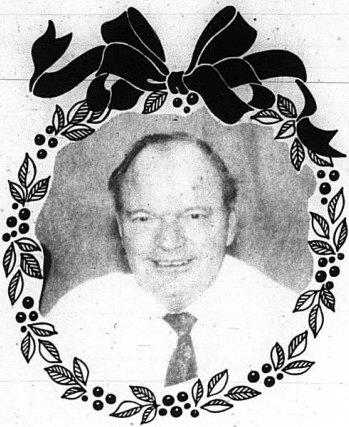


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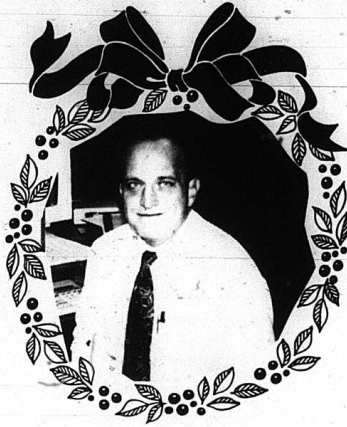


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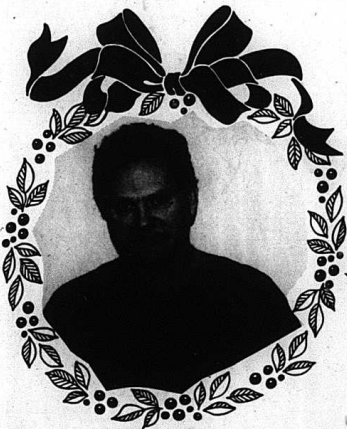
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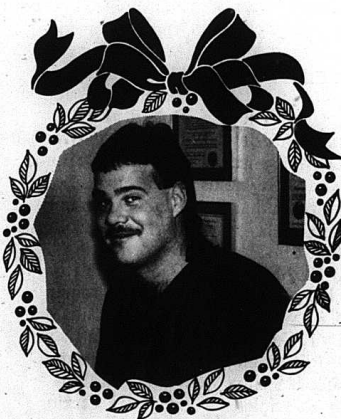
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Viewpoints



Points East

By: **Ike Adams**

It probably isn't as religious as it ought to be to talk about a church choir being competitive with others. And I don't want to insult anybody at Hyattsville Baptist Church by even suggesting that folks there think they're an iota better than anybody else.

The fact of the matter is that most of the congregation at Hyattsville Baptist, "the little church beside the road" are humble, hard-working, God-fearing, Curran Countians. Members of the choir would tell you that they sing to praise the Lord and they'd probably prefer that I let the description stop right there lest they be viewed as vain or overly proud.

So, before we go any further it is important for you to know that I am the one who is doing the bragging here. I'm not speaking for anybody else and nobody is putting words in my mouth or into the computer. If the members feel like I'm acting a little

too proud here, I simply hope that they'll forgive and pray for me.

Because what I really want to say is that I'd put this little choir up against any other that I've ever heard. Their harmonies may not be quite as in synch as the Mormon Tabernacle Choir or even some of the big churches in Lexington, and they're not normally accompanied by an orchestra or a pipe organ.

The choir is composed of some 36 members of the congregation and it would probably be a safe bet (not that any of them are prone to gambling) that most can't read a note of sheet music. But whatever they lack in sophistication they make up in obvious joy and enthusiasm. The result is a blending of voices that sometimes

sends shivers up my arms and down my spine and makes me feel warm all over.

Of course, I don't want you to

believe that I attended the church as regularly as I ought to even though my daughter, Jennifer Richter, has been a member for some time now and Loretta is scheduled to be baptized on Christmas Eve. On the other hand, when I do go, there hasn't been any indication that the roof was going to cave in, even though I've seen a few folks cast skeptical glances at the ceiling. All of which is off the point.

And the point is that last Sunday night, I received the warmest blessing I've had in a church service in many, many years thanks to the Hyattsville Baptist Church Choir.

The program was called, "When

It's Christmastime" and was presented as a cantata wherein various members sing solos, duets, etc. as well as general chorus pieces. But the choir was staged in the form of a living Christmas Tree that had been constructed of sturdy lumber and occupied the space where the choir loft and pulpit normally are. It was some twelve or fifteen feet high, I'd guess.

36 members of the choir stood on platforms inside the tree and poked their heads where you'd normally expect ornaments to be. About a dozen kids were dressed as presents

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Roamin' Rockcastle

By: **Hilda Payne Gabbard**



I want to thank all of my good readers for the calls, cards and visitors that came to see in these weeks that I didn't write this column. My mind was so numb that I couldn't put words together and it was because John, my husband, had a massive heart attack leaving him with the use of 15% of his heart. He was in the Pattie A. Clay Hospital at Richmond almost a week when he was brought home. Now he is very weak but he does get around some. The doctor told me today that John was a very sick man and no one or nobody knew how long he would live.

I do what I've always done, given my troubles to God for with him "nothing is impossible" and left them there. He knows what his life plan for John is and what is best.

I've missed writing and all the readers so I'm going to start doing it again.

December, with the one holiday that we all look forward to, is about to wind up. Christmas means a lot to everybody and especially children. Now that I have a great-grandson I can live the holiday by buying presents. My youngest son, Chesley Payne Corbett, has a birthday on December 26, and says that's when he will spend the day with us, to come down and eat Christmas dinner with

us and "to see if he gets any presents," quoting him. He is a bachelor and wouldn't want me to tell but girls, his age will be 50 this December 26th.

There, I've done it again after promising I wouldn't!

With Brother John Dodson leading the carolers, a large group from Gullies Baptist Church came to our house one night and crowded through the door singing Christmas songs. Kaye Abney had called me asking if they could come and sing for John, and me.

You don't know what that meant to us, staying in and living in worry and fear, to have a group of church folks come and sing Christmas songs to us. I didn't know everybody but they all had a cheerful happy look on their faces.

Brother Dodson, his wife, Jenny, Lee and Kaye Abney, J.T. Gadd and his wife, Doris and Mike Gaye were a special look on his face and I guessed it was from a pretty black headed woman that seemed to be with him. He looked as if he meant to go home and hang up one of his socks that night. I must ask him if he got anything that night in the sock from Santa. Sandy and Clarence Isaacson, Vernon

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HERESAY

By: **John Norman Meadows**



PRECIOUS SOULS, CHILDREN OF AN F.V.B. AGE, season's greetings and Yuletide regards from the wintery world of Wabul, and from Ned's Little Ache in particular, where Nancy and I are gearing up for the holiday. Onset of our offspring, especially our three grandsons - a volatile mixture of Power Rangers, Batman, and an innate Meadows penchant for mischief.

Speaking of mischief, I admit that I sometimes get a measure of enjoyment out of seeing monkey wrenches thrown into the gears of events that smuck of "the routine," those "going-through-the-motion" happenings that we are obliged to make happen. And dear hearts, will you not admit that our celebration of Christmas is often times raggadolly routine, especially our church "Christmas programs"? (We've even come to expect someone's child in the program to not follow the script and "act up." And we love it!)

I remember some aspects of "the Christmas program" at First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon when I was a child. The format was perennially the same: a bath-robe Beethoven drama - a really tall, decorated cedar topped by a leaning, beaming angel who looked as if he might just flutter away

Santa calling out names written on presents from under that tree - and Santa giving out "sack treats" of peppermint candy canes, candy "orange slices" heavily coated with sugar, tangerines, and "nigger" toes, as I called them then but will not now.

One of those programs is still quite vivid because it was the night I discovered that Santa Claus was actually Ed Denney, an attorney who lived across the street from the church. I can still hear his booming good-Santa voice. (I know there is no such word as "booming"; but hear with me, beloved. I'm senile and ought to get-away-with-a few things.)

Recalling that occasion, I'm inclined to think it was the beginning of my mythical understanding of the Christmas. (I use "mythical" in the

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original, older than the Bible, sense of the word—now in today's corrupt use of the term as a synonym for that which is "untrue, false, and misleading." I can honestly say, "Yes! Virginia, there is a Santa Claus."

One Christmas I've seen during the ministry of Wendell Belew (the most talented soul I have ever known personally), something different took place. A cast and crew of First Baptist folk staged Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*. Floyd Owens and Virgil Stokes played Bob Cratchit. I had a minor role, so minor that I don't remember what it was. Nor do I recall who else played whom else, only that it was a departure from the usual and that it was a big undertaking that went off well.

(Being Baptist, as you might suspect, had a lot to do with our success. I memory serves me well, the Campbells set out to produce that same Dickens' classic a year or so later, but their "Scrooge" became discombobulated during the first act, walked off the stage, and went home—without even getting his sack treat.)

Over the years I've seen or heard of a lot of unexpected departures from the commonplace in "Christmas programs." Such as...Santa's beard and mustache falling off...Santa's pants falling down, an ill-stood tree tumbling on the choir, a "Joseph" mesmerized by a "black light," falling frozen backward onto the stage, with a tremendous "thud"...a "curtain" of bed-sheets that would not open and the conversation behind as some short-tempered souls tried to fix it...a live animal taking care of business on the stage...a stage-frightened angel taking care of business on stage...a capricious Santa telling the children that Rudolph was not on the roof top because Castro shot him in the hind end as they flew over Cuba...one of the magi dropping a gold-wrapped brick on the foot of another wise man...the other wiseman screaming "F*%&, & you, Donny!"

And, dear hearts, I'm sure some of you have your own list of memorable Christmas program presentations, disruptions, and eruptions. Please take time to let me hear about them by mail, phone, or the WebNet. You could send them along with your annual Christmas present for me.

Precious children, today's *Heresay* is long "on purpose." Editor Rick Anderkin told me to "write a lot,"

because news is scarce. So, stay with me, even if you quit reading several paragraphs ago. Endure to the bitter-sweet conclusion of this digressive discourse, while I tell you why I struggle to enjoy Christmas.

Psychologists tell us that one of the fears of children is that they will be abandoned by their parents. Some overcome that fear; some do not. And try as I may, I have not.

People close to me look with bemusement (or worse) at my love of dogs and cats. As a child, I brought home a stray cat that soon had a litter full of kittens. My father put the mother and kittens in a sack and threw them into "the sinkhole." And I can still visualize him putting a rope around my stray dog's neck, leading him to the sinkhole, and shooting him with a shotgun.

Now, for some not-too-healthy mental reason, I identified with those animals. I could see my self being dropped somewhere, being kicked or "shooed" away.

I wasn't helped any by an incident that occurred one day in my parents' grocery and farm supply store. I was in the farm building, pretending feed sacks were the henchmen of Basil "the Sheriff of Nottingham" Rathbone and shooting arrows into them as I had seen Errol "Robin Hood" Flynn do.

When I heard my father approach, I fled to "Sherwood Forest," i.e. the grocery where my mother was, where I knew I would be safe.

Daddy bust through the back door of the store, and yelled to my mother who was "waiting on" a customer. "Lord God, Lucinda," he said, "Why did we ever have John Norman?"

Well, that customer cracked up and later "spread" Daddy's words. Before long it was all over town. The young and the old got a real blast out of telling that tale in my presence, over and over.

And I laughed too. Outwardly. Dear hearts, take that incident, put it with the fact that your parents were "old" when you were conceived. Throw in an awareness that your parents would not live as long as those of your classmates. Add the fact that your parents and you lived in three rooms in the back of a store while your friends' lived in "houses that had bathrooms. Add also the fact that your folks weren't well off financially or socially, tainted by the fact. Getting the picture? I'm telling you about a child who early on felt inferior, uncertain, and on the brink of "abandonment."

That child, yearning for

acceptance, tried to do good things so folks would like him. But when that didn't happen, he did "bad" things that at least got folks attention. And that's to this day wonders if his "call to preach" was from on high or was just another means of winning approval. (What a place for such a soul to be! Pastoring a church where he definitely would not always "be approved.")

When he was in his thirties, that "child" earned a Ph.D., the Everest of Academia. "Now I'm somebody," he thought. Precious souls, he was into his fifties before he began to understand what was going on in his head, that "the degree does not make the man, rather the man makes the degree."

Why do I have a hard time enjoying "Christmas"? Because "Christmas" tends to draw out the "inner, fearful child," to give him center stage, that child who years ago was sure he had "been bad" and might not "get anything for Christmas" and if he did, his presents wouldn't measure up to those his buddies received.

So, in an effort to keep that child muffled, I try to ignore the whole Christmas "mess." But my efforts to evade Christmas never succeed. Somewhere along the way, usually just a few days before Christmas, the Spirit of Christmas overcomes my inner child, and the words "O come to us, abide with us, our Lord, Immanuel" sing out in my soul.

"Naughty or nice" takes a back seat when "Immanuel" comes on stage. It is as if I'm in the eye of a hurricane, calmed by a whispering, reassuring voice that says, "John, the hurricane is real, but so am I. And I'm with you...with you...with you." And I "learn again" that "Immanuel" really never arrives. "He has been here all along."

I don't kid myself by thinking the hurricane is not real. It is real and never goes away. The winds of doubt, despair, heartache, and heartbreak circle all around, now and then drawing me into their welter. And probably always will.

But in spite of that little boy in me who pops up all too often, begging for acceptance, feeling he is abandoned, I eventually come around to admitting that this is a wonderful time of the year, that I am accepted by One whose acceptance matters most, the One whispers, "All are mine. You are mine." And I "see" that I'm accepted, that His words include even me with all my sin, as a certain hymn says. And not just me, but

—even those who are abandoned. —even those who are bed-ridden, waiting for the end, perhaps longing for the end.

—even those who know an emptiness beyond human description because it was at Christmas time that a loved one went away.

—even those whose mates, ravaged by an incurable and hideous disease, have become "strangers."

—even those who have shunned respectability and are content with handouts from a soul-less, dehumanizing system, called "welfare."

—even those who, equating "legal" with "moral," have dealt dirty hands to mates, family, and friends

—even those who, convinced they "have it made," are imprisoned by greed and a treacherous self-assurance.

—even those who are homeless, certain that neither God nor man "gives a d--."

—even those who excuse themselves from caring about the homeless, saying "they choose to be that way."

—and even sparrows that fall to earth, and kittens and puppies dropped heartlessly in the middle of nowhere.

If the above is not so, there is no

Christmas. Nancy and I wish you a blessed Christmas. So do my show-choosers—Mame, Sophie, and Tyson, and my cats—Kate, Alley, and Paws.

And we pray that Immanuel will be supreme in your hearts and minds during this holy time of the year. In other words "God with us." Even us with all our sins!



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with their arms, legs, and heads poked out the sides of gaily wrapped boxes under the tree. And then, under the direction of Tamara Logue, they sang their hearts out, non-stop, for an hour.

Several of the traditional carols had been musically rearranged so that they had to be learned all over. And I'm here to tell you that no professional group of vocalists could possibly have put on a better performance.

I'd had the blues all day and had received word in the afternoon that a former classmate and close friend had been fatally injured in an automobile wreck. I wasn't in the most upbeat frame of mind when our family left home to attend the service, but when I got back to the house I felt like I was glowing and there wasn't a depressed bone in my body. I couldn't have been unhappy if I'd struggled at it.

Tonight I plan on helping several members of the church take down the tree, which probably weighs nearly a ton, as a way of saying thanks for the best present I will receive this year and one that I'll carry with me through out the year.

And if you're ever passing through Garrard County via Highway 52 on a Sunday morning and it's nearly time for church, feel free to stop at the junction of 1295 and 52 at the little church beside the road. You'll be more than welcome.

Brother Everett Priddy will tell a few jokes and you may wonder if you're actually in church for a few minutes. But when the choir sings you'll know for sure, and that you have to come back to Hyattsville again, real soon.

And finally, from our little perch here atop Fairview Ridge, please know that the Adams family extends a Merry Christmas to one and all. May God also bless and keep you in peace, good health and abundant happiness in the coming year.

"Roamin' Rockcastle"
(Cont. from A2)

and Debbie Griffin, Penny Combs and two daughter, Kelly and Misty. A nice little girl spoke up and thanked me for the refreshments that I gave everybody which were cookies and cookies. Kaye Abney told me she was Misty Combs.

The carolers had so many homes

that had asked them to come and sing, she couldn't stay at any place very long.

That's why I want to tell them how happy they made John and me even though our membership had been moved to Macedonia. Edd Gabbard, who is the father of Woody Gabbard as well as of Kaye Abney, still is in poor health, she tells me.

My two sons, Russell Cornett and Chessley, were a lot of help to us during John's immediate sickness. They took turns coming down from Northern Kentucky to stay with us and help out. That is when your children return all the love and care that you gave them in their early life.

Hoyle Miller sold the land that belonged to the Swinford family that had been theirs for several generations as the John Payne heirs did theirs which has passed to the Paynes to other hands.

Hoyle Miller owned the John Payne little yellow house there by the bridge gave this property to Berea College. We feel sure the College will do something worth while with the property.

A son of John Howard Payne from Lexington who is a teacher in Chicago, John Howard Payne, Jr. has

bought the land once owned by Betty Payne James near the Matilda Miller property and says he is going to make a place where any of the Payne family can come back and vacation there. He wants some land to always be in the family.

That is like Peggy Payne Rowlett who has never left Clear Creek. Her body might have gone away but Peggy's heart and mind still are on the creek.

The other day Peggy and son, James Lucien Rowlett went to find a Christmas tree but had no luck at Cleve Payne's house since he and wife, Blanche were gone.

So Peggy and James Lucien went on up the Anglin Falls road where Lara Clark gladly gave them one.

Peggy said, "The reason I wanted the tree, I think was because it was a tree from Clear Creek. The tree was of a nice size, rich green color, the limbs looked strong and I may never get another one from there."

By this time you know that we didn't get to have our yearly Snipe Hunt since John's illness stopped us from taking part. I was telling Conley Saylor of Superior Market why it didn't come off and he threw his arms wide saying, "Why I was going to come and bring three big sacks so

he preaches the gospel.

Nyra Hart of Haiti Road has been ill these last few weeks. Hope she gets better in time to hang up her stockings.

I wonder if Lena Mae Gaines came through all those storms in Florida all right.

Ruth Galliff sends me such pretty cards when she writes.

