh banana

"Our Readers Write"
(Cont. from A3)

to return to M.V.E.S. and when they did they were at least 4-6 weeks ahead

of M.V.E.S. and were treated poorly by both the office staff and students.

In the third 6-week period of school, they were returned to L.E.S. for the remainder of the school year. My children were ecstatic to say the least. When they both took the C.T.B.S. test both of my children did better than they ever had before.

As every parent has, I have had many occasions to go to school, whether to pick up my kids over illness or to check on their progress, etc. At Mt. Vernon I have been treated like a major source of discomf, or that I have been wrong in coming to school.

At L.E.S., after some very serious home situations, my children notably had an excellent learning opportunity. They also found comfort from the teaching staff, specialized attention from Ms. Deborah Cummins, and a warm general attitude from the whole staff, from Mr. Mink down to the janitor.

On my occasions to visit L.E.S., I, as a parent, have been greeted with open warmth, concern and an eagerness to answer questions concerning my kids and their progress. I have a lot more desire to be involved with L.E.S., P.T.A. and concerning groups. I have attended an informational meeting over Chapter 1 and have been informed more by the staff at L.E.S. than I have at any school my children have attended anywhere.

The entire staff at L.E.S. is concerned over not only getting through the year, but with the whole child and the family.

Through my experiences with the

staff I have discovered they truly feel there is more to teaching than in a book, and that there are many aspects to a child, from home, friends, school and self. The entire staff concerns themselves with the whole child, not just the one presented to them in the classroom.

As a parent, I would like to acknowledge what a wonderful school L.E.S. is, and how lucky I consider my children to be able to attend this school.

I would also like to thank all of the staff at Livingston Elementary School for their time, their consideration and the extra effort they put forth from their hearts.

Signed one grateful parent,
Jackie Jones

Dear Editor,

In the June 4th Signal, several names were omitted from the list of donations to Project Graduation. We would like to thank the following:

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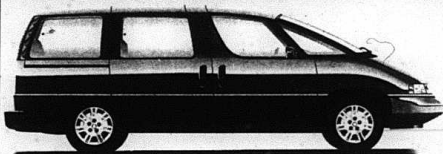
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Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter have moved their home and business to Berea and have authorized our firm to offer this property for the high dollar.

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TRACT NO. 3 - is a large lot with approximately 300 ft. of frontage on Hwy. 150 containing 2.11 acres, more or less. City water is also available. Since there are no buildings on this tract, it would be ideal to build on to suit yourself.

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Livingston News

By Frances Dickerson

Margaret Burdine, Mr. and Mrs. B.F. Cote and family of Covington were in Harlan recently to visit a cemetery.

Velma Singleton, Margaret Burdine, and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Calhoun were in Knoxville Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brian Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson of Port Charlotte, Florida visited her niece, Mrs. Lena McClure, Tuesday. The Thompsons were enroute home after spending several weeks in Columbus, Ohio.

The Burdine girls and Tasha spent the weekend in Knoxville.

Sunday was an important day for the Mahaffey Family on the hill, they all celebrated Everett's birthday.

Mrs. Janice Sue Gentry and a lady friend of Orlando, Fla., spent last week with Mrs. Gentry's smother, Mrs. Hazel Halcomb.

Mrs. Patsie Swanner, (Bennett and Julia Mullin's daughter) her daughter-in-law, and two grandchildren visited Denver and Hazel Mullin Friday. They were going to London to attend the Swanner Reunion.

Jim Whitaker is a patient in Rockcastle Hospital.

Carrie Ann Milburn is a patient in U.K. Hospital in Lexington.

The Bond family are rejoicing over the new baby born to Bobby Ray and Linda. The new son was named Stephen Ray.

Bobby Lee McClure had the misfortune of getting his arm broken.

Ruth McClure and her daughter Aleda Bond were in Lexington Sunday visiting Carrie Ann in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mullins and Rachel of Frankfurt visited John's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mullins, Sunday Stuart returned home with



them, he had spent the week with his grandparents. Stuart leaves for a vacation in Florida this week.

Mt. Vernon News

By Vallie Burton

Mrs. Elizabeth Stokes has returned home after spending a few days in the Rockcastle Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Viola Sebree and daughter Andrea Kilpatrick and daughter of Va., and Mrs. Sheila Zemmi of Ft. Wright visited Mrs. Shirley Burton recently.

Patricia Holland and grandson Mark Eaton visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Mink at London last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Fielder of Ariz. visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Houston recently. Mrs. Houston is on the sick list. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Stanley Burton and son Erik of Texas are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Carter this week.

Word has been received that Virgil Cromer of Norwalk, Calif. passed away recently. Mr. Cromer was the nephew of Mrs. Arthie Kirby and Mrs. Rissie Brock. We extend our sympathy to all the loved ones in their time of sorrow.

