

MINDS IN THE MIDDLE

Calendar of Events
Week of October 2-8

Thursday, October 2nd: Bus Drills at 2:30 p.m. If your child rides the bus for any reason, he/she is strongly urged to participate! Football vs. Northern Pulaski - AWAY. The seventh grade game begins at 6:00 p.m. Girls Basketball vs. Southern Pulaski at HOME. Sixth grade begins at 5:30 p.m.
Friday, October 3rd: Central Kentucky Education Association Meetings - NO SCHOOL!

Monday, October 6th: Report cards will be mailed home. If you do not receive your child's report card by Thursday of that week, please call the middle school and let us know. Your address may have changed from what we have in our computer!

Tuesday, October 7th: Girls Basketball vs. Meece at HOME. The sixth grade game begins at 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 8th: Y-Club meeting from 3-4 p.m. The first grading period ended

Monday, September 29th. Report cards will be mailed home on Monday, October 6th. The first scheduled parent teacher conference will be held Monday, October 13th from 3-6 p.m.

The Rockcastle Incentive Scholarship Trust (RIST) Program has begun at R.C.M.S. This scholarship program makes it possible for an student to receive money for higher education.

For more information about RIST, see Mrs. Molly Belcher, counselor at the middle school. There is also an information guide attached to this month's calendar of events that your child brought home.

The information sheet explains the RIST point system and the activities for which your child can earn points. These points later turn into scholarship dollars when your child is accepted to a vocational/technical school or college. Parents will be notified prior to events that qualify for points - so be on the lookout!



• BOOK FAIR •

The R.C.M.S. Library will be having a book fair beginning next week, October 6th through 10th.

A large variety of books will be on sale and other items as well. Every child will have an opportunity to purchase items during their regular library time. They will also be allowed to come at other times.

Parents are strongly encouraged to visit the Book Fair and purchase books for their child to read at home. Reading is an activity that can last a lifetime!

All profits will be used to purchase materials for our library. The fair will be open from 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. daily.

Our Youth Services Center serves middle school students and their families, but devotes most of their attention to problems youth encounter as they enter adolescence and adulthood. Services are especially beneficial for students who are at risk

of not performing well in school. Our Youth Services Center personnel are on hand to help you Monday through Friday: 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Becky Cash and/or Kim Hunter can be reached at 256-5484.

If you have any questions about your child's academic progress or any of the activities that will be coming up at the middle school, please feel

free to call the school during regular hours and we will help you in any way possible.

Monthly calendar of events are always available in the office, as well as information sheets regarding important issues and events concerning your child.

The annual Parent-Teacher Association membership drive will be coming to an end Friday, October 24th. Be a supportive parent - join and participate in your PTA today!

Rockcastle County Elementary Schools Menu October 6 - 10, 1997

Breakfast Monday: Sausage gravy, toast/jelly or cereal, pop tart, juice and milk.

Tuesday: Honey bun or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Wednesday: French toast sticks, syrup/butter or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Thursday: Scrambled egg or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Friday: Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Lunch Monday: Pizza or sandwich, corn, garden salad, milk and mixed fruit.

Tuesday: Hot ham and cheese on bun or chicken patty on bun, potato wedges, lettuce/dill pickles, milk and banana pudding.

Wednesday: Chicken fryz or hot dog on bun, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, milk and apple wedges with dip.

Thursday: Fish on bun with cheese or sandwich, spicy fries, cole slaw, milk and peanut butter square.

Friday: Taco salad or hamburger on bun, lettuce/pickles, hash browns, milk and honey bun.

Rockcastle County Middle & High School Menu October 6 - 10, 1997

*Breakfast will be served each day.

Monday: Chef salad or pizza or sandwich, corn, garden salad, milk

and choice of desserts. **Tuesday:** Chef salad or hot ham and cheese on bun or chicken patty on bun, potato wedges, lettuce/dill

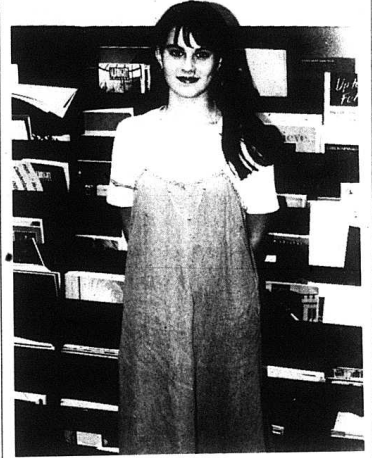
pickles, milk and choice of desserts.