Mary and John Harding came over to see the Christmas Parade going through Berea one night during the holidays. John Harding had just come from a few days stay in the hospital at Berea. He is better now.

I have returned the long neck gourd seeds that readers sent me a self addressed, stamped envelope for since we just harvested them.

I hope to be with you next week and on into the New Year of 1996 (even though I will have a birthday and get older).

And now wishing all of my readers of the Mt. Vernon Signal far across the country as well as you in Rockcastle and the rest of Kentucky, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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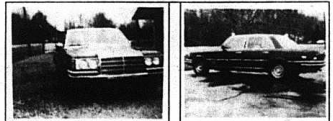
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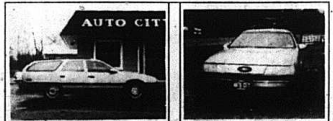
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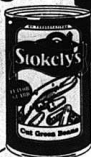
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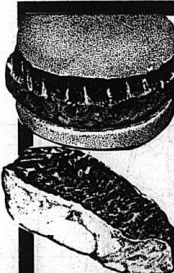
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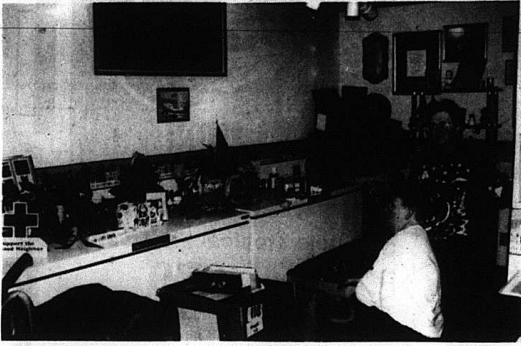


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Ann Amyx, R.E.A.P. volunteer, and LuEd Nielsen, R.E.A.P. director, were busy last week at the local R.E.A.P. office preparing food baskets for the needy for Christmas. The food was collected with the help of many local organizations.

AAA says to expect record number of travelers this holiday

A record 37.6 million Americans—3 percent more than last year—plan to travel over the Christmas-New Year's holiday, according to AAA Blue Grass/Kentucky.

AAA estimates that eighty percent will travel by motor vehicle, up three percent from 1994. Travel by air, train or bus is expected to increase 4 percent to 7.8 million.

Nationwide, motorists will find the average price of self-serve regular unleaded is \$1.12, three cents lower than a year ago. The statewide average for Kentucky is \$1.04 and in Lexington, it's \$1.07, an eighth cent increase since Thanksgiving.

Missing Man (Cont. From Front)

in Mt. Vernon Sunday, looking for the body of Ellis Robinson, 31, of Copper Creek, who was last seen in the area on October 28.

Robinson was last seen leaving the home of Darrell Griffin on Negro Town Hill.

Hansel said that a large area around Griffin's home had been searched extensively, but nothing has been found.

Family members are asking anyone with information about Robinson's whereabouts to contact his brother at (606) 355-2946 or the Mt. Vernon Police Department at (606) 256-2121.

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 Attn: Jeff Kaye
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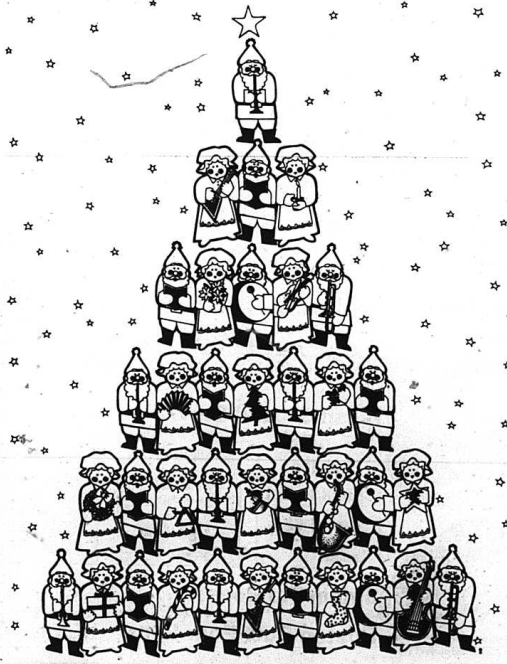


We hope what's in the boxes is just what you wished for. And it's our sincere wish that all the good cheer you brought to us to be delivered to you many times over.
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Extension Home Economics News

Nutrition education program helps Kentucky families in poverty

By: Hazel Jackson
County Extension Agent
for Home Economics



Families in poverty in 52 Kentucky counties are improving their diets and using their resources more efficiently as a result of the Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program.

EFNEP focuses on families with young children because research indicates that children don't reach their full potential if they are malnourished up to 3 or 4 years old.

Last year, EFNEP Assistants Judy Hudson and Brenda Saylor worked with 170 families in Rockcastle County. They visit homes to work with families, teach group classes in communities, and work with children through schools, 4-H clubs and summer camps.

EFNEP Assistants give basic

lessons on dietary guidelines, primary nutrients in food groups, meal planning, grocery shopping and stretching the food dollar, sanitation, and food storage. Other lessons deal with weight control, gardening, food preservation, nutrition during pregnancy, infant and young children nutrition, special diets, snacks and budgeting.

Most EFNEP families graduate after one to one and a half years in the program.

The U.S. Congress mandated EFNEP in 1968 to teach nutrition education and basic food skills to families with limited resources. In Kentucky, the program is funded entirely by the federal government.

More than 200,000 families have received nutrition education information since EFNEP began in

Kentucky in 1969. More than 625,000 additional families were given nutritional information through other agencies and programs that cooperate with EFNEP. In addition, nearly 900,000 children were reached through school, 4-H and summer programs and day camps.

For more information on the EFNEP Program, contact the Extension Office at 256-2403.

AMISH FRIENDSHIP BREAD

Traditionally, Amish Friendship Bread begins with a starter that must be fermented for 8 days. We recommend that the starter be placed in the refrigerator to ferment. Fermentation time may be one to two days longer.

Here is an even safer recipe since it doesn't require a fermented starter.

AMISH FRIENDSHIP BREAD

Adapted from "Great Good Food" by Julie Rosso, 1993

Yield: 4 Loaves

- 2 1/2 cups milk
- 1/4 cup buttermilk
- 5 cups all-purpose flour
- 3 cups plus 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1 package of active dry yeast
- 2/3 cup oil

- 1 1/4 tsp. baking powder
- 3 eggs
- 1/4 cup ground cinnamon
- 2 tsp. vanilla
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. baking soda
- 2 cups walnuts or pecans
- 1 cup raisins

Mix 3/4 cup milk, buttermilk, 3/4 cup of flour, 1 tsp. sugar and the yeast. Set aside for 10 minutes or until it bubbles. (If mixture does not bubble, heat mixture to 110 degrees) In a separate bowl, place the remaining ingredients, except the nuts and raisins, and mix well. Add mixtures together and mix well. Fold in nuts and raisins.

If mixture is a bit dry, add a little more milk. Pour into well greased and sugared (mix cinnamon and sugar) loaf pans. Bake at 350 degrees* for one hour and 10 minutes or until done.

Nutritional Analysis based on 16 slices per loaf: 134 calories, 2.8 grams protein, 20 grams carbohydrates, 5 grams fat, 14 mg. cholesterol, 46 md. sodium.

The original recipe uses part whole wheat flour, less eggs, less cinnamon and vanilla and replaces the nuts with hazelnuts and the raisins with dried cherries. Let me know if you would like a copy of it.

The County Extension Office will be closed for the holidays from Mon., Dec. 25th to Mon., Jan. 1st. We will re-open on Tues., Jan. 2.

**Congressman
Harold Rogers**

Report to Kentucky



Finally Getting Tough on Crime

Just last week, Congress passed a crime bill that finally gets tough on crime. We passed a bill I authored to fund almost all our crime fighting agencies, our prisons and the many initiatives that protect our communities and keep our streets safe.

As you might remember, last year I strongly opposed the President's Crime Bill because of its billions of dollars in wasteful social programs and an unnecessary ban on guns.

Teaching convicts to dance, providing babysitters for drug addicts and supporting midnight basketball leagues for inner-city children will not help make our streets safer. Neither will taking away the rights of law-abiding citizens to bear arms.

That's why we have worked so hard to provide funds for a crime bill that will actually take a bite out of crime, get tough on criminals and give local police and sheriffs the funds they need.

Our bill provides more money for states that make convicted murderers and violent criminals serve more than 85% of their sentences.

We provide increases for all the key crime agencies, including the FBI, DEA and Border Patrol, not only stopping criminals in their tracks, but holding back the millions of illegal immigrants flowing across our borders.

And, we provide local communities the help they need to fight crime with \$1.9 billion in crime block grants. The government provides the funding, but your elected leaders and local law officers will determine how to use it. It will give our communities the opportunity and the flexibility to solve their own crime problems without Washington bureaucrats getting involved.

As long as I have been your Congressman, I have fought for measures that really get tough on crime.

As Chairman of the House Subcommittee that funds the Justice Department, our federal courts and many of our crime fighting agencies, I am able to play a leading role in developing and funding this crime bill.

I am placing a premium on using our very limited resources on prosecuting and punishing those who get crosswise with our laws, while making sure the most violent offenders are not let off the hook. My message to criminals is simple: If you do the crime, you WILL do the time.

We are launching a real effort to solve the raging crime problem in America. Whether it is strengthening our families or using our scarce dollars on effective programs that stop crime in its tracks, we can finally say we are getting the job done.

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EKU's College of Education, the Commonwealth's largest producer of classroom teachers and school administrators, also met a high standard three years ago when it was reaccredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), the agency responsible for professional accreditation of teacher education programs.

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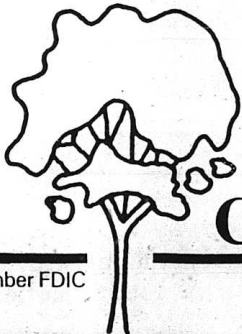
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Sports

Lady Rockets down Generals in OT, 55-53

Gut check is good as girls down district foe

When the smoke cleared and the dust settled Monday night, the Rockcastle County Lady Rockets had beaten district rival Jackson County 55-53 in overtime.

It was a good win for the Lady Rockets in that they battled throughout the contest, never giving up, and playing excellent defense on the Lady Generals who are in a rebuilding year but have some top-notch young players. One of those young players, sophomore guard Leigh Ann Parker sank a long three with 1 second on the clock in regulation play to tie the score at 50 all and put the game in overtime.

But the Lady Rockets came out battling in the overtime and Suzie Carpenter got the first points for the Rockets to put them up 52-50. However, Parker responded with two and the score was knotted again. Kristi Moore then came through with a bucket to put the Rockets back on top and Parker responded by making one of two free throws for a 54-53 score. The Lady General got the ball back on a bad pass by the Rockets but their shot went away and Suzie Carpenter pulled down a big rebound, but again the Lady General got possession but couldn't make the shot and Ginger Mink pulled down another big rebound for the Lady Rockets and was fouled with 02 left in overtime. Mink went to the line for two and converted the second for the 55-53 final bulge.

It was a game of cold free throw shooting until the fourth quarter when both teams improved considerably -- Jackson Co. was 8-13 and the Rockets were 9-14. But it was also a physical game with the Lady Rockets not afraid to hit the floor after a loose ball or to fight for the rebound and it paid off with a win over a team that won the district last year and one game in the state before being eliminated. Jackson County has also played Clay Co. and lost by only 11 in a game played at Clay.

All in all, it was a balanced team effort with Amy Robinson leading the scoring with 12 points, followed by Suzie Carpenter with 11 -- 7 of them coming in the fourth quarter and overtime; Ginger Mink had 8 -- five of them in the fourth -- and the clutch free throw in overtime. Melinda Alcorn, who played great on defense and in rebounding, got 7; point guard Jessica Albright got 6 points and many assists and Kristi Moore scored 5 points.

Last Thursday night, the Lady Rockets swamped Barbourville, leading at all the quarter stops and winning by a score of 65-36.

All total 14 Lady Rockets got into the scoring column in a game which was close at only the opening tip-off.

The Rockets took a 20-7 first quarter lead and never looked back.

Leading the scoring was Amy Robinson with 11; Melinda Alcorn and Kristi Moore, each got 7; Suzie Carpenter, Ginger Mink and Jessica Albright all scored 6 each; Nikki Bullock got 5; Joann Lewallen got 4; Jennifer Cromer 3; Dee Reams, Amanda Osborne, Brandy Reynolds, Jessica Cobb and Jessica Rickels 2 each to round out the scoring.

The girls are now 4-3 on the season and will next play in the Lincoln Co. Tournament Dec. 27, 28 and 29.

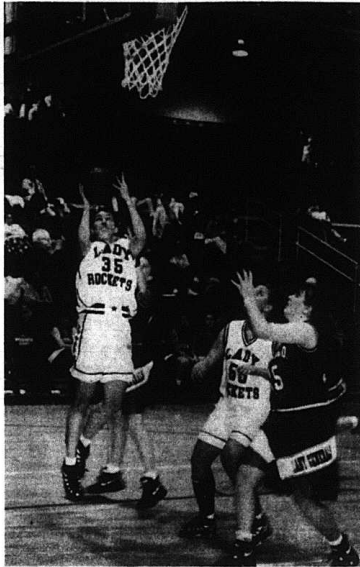
Lady Rocket JV's beat Jackson 48-30

Led by Nikki Bullock's and Amanda Osborne's 12 points each, the Lady Rocket Jayvees won their game against the Lady General Jayvees 48-30. Eight of Osborne's 12 points came from the free throw line.

The Jayvees led 6-3 at the first quarter stop; 20-14 at half time and 34-24 at the end of the third quarter.

Other Jayvees scoring were: Suzanne Brown and Jessica Rickels with 8 each; Tiffany McClure 4 and Jennifer Cromer and Joann Lewallen, 2 each.

More sports can be found on pages B6, B7, B9



Kristi Moore goes for two of her five points in the Lady Rocket's overtime victory over Jackson County Monday night, 55-53. Also in the photo is #50 Suzie Carpenter.

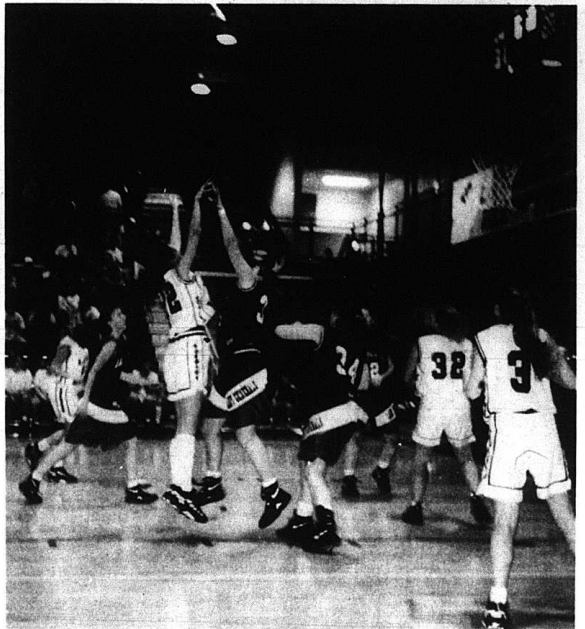
Rocket Frosh 3-0 with wins over PC, Berea

Nathan DeLeon pulled down 13 rebounds and scored 13 points as he led the Rockets to a 37-33 come-from-behind victory at Pulaski Co. last Thursday night.

Andy Hale added 9 points; Layne Nicely got 6; Steve Bradley scored 3 and Jeremy Martin, Jared Reams and Blake Calhoun added 2 each.

On Monday night the Rockets traveled to Berea where they countered poor rebounding with 17 assists to defeat the Pirates 57-42.

The Rockets were led in scoring by Nathan DeLeon with 17 points; Andy Hale added 14; Stevie Bradley got 11; Layne Nicely had 7 along with 7 steals. Jeremy Martin added 6 and Blake Calhoun got 2.



Melinda Alcorn goes for two of her seven points Monday night against Jackson County. Alcorn pulled down many rebounds and had several steals for the Rockets. Also in the photo is #32, Ginger Mink and #3, Dee Reams. The girls will now play in the Lincoln Co. Tournament Dec. 27, 28 and 29.

Boys beat Danville on road for first win

"It wasn't a good overall game, but we sucked it up and played good in the fourth quarter," was the comment of head coach Clayton Cash after the Rockets first win of the season Tuesday night over Danville.

Cash said the Rockets played to the Admirals level the first three quarters before executing the press better the fourth quarter and key free throws down the stretch helped seal the victory for the 1-2 Rockets. However, Cash said "We should have beaten that team (Danville) by 20

points, we just didn't play as good as we should have."

Senior center Gary Burns led the scoring with 28 points and he and Chad Severance were the only two Rockets in the scoring column in the first half -- Burns had 15 and Severance 11. Burns also had several blocked shots in the game, 5 steals and 11 rebounds.

The Rockets were down at the first quarter stop 13-10 but came back to outscore the Admirals by three in the second quarter to knot the score at

26 all. In the third quarter, the Rockets again were three points better for a slight edge at the end of third period play 44-41.

In the fourth quarter, the Rockets press paid off better on defense and the Rockets were able to convert their free throws at the end with 8 of their fourth quarter points coming from the charity stripe. All together, the Rockets were 17 for 23 from the foul line. In other statistics, the Rockets



The Rockcastle County Rocket football team held their annual banquet at the high school last Tuesday night. Several awards were presented to members of the 1995 team, which finished the season with an excellent record of 10 and 2 and a district championship. The Rockets two losses were by a total of two points. Members of the team that received awards are shown above, front row, from left: Andrew Gister, best offensive scout team player, Andrew Carrara; most valuable freshman player, Stevie Owens, best defensive lineman, Dusty McClure, best offensive junior varsity player, Dallas Rigby, leadership, most tackles and best defensive

player, Kevin Bradley, best defensive freshman player, Brooks Ingram, best offensive freshman player and Jarrod Singleton, academic award. Back row, from left: Malcolm Shepherd, most valuable junior varsity player, Jason Weaver, co-best offensive lineman, Jon Cromer, best offensive back, Jamie Linville, best offensive player, Eddie Todd, most valuable player 1995, Jason Childress, best defensive back and big play award, Neil Sparks, most improved player, Anthony King, best offensive team scout player and best defensive junior varsity player and Adam Browning co-best offensive player.