Mrs. Lillian Holt and children of Louisville and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stephens and Amanda of Lexington visited Mrs. Arthie Kirby and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kirby recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stephens of Clay City and Christine O'Hare of Fla. visited Mrs. Arthie Kirby Sunday.

Shirley Burton and sister Mildred Hunt were at Opryland Saturday and took a ride on the General Jackson boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Ismael Tackett have returned home after spending last winter in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoke Helton of Ohio and Mrs. Sallie Hale visited Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Barron while Monday.

Mrs. Sam Newton of Somerset visited her mother Mrs. Vallie Burton Monday.

More correspondents on pg. A9

Shown in this five generation picture at let are back row from left: David Shivel, Richard Shivel and front row from left: April Wren holding Devil Lance Wren and Cleo Shivel.

Reunions

David Webb Reunion

David Webb Family Reunion will be held at Cumberland Falls state Park at the Lodge Frt., June 26. There will be a picnic at the picnic area down by the falls and on Sat. June 27 there will be a luncheon in the multi-purpose room at 12 noon. There will be a large family group there and any and all family and friends are welcome!

Ama Lee Pa-Payne Family

Ama Lee Pa-Payne Family Reunion will be June 21st at 10 a.m. until ? at the Family Life Center at Renfro Valley. First reunion they have ever had! So far there is already going to be between 80 - 100 people. (Family is from Brodhead)

Allen Reunion

The Allen Reunion will be Sat. June 20 from 3 - 7 p.m. at the Renfro Valley Family Life Center (Shelter at top of hill). Bring a covered dish and let's plan to eat at 4 p.m.

Joe Fry Adams Reunion

The Joe Fry Adams Reunion will be Sat. June 20 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Library. All relatives and friends are invited to attend. Bring a covered dish and enjoy the day. Lunch will be at noon.

McGuire Reunion

The McGuire Reunion will be June 27 at the Family Life Center. Relatives and friends are welcome. Please bring something good to eat.

Jones-Hasty

The Jones-Hasty Family Reunion will be held Sun., June 21 at the Family Life Center, Renfro Valley, first building on right. Bring a covered dish.

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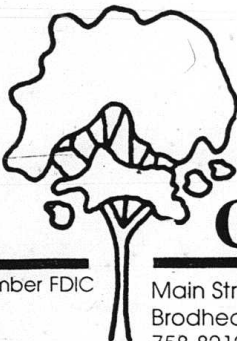
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Having sold their home, Mr. and Mrs. Coffey will soon be moving to Florida and have said "Sell Everything." There's something for everyone in this auction - good furniture - hard to find antiques and collectables.

The following is only a partial list of the items to be sold:
3 maple hutches**4 oak china cabinets**walnut china cabinet**maple hutch**waterfall bedroom suite**3 wicker chairs**wicker table w/glass top**breakfast sets**mahogany dining table**school desk**2 pair lamps**oak high chair w/ tray**pine office cabinet**mahogany corner shelf**mahogany kneehole desk**mahogany kidney shaped end table**oak secretary**miscellaneous lamps**fainting couch**cherry dresser**oak dresser**walnut table**pressed back oak rocker**pine corner cabinet**square end table**half beds**3 chest of drawers**entertainment center**4 night stands**almost new floor lamp**cedar wardrobe**walnut 6 drawer highboy**wall cabinet**TV cabinet/bookshelf**miniature cedar chest**
Pine Depression berry bowl and relish dish**glassware**9 cranberry goblets**Coca-Cola pitcher and 12 glasses**carnival bowls**candy dishes**Set of China (8) tea set, pitcher, sugar, cramer, 6 cups and saucers**composites**grape pattern goblets**Cranberry pitcher w/6 glasses**butter dish**eggs dining**carnival nest on nest**meat platters**crock soup bowl**several commemorative bottles**cartoon glasses**2 granite pieces**

Miniature wash barrel**several picture frames**Johnson and Johnson First Aid kit**matchbox**pillbox**floor fan**5 cast iron skillets**porch swing**exercise bike**umbrella stand**microwave**candle holder**cookie jar**cracker box**several canopies/facade doll bed**old white cradle**odd desk**2 electric heaters**bicycle**mirrors**His/Her matching chairs**3 bar stools**Sears sewing machine**G.E. automatic washer**Plus many more items too numerous to mention.

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The Roundstone Preschool classes also enjoyed a terrific picnic at the Family Life Center's Recreation Center. The children built castles in the sand and played on the swings. They really enjoyed taking off their shoes and wading in the creek. Pictured left to right are: Amanda Hoover, Will Cope II, Tiffany Anglin, Katie Stevens, Chris Adams, Harold Burdette, Latoya Lamb, Joshua Knuckles, Frankie Cope, Dustin Durrell and Kyle Johnson. Teacher Paula Davis and I.A. Kathy Coffey want to thank Shelby Reynolds and Tammy Gabbard for a very enjoyable preschool year.