Wednesday: Chef salad or chicken fryz or hot dog on bun, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll,

milk and choice of desserts. **Thursday:** Chef salad or fish on bun with cheese or sandwich, spicy fries, cole slaw, milk and choice of desserts.

Friday: Chef salad or taco salad or hamburger on bun, lettuce/pickles, hash browns, milk and choice of desserts.

Academic Honor Roll



Leah Depew, daughter of William Depew and Cedra Poynter of Mt. Vernon is a senior at RCHS with a 4.0 gpa. Leah is considering Georgetown, Cumberland or Campbellville College and expects to major in education. Her activities include president of the Beta Club and membership in the Key Club, National Honor Society and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Her hobbies are reading and her church youth group at the Colony Holiness Church in London. Leah also works as a co-op student at Rockcastle Hospital.

Rockcastle County Middle School Parent-Teacher Conferences

Monday, October 13th
3:00 - 6:00 p.m.

R.C.M.S.

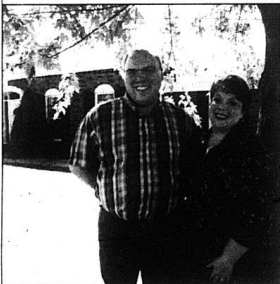
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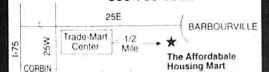
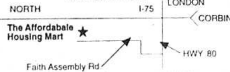
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FLEETWOOD HOMES

Mt. Vernon Personals

By Vallie Burton

Lillian Anglin has returned home after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Ritcut and husband, Paul.

Mattie Newton of Somerset and mother, Vallie Burton were in Richmond last Tuesday to consult Ms. Burton's doctor.

Larry Burdette underwent open heart surgery at the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington last week. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mark and Debbie Holt of Louisville visited Arthie Kirby while Saturday.

Stanley Burton of Dayton, Ohio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Burton during the weekend.

Mrs. Mamie Barron has returned home after spending several days in the Rockcastle Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

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

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

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Mink of London visited his sister, Patricia Holland one day last week.

Angie Eaton of Georgetown College visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Eaton and family during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Roberts of Rutledge, Tennessee visited her sis-

ter, Vallie Burton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charic Zemi and daughter, of Cincinnati were here last weekend due to the death of her grandfather, Bro. Carsel Blanton. They spent Saturday night with her mother, Shirley Burton.

Patricia Holland was in Berea last Friday.

How Does Your Garden Grow?
Submitted by Vallie Burton

Five rows of "P"s:
Preparedness,
Prompness,
Perseverance,
Politeness,
Prayer.

Three rows of squash:
Squash gossip,
Squash criticism,
Squash indifference.

Five rows of lettuce:
Let us love one another,
Let us be faithful,
Let us be loyal,
Let us be unselfish,
Lettuce us be truthful.

Three rows of turnips:
Turn up at church,
Turn up with a new idea,
Turn up with the determination to do a

Better job tomorrow than you did today.

Tiger Pause

Mrs. Brenda Saylor and Mrs. Patsy Morgan from the Rockcastle County Extension Agency are our troop leaders for all three Girl Scout levels this semester. The girls will help in preparing snacks for their meetings, doing activities centered around the badge that they will be earning and working on manners. We want to thank Mrs. Brenda and Mrs. Patsy for all their time and leadership with our Girl Scout program. We couldn't do it without them.

SAVE THOSE CAMPBELL'S LABELS!

Students that walk will be dismissed at 2:30 on Thursday. Bus drills will then be held. There is **no school on Friday, October 3**, due to CKEA. Family Night will be held on Thursday, October 2, beginning at 6:15 p.m. Warren "The Wizard" Welsh will be performing his magic show at this time. He entertains as he teaches with his message to stay off drugs and stay in school. Please remember that parents are required to attend with their children. You may not bring your children and then leave them. This is Family Night, we want families to spend time together. No exceptions will be made.

The SBDM Council will meet on Monday, October 6, at 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

P.T.A. will meet on Thursday, October 9, at 7:00 p.m. to discuss the Fall Festival. Mrs. Susan Coffey's and Mrs. Cynthia Rogers' primary classes will be performing.

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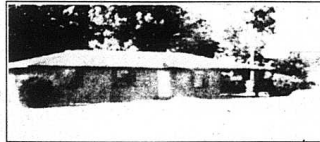
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1997

11:00 A.M.