Obituaries

Hall

John Sylvester Hall, 72, of Livingston died December 10, 1995 at his residence. He was born in Harlan County May 2, 1923 the son of Joe and Rosie Halcomb Hall. He was retired from the Air Force and was a veteran of World War II. Mr. Hall was a member and one of the founders of the Livingston Fire Dept.

He is survived by several cousins. Services were Tuesday, December 19, at Dowell & Martin Funeral Home, with Bro. Billy Medley officiating. Burial was in the Red Hill Cemetery.

Palbearers were Jeff Carpenter, Dennis Elliott, Sam Stallsworth, Pete Agers, Dean Jones and George Shackelford.

Logsdon

William "Art" Logsdon, 78 of Rt. 1 Brodhead, died Saturday, December 16, 1995 at the Chestnut Hill Healthcare Center in Danville. He was born on February 20, 1917 in Pulaski County the son of the late John Franklin and Lorena Watson Logsdon. He was a retired truck driver.

Survivors are one son, Ray Logsdon of Lancaster; two daughters, Carol Buckler of Stanford and Nadene Newcomb of Waynesburg; four brothers, Lawrence, Ralph, and Everett Logsdon all of Greenwood, Indiana and Lewis Logsdon of Florida; two sisters, Norma Richardson of Indianapolis, Indiana and Ila VanderWald of California; six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one daughter, two sisters, and one brother.

Services were Monday, December 18, 1995 at the graveside with Bro. Dale Denton officiating. Burial was in the Providence Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Watson Funeral Home.

Randolph

William F. Randolph, 64, of Rt. 4 Mt. Vernon, died December 10, 1995 at his residence. He was born in Pulaski County, October 8, 1931, the son of Meldra Jones Randolph and the late William J. Randolph. He was an auctioneer for the Frankenthal Auction Company and a farmer, a navy veteran of the Korean War, a member of the Brodhead Masonic Lodge #566 and a member of the Murat Shrine Temple in Indianapolis, Indiana. He was also past president of the Kentucky Flying Farmers and a member of the Mt. Vernon First Christian Church.

In addition to his mother, Meldra Randolph of Brodhead, he is survived by his wife, Maud Randolph of Rt. 4 Mt. Vernon; a son, William A. "Randy" Randolph of Brodhead; a daughter, Lisa Cassidy of Mt. Sterling; a special son, Michael Lee McClure; two step sons, Gray Coble and Scott Coble; one brother, Bob Randolph of Willita; six grandchildren, Brad Hunt of Brodhead, Leslie

Hunt of Mt. Sterling, Megan Randolph of Brodhead, Tia Marie Coble, Christine Coble and Mitchell Coble.

Services were Wednesday, December 13, 1995 with Bro. Eddie Hammond officiating. Burial was in the Sayer Cemetery.

Memorial Contributions are suggested to the Mt. Vernon Christian Church Construction Fund, P.O. Box 1305, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. Pallbearers were Johnny Adams, Edward Sower, Jackie Payne, J.B. Stephens, Richard Conkin, Darrell Wilson and Frank Bradley. Honorary bearers were Johnny Hamm, Doug Hamm, Courtney Adams and members of the Frankenthal Auction Company.

Arrangements were by Dowell and Martin Funeral Home.

Rader

Edith Marie Barnes Rader, 79, of 106 Douglas St., Berea, died Tuesday, December 12, 1995 at her residence following an illness. She was born in Pulaski County, July 8, 1916, the daughter of the late Marion and Leona Birchfield Barnes and had been a resident of Berea for several years. She was a retired teacher and member of the Gettsemane Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Ballard Rader; four daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Thelma) Harding of Mt. Vernon, Mrs. Harold (Bet) Wilder of New Carlisle, Ohio, Mrs. Lonnie (Gerlene) Repper of Berea, Mrs. Greg (Mary) Pierce of Jonesville, Virginia; four sons, Earl Rader of Germantown, Ohio, Clemon Rader of Berea, David Rader of Somerset, Roy Rader of Richmond; one brother, Orville Barnes of Cincinnati, Ohio; 28 grandchildren and 26 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one daughter, Louise Philbeck and two grandsons, Jeffrey Rader and Marshall Rader.

Services were conducted Friday, December 15, 1995 at the Gettsemane Baptist Church with Rev. Ed Cortez, Rev. Robert Taylor, Rev. Wayne Harding and Rev. Greg Pierce officiating. Burial followed in the Johnetta Cemetery in Rockcastle County.

Pallbearers were Paul Rader, Anthony Philbeck, John Harding, Brian Rader, Steven Wilder and Jason Pierce. Honorary Pallbearers were Tina Lane, Rose Marie Rader, Aliss Repper, Bebie Flara and Lisa Kinicky.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to the Hospice of KY River, or Gettsemane Baptist Church building fund. Repper Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

In Memory

Dedicated to the Late Elmer Mink

As we look up into the heavenly skies, We wonder why you had to die, Although you told us not to shed tears

about you, It's hard not to when our lives are so blue. Days go on and it don't seem real as we wonder, How are lives will be fulfilled, And in our lives you were a very big part.

Although you're not here you're still in our hearts. Our love for you is deeper than words can say, And its hard to express them in that special little way.

And we somehow know your in God's power, In the land of beautiful flowers. Every morning at seven thirty, Seems like you should be with us that early.

All these things we miss about you, Are part of the reason our lives are so blue. And though we long to see your face, We know your in a better place.

Thanks to everyone for everything they did, The Mink Family

IN MEMORY OF
 The Happiest Man
 by: John Tyler

I once knew a happy man. A man who didn't seem to mind working for low pay. A man who enjoyed mowing his yard and working on his home. This man spent time playing ball with his boys and singing to his wife. He took time to see his mother and father often, as well as many other relatives and friends. He was very happy at Christmas time, putting up a large tree and lights all over the house. Often he would take out a loan just to buy gifts, and I don't think he ever regretted it. He bought for just about everyone he even thought was at all kin to him, as well as many friends. He loved to watch the kids open presents and sometimes I think that may have been the only gift some of those would have to open that year for Christmas. He wasn't concerned with whether he would receive anything, but if the ones around him would have a good Christmas. I think he actually received more by seeing so many people smile than anyone could ever have known. He tried to always treat everyone fair and good. I never heard anyone ever say a bad thing about him. He knew the meaning of happiness and was loved by this. This great man tried to teach me this, as well as a lot of other things, that sometimes I am afraid I may disappoint him in.

He was my dad, Johnny Tyler. We all loved him and miss him a lot. I thank God that He gave me the best dad in the world, even if it did seem like for such a very short time. We still have his memories, and his ideals will live in us forever.

Cards of Thanks

The family of Earl Owens express appreciation for the many gestures of kindness and sympathy extended to us during his death.

A special acknowledgement to Rockcastle Co. Hospital, Dr. Karen Saylor, Watson Funeral Home, Dr. Maynard Head, the pallbearers, Betty Hodge, those who brought food, sent flowers, cards and visits or said a special word about Earl.

Our heartfelt thanks to the local community, especially Steve and Scotty Denny, for special contribution. Earl would have felt honored by respect and caring. God bless each of you for your support.

Marvin and Judy Pam, Anthony and Rhonda

The family of Juanita Blackburn would like to thank each and everyone for their sympathy, prayers, food, flowers and kindness shown at the time of the loss of our loved one. Special thanks to Bro. Vernon Doan and his family and to the pallbearers. The Blackburn Family

The family of Ruth Robbins would like to thank everyone for the flowers, food, cards, prayers, visits, calls, and all the kindness shown to us during the illness and loss of our loved one.

Special thanks to Bro. Don Jones, Bro. Mark Whicker, pastor and Bro. James Harris, and Linda White.

Also, a special thanks to: Sowder Nursing Home, Dr. Karen Saylor, Rockcastle Co. Hospital and staff, Watson Funeral Home and Rockcastle Ambulance Service.



God's Precious Gifts

A young couple, very much in love, conceived a child from up above. With hearts of joy...so filled with pride, for seven years this child they'd tried.

Then, one day a doctor said, your unborn child is good as dead. There is no hope here on earth, your first born child is doomed at birth.

You have to choose from which to choose, either way you're going to lose...

End her suffering with her life, or let her live in pain and strife.

With broken hearts and tear-filled eyes, on opened knees to God they cried...

Our precious child in your hands we place, to be healed by faith and grace.

Then God answered in reply through words of knowledge and many signs;

For this child of mine, to you I give my will, through my son's stripes she shall be healed.

Through prayer and faith any mountain can be removed and cast into the sea.

If with no doubt in your heart, whatsoever ye pray for, ye shall receive.

Many children have I with me who love to sing and dance; But would have been born to a mom and dad if only given a chance.

Today, little katie has just turned

three, as healthy and smart as she can be; She looks toward heaven on bended knees and says thank you, Jesus, for healing me.

A young couple very much in love, received yet another gift from God above.

With hearts of pride...so filled with joy, they now have one each, a girl and a boy.

Written by Phyllis Linville to my precious daughter, Katie

who truly is one of God's most precious gifts.

Mark 11:23,24



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The Mt. Vernon Signal will be closed Friday, December 22nd through Monday, December 25th

Deadline for news and advertising for the December 28th Issue will be 4 p.m. Tuesday



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Happy Holidays!




As the Holiday Season is upon us, I'd like to take this opportunity to wish each and everyone a Very Merry Christmas. May your days be filled with happiness, peace and the best of health. May all the joys of the season be with you and your family now and throughout the coming year.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
 Norma Houk, Rockcastle County Clerk
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Sweet and Sour
By **Cl Graves**



out list, so I am truly glad to wish you, "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

Life, 82 years of it, has been good to me in many ways. I am still able to stand on my own two feet without assistance of any kind including canes. My three children and four grandchildren are in good health, as far as I know, and are proof my life has not been lived in vain. I also have two brothers and one sister left out of a family of ten kids that is a constant reminder of how vulnerable we are to life and death.

Newsy happenings in our family are almost at a standstill. (Grandkids) Deno is back from a six months stay in Greece, Ann is working on her doctorate in sociology, Birch will be going to Italy to study music (jaz) for six months and Chad, who is still in grad school, just announced his engagement to Angie Chapman, a beautiful young nursing student from U.K. They are both interested in

Baptist youth ministry. Chad is also quite involved with singing in a newly organized gospel quartet.

Time may be hanging heavy for some of us older ones but it is fleeting for these young ones who are waiting for their chance to make things right in a world of turmoil.

I sincerely hope your Holidays will be as full of joy and excitement as mine will be and again I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

RCMS and Roundstone conduct 2nd shoot-out in 1995-96

The Sixteenth Annual Rick Pitino Wildcat Basketball Shootout for Easter Seals is underway. Chaired by Coach Rick Pitino, the event raises funds for Easter Seal programs throughout Kentucky. This year, the Shootout is sponsored by Dairy Queen.

Rockcastle County Middle School has participated in one Shootout which raised \$1,239.63 last year and Roundstone Elementary School has participated in four shootouts, and raised \$1,571.36 last year. Trying to meet this year's total, students will solicit sponsors in their community and shoot baskets for Easter Seals during the month of December. School coordinators, Mr. Bullen and Mr. Harris, will be conducting the Shootout.

Students are awarded prizes based on the amount of money they raise. The boy and girl who raise the most money statewide will sit behind the player's bench at a late-season Wildcat home game. The Basketball Shootout is administered by Easter Seals' state office in Louisville.

Schools such as Rockcastle County Middle School and Roundstone Elementary have raised over one million dollars in sixteen Shootouts. Of those funds, 99% stay in Kentucky, and 79% were spent on direct hands-on services to thousands of children and adults with disabilities in the Commonwealth. Last year, over 33,000 Kentuckians received Easter Seal services.

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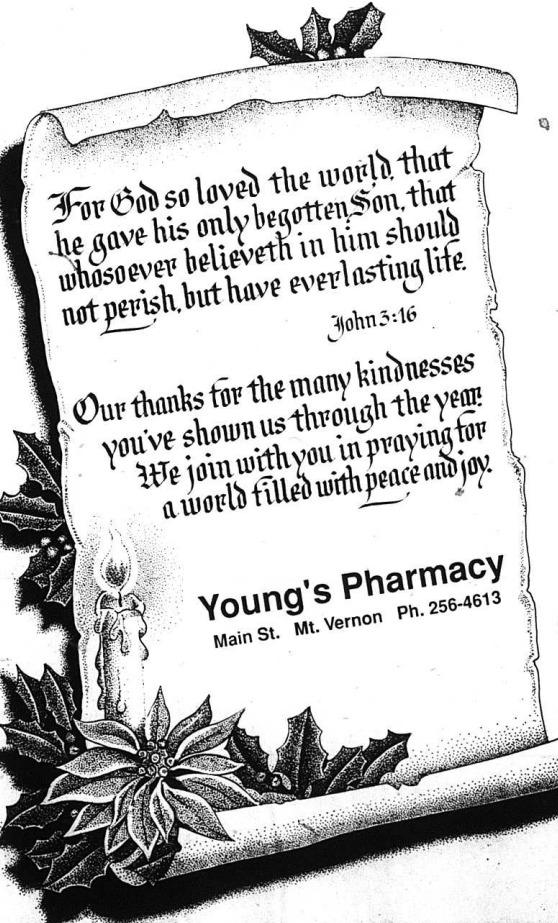
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the family and staff of
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For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 3:16

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Fairview News

By Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

Christmas Greetings to all. Rev. Harvey Penso filled his regular appointment at the Fairview Baptist Church Sunday with good attendance and for Sunday School we had 111 for which we thank each one.

The first thing I want to do is make a correction. In my last column I wrote that Tip Reppert visited at the home of Mr. Frank DeBorde but he visited Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Clontz of Mt. Vernon. (Sorry about the mistake).

A Christmas musical "All Through

Happy Birthday and Merry Christmas

I love you Daddy she whispered as we walked hand in hand. I thought it is really happening or have I gone on to heaven and I'm living in glory land. And I replied, I love you too, Jesse as the tears began to fall. How much? Well, there just aren't enough words, not enough at all. As we walked further on I told her about how hard my life had been without her all these years. And now that she was in my life, how I could finally put a end to all the suffering and tears. And though we were apart all these years Not a day ever went by that I wasn't thinking of you. And by the grace of God, I've managed to Hang on a long time, praying that someday You would love me too. For all this time I never stopped Loving you, if any thing my love for you grew stronger. Then you asked, what does the future have in store for us. Well only God knows so let's get started and not Put it off any longer. Then all of a sudden my heart fell To my feet, with the sound of pounding Rain pouring down in a steady stream. And I was awakened to discover that There was no one here but me, and had To face reality for it was only a dream. As for now I pray that someday my dream Will come true. Then I will be able to show The love I've always had for you. Wishing my Daughter, Jessica Rene A very Happy Birthday and A Merry Christmas, 11 years old, December 22. I love you, your Daddy, Jimmy Lee



Jeff and Teresa Boling of Orlando are proud to announce the birth of their first child, Brooke Elizabeth, born September 30 at Fort Logan Hospital in Stanford. She weighed 7 lbs., 15 ozs. and was 20 1/4" long. Proud grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Renner, Sr. of Orlando, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schmidt of Lexington and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boling of Paris. Tammy and Jon Renner are proud to be Brooke's aunt and uncle! Special thanks to everyone for their cards and gifts.



Happy 43rd! FP We Love You! Barbara's Bunch

the Night" was presented by the Fairview Choir on Sunday night December 17th.

The Youth Program, (The Missing Meaning) will be presented on Saturday night, December 23rd at 7 o'clock. Everyone is welcome.

Our deepest heart-felt sympathy is extended to the families of two dear friends that we loved so well, Mrs. Edith Rader of Berea (wife of Rev. Ballard Rader) and Mrs. Elva Northern of May Apple Road, near Fairview. They were both good Christian ladies and will be sadly missed by loved ones and friends. Our prayers go out to the grieving families. God bless them.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Alexander recently have been her sister, Ann Jett and husband, Morton of Jackson; their pastor Rev. John Dodson and friends of theirs Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Phillips of Berea and neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Isaacs and family.

Visiting Mrs. Mary Cope during last week were her daughter, Mrs. Jean Hays of Winchester and her son, William Cope and wife, Joyce of Eubank.

Some of our recent guests have

been Mrs. Myrtle Adams of Wildie and daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Vos of Berea and Mrs. Joyce Seals and daughter, Kim of Paint Lick.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Alexander recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Gabbard of Berea, and Eugene visited a neighbor, Bill Patrick.

Well, my news is short, most people are busy getting ready for Christmas, some have the flu and most

people now a day's visit by phone.

But I want to wish everybody, everywhere the most blessed and Merry Christmas that they have ever had. Just remember, we are celebrating the birth of Christ (not Santa Claus) and let's honor it as such.

Remember church and Sunday School. Have a safe and happy Holiday Season and may God bless you to have a great year in 1996.

The Mt. Vernon Signal ment from your milk company that contains the required information. This information must be submitted no later than March 15, to the FSA County Office in which your dairy is located.

County committee election results are as follows: LAA 1-Clarence Raymond Brown, member and Libby Burdette, first alternate; LAA 2-

Thursday, December 21, 1995 P-88 Darrell Whitaker, member and Eddie Paul Noe, first alternate; LAA 3-Joe Bullen, member and Jimmy Cummins, first alternate.

The Rockcastle County FSA Office will be closed the following legal holidays: Monday, December 25, for Christmas; Monday, January 1, for New Year's; and Monday, January 15, for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Agricultural News

by: Warden Alexander, County Executive Director

FY96 ACP/LTA (Long Term Agreement) Sign-up is currently underway. The sign-up period is now until January 31, 1996. Funds earmarked for LTA's will be used to install Agricultural Waste Control Facilities to address poor water quality caused by animal waste. Dairy and beef farmers should take advantage of this sign-up, as animal waste problems are rapidly becoming a target for discussion. Application for contract will be taken at the county office, but will be forwarded to the State Committee (STC) for approval. Contracts funded by the STC will be limited to 3-year contracts. County Committee (COC) may approve these as 5-year contracts if needed and the COC provides the additional funds needed. Persons interested in signing up should contact Rockcastle FSA no

later than January 31, 1996.