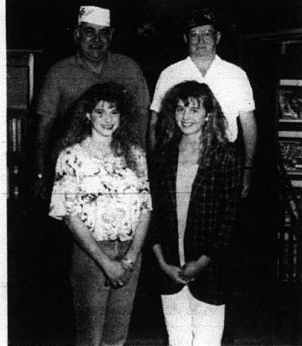
The Roundstone Preschool afternoon class had a warm, hot sunny day to have a beach party before the end of school was out. Did they go to the beach? No, just their back yard. The children wore swimsuits, sunglasses and laid on beach towels. They enjoyed music, sand, sun and water. Pictured left to right: Will Cope II, Hannah Burdette, Tiffany Anglin, Katie Stevens, Kyle Johnson, Chris Adams and Latoya Lamb. Teacher is Paula David and I.A. is Kathy Coffey.



Cooks at RCHS were presented with a bouquet and a balloon on the last day of school compliments of co-worker Dorothy Lovell. Ms. Lovell was at home during the last weeks of school recovering from an injury resulting from a fall at work. From left are: Bonnie Porter, Dora Sturgill, Vicki Anglin, Jean Albright, Thelma Mullins, Ruth Hopkins, Jerid Bullock and Joyce Leace.



The Roundstone Preschool classes enjoyed touring the Rockcastle County Hospital. The children experienced the heart monitor, looking through a microscope and "riding" on the CAT SCAN table. We want to thank Joy Callahan for the tour, Dr. Kim for sharing her stethoscope, Dr. Arvin for his hugs and Mr. Keene for all his words of wisdom. Pictured are Dr. Kim with Jordan Hall and Ms. Joy with Jessi Rucker.



The Rockcastle Chapter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars recently awarded \$1,000 scholarships to two 1992 RCHS graduates. The scholarships went to Darla Wenzel, left, daughter of Robert and Darlene Phelps and Sonia Morgan, daughter of David and Patsy Morgan. Pictured with the recipients are veterans Tom Miller, left, and Gilbert Shepherd.

bles us again next year with another reunion.

Local Student Graduates from Centre

Tracy Burdett of Mt. Vernon received a B.A. in economics and

government at the 169th Commencement of Centre College held May 31. Burdett, son of Ronald and Renee Burdett of Mt. Vernon, was a member of the Baptist Campus Ministry. He is a graduate of Rockcastle County High School.

Rickels Reunion

By: Ann (Rickels) Whitaker

Mrs. Mable Rickels had her family reunion on May 30th at Quail Community Park. There were one hundred and eight (108) present with the farthest ones from England. Then next

was Texas, Florida, Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Tennessee and Kentucky. Games played included horseshoes, with J.P. Smith taking home the trophy. The oldest present was Mary E. Overby from Ohio and the youngest was Elizabeth from Eubank. Lots of good food was had by everyone and lots of fun seeing one another once again. Hopefully the Lord will

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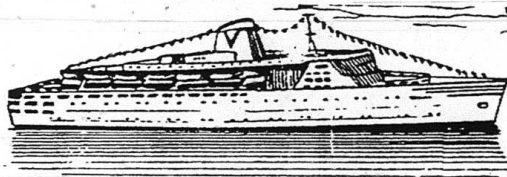
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Obituaries

Abrams

John Henry Abrams, 64, of Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, died June 9, 1992 at Rockcastle Hospital.

A native of Jackson County, he had lived in Mt. Vernon for the past 11 years. He was a member of the Flat Gap Holiness Church. He was a retired Eastern Kentucky University plumber and veteran of the Korean War.

The son of the late Len and Lula Howard Abrams he is survived by his wife Oma Hensley Abrams; a daughter, Regina Abrams of London; two sisters, Vivian Hensley of Richmond, Ind. and Sarah Caudill of Manchester.

Five stepsons survive: Thomas Begley, Richmond; Douglas Begley, Mt. Eden; Lewis Begley, Richmond; Michael Begley, Norfolk, Va.; and Donald Begley of Mt. Vernon; six stepdaughters, Sue Simpson, Richmond; Marcelle Hightley, Richmond; Wilma Howard, Mt. Vernon; Lois Begley, Mt. Vernon; Jeanette Pearce, Hamilton, Ala.; Marsha Sparksman, Berea and 27 step grandchildren and seven step great grandchildren.

Services were held June 12 at Williams Funeral Home, Berea with Bro. Raymond Fingleton officiating. Burial was in Scaffold Cane Cemetery.

McMullen

Elizabeth McMullen, 92, of Crab Orchard (Bee Lick Community) died June 10, 1992, at Humana Hospital-Lake Cumberland, following a long illness.

She was born in the Bandy community, May 19, 1900, daughter of the late Joseph Thomas and Sarah Francis McWilliams Reynolds. She was a homemaker.