AT ROUTE 1 BANDY ROAD - BRODHEAD, KY 40409

OF HOUSE AND LOT

Route 1, Bandy Road
Brodhead, KY 40409



This is a three bedroom brick veneer ranch style home located on Bandy Road, Brodhead, KY. In addition to the three bedrooms, this home consists of a living room, kitchen/dining area, a laundry room, and one bath. This home would make an excellent starter home for the first time homeowner or a great buy for an investor interested in rental property or for resale after repairs.

Payment of the current years property taxes are the responsibility of the third party purchaser.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on October 21, 1997, at 11:00 a.m., at Route 1 Bandy Road, Brodhead, Kentucky, in order to raise the sum of \$35,182.74 principal together with interest credit subsidy granted in the amount of \$620.00, plus interest in the amount of \$2,786.03, as of February 19, 1997, and interest thereafter on the principal at \$7.2223 per day from February 19, 1997, until the date of Judgment, plus interest on the Judgment amount (principal plus interest to the date of Judgment) at the rate of 5.58%, computed daily and compounded annually, until paid in full and for the costs of this action, pursuant to Judgment and Order of Sale, being Civil Action No. 96-489, on the Lexington Docket of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, entered on June 13, 1997, in the case of United States of America vs. Douglas R. Hughes and Kelly Hughes, the following described property will be sold to the highest and best bidder:

BEGINNING at a steel pin on Northwest side of Bandy Road (Corner to Lot No. 1) 0.26 miles Northeast of the Pulaski County line; thence with said road North 46 degrees 30' East 105 feet to a steel pin (corner to Lot No. 3); thence with Lot No. 3 North 44 degrees 35' West 205 feet to a steel pin in Burton line; thence with Burton south 46 degrees 30' West 105 feet to a steel pin (corner to Lot No. 1); thence with Lot No. 1 South 44 degrees 35' East 205 feet to the beginning, and containing 0.49 acres more or less.

BEND ALL THE SAME PROPERTY conveyed by deed dated October 3, 1995, and of record in Deed Book 159, Page 295, in the Rockcastle County, Kentucky's Office.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten percent (10%) of the bid price (in the form of a Certified Check made payable to the U. S. Marshall) on the day of sale with good and sufficient bond for the balance bearing interest at the rate of 5.58% per annum until paid, due and payable in thirty (30) days and said bond having the effect of a Judgment. Upon a default by the Purchaser, the deposit shall be forfeited and retained by the U. S. Marshall as a part of the proceeds of the sale and the property shall again be offered for sales subject to confirmation by the Court.

This sale shall be in bar and foreclosure of all right, title, interest, estate claim, demand or equity of redemption of the defendants and of all persons claiming by, through, under or against them, provided the purchase price is equal to two-thirds of the appraised value. If the purchase price is not equal to two-thirds of the appraised value, the Deed shall contain a lien in favor of the defendants reflecting the right of the defendants to redeem during the period of 180 days after the date of the sale (KRS 426.530)

Inquiries should be directed to: **KEITH D. EASTER**
Community Development Manager - Rural Development - Richmond, Kentucky
Telephone: 506-624-1932

JobStart Job Skills Training Program

(12 Week Program)

Program Begins: September 29th, 1997

Ends: December 19, 1997

Monday - Friday 8:30 - 12:30

For more information, or to register
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Sponsored by: Christian Appalachian Project
To be held in the Recreation Center in Mt. Vernon
Primarily for, but not limited to K-TAP Participants

Hunter Education Course offered

There will be a Hunter Education Course offered in October at the Rockcastle County Extension Office. The program will be sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service, the Fish and Game Department, and the Rockcastle County Sportsman Club. The course will begin on Thursday evening, October 23rd, at 6:00 p.m. and will end at 9:00 p.m. Friday evening's session, October 24th, will also begin at 6:00 p.m. but will end at 9:30 p.m. The course will conclude the range work on Saturday, October 25th, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please take advantage of this Fall course!

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From Our Files

35 years ago this week...
District winners in 4-H Club record keeping were Rosalind Baker, in junior leadership and Judith Jordan, in clothing and ontology.

Clyde Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wally Phillips of Red Hill, enlisted in the Air Force. He is the fifth brother to enlist in the service from the Phillips family.

Initial planning for a sewer-water project, costing about \$150,000, was begun by the Brotherhood Board of Trustees.

30 years ago this week...
George Johnson and Fred Baker of Mt. Vernon were presented with their 50-year pins during ceremonies held at Ashland Lodge 640 EAAM.

Spice James David Whit, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whit, left for Ft. Lewis, Washington from where

he went to San Francisco to disembark for Vietnam.