Persons interested in participating in the Wool and Mohair program should turn in all 1995 wool, unshorn lamb and mohair sales tickets to the FSA Office for Payment by January 31, 1996. Dairy farmers are reminded that the Dairy Refund Payment Program begins January 2nd. Producers may apply for a refund of the government assessment taken out of your proceeds.

You will qualify if your milk production for 1995 does not exceed that of 1994.

If you are interested in applying for a refund, please submit check stubs for each month stating your milk production and the assessment for 1994 and 1995. Or, you may submit a computer generated state-

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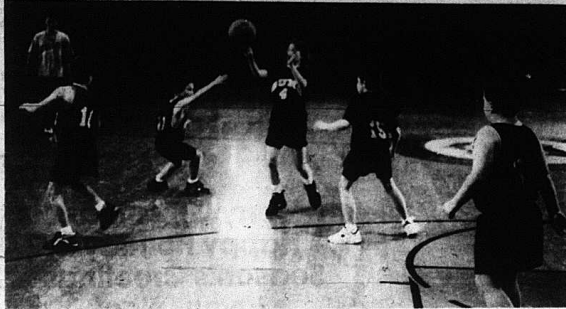
'Tis the season of mankind's harmony with our Lord, when we celebrate His birth and praise His name. Our thanks to everyone for the many blessings we've received as part of this wonderful community.

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In Junior Pro action Saturday at Brodhead, Sun player Angie Boring passes to teammate Michael Hayes. Defending for the unbeaten Warriors were, from left: James Michael Bussell, Jessica Thacker and Joe Wagers.

Junior Pro round-up

By: Derrick Singleton

JUNIOR PRO ROUND-UP

This is a recap of the Jr. Pro games from December 9th.

IV LEAGUE:

WARRIORS 41 CELTICS 28

The Warriors came out of the gate quickly in this one as they took an eight point first quarter lead and never looked back by putting together a strong team rebounding and defensive effort that controlled the tempo of the game. Aaron Cash, the Warriors outstanding point guard, led the Celtics with a well balanced game that included 22 points and several assists and rebounds.

The Warriors' very balanced scoring attack also included Clay Smith with 6 points, Amber Denny with 5 points, Joey Wagers with 4 points, and both Tim McInosh and James Michael Bussell with 2 points apiece.

The Celtics, who never once stopped hustling, were led by Aaron Anderkin who pumped in 17 points and had numerous rebounds. Derrick Shelton fired in 6 points for the Celtics, while his brother Rod added 2 points and several rebounds. Ben Taylor rounded out the scoring for the Celtics with 1 point.

HORNETS 38 HEAT 21

Two very similar teams squared off in this contest that was close for a first half. In the second half, however, the Hornets again unleashed a swarming full-court press that allowed them take control and cruise to their first win of the season. The Hornets were led by their potent inside-outside combo of Matthew Renner and Devin Taylor. Renner scored 16 points and pulled down at least as many rebounds while Taylor pumped in 15 points and had about as many steals.

For the Hornets, wing man Alex Martin fired in 6 points from long range, while Cole Hammond added 1 point. The hustling Heat, who lost their first game of the year, put together a very balanced scoring attack. Josh Bray and Kane Holbrook each scored 5 points, while Jason Reynolds added 4 points, Matthew Bueckle 3 points, and both Austin Miller and Darin Harris 2 each.

TRAINING LEAGUE:

TIMBERWOLVES 18 BULLS 13

This one was a defensive struggle that saw each team playing a hard straight-up defense against one another. The Timberwolves, however, managed to grab the lead in the second quarter and hold on the rest of the way for the "W", despite the nervous effort of the Bulls. Jarrod Buedette and Kyle Mullins led the Timberwolves in scoring with 6 points apiece, while Brandon Falin, Cody Moore, and Nicholas Eaton each followed up with 2 points apiece.

The Bull charge was led by Nick Williams who bombed in 8 points, while Weson Riddle contributed 3 points to the cause and Matthew Evans 2 points.

HORNETS 29 RAPTORS 28

This was a very exciting game that went right down to the wire before being decided. Both teams came out a bit sluggish, but really got things uncoiled in the second half as they each gave their all to the final horn. In the end, though it was the Hornets who managed to squeak out the victory.

The Hornets were led by Colby Brown who scored 13 points in a good overall performance. Other Hornets scoring were Brent Clontz with 6 points, Ronnie McClure with 4 points, and both Matthew Whitaker and Tim Simpson with 2 points.

The Raptors were led by DeJon Graves who played a great all-around game and lit up the scoreboard for 18 points. Other Raptors who scored were Luke McCauley and Brandon Cameron who pumped in 4 points

each, and Jamie Howard who added 2 points.

MAGIC 25 CELTICS 23

The Magic, who sat out with a bye last week, made an impressive debut

by knocking off a strong Celtics team in a real barn-burner.

Blake Roberts led the balanced Magic attack with 11 points, while

(Cont. to B7)



It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas!

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Junior Pro Round-up

(Continued From B-6)

Daniel Pingleton fired in 6 points, Jackson Bray 4 points, Mikah Reams 3 points, Ricky Sandusky 2 points and Jeffrey Cromer 1 point.

The Celtics rally led by Matthew Silcox who put together a good all-around game that included 18 points. Big Jesse Hamm added 5 points and several rebounds for the Celtic effort.

JUNIOR PRO ROUND-UP December 16th

Rockcastle Junior Pro results from this past Saturday's (December 16th) games are detailed below. Rockcastle Jr. Pro will be holding games this Saturday, December 23rd as scheduled at the Broadhead Elementary School. The opening game starts at 10:45 a.m. Junior Pro would like to encourage all basketball fans to come out and support these fine young boys and girls as they learn the game.

JV LEAGUE: WARRIORS 41 SUNS 26

This game was closer than the final score indicates. The two teams went back and forth through the first three quarters of play, and the Suns trailed by just two at the start of the final period. However, the Warriors again used a balanced scoring attack and their deep bench to outlast the opponent for the victory as they out scored the Suns 19-6 in the fourth quarter.

For the Warriors, their point guard Aaron Cash, again led the way with 14 points, several rebounds, and several steals. Clay Smith contributed 8 points and steady floor play, while Amber Denny scored 6 points and banged the boards hard for several rebounds. Tim McIntosh bombed in 4 points, while Jeremy Rowe fired in 3 points, James Russell, Courtney Alexander, and Jessica Thacker all added 2 points each.

While Bryan Mullins and Joey Wagers contributed good rebounding work for the Suns, their point guard Chris Settles led the way as he lit the scoreboard up for 20 points. Michael Hayes and the Borings, Steve and Angela, all added 2 points and a slew of rebounds to help the Suns effort.

HORNETS 45 CELTICS 32

The Celtics trailed by just three at the intermission, but in the second half the Hornets uncorked their trademark full-court press to pull away for the win. The hustling, scrappy Celtics did not go down easy however, as they sliced a Hornet lead that once was double-digits down to six late in the fourth quarter. In the end though, the Hornet's clutch free-throw shooting let them pull away to win it.

The Hornets were led by their tough center Matthew Renner who put on a clinic with 23 points and probably about as many rebounds. Devin Taylor added 14 points and steady defense for the Hornets, while Alex Martin had a really overall solid game of 4 points, several assists and good defense. Justin Rogers and Sabrina Hensley each added 2 points for the Hornet tally.

For the Celtics, their go-to-guy Aaron Andorkin again led the way with 15 points, several rebounds, and good team leadership. Derrick Shelton stepped up with a great game for the Celtics that included 11 points and strong point guard play. Quincy Allen added 2 while Rod Shelton, Jonathan Baker, and Steven Coffey all contributed 2 points and good rebounding to the Celtic cause.

TRAINING LEAGUE: MAGIC 24 RAPTORS 22

This was a dandy of a ball game to watch, maybe the best yet this year in Junior Pro. The Magic appeared to be on the way to a sure win as they were up by nine at the half and seemingly in control. However, the never say die Raptors decided they were not just going to roll over and quit. Behind some long-range bombs by DeJon Graves, and great hustling defense by the whole team, the Raptors not only caught up to the Magic but took a three point lead with 2 minutes left in the game. At this point though, it was the Magic who refused to quit. A steal and bucket off their press cut the Raptor lead to one, and then the Magic's Blake Roberts drew a foul after another Magic steal. After he converted one point free-throw to tie it, the Magic forced a turnover and drove for a lay-up at the buzzer to seal the game for the Magic. Roberts led the Magic with 14 points and numerous steals and rebounds in great overall game. Derek Huns added 6 points and several steals and assists in a great game for Magic as well, while Mikah Reams pumped in 4 points to help the cause.

For the Raptors, DeJon Graves fired in 12 points in an excellent performance, while Nathan McQueen and Brandon Cameron each added 6

and 4 points, respectively, in strong showings.

Timber Wolves 16 Lakers 14

The T-Wolves continued their winning ways by withstanding a furious, late fourth quarter rally by the Lakers. Both teams played excellent defense in this game, which is why the score was so low. In the end though, the T-Wolves hung on to remain unbeaten.

Jarrod Burdette led the T-Wolves in the scoring column by firing in 8 points. Kyle Mullins contributed 4

points for the T-Wolves, while Nicholas Eaton scored 3 points and Caleb Blair and Andrew Nelson added 1 point each.

For the Lakers a balanced scoring attack was championed by Max Saylor, Brandon Reams, and Jacob Taylor, who all pumped in 4 points apiece, and Harold Burdette who chipped in with 2 points to the Laker cause.

HORNETS 21 BULLS 18

This was yet another great game to watch. Both teams played hard defense against each other and were racing up and down the floor in their fast-breaking offensive attacks. The

Hornets pulled out to a seemingly safe lead in the first part of the fourth quarter, but the Bulls kept charging back until they whittled down the margin. At the final buzzer though, it was the Hornets who picked up the win.

For the Hornets Colby Brown led the way with 9 points and a number of steals. Brent Clontz picked up 6 points and many rebounds in a good performance, while Ronnie McClure, Timmy Simpson, and Mark Dychoose all added 2 points each for the Hornet attack.

The Bulls used a balanced scoring attack in the game James Isaacs led the way with 6 points (and several

rebounds), while Cody Alexander and Nicholas Williams added 4 points each, and Weston Riddle and Billy Hellard 2 points each.

STANDINGS

JV LEAGUE:	
WARRIORS	2 0
HORNETS	2 1
SUNS	1 1
HEAT	1 1
CELTICS	0 3

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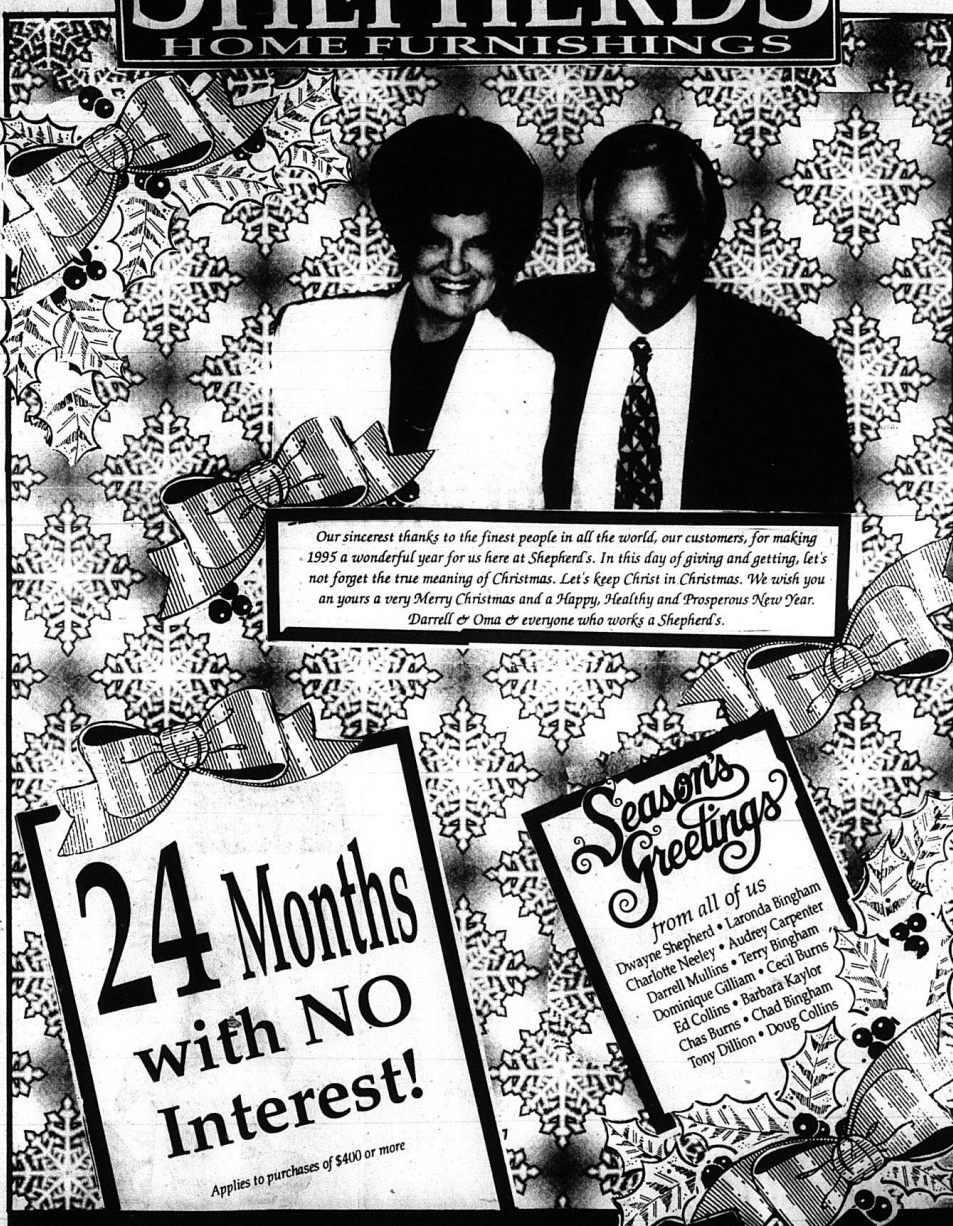
TRAINING LEAGUE:

T-WOLVES	3 0
MAGIC	2 0
HORNETS	2 1
LAKERS	1 1
CELTICS	1 1
RAPTORS	0 3
BULLS	0 3

JR. PRO Schedule for Saturday, December 23rd	10:45-JV League: Hornets vs. Warriors	12:00-JV League: Heat vs. Suns	1:15-Tm. League: Lakers vs. Magic	2:30-Tm. League: Raptors vs. Timberwolves	3:45-Tm. League: Hornets vs. Celtics
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Special guests

Georgia "Jo" Harger and Charles Lunce from Swanton, Ohio visited two days recently with their brother, Jim Lunce of Mt. Vernon.

'Tis the Season of Giving

Christmas is the Season of Giving and you can give something very special this year.

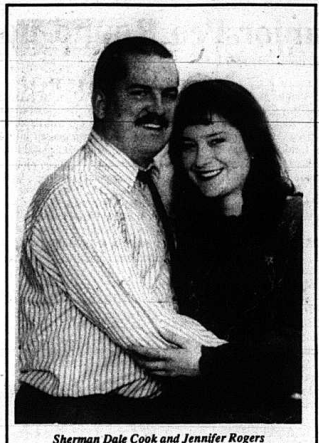
Love Lights A Tree is a fundraising project of the American Cancer Society which brings the Honor Gift Memorial Program to the community in a meaningful and dignified manner, resulting in increased public awareness and donations to the American Cancer Society.

The program provides individuals and businesses throughout the community with an opportunity to recognize or memorialize someone special by sponsoring a "gift of love" in that person's name. The gift is represented by an angel, symbolizing hope, on the Christmas tree, which is located in Young's Pharmacy. Each \$5 or more contribution is acknowledged by placing a unique handmade angel on the tree. All donors receive acknowledgement cards and can pick up their angel after the first of the year at the Rockcastle Co. Health Department. Remember, the angel you purchase will be displayed on the tree through Christmas. The name of the person you choose to honor will be written on the angel's wings as a permanent memorial.

A donation box and information are also located at Young's Pharmacy. Additional information can be obtained by contacting any member of the Rockcastle Co. Chapter of the American Cancer Society - call the health department at 256-2242 and ask for Beverly, Ruth, Kim, Susan, Roxanne, Cindy or Vickie.

Implemented to its fullest advantage, Love Lights A Tree, can be a prime source of funds in supporting the American Cancer Society pro-

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Sherman Dale Cook and Jennifer Rogers

Miss Rogers to wed Mr. Cook

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Philbeck of Crab Orchard, Charles Rogers of Erlanger, Lowell D. Cook of Berea and Mrs. Deborah Cook of Mt. Vernon announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Jennifer Lynne and Sherman Dale.

Jennifer is a graduate of Rockcastle Co. High School and is a senior at Eastern Ky. University.

Sherman is a graduate of Rock-

castle Co. high School and is a 1995 honor graduate of Eastern Ky. University with a bachelor's degree in police administration. The wedding will be an event of January 6, 1996 at 5:30 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon. There will be a reception following the ceremony in the church fellowship hall.

All friends and family of the couple are invited to attend. No formal invitations are being sent.

50th Anniversary

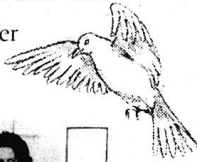


The family of Roy and Mildred McCollum would like to invite all friends and family to their 50th anniversary celebration. It will be held on December 30th from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Berea Folk Center (West Jefferson St.) The couple requests no gifts.

She brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room at the inn.

-Luke 2:7

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RCMS 8th grade team upsets North Laurel

The Rockcastle Middle School 8th grade team (6-3) overcame a four-point first quarter deficit to defeat North Laurel 43-38 in conference action last Thursday night.