Her husband, Fred McMullen, whom she married May 12, 1922, died Aug. 3, 1955. Survivors include a daughter Virginia Desjardins, Crab Orchard; a son Bill McMullen of Michigan; a brother Clarence Reynolds, Crab Orchard and four sisters, Clara Bee Broughton, Crab Orchard, Dessie Reynolds, Somerset, Dovie Cash, Lancaster and Lucy Logsdon, Shelbyville, Ind. 7 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by a brother and two sisters.

Services were held at Morris and Hislop Funeral Home with Bro. Danny Gilder officiating. Burial was in Eubank Cemetery.

Drew

Services for Mrs. Dicie M. Drew, 87, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and formerly of Rockcastle County, were conducted June 15, at the Dalbert and Woodruff Funeral Home in Cincinnati. Burial followed in the Pine Thicket Cemetery on Red Hill near Livingston.

Mrs. Drew was the widow of Armps Drew and is survived by three sons, Philip, Roy and Armps D. Drew; four daughters, Edna Beasley, Ruth Whitton, Ruby Irvine and Jean Laws; a brother, John Malcott and a sister, Hazel Drew, 20 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Local arrangements are by the Dowell and Martin Funeral.

Wilson

Ben Wilson, 81, of Mt. Vernon, died Tuesday night at the Rockcastle Hospital. Funeral arrangements are by the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home and are incomplete at this time.

'In Remembrance'

In remembrance of Samuel Manis who passed away March 16, 1972. He still is sadly missed by his son Wayne Manis and his wife Lorene Manis.

Brodhead News

By Mary McWhorter

Mrs. Novara Proctor who is a patient in Garrard County Hospital is improved at this time. Our prayers are for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Denton Alexander of New Richmond, Ohio spent a few days with Bob and Clara Proctor and attended the Crab Orchard Alumni Banquet.

Mrs. Irene Burke, Joan Truelove, Pat Buckland, all of Richmond, Ind., were weekend guests of Lori and Mary Elizabeth Harris.

Ronnie and Carol Singleton of Louisville spent Saturday night in Berea and attended the Alumni Banquet and visited Pat Pruitt and I Sunday afternoon before returning to their home. We sure were glad to see them. I had a call from Gervis Singleton in London wanting me to come down as his son Allen and family from Georgia were there.

The Mamic Halcomb Family reunion was held Sunday near Renfro Valley. There were around fifty of the Halcomb generation present.

Henry was unable to be there. Mamic said they all enjoyed being together again and hope Henry's health will improve and he will get to come for a visit later.

They feel like family to me as Mamic and her daughters baby sat for me while I worked in our store. Also they were good customers in our store until it burned. We sure missed all the people who traded with us.

Quail News

By Vivian Owens

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Cupp, Sarah and Brian of Ohio spent Thursday night with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cupp and visited Florence Albright a while Friday morning.

Jennifer Rogers spent Friday night with her grandmother Florence Albright.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGee of Utah visited her sister, Mrs. Ola Phelps, last week.

Jeremy Owens and Donna Bullock spent Friday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ponder. Visitors of Lillian Brooks this past

week were her cousin and wife from Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brown; her uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Brown of Spiro; her brother and wife, William E. Mink of Stamford, Lillian, her cousin and wife and uncle and wife, also visited their cousin Mr. and Mrs. Preston Parrett in Broadhead and her family for a while. They were so glad to be together for a short while as they seldom get to see each other.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Todd visited her aunt, Ruth Mink, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Edna Pope visited her sister Mrs. Leonard "Red" Bishop and Mr. Bishop Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Owens visited his mother Mrs. Mattie Owens Sunday afternoon.

Wayne Caldwell of Ohio spent a few days with his mother Mrs. Edna Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Bullock and Kristy visited Mr. and Mrs. Junior Wolfe Sunday evening.

Mrs. Vivian Owens and Mrs. Betty Hodge spent a week in Ohio visiting Mrs. Owens sons, Mr. and Mrs. Estil J. Owens and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie N. Owens and family

and Mrs. Hodge visited her daughter Mrs. Charlie N. Owens and Mr. Owens and family.

Mrs. Roberta Dyer of Texas spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Zelma Hayes and family.

Bro. and Mrs. Ed Gibbs of London visited Mrs. Zelma Hayes and family Sunday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Mullins were Mrs. Irma Evans and grandson of the Northern part of Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hensley, Bill Roach and daughter and a friend of Ohio and Mrs. Edna Miller of Berea.

Mrs. Sella Scoggins visited Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lawrence Friday evening.

TOPS Winner

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) held their annual recognition days on May 29, 30 at the Drawbridge Inn at Fort Mitchell. This years theme was "Rock With Tops" was attended by over 1600 members.

Sixty-three members received their diplomas as they graduated to become Kops (Keep Off Pounds Sensible).

The David Fox Award was given to the chapter who had the best aver-

age weight loss per member. Tops Ky 344, Middleburg received it with an average of 15.87 pounds per member.