"Fashion Happenings" was the theme for the new-style show sponsored by the Mt. Vernon Homemakers. The show gave a preview of the fashions that would be seen on the local ladies in the fall.

25 years ago this week...
Miss Darlene McClure graduated from the House of James Beauty College in Louisville. She graduated from Livingston High School in 1971 and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis McClure of Livingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brown were commissioned "Kentucky Colonels" by Governor Wendell H. Ford.

The Rockets staffing coach chose Kenny Burton and Dale Carnack as players of the week for their play against Georgetown.

20 years ago this week...

Virginia Sutton Bray and Linda Martin, both of Mt. Vernon, were invited to Nashville, Tennessee for the Sixth International Country Music Fan Fair for a "Family Reunion" of Country Music Artists. Also invited to the reunion from here were Mr. and Mrs. John Lair and Ole Joe Clark.

Vern Clark, class of 1932 and Mrs. Clark, received recognition for traveling the most distance to attend the Mt. Vernon High School Reunion. They journeyed from Concord, California.

Principal Cleston Saylor announced that Casey Hines, a senior student at RCHS had achieved Commended Student status in the 23rd annual National Merit Scholarship Program.

15 years ago this week...

A moonshine still, found about 200 yards up a hollow off the Chestnut Ridge Road, was destroyed by Sheriff William Taylor and State Trooper Greg Ennis.

Work was begun on the Brotherhood House Project that will consist of 70 units, as announced by Mayor Ronnie Cash.

Jaletta Burdette, daughter of Charlotte Burdette and Tommy Burdette was crowned Homecoming Queen at half-time ceremonies games against Berea. Attendees were Jamie Cox, Tracy Kirby, Jane Anderkin, Melinda Pillion, Stacy Norton, Jeanna Payne, Michelle Cromer and Leigha Jones.

10 years ago this week...

Members of the Mt. Vernon City Council visited Lake Linville to check buildings, drainage and public facilities. Those members attending were Joe Martin, Tom Welch, Mayor Elizabeth Baker, Larry Burdette, Jimmy Hale, boat dock operator and Bill Ray Dean.

Senior Julie Dowell was crowned 1987 Homecoming queen during half time activities of the Rockets-Jellico football game. Other court members were Teresa Burdette, freshman attendant; Gina Martin, sophomore attendant; Melissa Lear, senior attendant and Stephanie Dooley, junior attendant.

After 26 years of service to J&L Equipment Company in Mt. Vernon, Jack DeBorde, decided to call it quits. He was honored with a reception and a new rotor tiller as a parting gift from the company.

5 years ago this week...

Dennis McClure took over as superintendent of water, sewer and streets in Mt. Vernon from Matt Powell, Jr.

Rose Taylor, a local postal worker at Mt. Vernon for 22 years retired. During her time the post office went from 300 boxes to 1200.

The BHA officers and advisor for the year were June Stevens, advisor; Brandi Chasteen, secretary; Tracy Todd, president; Donna Cash, trea-

surer; Callie Mullins, reporter; Shauna Stevens, vice president for achievement; Amy Childress, historian; Gail Belcher, activity leader; Kim Shivel, parliamentarian; Angie Parsons, vice president for student events.

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor,

Labor union organizers continue to plague local industries within Berea's Industrial Park in order to keep their "business" afloat due to their declining numbers in membership. Last week group of concerned employees at NACCO Materials Handling Group, Inc. submitted the following petition to the Teamster's Union Vice President asking him to withdraw his campaign from their workplace:

We would like to express our concern and objection to the Teamster's trying to form a union within the NMMHG Berea facility. As you can see from the signatures, there is a majority consensus in the ranks of the Teamsters to provide anything of significant value to the people who are employed here. NMMHG management does more than any union organization ever could to provide a pleasant workplace that is conducive not only to meeting production goals, but to providing personal enrichment opportunities. We are provided with a workplace that is considered the "best in the area." The pay and fringe benefits are also among the best in the work area. Management bends over backwards to help anyone who wants to improve their education, develop on-site computer training skills, and most importantly, provide assistance through our employee assistance program. We all know, as you do, that job security is not obtained from a contract, especially a contract whereby the person or persons doing the promising does not control the checkbook. We all know that it is not in our best interest to bring in a third party that not only has no resources to provide us with anything, but that their only purpose is to sell the workforce back to an employer who already has them employed. We here at the NMMHG Berea Plant, can speak for ourselves; we do not need anyone to "represent" us. Management has an open door policy where they welcome us, as employees, to voice our concerns and present suggestions for improvements. We are **TERRIFIED** of a small minority of people who want a union for their own personal gain risking the security and welfare of others. There are no ISSUES of these few people have on their agenda. Withdrawal of your petition for a