The score changed hands many times as neither team could build a commanding lead. The Rock held a four-point advance with 1:30 left in the game but were unable to stop a much-larger Laurel team inside as regulation ended.

In the first overtime, the Rock once again could not hold on to the lead and the game went into the second overtime. This time it was North Laurel scoring first, but Andrew Cash's steal and a big rebound by Daniel Morgan, both of which resulted in scores, put the game away for the Rock.

Rockcastle now 3-0 in conference play was led in scoring by Daniel Morgan and Matt Brown with 12 points each; Andrew Cash added 8; Jacob Burdette got 5; Brad McNew scored 4 and Josh Singleton got 2.

In the first game, Chris Parsons scored 20 points and Josh Singleton added 13 as they led Rockcastle's

seventh game team to a 51-34 conference win over North Laurel.

Also scoring for the Rock (7-3) was Greg Harper with 8; Shea Davidson added 4; Josh Linville and Jeremy Neeley each got 2 points.

RCMS 6th grade wins

Rockcastle Middle School (2-0) was led by Mike Howard with 14 points and Andrew Hammond with 10 in an easy 42-26 win over visiting Richmond Model last Thursday night. John Bray and Josh Hale each added 6 points; William Blair scored 4 and Josh Taylor got 2.

"Love Lights A Tree" (Cont. From B8)

grams of research, education and patient services. All money raised will go to the ACS which provides agencies such as the health department with pamphlets, models and other needed materials used in cancer education for the public.



Amy Robinson puts the defense on a Jackson County player Monday night in the Lady Rockets' overtime win.

Rockets lose in conference action at South Laurel

A sluggish first quarter, which saw the RCMS 8th grade team (6-4) score only four points, resulted in the first conference loss of the season for the 8th graders.

After falling behind 14-4 at the end of the first period, the Rockets battled back to cut the Cougar's lead to one at 24-23 at the half. In the third period, a more physical South Laurel continued to control the boards but the Rocket press was able to keep the Rock within striking distance.

After Rockcastle missed four straight lay-up off Laurel turnovers, the Cougar's made a three point play to end the game.

Andrew Cash scored 11 points,

Jacob Burdette added 9, Daniel Morgan 8, Josh Singleton 6, Luke Hayes 5 and Brad McNew, Matt Brown, Robert Clark, all got 2 each.

In seventh grade action, the Rockets (7-4) also fell to South Laurel for their first conference loss of the season.

The 7th grade action, 3-1 in conference play, was led in scoring by Josh Singleton's 23 points, Chris Parsons added 11; Greg Harper and Shea Davidson got 4 each and Josh Linville added 1.

"ROCKETS WIN" (Cont. From B Front)

were 1 for 7 from three-point range; 21 of 47 for two-pointers; had 14 assists; 14 turnovers and 17 steals.

Asst. Coach Barry Noble said the Rockets are finding that better defense makes for a better overall game and the Rockets figured that out in the 4th quarter.

In addition to his first half 11 points, Severance put in 8 second half points for a total of 19. He was also the second highest rebounder with 7.

Others scoring were Travis Anderson with 11 second half points, 5 of them clutch free throws late in the fourth quarter and Eric McGuire and Dallas Rigby, 2 each. Rigby also got the most assists at 4.

This Friday night, the Rockets will play a make-up game against Bracken Co., starting with a jayvee game at 5 p.m.

Thursday, December 28th, the Rockets will travel to Campbellsville to take on a much improved Campbellsville team who went 0-24 last year. This year, under the guidance of new head coach Tim Davis,

Campbellsville is 5-3. Davis was Anthony Epps high school coach and

On January 4, the Middle School travels to Southern Pulaski, then on Jan. 8th, the Rockets will host Corbin.

Rocket JV lose at Pulaski

The Rocket Jayvees (2-1) fell to the Pulaski Co. Maroons 52-41 Monday night for their first loss of the season. After falling behind 19-4 in the first period, the Rock battled back and trailed by only two points with less than five minutes remaining, but the Maroons answered with a 12-2 run to put the game away.

Blake Childress led the Rockets with 15 points, freshman Layne Nicely came off the bench to add 13, Dusty McClure got 9 and Matt Ford scored 4 points.

won a state championship while at Marion County.

"They don't have a lot of height but they have a lot of go-gettiness," was asst. Coach Barry Noble's assessment of the Rockets first opponent in the tournament.

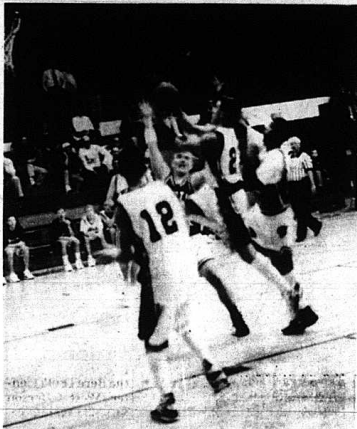
Win or lose, the Rockets will play again on Friday night, either North Hardin or Jessamine County.

Jayvees have easy time with 54-37 win

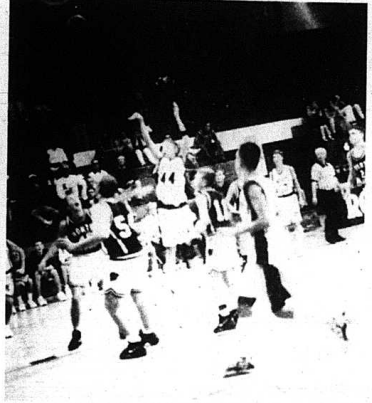
Eleven Rockets played in the Jayvees 54-37 rout of the Admiral Jayvees and ten of them scored with Dusty McClure leading the way with 12 points. Stevie Bradley came off the bench to score 11 points and Nathan DeLeon was the other Rocket off double digits at 10. DeLeon also pulled down 7 rebounds.

Other jayvees scoring were: Michael Vaughn and John Brown with 6 each; Matt Ford, Billy Kirby, Layne Nicely and Andy Hale all had 2 each and Jared Reams 1.

Statistically, the Jayvees were 3-13 from three-point range, 18 of 38 on two-pointers, had 14 assists, 11 turnovers, 8 steals and were 9 for 18 from the free throw line.



Andrew Cash had eight points in the 8th grade win over North Laurel.



Matt Brown had twelve points last Thursday night.

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Students landscape area at Rockcastle Middle School

The Rockcastle County Middle School Alternative Class has taken on the responsibility of maintaining the courtyard in the school. Shrubs, trees, bushes and weeds were all trimmed and a new flower bed was added to help give the area fall color. The flowers were donated by Barbara Reynolds of Dabney Feed and Supply in Willailla. The students said it was hard work but they were proud of what they had accomplished. Their teachers, Jon Smith and Mrs. Janet Robinson, were very pleased with the students' work. The class plans to later add four large bird feeders so that everyone can enjoy winter time bird watching.



Frankie Powell digs a hole for the mums that the alternative class planted at the middle school.



Danny Hansel rakes up fallen leaves and debris from the courtyard.



Members of the alternative class at RCMS who helped in maintaining the courtyard were, from left: Frankie Powell, Mrs. Robinson, Anthony Martin, Danny Hansel and teacher Jon Smith.



Singles Club officers for 1996 are, front row, from left: Sharon Manning, secretary/treasurer; Janice Homuth, assistant activities director and Dennis Reams, activities director. Second row: Tom Falin, vice president; Bobby Bullen, club speaker; Charles Wayne Bullock, president and Raymond Caldwell, publicity director. The Single Club held their annual Christmas dinner December 16 at the Rockcastle County Library and exchanged gifts. All members were present.

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The Blizzard of '93 was a learning experience for everyone that was involved in taking care of the 850 people who were in the shelter at the high school. Many people volunteered their services and it is now time for us to think about the possibility of having to set up shelters this winter.

Many people do not realize how many people are needed to man a Red Cross shelter. It is necessary to be able, if possible, to work an 8 hour shift so the staff doesn't have "burn-out" symptoms. It is very easy to try to keep going more hours because of the desire to help others in their time of need.

In order to comply with the guidelines issued by American Red Cross, the following numbers of people are needed for operating a shelter on a 24-hour basis.

Title	200 Victims	500 Victims	1,000 Victims
Mgr. & Assts.	3	3	3
Clerks/Recorders	1	1	2
Messengers/ Communications	2	2	5
Security & Safety	2	2	4
Trans. Coordinator	1	2	1
Nurses (Red Cross)	3	4	5
Doctor (on call)	1	1	2
Ancillary (First Aid)	4	8	15
Clerical (nursing asst)	1	2	4
Cook	1	3	4
Cook Assts.	3	4	8
Kitchen Helpers	4	12	24
Servers	3	3	6
Bldg. Maint. Super	1	1	1
Janitors	2	2	2
Reception/Registrar	3	4	6
Dormitory Supervisor	1	2	3
Interviewers (assistants)	5	11	21
Records/Reports	1	2	4
Supply/Storekeeper	1	1	2
Recreation (babysitters)	3	4	9
Totals	46	73	131

In most instances 85 percent of the work should be done by shelter residents. This is for each 8 hour shift.

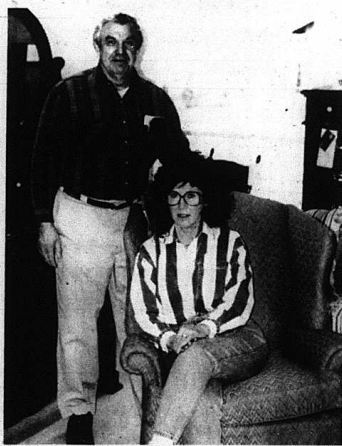
If you would like to be a part of the American Red Cross team, please contact the Rockcastle County branch office at 105 E. Main St., Mt. Vernon or call 606-256-9844/256-9599 and we will be glad to add you to our roster of volunteers. Training will be provided for those positions requiring special knowledge of Red Cross guidelines, regulations and procedures.

We appreciate the help of everyone who has helped us out during the winter of 1993-94.



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Renner & Sons Stone Company wins award

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Rockcastle Middle School news of the week

Enterprisers Blast Off!

The Enterprisers took their Honor Roll students on a field trip on Wednesday, December 13.

The Latest Voyage

The Voyagers are planning a bowling trip for the Honor Roll students. In Social Studies they are making posters on the three branches of government. In math they are making Christmas Boxes. They are also making Dog Ornaments. GOOD LUCK ON ALL OF YOUR CHRISTMAS PROJECTS!

Tales of the Comets

The Comets are expecting to take a field trip to the Singletary Center for the Arts, after Christmas on January 31st, 1996. As one of our 8th grade groups they are also working very hard on their portfolios.

The Shooting Stars!

Lately in the Shooting Stars group they have just completed a Greek and Egyptian project and are planning to perform a Christmas play, "The Best Christmas Pageant Ever."

In Science, the team is preparing to grow Wisconsin fast plants. A new addition to the class is a guinea pig which will arrive after Christmas.

Thank You Youth Services!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff in our Youth Services Center. They are always willing and eager to help our students and staff in any way they can.

A Very Merry Christmas to Dawn Lang and Kim Hunter.

Yearbook Sales End

The students who make up this year's annual staff have finished their yearbook sales for this year. Approximately 380 yearbooks were sold. Although the yearbooks will not arrive for a few more months, we want to thank the annual staff and sponsors for their work thus far.

The Adventure Continues

The Adventurers have been covering a wide variety of topics lately, from integers in math class, to cells in science, and Egypt in social studies.

In Language Arts, they have been studying "A Christmas Carol" and are doing character sketches.

Daily Challenges

The Challengers took time out from their portfolio revising and their study of exploration to take a trip to the Lexington Ice Center on Friday. They used money that was raised during their magazine sales and have another trip planned for spring.

Here is a complete listing of all members currently enrolled in our 1995-96 8th Grade Beta Club: Angela Owens, Andrew Cash, Daniel Morgan, Cathy Moberly, Brooke Roberts, Brad Spears, Matthew Hayes, Courtney Hunsel, John Dychouse, Roy Adams, Luke McKibben, Rachel Ott, Kacey Taulbee, Lindsey Hall, Niki Moore, Jeremy Robinson, Marisa Fredrick, Leslie Robinson, Ella Har-

Benefit concert for Jordon Dean Powell set for January 6, 1996

There will be a Benefit Chili & Soup Beans supper, followed by an auction and entertainment, January 6, 1996 at the Livingston Fire Department.

The benefit is being held for Jordon Dean Powell, son of Melvin and Melinda Powell, who has to undergo a kidney transplant. Jordon is the grandson of Matt and

Ruby Powell and Johnny and Pam Brown. Donations and auctionable items will be greatly appreciated. Cash donations may be sent to: Citizens Bank, Mt. Vernon branch, Jordan Dean Powell Medical Account.

The event is being sponsored by friends and co-workers of Melvin Powell. For further information, call 256-9426, 453-2604 or 758-4306.



Jordan Dean Powell and "Friend"



Photo by Jim Cox

The MVES Pentatones presented their Christmas concert last week.

Pentatones in concert

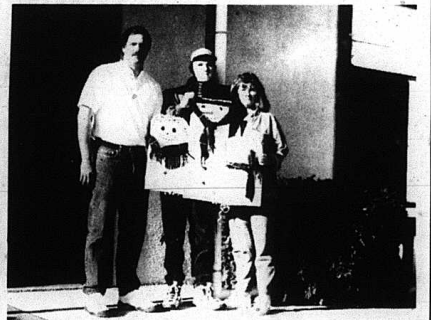
The MVES "Pentatones, under the direction of Ms. Jamie Cornelius, presented their Christmas concert entitled "Forever Christmas." The concert was held Tuesday, December 12, 1995 in the MVES gymnasium. The chorus also traveled to Sowder Nursing Home to present their concert.

Ms. Jamie and "The Pentatones" would like to personally thank the following people for their help and support: Judy Bullock, Chris Cornelius, Ross Brown, Charles Carter, Sheila McQueary, Melinda Kincer, Kay Cameron, Michael Robbins, Michael Roark, Paula Clark, Harold Woodall, Jennifer Cash, Joyce Lear, James H. Cox and Jennifer Mattingly. We would also like to thank the Rockcastle County School Board for attending our concert. Merry Christmas from the 1995-96 Pentatones!

Teen Center sponsors Christmas Craft Bazaar



Many folks purchased several Christmas items during Saturday's Christmas Bazaar at the Rockcastle Teen Center. Local artist Mabel Davidson's booth included paintings of her home area of Three Links.



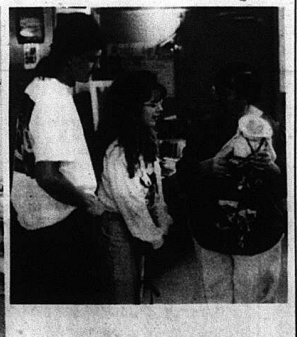
Members of the Teen Center staff, from left: Jeff Burchett, Travis Brewer and Glenna Robinson. The staff made the snowman display that was on sale Saturday.



Lisa Robinson and Ruth bond look at crafts made by Lisa and sold at Saturday's bazaar.



Gail Linville displayed such items as an Angel at her booth.



Shane Linville and Natalie Albright look at the Pickle Row Rabbit, made of recycled plastic bags by Ruth Bond.

County Statistics

Deeds Recorded

Mary B. McKenzie, (quit claim deed) lots in Elmwood Cemetery, to Robert Jasper.

Dallas J. and Phyllis A. Fugate, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Phillip Bryan and Kathy Diane Goshel, Tax 50.

Marvin Kelly and Judy L. Ponder and Gary and Cindy Johnson, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Stephen and Jill Ponder, Tax 4.00.

Loretta Webb Rogers, real property located in Shearer Hollow, to Charles Ray Metcalf, Not tax.

Clyde and Myrtle Faye Payne, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jesse Godsey and George and Arlene Dewry, Tax 16.00.

Wayne M. Gregory, II and Dawn R. Gregory, real property located in Rockcastle County, to SCS, Inc.

Steven G. and Kimberly A. Hunter, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Richard S. and Merita I. Martin, Tax 78.00.

Linda S. and Russell Doan, Brenda and Todd Owens, and Kenneth Larry Renner, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Glenna Renner, Tax 25.00.

Oscar and Barbara Gregory, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Dale and Ruth Starn, Tax 5.00.

Bentley D. and Brenda Miller, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Bobby Dale Smith, Tax 2.50.

William C. and Shirley Chaney, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Roger D. and Shari M. Proctor, Tax 50.

Betty Lou and Raymond E. Harthe,

and others, warranty deed for real property located in Rockcastle County, to Betty Lou and Raymond E. Harthe. No tax.

Jesse and Dortha Cole, warranty deed for real property located in Rockcastle County, to Birt Waddell, Tax 30.

Marriage Licenses Applied For

Kelly Dannette Rogers, 35, Rt. 1 Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Billy Joe Prewitt, 36, Rt. 1 Mt. Vernon, disabled, Dec. 15, 1995.

Angela Dawn Casdill, 19, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Mark Anthony Miller, 34, Mt. Vernon, masonry contractor, Dec. 16, 1995.

Wanda Gayle Wells, 24, Corbin, supervisor, to Benjamin Russell Wallace, 29, Corbin, parts manager, Dec. 16, 1995.

Robin Lynn Wise, 31, Richmond, unemployed, to Ronnie Dale Hill, 30, Richmond, BFI, Dec. 16, 1995.

Roxanne Carol Bustler, 23, Rt. 1 Brodhead, accounting clerk, to Doug Allen King, 27, Whitley City, auto mechanic, Dec. 14, 1995.

Karen Elizabeth Stamper, 19, Mt. Vernon Rd., Berea, disabled, to Denver Swain, 31, Mt. Vernon, disabled, Dec. 13, 1995.

Circuit Civil Suits

Cecil Yancy Thacker vs. Willie Thacker and Wanda Thacker, individually and as guardian estate of Willie Thacker, an incompetent, complaint. 95-CI-00275.

Shirley Joyce Robinson vs. Jane S. Thorne and Roger D. Alcorn, complaint with demand for jury trial. 95-CI-00276.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Ex Rel, Lois M. Barnett vs. Jeffrey S. Barnett, complaint for child support and medical support. 95-CI-00277.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Ex Rel, Charles Denson, Jr. vs. Mary Francis Denson, complaint for child support and medical support. 95-CI-00278.