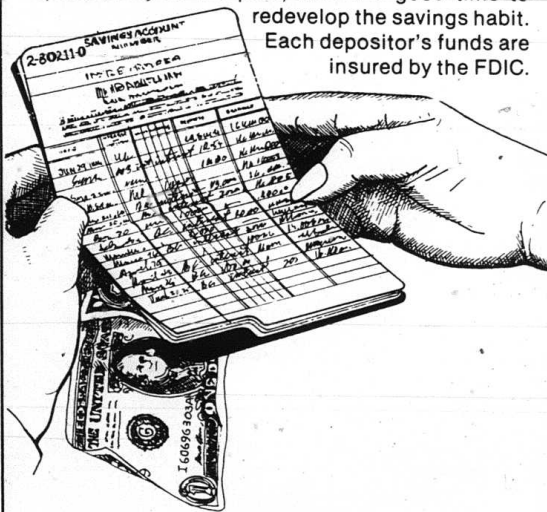
This year's State Queen crowned was Dot Schweinhart for Ky 124, Louisville with a total of 124 pounds. The State King was Harlan Best from Ky 46, Owensboro with a loss of 93 pounds. They will represent Kentucky at this years IRD (International Recognition Days) which will be held in Vancouver, Canada with all expenses being paid.

It was announced that Central and Eastern Kentucky Area Captain, Brenda Hamm from Stanford was Area Captain nation wide. She will be recognized in Vancouver, Canada at IRD with an all expense paid trip. Kentucky Tops has 232 chapters; There was a total loss of 37,219 1/2 tons in the Kentucky chapters last year.

Tops is a non profit organization and is open to both male and female from age 7 and older. Membership fee is \$16 annually. For more information on how to start a new chapter in your area or to locate one in your area call 1-800-932-TOPS or 606-365-7641.

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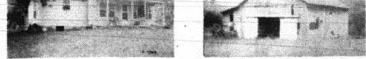
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BY HILDA PAYNE GABBARD



Things got too exciting around here for me with folks talking about the "duck raffle". I'm having so I look out for Northern Kentucky to see my last grandson, Brandon Cornell, graduate from Scott High School in Kenton County on Wednesday last week.

I also got to visit with my son, Chesley, and wife Judy Cornell, who live in Edgewood, and my other son Russell Cornell.

"I'll always be interested in anything about schools and education. I was real proud to see my last grandson walk across the stage in cap and graduation gown."

I loved the chatter of the students, noisy talk, screaming girls, boys feeling they were now on their own, anxious parents, tired looking teachers, important looking speakers, school band playing for the crowd. I was proud of the graduating class who now would face the outside world maybe as a number.

I returned the next day for I was expecting guests: Chesley brought me to Lexington where we took the train and I enjoyed the short trip and hated to come home.

My guests were my niece, Jane Lee Dondanville, and her son, Attorney Jeffrey Dondanville from Burbank, California, who had flown in to Lexington and rented a car to drive to Berea.

I was so happy to see Jane Lee, my (deceased) brother, Stanley's daughter as well as my great-nephew, Jeffrey whom I had never met.

Jane Lee was in her '85 when we had a Payne Family Reunion at our home.

She had not expected to return to

Kentucky for years, if ever, until Jeffrey made it possible. I am so grateful to him for bringing his mother back to see me for as Jane Lee said I might not be here in another year or so, on which I agreed with her.

We went to our church, Galilee Baptist, on Sunday and took our visitors, Jane Lee and Jeffrey with us. We were so happy to have them with us and to go to church.

Jane Lee reads the Citizen so they pretty much know what goes on back in Kentucky (Jan Stevens says I tell everything.)

So they were anxious to meet and hear Bro. Steve Cole preach. At the end of the service, I told the church members who they were and that they wanted to hear Bro. Cole preach since I had written about him in my column (so my news goes a long way).

John and I had pictures made at the church after lunch for the church book that is being made.

Then we, and our guests, went out to Bro. Cleve Payne and wife, Blanche's home for a family get together or "mini reunion" of the ones left out of the 11 Payne children.

Nathan Bluford, living in Michigan, Cleveland, and myself are all the ones living but Bluford didn't make it home at this time.

The next of kin were sisters-in-law, Mary Frances Payne, wife of Howard and Blanche, wife of Virginia.

Nieces came next with Cleve and Raymond Nunn, daughter of our sister, Angie. Peggy and Lucien Rowlette, daughter of Howard, and Jane Lee, daughter of brother Stanley, with her son, Jeffrey.

Jeffrey had a camcorder movie making camera which made pictures of folks moving about as well as talking. It was very interesting to see and hear when he played the film back to us on our television.

Blanche served some strawberry and coconut pies as well as cake with coffee later. I meant to go back and ask for seconds. The food tasted so great and we appreciated Blanche cooking it instead of serving duck beans with sow belly and fried pumpkin as Cleve usually likes, as well as John and Raymond.