Tammy Jo Begley vs. David Lee Begley, petition for dissolution of marriage. 95-CI-00279.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Ex Rel, Marcia L. Carmon vs. Shawn L. Carmon, complaint for child support and medical support. 95-CI-00280.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Ex Rel, Nancy Lee Dixon vs. Maurice Weldon Dixon, Jr., complaint for child support. 95-CI-00281.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Ex Rel, Phyllis C. Durham vs. Freddy C. Durham, complaint for child support. 95-CI-00282.

Sophia Wilfong Walling vs. Jimmy Wayne Wallin, petition for dissolution of marriage. 95-CI-00283.

District Court Suits

84 Lumber Company vs. Adam Bosow, d/b/a Adams Construction, \$3,166.41 claimed due for goods and services. 95-C-00133.

District Court

November 27, 1995
Hon. Michael L. Henry
Jerry W. Adams, II: Possession

of Marijuana, \$50 fine and costs.
Melissa Ashley: Fine Due (owes \$42.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Doreen D. Beard: Speeding (24 mph over) - amended to 79 mph in 65 mph zone (0-75), paid prepayable.

Billy B. Calvert: Speeding (16 mph over) - \$32.00 fine and costs; Failure to wear seat belt, \$25 fine.

Keith E. Carpenter: No operators license, \$25 fine and costs; Failure to wear seat belt, \$25 fine and costs; No Insurance, \$500 fine and costs.

Kristopher D. Cromer: No registration receipt, \$25 fine and costs; No insurance, \$500 fine, suspend \$450.

Tammie W. Dillman: Speeding (16 mph over), state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.

Ricky J. Eversole: Non-payment of fine (owes \$72.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Kevin E. Hahn: Speeding (20 mph over) and Failure to Wear Seat Belt, license suspended for failure to appear.

Patsy K. Haling: Marijuana possession, \$200 fine and costs.

Charles Edward Huckleby: Speeding (16 mph over) and Failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for failure to appear.

Shirley D. Kruse: Illegal transportation of alcoholic beverage in dry territory, \$100 fine and costs and 10 days in jail to serve 1, forfeit alcohol (10 cases of beer), No insurance, \$550 fine, suspend \$450.

Anthony M. Lewis: Speeding (26 mph over), license suspended for failure to appear.

Shannon W. Marcum: Speeding (26 mph over), amended to 75 mph in 55 mph zone, \$40 fine and costs; License to be in possession, \$25 fine (suspend fine).

Tabetha S. Martin: Non-payment of fine (owes \$76.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Adam R. Morgan: DUI, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, time served.

Steven W. Rumsey: Improper start from parked position, \$25 fine and costs; No Insurance, amended to no registration, \$25 fine.

Columbus Russ: Speeding (10 mph over), \$20 and costs; Failure to wear seat belts, \$20 fine.

Janie D. Simpson: No operators license, \$25 fine and costs.
Crystal M. Spigle: Speeding (15 mph over) and Failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for failure to appear.

Becky West: Alcohol Intoxication, Disorderly conduct and Resisting arrest, 30 days in jail to serve total of 7, credit 4 days time served.

David Barnes: Alcohol intoxication, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Stuart F. Christwell: Speeding (18 mph over), amended to defective

equipment, \$20 fine and costs.
Tony M. Estep: Speeding (18 mph over), amended to defective equipment, \$20 fine and costs.

Billy L. Mason: Alcohol intoxication; 24-hour community service work in lieu of fines and costs.

Robert Mason: Alcohol intoxication, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Amanda C. Sloan: Speeding (26 mph over), state traffic school authorized, \$54.00 fine and costs.

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"District Court"
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November 29, 1995
Hon. Michael L. Henry
Susan L. Coffey: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 fine and costs.
William H. Renner: Alcohol intoxication, 30 days, CD 1 year on condition of completing alcohol counseling.
Todd McWhorter: Alcohol intoxication, 2 days in jail, credit 2 days served; Drinking alcohol in public, 2 days in jail concurrent with other offense.
Troy Allen Abner: OMV under influence of intoxicating beverage, amended to operating motor vehicle contrary to law, \$100 fine and costs; Possession of marijuana, 30 days in jail, credit 2 days time and balance CD for 1 year on conditions.
Judy Baker: No insurance, \$500 fine, suspend \$450, plus costs; Contempt of court, 10 days in jail, CD 1 year.
Aran L. Blackburn: Public intoxication, \$25 fine and costs and 10 days, to serve 2, credit time served. Balance CD 1 year.
Stevie Cowens: Speeding (22 mph over), license suspended for failure to appear.
Shelly R. Denny: Speeding (21 mph over), state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.

Marty Carlo Doyle: Expired or no registration plates, license suspended for failure to appear.
Susan Durham: Non-payment of fine (owes \$122.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
Roger D. French: Non-payment of fine (owes \$27.00), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
Joe Bidge J. Greene: Speeding (21 mph over), state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.
Marla Hansel: Improper passing, amended to defective equipment, \$25 fine and costs; Disregarding Stop Sign, \$25, fine; Expired or no registration plates, \$25 fine.
Tony Hess: No operators license, \$25 fine and costs.
Teresa R. Kirk: Failure to register transfer and Failure to produce insurance card, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
Alvin F. Knuckles: Reckless driving, \$100 fine and costs.
Shelby G. Merrick: Speeding (22 mph over), summons issued for failure to appear.
Donald A. Roberts: Failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine and costs.
Joshua E. Snell: Speeding (21 mph over), summons issued.
James D. Sturgill: Non-payment of fine (owes \$164), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
Ricky L. Thomas: Speeding, Expired or no registration plates, No

registration receipt, No insurance, license suspended for failure to appear, summons issued.
William Vanover, III: Speeding (20 mph over), state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.
Jason K. Vanzant: Non-payment of fines, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
Kimberly Whitaker: Non-payment of fine (owes \$137.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
Ronald S. York: Speeding (26 mph over), state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.
December 4, 1995
Hon. Walter F. Maguire
Clarence G. Bradley: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs.
Steven E. Tompkins: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs; Menacing, 30 days; Resisting arrest, 30 days concurrent; Assault 4th Degree, 30 days concurrent and \$100 fine (suspend); Criminal mischief, 6 months, to serve 30 days consecutive; Contempt of court, 30 days concurrent, \$30 fine.
David W. Bullock: Operating on suspended license, \$100 fine and costs and 30 days, to serve 10, balance CD for 1 year.
Tracy A. Chose: Speeding (26 mph over); Failure to wear seat belts; No registration receipt; Expired or no registration plates, warrant issued, license suspended for failure to appear, bond set at \$3,000/10%.


suspended or revoked license and contempt of court, bond forfeited and warrant issued for failure to appear.
James E. Sparks: Expired or no registration plates; No registration receipt; Failure to wear seat belts, dismissed on payment of court costs per commonwealth motion.
Davy E. Stewart: Failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine and costs.
December 6, 1995
Hon. Walter F. Maguire
Kristopher D. Cromer: Non-payment of fine (owes \$137.50), warrant issued, license suspended.
Carla J. Cunningham: Speeding (20 mph over), amended to faulty equipment, \$20 and costs.
Danielle C. Dostal: Non-payment of fine (owes \$47.50), warrant issued, license suspended.
Michael Ray Isaacs: Non-payment of fine (owes \$492.50), warrant issued.
Michael A. King: Non-payment of fine (owes \$122.50), warrant issued.
Wesley Mullins: Restitution and \$4 bond fee, warrant issued.
Dean Northern: Assault 14th degree, dismissed on payment of court costs.
Brian Keith Walden: No operators license, \$30 and costs; Improper registration, \$30 fine.
Paige D. Lay: Speeding (25 mph over), \$80 and costs.

December 11, 1995
Hon. Walter F. Maguire
Sara Elizabeth Madden: Speeding, amended to defective equipment, \$30 and costs.
William J. Morris: Expired or no registration plates, no registration receipt, failure to wear seat belts, dismissed on payment of costs.
Barry Bowles: No insurance, \$500 fine and costs, \$450 may be suspended on proof of insurance.
Billy R. Couch: Non-payment of fine (owes \$567.50), warrant issued, license suspended for failure to appear.
William E. Cousins: Non-payment of fine (owes \$157.50), warrant issued, license suspended for failure to appear.
James Leon Coyle: Speeding (26 mph over), warrant issued, license suspended.
James Monroe Davis: No operators license, \$25 and costs; No insurance, \$500 fine (suspend \$450 upon proof of insurance); No registration receipt, \$25 fine.
David W. Day: OMV under influence of drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, 2 days in jail, ime served.
Paul G. Deatherage, Jr.: war-

rant issued, license suspended for failure to pay or appear.
William R. Graves: Expired or no registration plates, \$25 and costs; Improper Registration, \$50 fine.
Anthony Hess: Criminal trespass and criminal mischief, warrant issued for failure to appear.
Shane Y. Livville: Passing school/church bus, dismissed on payment of costs on commonwealth motion.
Luther V. Lovell: Non-payment of fine (owes \$510.50), warrant issued, license suspended.
Joseph D. McFerron: OMV under influence of intoxicating beverage, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 2 days, time served.
James S. Mink: Speeding (22 mph over), state traffic school.
Buford R. Pearson: Failure to produce insurance card, warrant issued, license suspended for failure to appear.
Jason Raider: Operating on suspended or revoked license, \$100 fine and costs, 6 months in jail, to serve 30 days on weekends; Attempt to elude, 30 days concurrent.
Joe E. Sellars: OMV under influence of intoxicating beverages, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, time served.
Jimmie G. Benge: OMV under

influence of intoxicating beverages, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, time served.
James M. Clark: Operating on suspended or revoked license, \$100 and costs and 30 days, to serve 3/ime served.
James Michael Clark: Operating on suspended or revoked license, \$100 and costs and 30 days, to serve 3 consecutive; Improper on no windshield, \$25 fine; Failure to register transfer, \$25 fine.
James L. Hall: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs.
Scott A. Hatfield: OMV under influence of intoxicating beverages, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 2 days, time served.
Ronald E. Hornsby: OMV under influence of intoxicating beverages, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 2 days time served.
Joe Michael Sponamore: Non-payment of fine, 30 days for willful failure to pay or appear.
December 13, 1995
Hon. Walter F. Maguire
Paul Douglas Anderson: Non-payment of fine (owes \$547.50), warrant issued, license suspended.
Charles C. Artley: Assault 4th degree, spouse abuse, dismissed on payment of court costs.

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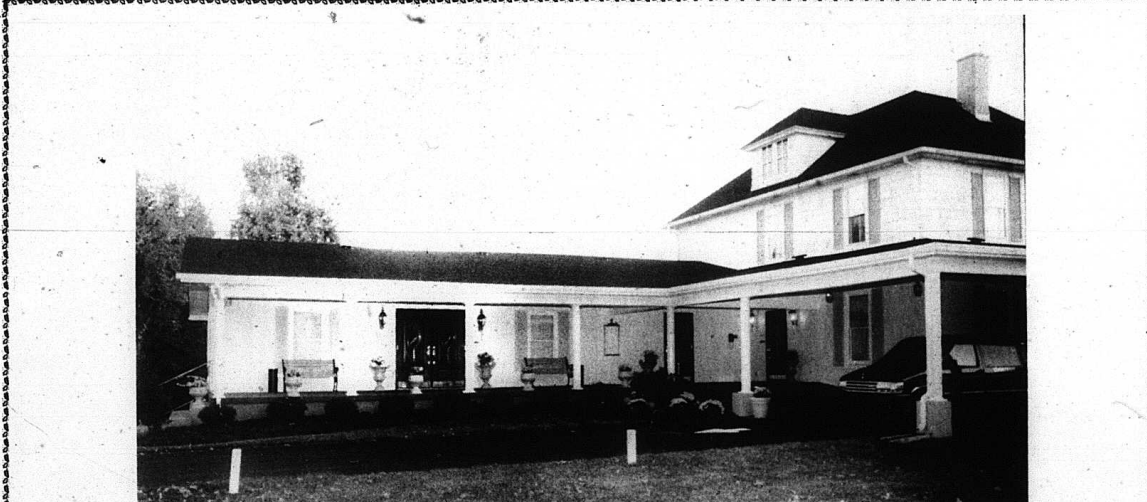
Merry Christmas from
Rockcastle County Judge/Executive
Buzz Carloftis

Douglas L. Hook: Possession of marijuana, \$50 fine and costs and 30 days, Cd on condition defendant complete community service work.
Jeff Howard: Criminal mischief; criminal trespass, terroristist threatening, summons issued.
Douglas Laese: Alcohol intoxication, bond forfeited for failure to appear, case dismissed.
Kevin McCown: Drug paraphernalia; use/possession, dismissed on payment of court costs on commonwealth motion.
Larry B. Mullins: Non-payment of fine (owes \$147.50), summons issued on request of commonwealth.
Ronda L. Mullins: Non-payment of fine (owes \$127.50), warrant issued, license suspended for failure to appear.
Troy Lee Petty: Speeding (26 mph over), warrant issued, license suspended.
Johnny R. Roundtree: Possession of marijuana, \$100 fine and costs and 30 days/probated and fine suspended on condition defendant complete 20 hours community service; No operators license, 10 hours community service work.
Michelle Smith: Operating on

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As we pause to celebrate this Christmas, let us remember the true meaning of this joyous season when we celebrate his birth and praise his name.

We also want to remember and offer our prayers to the many families who have lost loved ones and will be without their presence for the first time this holiday season.

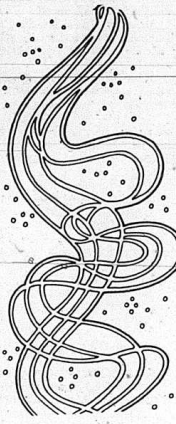
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Our Readers Write

Kuhar family says thank you

Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed a Thank You card I received today from the family of Stephanie Kuhar who was senselessly killed in our county by someone throwing a grave marker off the Sand Hill overpass on I-75. Would you please print the contents in your next edition of the Signal.

I personally want to thank the Citizens Bank, Bank of Mt. Vernon, Dr. John Parsons, Attorney Debra Lambert, our local churches, civic organizations, City & County Officials, State Representative Danny Ford, students and teachers who wrote condolence letters, members of our local media and everyone who donated money to this family. You helped to show them and others that Rockcastle County People are a decent and caring community.

On behalf of the Kuhar Family, I thank you Rockcastle County for your support, prayers and concern.

December 11, 1995

*Dear Mr. Martin,

My husband, Len and I want to thank you ~~so~~ much for your thoughtfulness in reaching out to us. We received the two checks. Please extend our sincerest thanks to all those who cared so. Our hearts have been touched by the outpouring from so many in your area. Please thank everyone for their prayers also, for we know it is the prayers that stormed heaven and made such a difference for our family.

God graced us with the peace of God which passeth all understanding. Phil 4:7. We are still in awe at the depth of peace which God showed down upon us and we'll be eternally grateful for everyone's prayers and God's peace.

The Family of Stephanie Marie Kuhar

Sincerely,
Roy A. Martin

Dear Editor,

The Livingston Fire Department would like to thank the following for their support in making the First Annual Livingston Fire Dept. Christ-

mas Parade a huge success: Crossroads Fire Dept., East Bernstadt Fire Dept., Mt. Vernon Fire Dept. and Rockcastle Co. EMS for participating; Edgar Bryant for showing his antique Ford car and Jeff Howard Trucking for bringing his semi; Pine Hill Baptist Church and Livingston Christian Church for their beautiful floats; Marvin Stone and the Kentucky Division of Forestry for bringing Smokey The Bear and Woodsey Owl; Clyde Carpenter for donating his truck to pull the Livingston Fire Dept. float; Livingston Police Dept. for providing traffic control and participating in the parade; Lloyd Burdine for videotaping the parade; all of the firemen's wives, girlfriends and children for serving refreshments and helping with everything; Billy Medley and Mayor Ed Lile for leading the tree lighting ceremony; Flavinich and Mondelli's Bakery for their donations; John Kuhn for announcing the parade and for all of the people who braved the cold weather and turned out to support us. We would also like to thank all of the people in the community who donated lights for decorations.

Thanks again,
Jeff Carpenter, Assistant Chief
Livingston Fire Dept.

Dear Editor,

The RCMS 6th Man Club would like to thank the following businesses for their donations toward our Annual Thanksgiving Tournament.

This tournament would not be a success without the support of these businesses: Citizens Bank, Super Saver, Woodmen of the World, Wendy's of Mt. Vernon, Lowe's Sporting Goods and Pepsi Cola, Inc. of Corbin.

We would also like to thank all of the parents who helped in the concessions, hospitality room and with the overall operations.

Thank you
Jason Cogger
Head Coach

"District Court"

(Cont. from C3)

Kenneth Melvin Baker: OVI under influence of alcohol or other substance, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 2 days/time served; Prescription in improper container, \$50 fine and 30 days; Possession of marijuana, \$50 fine.

Lesley A. Bryant: Non-payment of fine, warrant issued, license suspended.

John R. Carmical: Non-payment of fine (owes \$97.50), warrant issued, license suspended.

Michael Chandler: Cultivation of marijuana, \$100 fine and costs and 6 months jail, probated on condition.

Donna J. Cromer: Non-payment of fine (owes \$47.50), warrant issued, license suspended.

James E. Fletcher: Non insurance, \$500 fine and costs/suspend \$450.

Kenny Gabhard: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs; Theft by unlawful taking, \$250 fine and 6 months, probated; Possession of marijuana, \$100 fine and 30 days, defendant to serve 21/2 time served; Resisting arrest, 10 days consecutive, to serve week ends.

Billy Gorham: Non-payment of fine; Theft by deception; simple assault; terroristic threatening, warrant issued.

Cornie Holbrook: Review and Restitution owed, warrant issued for failure to appear.

Lester Lee Isaacs: Non-payment of fine, warrant issued.

Laginia K. Kirby: Non-payment of fine (owes \$577.50), warrant issued, license suspended.

Phillip L. Lanham: No Insurance, \$677.50, suspend \$450.

Harlan B. Lawson: Non-payment of fines, warrant issued for failure to appear.

James C. Lear: OVI under influence of intoxicating beverages, amended to driving contrary to law, \$100 and costs; Operating on suspended or revoked license, \$100 fine.

John Stephen Oates: Non-payment of fine, warrant issued, license suspended.

Troy Lee Petty: Speeding (26 mph or greater), \$56 and costs.

Antonio Lamar Rice: Non-payment of fine (owes \$492.50), warrant issued, license suspended for failure to appear.

Steven H. Still: Disorderly conduct, 30 days in jail, to serve 10/time served; Assault 4th degree, \$100 fine and costs and 10 days, concurrent, time served.

David W. Polk: Speeding (15 mph over), \$30 and costs.

Daniel L. Hamlin: Speeding (15 mph over), \$30 and costs; Expired or no registration plates, \$25 fine; No insurance, \$500 fine.

Buford R. Pearson: Improper registration, \$50 and costs.



WITH WARM REGARDS

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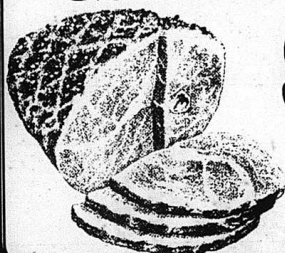
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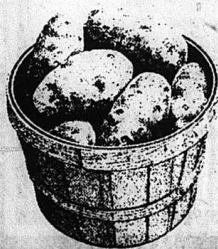
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Mt. Vernon Message

Letters to Santa

Ms. Peggy McClure's Class:
A Angel- I like a Angel. I had a Angel. I Nicole touch by Angel I touch by Angel

Russe II Rudolph Rudolph like his Santa presents, on his sleigh
Jason: On Christmas I made a snowman. On Christmas I eat a candy cane. On Christmas I had a present. On Christmas I had a stocking. I had a bell On Christmas. I had a Christmas tree. I had a sleigh. I had a candle. I had a lot of things at Christmas.

Chris: Stars in the Sky Santa comes when it snows. elves presents because they cant to help santa claus
Scotty Russell: Rudolph minds his Master Rudolph is smart he takes Santa where he wants to go. Santa likes where Rudolph takes him.

Amanda Jones: Dear Santa, I want a dog and cat for Christmas I am going to leave sum cookies and milk Love Amanda

Thomas: Candy cane I Chaw a candy cane I crunch a candy cane I suck candy cane I break candy cane I ben candy cane I throw candy cane I drop.

Ricky Ashcraft: Dear Santa, I want a to be gun for Christmas and a new stocking and a tin speede bike with a pop holder on it for Christmas and a new bed for Christmas.

Casey Powell: Dear Santa, I wot a motor cycle for Christmas I want a toy boat and a toy jet. Love, Casey Powell

Michell: Christmas Day One mornng bells wir ringing trees had bulbs and it was Christmas Day. Ev-

eyone was busy giing red for the sleigh rid with the 8 reindeer.

Dustin Vanwinkle: Dear Santa, I want a toy street shark, a spiderman toy, a really big ball. I will leave some cookies and milk for you at the refrigerator. Love, Dustin Vanwinkle

Dear Santa how Are you? I hope you are fine. I wave Bee Good. I want a bicycle for Christmas. I woud also like a teddy Bear Love/ Jamie Sutton
Brittany: Dear Santa, I want a Barbie doll and a teddy bear and play cat. I don't have chimney so you will need to use the window. and but you will haf to get me for chimney is a kit

Dear Santa, I will live cookie and milk on the table for you. I have been good this year so bring a toy, Live 96. Love, Chris Carpenter

Dear Santa, I want a bik for Christmas I bin good for Christmas Can you big me a belt Would you fill my stocking up Can I have a ball for Christmas Can I have present Mary Christmas.

Dear Santa, Please bring me a piggy bank, a seat for my mommy and a duck for my mommy and a ink pen for my mommy. Bring toys for Billy. I will leave milk for you. Love, Crystal Smith

Dear Santa, Please bring me a doll because I do not have a doll. I want Bath Barbie. for Christmas and I what A Bike and sume make up and I what A rabbit and I what A dog and I what A cat and I will leve some cookies and milk for you. Love, Ashley Marcum

Dear Santa Santa I ben good this year. I want you to bring me a CD player or a new bike or a sleigh and there one mor thing I wot you to bring me and it is a new Nintendo. I will leve cookies and milk. Love, Jeremy Mills

Robyn Wilson: Dear Santa I want a CD player and a boom box I will leve you cookys and milk I cnt wate til christmas and 5000 candy cane and one of your elfs and I want you to fill my stockings full.

Joshua Renner: Dear Santa, I would like to hav a for wheeler and a reindeer, a real Rotwaller dog, a hors and a bunk bed. I dont no if I've been good or not, but I think I have been good most of the time. Love, Josh.

Todd Davidson: Dear Santa, Santa will come when it is dark he will leave presents under the tree. I will leave cookies and milk.

Donald: Dear Santa, I hope you will bring me a Christmas present. I have a chimney for you to use. gun.

Ms. D. Cummins' Class:
I have a star on the Christmas tree in the Living rum. The star is bright at Christmas Eve. Christmas is my farit holiday because Santa Claus Comes to my home with Lot of Toys for Christmas. I play with the toys. Darrell Grace Bolen.

It's Christmas. We hav got a bell. We like our bell. It is big and it is red and it is blue and black. I got a bell for Christmas. There is a bell it my house. Our bell is pretty. Who is going to get the bell? We all will get and get he bell. A bell is good for Christmas. A bell is very good for Christmas. Mom said yes it is very good for Christmas. Carla Rana Rowe.

Once upon a time a little old woman was making a gingerbread man. It was snowing and the little old woman was making a snowman. I got a stocking and I hung on the chimney. Santa is nice. I like Santa Claus. Merry Christmas Brandy Nicole Scalf

Once upon a time the star was looking at Santa. Santa looked at the elf. The elf was cooking Gingerbread man. The gingerbread man looked at the elf. The elf looked at Santa Claus and the reindeers said bye. Jennifer King

The tree is in the yard. I have a star on the top of the tree. The tree has a bell on it. The tree has a candy cane on it. Merry Christmas to all of you. The tree is green. The tree has a present under it. The tree has a Gingerbread Man on it. Britany Reshelle Robinson

Santa will ride on the reindeer. Is it Christmas time? Yes, it is. Christmas time. Will the elf help Santa? Yes, the elf will help Santa. I can't wait till Christmas. Can you? The tree had presents. Ashley LaFaye Stewart

I see a cat on the present. I see a red bow on the present. I see a ribbon on the present. I see a elf on the present. I see a big present. I see a stocking on the present. Lakin Danielle Halcomb

Santa has a reindeer named Rudolph. Santa has an elf and he is red. Santa has a present for me. Santa is married to mas Claus. Santa is wears a red and white suit and black boots. April Dawn Chesnut CHRISTMAS IS JESUS BIRTHDAY. Jesus was born in a Manger.

Jesus was born a long time ago. My Mom cooked a gingerbreadman. Santa Claus rides a sleigh. Santa Claus came to town. Hollie Renee Barnett December 11, 1995 Once upon a time, A BELL WAS ON MY TREE. The bell was red and green and had a ribbon on it. The bell was for Christmas. I looked out the window because I was going to go out side and make a snowman. I went in the kitchen to get I carrot and som rinsins. I went out die to make a snowman. I made a big snowman. ERIN O'REILLY

The star is in the sleigh. The elf is making a toy. The bells are ringing. The candle is lit. The present is on the sleigh. The bulbs are on the Christmas tree. Jessica Etna Evans

ONCE UPON A TIME THE ELF WAS PACKING SANTA CLAUS' SLEAY ALL NICE AND TITTE, AND ONE REINDEER RAN AWAY

AND CAME BACK, AND ONE REINDEER WAS VERY SICK AND CHRISTMAS WAS GREAT THAT HOLIDAY. CODY MANN ROBINSON

Santa Claus got the bag. The bag had candy canes and presents. I will decorate the tree and you can Do this to. Santa Claus put presents under the tree. Joseph Debord

Once upon a time a rabbit was jumping in the woods. I saw the rabbit jumping in the woods. It was a long long time ago. I was shooting at the rabbit but I hit another rabbit. I ran after the other rabbit I almost caught the rabbit. It came Christmas. I got a buch a car, football, baseball, basketball, modernr gam. Steven David Frederick

Once upon a time a elf was wrapping a present, then Santa Claus came in the shop he callout there was no

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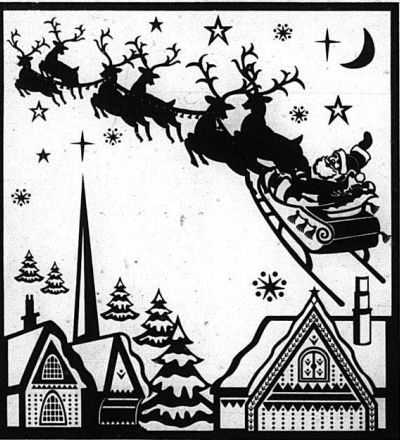


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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Our best wishes to all our customers. We appreciate your patronage in 1995 and look forward to serving you in 1996.



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"Letters to Santa"
(Cont. from C6)

Christmas! All of the elves said Santa all of the children would not remember about Christmas. Well I never thought about that said Santa. There will be Christmas after all. Eban Connelly

Once upon a time the Santa Claus brought toys to kids everywhere. He makes toys the night before Christmas, the elves help Santa make the toys. Brandon Hillon

Santa will fly the reindeer He is going to help Santa get to the kids house to leave presents. The elf is happy to help Santa build toys for the kids. Kenny Lee Mason

It was the night for Christmas in all through the house not a chimney was starting not even a mouse. The stocking was hung on the tree with cker in hope that Saint Nick soon would be there. They had a Merry Christmas. Christopher Lance Baldwin

An elf can make toys. The elf can throw down in the chimney. The elf can fly. colton Isaacs tree Santa Claus This was dictated to Mrs. Adams and she wrote it down for him and he typed it. December 18, 1995 The elf was wrapping a present he got from Santa Claus's workshop he took it to the house and put it in the stocking and the little kid got up and hot it out of the stocking. He unwrapped the present and found an ornament to hang on the tree. The little boy was very happy. Michael Don Whitaker

I wish Santa would come to my

house so I can open my gifts on Christmas Day. I would like a talking dog and a radio. Have a Merry Christmas. Moon, Dad, and Derrick. I hope you all have a Merry Christmas. William EThon McClure.

Mrs. Carter's Class
Dear Santa, All I want for christmas is a Dog. Love, Megan Alcorn

Dear Santa, I want a ten speed bike, a remote control car, a computer, and a typewriter. Chris Barron
Dear Santa Claus, I want a present for Christmas. Hhat I want for Christmas is a puppy. I want a piggy puppy. Amanda Bryant December 12, 1995

Dear Santa, I want a present. I want a puppy and a kitten. I like Christmas. Ill is fun. Sierra Carpenter
Dear Santa, You can send toys if you want but the best present that I really want is that my sister to be my friend. That would make me really, really, happy. My mom would be happy to. And I want to go really, really, far, far, away. Sincerely, Victoria Cloniz

Dear Santa, I wish for a \$101010101010. Love, Tiffany Cox
November 29, 1995 Christmas on christmas I will be happy because Santa will be with his elfs and he will be packing toys up for us I wot A for wheel. Joshua Gilbert

Dear Santa, I wot a bigfoot. and a rein deer. Brandon Hellard.
Dear Santa, I am 6 years old. I want a sky dancer and baby spinning. Morgan Kinzer

Dear Santa, This is my list for Christmas: Big Jake toy four wheeler toy motor cycle toy rabbit toy dog toy elephant Big real Four Wheeler Power Rangers Hen Bear Love, Jeffrey Jones

Dear Santa, I want lots of friends to play with for Christmas. I also want 1. books 2. talking Rosie 3. doll clothes 4. new jacket the most thing I want for Christmas is to see my family. Love, Courtney Kirby

Dear Santa, I want a remote control car for Christmas. Casey McClure
Dear Santa, I'm Jeremy Owens. Im seven years old and I would like you to get me a big black truck and a radio. Please get me these for Christmas. Jeremy Owens

Dear Santa, I want a batmobile and a batman belt with everything on it and some batman stuff. LOVE Kenny Pruitt.

Dear Santa, I wot four Christmas is ulitoo pupie and u horse and a horse that trd orang and blue red and balck and geen and purple graui. Cody Robinson

Dear Santa, I want a bike and a gingerbread man and some friends. Wendell Dustin Sizemore

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a truck, a balltozer, and a game. I have been a good boy this year. Love, Dusty Smith.

Mrs. Jerri Smith's Class
Dear Santa, I been thinking about gung a air hockey game, Eimt Sith jersey, and a pool table. Justin Lear

Dear Santa, I have been good. So I want my size barbie. The one that you can make it turn into a ballerina. Leanna Mink.

Dear Santa, I want the Doctor Dredful, a foodly batman for over tap, power rangers the move top, I want some more sega games. Drew Davidson

Dear Santa, I want a Modrskl. Martin I got cart I sega donkey knog 2 I will buy my Mom u ring. Derek McCown.

Dear Santa, I wanta cup. I want a bike I want a rodoe I want a sweetsht. Wesley Miller.

Dear Santa, I want a new toys. I have been a good boy. I love you. Steven Renner.

Dear Santa, Robyn Lovell I want a toy and i wil tel you wot is is doll i rle Love you Santa Santa i rle rle Love you.

Dear Santa, I want a Modrskl. Matthew Martin.
Dear Santa, I love u I wis I could have Bin good toy pig Robert.

Dear Santa, I wone of your puppys pliez. I hav bin good and I osh wot a cup or meytane by John Lake. Dear Santa, I wot D want love. I have been think ub. thank you a November CELEBRATE. Naatsha Meadows

Dear Santa, I wish i would get a moken tree bolat and a moken tree Helkpor and I got sem kikes and milk, for you. love or a wayne Hurley.

Dear Santa, I have been thinking about getting a wighting a power ranger sawt Kyle Bussell
Dear Santa, I want like a yellow car in a football Chandler Steven

Hunter Dear Santa, I want a cheerleaders dress, and the pom poms too I got a pitcher with you by Stephanie Mason love.

Dear Santa, I know that I have orady rot you a ledr but we rat fitting won in school so I had to do not sit me a ledr back be kes I have orady a siddi you a ledr. I ask you for a ledr.

Dear Santa, I want a bb gun and a red burd with a cage. Rudy Holing love you. Dear Santa, I hop you will bring me a cd player. A Nike swiz suit. And some new Nike shoes. Love Megan Griffin.

Dear Santa, I want ston toy supawrwi. Cody Camron. Dear Santa, I want Sun toy. Supor Koby Poyner

Dear Santa, thank you for my love Santa. Dear Santa, I have seen the list I wot you the Ho Ho Ho I wot you the a Ho wot, Santa, a Broom

Dear Santa, I wanta For Pinat and Fotbol and a Bas-Bel and a pig and a pig and a Bas-Bostana the love Santa, Max.

Mrs. Cindy Anderkin's Class
Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a sega and a bb gun. Bring me some sun mac up. Love David Stewart

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new sega I want a new bike. They have been good. Love, David Bakers

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a Bike. I have been good. I wot milk and cookies. Love Madie McCreary.

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a doll, power Ranger, I hope you get Mom wants a pretty present. Love Samantha McK, money

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new hat. I have been good all year. I will leave milk and cookies for you. Nancy Dickerson

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a race track. I have been good. Love Harris

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new sooper Nintendo and a remote control car. I love Gus Scalf

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new doll and a my size barbie and a hot Santa borby, and I will bring milk and cookies for you. Love, Krista Stewart

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a pistol and a bb gun and a 25.00. I have been good all year. Love, Bobby Brewitt

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new bed and a toy bear. Santa will be good all year. Im wishing the best. Im looking for to see you. Santa I think your nice. Santa I thif you very very nice. I will leave you milk and cookies. Love Heather Spruce

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a Super Nintendo and a Goliath Gargyle I like a Santa Kevin
Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new ball and washer and a toy bear. I will leave milk and cookies for you. Love, Nicki Wayne

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a puppy will be good all year. Im wishing for a Jerry Mouse and a new baby cat. I hope that you get a me. I have been good. Love, Samantha Sturgill

The Old Vernon Signal
Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a diary and a miss. I have been good all year. I will leave milk and cookies for you. Love, Lisa McCreary

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a game for Santa Nintendo. And a Toy Bear. I hope you bring me a puppy. I like your present. Love, Brandon Biles

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a guitar and a Scottie and a pig and you like milk and cookies. Love Randall Whiton

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new toy bear and a my brother

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wants a wen car. Dear Santa I have been good all year. Love, Megan Bradley

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a puppy. And a sled. I have been good. Love Ashley Mullins

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new diary and mom wants a movie. I have been good all year. I will leave milk and cookies for you. Love April Bullock

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a games. walleer race track have been good all year I wleave milk and cookies for you. Love Brandon Dykes
Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a new Goliath Gargyle. and a bb gun. Ninicendo Scott.

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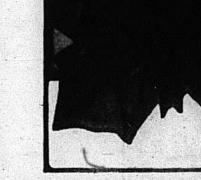
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Heartbreak Hotel by artist Wayne Clark

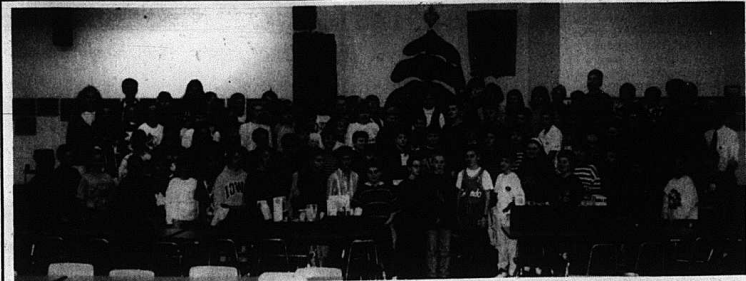


New Release
By folk artist Wayne Clark, being the Old Jefferson County Jailhouse before conversion into the Jefferson County Public Law Library and Commonwealth Attorney's office, which is now a Kentucky landmark on the National Register.