Jeffrey had made pictures of every spot that Jane Lee remembered from her past life in Kentucky and wanted to take back to California with her and show to the rest of the family.

In Berea, I want to send congratulations to Carol Lippincott, my instructor in a Body Recall Exercise class this past semester, for being one of two people who received the Eagle Award which was presented to her for her dedication to the Body Recall program by Dorothy Christman, who was the founder of Lifetime Fitness for all.

I wish to send thanks and appreciation to Martha Edith Carnes of Richmond for her continued help in the upkeep of the Abney Memorial Garden near the Macedonia Church. It's folks like you, Martha Edith, who cause our loved ones to live on in respect in our memories.

Duck raffle report. John came in saying, "When are you going to close out this raffle business and have a drawing?"

"I can't seem to let them go for they're so cute, purfy and white. I may not have one and just give every one their money back," I told him.

We went to see Cousin Russell Robinson who has been ill. I called first to ask Christine if it would be all right to stop by.

"Tell Russell I will make him a good meal if he'll buy some ducks," I told Christine.

Russell had heard of my raffle with the ducks so when we got to their home, we saw a dollar bill lying on a table near him. Russell was so

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Jack Lakes, over on Mason Lake Road, said they had gotten rid of their last two ducks who tried to stay in their garden all the time but during loose, he would take a ticket and turn loose the ducks in their yard.

Barbara, his wife, said she liked nothing as ducks and chicken in their yard, but would go along with Jack on the deal. Now, that's nice kin-folks!

On June 8th, Mattie Lakes Pigg had an exciting time when her family celebrated her "zero" birthday, for she never did tell me how old she was when we talked on the phone.

She was taken to Kastle Inn Restaurant in Mt. Vernon by her family, to celebrate, and turn on as Don Stevens and Perry Williams did. Renfro Barns will want her next!

In the party were Mattie and husband Greeley Pigg, guests of honor by a specially decorated cake, Nellie Veal from Lexington, a cousin who helped daughter Gay and Perry Williams, and daughter Joyce and Don Stephens.

Mattie said she received so many nice gifts she thought it must be Christmas time but it was a loving family who did this for a mother who had "done" for them through the years.

The birthday supper was out of this world too since it was Christine Brown, Greeley's niece, who prepared

Teen Corner Perspective

If you haven't been to the Teen Center lately, then you've been missing out on some good games. Right now we're in the process of getting a softball team together, and we could use more players boys or girls. We are in the process of setting a model train set, and we plan on catering it around the city of Mt. Vernon. Maybe if you know someone who worked on the railroad and knows a lot about trains, then we would appreciate your help and input. Don't forget about all the upcoming activities going on such as swimming, field trips and our ball teams. Lastly we invite you, the parents, to come by and take a look at the youth center. We provide a good place to hangout, and always a safe environment.

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Stella Dees, once of Creek but, now living in West Berea on Wallace-town Road. She is getting lunch in bed being spoiled by her family.



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6384	Thomason, Bentley and Brenda	36.88	6831	York, Adam and Betty	26.16
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6425	Tillery, Melissa and Richard	17.23	6847	Zaring, Jeff and Lee	26.16
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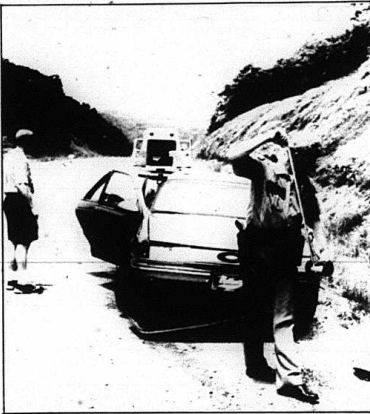
Former Livingston postmistress dies in Berea

Mary Alice Scoggin, 67, of Postmaster Kingdom Road and retired postmaster at Livingston, died June 14, 1992 at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington.

A native of Laurel County she lived in Livingston for many years. She was a member of the Westside Baptist Church of Berea and the Eastern Star.

She is survived by her husband William Ray Scoggin of Berea; a son, Charles Wendell Wyse of Independence; a step-son, Gervais Scoggin of Broadhead; a daughter, Mrs. Roger (Peggy) Helton of Berea; four sisters, Charlotte Philipot and Jessie Binion both of Dayton, Ohio, Lena Morris of Springboro, Ohio and Donna Parker of Clarksville, Ohio; two brothers, Walter Gaines of Kettering, Ohio, Tilford Gaines of East Bernstadt; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Two brothers preceded her in death.

Services were held at Lakes Fernal Home in Berea June 17 with Revs. Taylor Hampton and George Waddle officiating. Burial was in Berea Cemetery.



A family from Ashville, North Carolina, suffered minor injuries Tuesday on northbound I-75 between the Mt. Vernon and Livingston exits. The one car accident, which caused somewhat severe damage to the auto, happened when the vehicle hit part of a truck tire, and then hit an embankment.

Rogers votes to extend unemployment benefits

U.S. Rep. Harold Rogers voted to provide Kentucky workers who have lost their jobs with an additional 20 weeks of unemployment benefits.

"What we need most is jobs for our people, and that's what I'd rather be voting for -- programs that will help put our people in Eastern Kentucky to work," Rogers, R-Ky., said after the House vote Tuesday night.

"But I voted to extend unemployment benefits because we also have to provide emergency help to those who need it most," he said. "When you're hungry, when the mortgage is due or you need clothes for your children, you need help right now -- and I aim to see that our people get it."

Rogers noted that almost 7,000 people are getting unemployment assistance through state offices in Corbin, Harlan, Hazard, Jackson, Pikeville, Prestonsburg, Somerset and Whitesburg.

"Without another benefit extension like the one Congress passed back in February, the benefits for most of these people would run out by the Fourth of July," Rogers said. "I will fight to keep that from happening, even if it means fighting the President to see that their benefits continue."

About 37,000 people throughout Kentucky were receiving unemployment benefits in March, the most recent month on which statewide information is available, and the average statewide unemployment rate was 7 percent. In Eastern and Southern Kentucky, at least 13 counties had jobless rates higher than 10 percent.

"We're looking at 16.3 percent unemployment in McCreary County and 15.1 percent in Morgan," Rogers said. "The average was 13.1 percent for Breathitt County in March, 12.3 percent for Letcher and at least four

counties -- Clay, Eschil, Harlan and Logan -- topped 11 percent. "We need to create jobs for all of our people. But while we're working on that, we need to help these people survive. That's what extending unemployment benefits is all about."

Rediscover Kentucky

Those who enjoy nature and experiencing some of Kentucky's remaining undisturbed scenic lands will have that opportunity June 21-27 during the "Discover Kentucky" event.

While much has happened since Kentucky achieved statehood 200 years ago, Kentuckians and visitors to the Bluegrass state can see and experience a slice of pioneer Kentucky by spending a day at one of the areas that has been protected to preserve our natural heritage.

"Discover Kentucky" is a week of hikes, canoe trips, tours and presentations across the state designed to highlight the rich heritage throughout the commonwealth. Most activities, such as a short walk or a day-long excursion into a state park, nature preserve, wildlife management area or other natural area are free and open to everyone.

The "Discover Kentucky" event is a cooperative effort of the Kentucky State Nature Preserves Commission, Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources (KDFWR), Kentucky Department of Parks, Wild, Rivers Program of the Kentucky Division of Water and Eastern Kentucky University's Division of Natural Areas.

Each agency will take part in conducting a variety of tours and visits to some of the state's most unique landscapes, habitats and scenic areas during the week of June 21-27. Several of the trips require advance registration. Trip, scheduling information and a map of where events will be held is available in brochure form by contacting any of the participating agencies, including the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife at (502)564-4762. The brochure also provides information on the difficulty of terrain ranging from easy to physically demanding.

The KDFWR encourages interested persons to sign up early with the appropriate agency since in some cases, the number of people each trip can accommodate is limited.

Awarded accreditation

Cumberland River Regional Mental Health/Mental Retardation Board, Inc. has achieved accreditation from the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations.

Formed in 1951, the Joint Commission is dedicated to improving the quality of the nation's health care through voluntary accreditation. The Joint Commission on-site survey of Cumberland River Regional Mental Health/Mental Retardation Board.

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Groundbreaking held for new diagnostic center at Corbin

By: George Ferrell

Baptist Healthcare System recently held a groundbreaking ceremony for a new M.R.I. (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) diagnostic center in Corbin.

The center will be near the first Corbin exit, and will be on a site adjacent to the Baptist Regional Medical Center.

The site is on U.S. 25E next to Shoney's Restaurant.

The diagnostic center is expected to cost approximately \$3.5 million including land, equipment and building.

Originally the project was to be a joint venture between area hospitals and physicians. However, the federal government released new regulations which strictly narrowed acceptable joint ventures among healthcare providers.

"A lot of hard work has gone on prior to this," said Dr. John Burt, President of Baptist Regional Medical Center. "It is for all the people of Southeastern Kentucky. This is really the beginning."

Burt praised the medical staff and all those involved in bringing the M.R.I. center to Corbin.

The center is expected to open by late 1992. It will be approximately 4,500 square feet and will employ between four and five people. Magnetic Resonance Imaging (M.R.I.) uses electro-magnetic and radio frequency fields to construct detailed cross-sectional images of the body.

It has been found to be highly effective in the diagnosis of diseases or injuries to the head and spine.

Other uses include diagnosis of knee problems, strokes, multiple sclerosis and other injuries or health problems which require the detailed imaging.

"It is projected that the center will perform eight scans per day, five days a week."

The M.R.I. is similar to an x-ray only it provides an enhanced view of the area.

Chairman of the administrative board, Paul Parker, also spoke at the groundbreaking.