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Full color prints, size 12x16, numbered \$25.00, signed only \$20.00. Artist will sign prints, numbers 1-500, on Saturday, December 23, 1995 at the home of
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In the event you are unable to pick up your print at Mrs. McWhorter's, you may reserve it by calling 606-986-3335 or 502-361-4255.

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Jesse Stuart's *The Bestnest Boy* is a junior novel about a boy who showed care and love to his grandmother. This inspired the 6th grade Enterprises from RCMS to do a "Caring for Others" project. Our classes collected food and other items to make baskets to be distributed to families during the holiday season.

Renfro Valley's Tree of Love makes Christmas brighter for fifty area children

Fifty children will enjoy a brighter Christmas this year, thanks to the generosity of Renfro Valley staff and visitors. Those children will receive gifts of toys and clothing through Renfro Valley's Tree of Love program.

Now in its 4th year, the Tree of Love helps to connect children in need with the generosity of others, brightening the holidays for both. Each year, the tree is decorated with the names of children whose Christmas gift prospects look bleak. Visitors of Santa's Workshop, where the tree resides, are invited to select a child for whom to provide gifts. The child's age, sizes and gift suggestions are provided.

The children included in the Tree of Love program are selected with the help of several Rockcastle County agencies. Often the children's parents have suffered financial setbacks due to unemployment or health problems. The severity of these adult problems often translates to the absence of Christmas gifts for the children.

"As we celebrate the wonder and magic of the Christmas season, we want to ensure that the children in our area have happy holidays, too," ex-

Only eight confirmed wild land fires in Rockcastle County during 1995 fire season

The 1995 fire season has come to a close. This fall fire season had the least amount of fires in many years. In all, there were only eight confirmed wild land fires in Rockcastle County. This can be attributed to the amount of rainfall and the public interest and enthusiasm towards controlling wild land fires. On behalf of the Kentucky Division of Forestry, the Rockcastle fire crew, Ranger Stone, and myself, Ranger Beach, we wish to thank the Brookhead VFD, Livingston VFD, Mt. Vernon VFD and all concerned citizens for their help during the 1995 fire season.

As we welcome the end of fire season, let us not forget the responsibilities of land stewardship. Many land owners have benefited from harvested timber sales. It is also important to realize the benefits of replacing what we have taken. Remember, we are working for the future of our children. Management plans and tree sales applications are now being taken for the winter and spring planting season. If you are interested or have any further questions please contact me at: Ranger Beach, P.O. Box 323, Livingston, Ky. 40445 or call 453-2506 after 4:30 p.m. Thank you and Happy Holidays.

Sincerely,
Bill Beach,
County Ranger

Senior Citizens MENU

December 25-29, 1995

Monday: No meals.
Tuesday: Pinto beans, ham, beets, turnip greens, cornbread, banana pudding, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti/meat sauce, tossed salad, Italian blend vegetables, Italian bread, cooked prunes, milk.

Thursday: Fried Chicken, baked beans, Lyonnaise potatoes, hot roll, orange, milk.

Friday: Potluck at Mt. Vernon Center.

Classified deadline is noon Tuesday

State Police encourages safe holiday driving

Kentucky's highway fatality toll is still running far ahead of last year and the Kentucky State Police are stressing motorist exercise caution this busy holiday season.

On December 13, 804 people had been killed on state roads this year. That's 53 more than on the same date last year and that, says commander of KSP Operations, Lt. Col. Roy Sturgill, calls for higher visibility of officers on the roads. "We've been holding roadblocks, stepping up enforcement... we just had statewide sobriety checkpoints during the first 'National Holiday Driving Week-end.' We're in the first major thrust of the 'Get Stupid! Get Busted!' campaign, which emphasizes driving sober, driving the speed limit and buckling-up. We really hope these publicized enforcement campaigns will remind drivers of their responsibilities when they get behind the wheel."

During the Christmas and New

Year's holiday periods last year, 16 people died in 13 vehicle crashes on Kentucky roads (five fatalities in five crashes during Christmas; 11 fatalities in eight crashes during New Year's). Of those 13 crashes, three were alcohol-involved (two at Christmas, one during New Year's).

Motorists can help keep the roads safe not only by driving sober or

designating a sober driver, but by calling police at a toll-free number, 1-800-222-5555, when they spot a suspected drunken driver. Just stop somewhere you can call and give the dispatcher a description of the vehicle, where it was spotted and the direction headed, and a license number if possible. Callers can remain anonymous.

During Christmas and New Year's last year, nine (three during Christmas; six during New Year's) of the 16 killed were not wearing safety restraints and four were completely

or partially ejected from their vehicles. Buckling your safety belt and placing all young children in federally-approved child safety restraints are two of the best preventive measures you can take when out on the road—and both are enforced by law in Kentucky. Motorists can be fined up to \$50 if children, 40 inches and under, are not placed in a safety seat. The safety belt law, which is a secondary offense, carries a penalty of up to \$25 if a motorist is not buckled-up.

Drivers can also be cited if none of their passengers are wearing safety restraints.

Lt. Col. Sturgill also reminds motorists to allow plenty of travel time to get where they're going so "they don't feel pressure to go over the speed limit" and make sure vehicles are in good running order for the winter months.

This Christmas, the official holiday period begins at six p.m., Friday, December 22 and ends at midnight,

Monday, December 25. The New Year's official period begins at six p.m., Friday, December 29, and ends at midnight, Monday, January 1. Both holidays are part of C.A.R.E. (Combined Accident Reduction Effort), a nationwide program by state police and highway patrol agencies which emphasizes traffic safety through safe and sober driving and the use of safety restraints.



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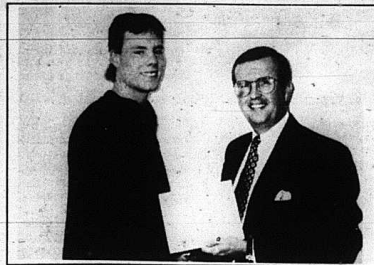


Get ready for the next year. Jessica Albright, a junior at Rockcastle County High School, has been selected as the only student in Ky. to receive a \$5,000 U.S. Savings Bond from the Horatio Alger Association-Louis Feinstein Foundation. Jessica was selected for demonstrating outstanding self-reliance, individual initiative and integrity, leadership in school activities, academic achievement and a commitment to public service. She is shown receiving her savings bond from RCHS Guidance Counselor Dale Whitaker. Jessica is the daughter of Steve Albright and Delores Albright.



Get ready for the next year. Dale Whitaker, guidance counselor at Rockcastle County High School, is shown presenting senior Marcia Coffey with a \$5,000 scholarship from the Horatio Alger Association of Distinguished Americans, Inc. Marcia is the only student in Ky. to receive a \$5,000 scholarship from the association. The scholarship will be applied toward tuition and college expenses. Marcia was selected for demonstrating outstanding self-reliance, individual initiative and integrity, leadership in school activities, academic achievement, and a commitment to public service. Marcia will travel to Washington D.C. to participate in a National Scholar's Conference. She will meet with members of the Association and 50 other scholarship winners from across the country and will attend the Horatio Alger Annual Awards Ceremonies. The Conference will focus on America's free enterprise system and civic education. Marcia is the daughter of Lewis and Barbara Coffey of Brindle Ridge.

Cumberland college student completes leadership seminar



Aaron Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox of Mt. Vernon, has successfully completed the 10-week Leadership Seminar at Cumberland College. Students who completed the program were presented with a certificate by Dr. Mike Colegrove, vice president for student affairs.

The seminar is provided to assist student leaders to better understand how leadership is effectively exercised. The program is designed to enhance the student's personal leadership skills, thus making them more effective campus leaders.

Cumberland College, located in Williamsburg, is a private four-year liberal arts institution in its 106th year of operation. Cumberland offers 4 undergraduate degrees in 26 major fields of study and 30 minors and 9 pre-professional programs.

are entering into a career in the mental health field and is given in memory of the Association's benefactress, Antoinette C. Hodes. The Mental Health Association of Kentucky is an organization that works to promote mental health, to prevent mental illness, and to improve the treatment of the mentally ill in Kentucky.

Ms. Hawkins is currently a graduate student at Eastern Kentucky University, where she is working towards a Master's degree in Clinical Psychology. She is a graduate of Georgetown College with a bachelor's degree in psychology. Ms. Hawkins is the daughter of Delbert Jr. and Clara Hawkins of Crab Orchard. She is the granddaughter of Delbert Sr. and Geneva Hawkins of Crab Orchard and Craig and Rose Holman of Broadhead.

The Signal office will be closed Friday, Dec. 22 thru Monday, Dec. 25

May Your Days Be Merry And Bright.

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Carl Hawkins recipient of Hodes Memorial Scholarship

Carl Hawkins, of Crab Orchard, is the 1995 recipient of the Antoinette C. Hodes Memorial Scholarship by the Mental Health Association of Kentucky. The Hodes Scholarship is awarded to graduate students who

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NOTICES

Notice: No trespassing or hunting on Crawford Place, Old Broadhead Road, Danny Smith, 50fn

MISSING: Two 10 month old beifiers - 1 yellow and 1 white, approximately 600 lbs. each. Last seen on Poplar Gap Road, Orlando area. Any information, please call 256-5049. REWARD. 12x2p

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property belonging to Leonard Reese at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents. All violators will be prosecuted. 43fn

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property of Jerine Dooley, 128 acres on Chestnut Ridge. Violators will be prosecuted. 3x52

Posted: No trespassing on property owned or leased by Leonard Reese, 9x4p

Notice: Daniel Boone Development Council, Inc. would like to notify potential vendors of the opportunity to participate in the LIHEAP CRISIS COMPONENT. You need to contact or come by the Daniel Boone Office no later than December 29th if you are interested in being a LIHEAP vendor. The scheduled date for the crisis component to begin is January 8, 1996. 12x2

Notice is hereby given that Curtis A. Kincer, 6340 Poppemill Dr., Las Vegas, Nev. 89102, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Ida Tula Pritchett on the 29th day of November, 1995. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Curtis A. Kincer or to Hon. Deborah A. Walker, P. O. Box 1094, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before May 29, 1996, 10x3

Notice is hereby given that Michaela Gil Cope has been appointed administratrix of the estate of James Tarence Wolfe on the 1st day of December, 1995. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Michaela Gil Cope or to Hon. William D. Gregory, P.O. Box 220, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456, on or before June 1, 1996. 10x3

Notice is hereby given that Barbara Busby, Rt. 2, Box 1, Orlando, Ky. 40460 and Wanda Kay Ely of Rt. 1, Box 232, Orlando, Ky. have been appointed co-administrators of the estate of Charlie Halcomb on the 28th day of November, 1995. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Barbara Busby and Wanda Kay Ely, or to Hon. William D. Gregory, P.O. Drawer 220, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before May 28, 1996. 10x3

Notice is hereby given that Anna Mae Taylor on the 6th day of December, 1995. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Anna M. Taylor on or before June 6, 1996. 11x3

Notice is given that Mark W. Jasper has filed a final settlement of his accounts as executor of the estate of Robert (Bob) Jasper, deceased. A hearing on said

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settlement will be held Jan. 10, 1996. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 11x2

Notice is hereby given that Rebecca Irene Thomason, 95 Ford Drive, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456, has been appointed executrix of the estate of Clarence Thomason on the 11th day of December, 1995. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Rebecca Irene Thomason or to Hon. John E. Clontz, P.O. Box 1350, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before June 11, 1996. 11x3

PUBLIC NOTICE Summer Youth Employment and Training Plan: Pursuant to Section 105(a)(1)(C) of the Job Training Partnership Act the Summer Youth Employment and Training Plan for the Cumberland Area Development District and the counties of Adair, Casey, Clinton, Cumberland, Green, McCreary, Palmetto, Russell, Taylor and Wayne Counties within the Lake Cumberland Area Development District and the counties of Laurel, Rockcastle, and Whitley in the Cumberland Valley Area Development District is scheduled to be on public display on January 9, 1996.

The purpose of the Summer Youth Employment and Training Plan is established to provide programs to prepare youth ages 16-21 for entry into the labor force and to afford job training to those economically disadvantaged individuals and others facing serious barriers to employment who are in special need of such training to obtain productive employment. The Job Training Partnership Act Summer Youth Employment and Training Program may provide remedial basic education skills and work experience activities for the participants during the Summer of

1996. The JTPA Summer Youth Employment and Training Program may provide summer employment to approximately 800 youth with an estimated total budget of \$1,445,668.00.

The approximate schedule dates for the youth to work will begin May 15, 1996 and end September 30, 1996. The draft of the JTPA Summer Youth Employment and Training Plan for the Cumberland Area Development District for Fiscal year 1996 will be on display for public review and comments on January 9, 1996 in the Lake Cumberland Area Development District office in Russell Springs, Kentucky from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Central Standard Time and the Cumberland Valley Area Development District office in London, Kentucky from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.

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Federal-State Market News
Garrard County Stockyards
Lancaster, Ky.
December 15, 1995

Cattle: 202F. For the Week 2353 Compared to Last Week: Slaughter Cows 100 Head, Slaughter Bulls 200-400 higher; Feeder Steers 450-600; Heifers steady 1.00 higher.
Slaughter Cows: Breaking Utility and Commercial 45-55-50; low dressing individuals 29-31; High Cuts and Bonein, Utility #1 31-35-39.50; Cutters #1-2 28-32.50; Canner 25-28.25; Heifers #1 35-40-42.50.
Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade #1-2 1615-179; indicating 39.81 carcass boning percent 52.54; Yield Grade #1 1130-1055 lbs, indicating 77.78 carcass boning percent 41.75-47.75; Yield Grade #2 11185-1790 lbs, indicating 73.76 carcass boning percent 32.39-37.5.
Feeder Steers: Medium and Large Frame #1 200-400 lbs 60-63; 400-400 lbs 62-68; 400-500 lbs 58-50-66; 500-600 lbs 46-48 yrs old 57-62, including load 88 head 646 lbs; 61; 700-800 lbs 45-51; 800-900 lbs 64-64.50; 900-1000 lbs, package 910 lbs, 61.50.
Small Frame: #1 300-500 lbs, 47.56; 500-700 lbs 45-51.
Medium Frame: #2 300-500 lbs, 52.58; 500-700 lbs 49-53.
Large Frame: #2 (Holsteins) 400-600 lbs, 39.50; 410-800 lbs 37-40.50.
Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large Frame #1 300-400 lbs 49-53; 400-400 lbs 48-54; 400-500 lbs 42-48; 500-600 lbs 45-52; 600-700 lbs 45-51; 700-800 lbs 55-59.60, including loads 57 head 748 lbs 59.60, load 66 head 758 lbs 59.45, package 12 head 808 lbs, 56.
Small Frame: #1 300-500 lbs, 42-48; 500-700 lbs 42-45.
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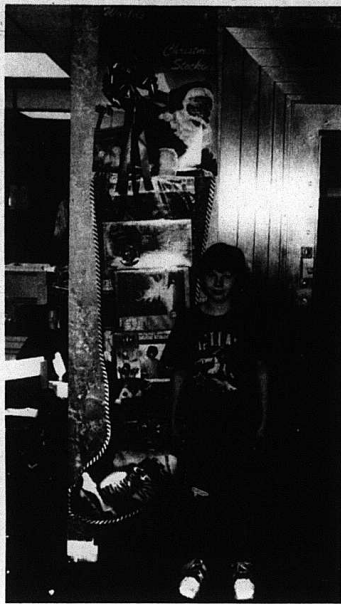
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Christmas Stocking Winner!



Elmer Stewart, a Rockcastle County Middle School sixth grade student was last week's lucky winner of the Christmas stocking at the Bank of Mt. Vernon. Elmer is the son of Boyd and Vonda Stewart of Mt. Vernon. Friday will be the final drawing for the bank's fourth Christmas stocking to be given away.

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Singles Club

The Singles Club will meet each Sat. night at 7 o'clock in the community room at the library. The club will also meet the last Friday of each month, same time, same place. Snacks and games will be provided. Dues are \$1 per person at each meeting. All singles are welcome. For more information, call 256-2490 or 758-4047.

TOPS Meeting

TOPS (Take off Pounds Sensibly) meets every Thursday at 6 p.m. at Brodhead in the Church of God on Main St. For more information, call 256-2490 or 758-4047.

Historical Society Meeting

A special meeting of the Rockcastle County Historical Society will be held Saturday, December 23, 1995 at 1 p.m. in the community room of the public library. A guest, Ms. Carla Nicholson of the Kentucky Historical Society, Frankfort, will address the Society. All members are urged to be present.

Kiwanis Charity Ball

The Kiwanis Charity Ball will be held at the new high school Sat., Dec. 30 from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Tickets on sale at A Cut Above, Hammond Interior, Cox Florist, Mt. Vernon Oil & Tire. Couples \$25, Individual \$15.

GED Tutoring

GED tutoring FREE at the Christian Appalachian Project. Classes held at the CAP Adult Learning Center, 6 to 8:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Brodhead Elementary School, 9 to 11 a.m. on Thursdays. Or, you can contact us to have our School on Wheels program come to your house. For more information, call 256-5307.

Kiwanis Club Meeting

The Rockcastle Co. Kiwanis Club will meet Thursday at noon at the Rockcastle Steakhouse. DeLores Albright will speak on her Russian cruise.

Christmas Play at Livingston Christian

Livingston Christian Church will have their annual Christmas play on Sunday, December 24 at 7 p.m. The play is a comedy and entitled "Tis the Season." Come and have a family-filled time with us.

Watch-Night Service

The McNew Chapel Community Baptist Church will have a Watch-Night service December 31, beginning at 8 p.m. The Byrd Family will be singing. The public is invited to attend.

Circuit Clerk's Office

Holiday Schedule

The Circuit Court Clerk's office will be closed Saturday, December 23; Monday, December 25 and Tuesday, December 26 for the Christmas holiday. The office will also be closed Friday, December 29; Saturday, December 30 and Monday, January 1 for the New Year's holiday. The road test, CDL test and permit test will not be given on Monday, December 25; Friday, December 29 or Monday, January 1.

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