Parker said support from other Southeastern Kentucky hospitals was critical to the project and he noted many of those who had helped in

bringing the project about.

A spokesman said the reason the M.R.I. diagnostic center is at a different location from the hospital was the "desire to make it a regional M.R.I. — more accessible than the hospital."

The center hopes to provide advanced diagnostic support to area physicians and hospitals.

Sixth graders will need physicals, immunizations

Sixth graders next school year, take notice!

Under a new state regulation, all youngsters starting sixth grade in Kentucky's public schools this year must take a physical examination.

Previously, children were required to be immunized against measles and rubella before entering sixth grade. Now, children will not be allowed to enter sixth grade without the physical and the vaccination.

Parents who have not already scheduled physicals and vaccinations for their youngsters should call family doctors or local health depart-

ments now, health officials say. If everybody waits until late July or early August there will be a crunch, they say.

Officials generally recommend that parents contact their own family physicians to have the exams performed.

But those who don't have a family doctor can have their youngsters examined at local county health departments.

Fees that health departments charge for the exams are based on ability to pay. The measles-rubella vaccination costs about \$5.

Help with Spring Clean-Up

Please pick up some orange garbage bags at the Court House and help clean up the roadway near your home.

So suggests Judge Roland Mullins, the County Road Crew, and the Solid Waste Office who need your help in keeping our county cleared of debris. If you have adopted a road, now is the time to get your crew together and have a work day.

"If there is a dump in your area, please report it to us so the necessary action can be taken to have it eradicated," the Judge advised.

County Ordinance 90-3 states it is illegal to dump or permit the illegal dumping of garbage, refuse, rubbish, and debris on any property within the county limits. Any person violating this provision can be served notice and will have fifteen days to abate the nuisance.

Please call the Solid Waste Office at 256-2313 if you can assist you in keeping Rockcastle County one of the most beautiful and environmentally safe places in Kentucky.

CRP sign-up set for June 15-26

The latest round of Conservation Reserve Program signups will be June 15-26, but this round will be different from the previous 11 signups.

New types of land may be eligible and the enrollment and bidding procedures have been overhauled.

"The 1990 federal Farm Bill made several important changes in the program to emphasize environmental benefits and to modify the bidding process," said Craig Infanger, Extension agriculturist.

The most recent legislation provides that not only highly erodible land farmed in 1986-90 is eligible, but also land that contributes to water quality problems or land that is involved in public water supply protection, Infanger said.

Under the new provisions, filter strips adjacent to stream or wetlands are eligible for the program. Under these provisions, landowners may have to grant the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the program's sponsor, a long-term easement restricting land use on fields under contract," Infanger said.

The bid review process will include eligibility determination, comparisons with the prevailing land rental rates, and an analysis of the potential water and other environmental benefits. The application process will begin in Kentucky, but

the selection and bid price determination will be made in Washington, D.C.," Infanger said.

Although U.S.D.A. will not provide estimates in advance of what bid would guarantee acceptance of a particular parcel into the new program, it is thought that prevailing rental rates are the important variable in determining an acceptable bid.

The estimated environmental benefits from a particular parcel and the use of easements means that the upper limit of bids could be two or three times the prevailing rental rates, Infanger said.

He advised landowners who are interested in the program to contact their ASCS or SCS office in their county.



The Roundstone PTA recently held an appreciation pot luck for everyone who had made 1991-92 a successful year. The officers for this year presented Mrs. Howard with a potted plant for her support and help. The PTA received a ribbon, a plaque and a certificate for increasing their membership by a large number over last year. Pictured left to right: Debi Moore, president; Joann Thacker, vice president; Mrs. Kathryn Howard, principal and Sharon Croucher, publicity.



April Powell, right and Marilyn Coffey co-authored the district-wide first place award winning essay "Operation Prom" in a contest sponsored by the Professional Association of the Kentucky State Police. The theme of the 2nd annual contest was part of an education/awareness effort by the KSP aimed at reducing drug and alcohol-related deaths and injuries following high school proms and graduation. Bill Lynch, social studies teacher at RCHS who promoted the writing assignment, chose April and Marilyn's essay which was then submitted to be judged against winning essays from six surrounding counties in the district. The other counties were: Clay, Laurel, Pulaski, Wayne, McCreary and Whitefly. Shown in the photo are also Jack Lawless of the Kentucky State Police, Mr. Lynch, and Glen Dalton, a sergeant detective and district representative for the Professional Association of the KSP.



Ina Hayes of Mt. Vernon is shown receiving a plaque from Joe Mullins as she recently retired after 30 1/2 years of service at Parker Seal in Berea.



Recently the members of the All America Club presented City Clerk Kaye Rader a plaque thanking her for her help to the club. Standing left to right are: Tracie Souders, secretary; Charles Wayne Bullock, president; Kaye Rader, city clerk; Bobby Joe Bullen, vice president; Mike Baker, sergeant at arms.