vote would be a wise and prudent "business" decision on your part. You know, as well as we do, that you do not stand a chance to win. The names on the petition should confirm that to you. We realize that the NMMHG Berea facility is worth about \$125,000 annually to you and your organization. We are concerned about our well-being and survival, not about the survival of your union. We do not appreciate you using a minority to upset the "good" working relationship we have developed with our management at this facility as well as management at higher levels. They have trusted in our abilities and de-

sire to improve all parts of this operation. This has helped to provide us with a more secure future at this facility. Maybe we will not be doing tomorrow what we are doing today, but because of our dedication to doing a good job, we will be employed tomorrow. Together with our management team we have proven success comes from "Working Together for Excellence" in order to continue to "Make Good Things Happen." Go look for your job security in another place.

The above petition was signed by a group of concerned employees at the NMMHG facility.



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Saturday, 10/4 Deep Fried Chicken Breast Creamed Beef over Noodles Chuckwagon	Tuesday, 10/7 Pepper Steak over Noodles Skillet Fried Chicken Liver Grilled Ham & Pineapple Navy Beans, Homefries & cornbread
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Level Green Section of Rockcastle



Location: 9 miles southwest of Mt. Vernon. Turn east off Highway 461 onto Level Green Road (Highway 3273) and go approximately one mile to the property. From Highway 70, turn west and proceed 1 1/2 miles to the property. Auction signs are posted.

Mr. and Mrs. York have purchased other property and plan on moving; therefore, they have authorized our firm to offer their property at auction.

Tract 1: Consists of a fenced lot measuring 61/100 of an acre with an orchard and landscaping. This tract is improved with a 1986 14x70 Footlock Festival mobile home. The home offers living room/kitchen/dining, 2 bedrooms, one bath and utility room. Other amenities include wall to wall carpet, electric heat, lots of cabinets and city water, as well as a stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer and T.V. satellite.

Tract 2: Consists of 54/100 of an acre lot and is improved with a 1979 12x56 Village mobile home. This home has living room/kitchen combination, 2 bedrooms, one bath and utility room plus city water, electric heat, washer/dryer hookup, wall air conditioner, stove and refrigerator. The owners reserve the right to offer the tracts together and separately, selling in the way which brings the best results for the sellers.

Auctioneer's Note: If you're in the market for a country place or an investment property, then be sure to mark your calendar to attend this auction: Saturday, October 11th at 2:30 p.m.

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- Breast cancer is the number one killer of women between the ages of 34 and 55.



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During October, Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Rockcastle Hospital is offering mammograms for only \$65. You'll also receive a free Rockcastle Hospital tote bag filled with goodies, coupons, and information about breast cancer.

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For Sale: 1996 Fleetwood Mobile Home 16x70 with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, also included washer and dryer, range, refrigerator, couch and chair, electric hookup, central air, 10x16 porch, all block and underpinning. Call 256-9821.

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For Sale: 1987 Nissan Sentra, white, one owner, 5 sp., in excellent condition. \$1200. Call 758-0124, after 6:00 p.m. or leave message. 47x1ft

For Sale: '93 Nissan Pathfinder SE6 black with gray interior, loaded. \$16,000 obo. Call 256-4662. 51x2

For Sale: '93 Grand Am GT. All power, 67,000 miles, like new condition. \$9800. Call 256-4161. 51x2

For Sale or Trade: 1984 Lincoln, good condition. Sell or trade to a 4-wheel drive pickup. Call 256-2350. 52x2pd

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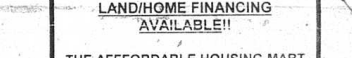
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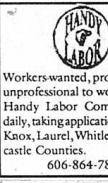
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\$100 Sign Up Bonus: Yeah! That's right, Kelly Services is offering a \$100 dollar sign up bonus for all new applicants that bring in this ad, sign up with Kelly Service and work a total of 320 hours on assignment at our Berea location. To apply you must be able to lift 15-30 pounds repetitively, have steel toed boots/shoes, reliable phone, reliable transportation have a HS diploma or GED. Offer expires 10/10/97, don't miss out on and extra \$100, on top of competitive wages. Call now! Kelly Services 606-985-2105 or 1-800-223-8715. Equal Opportunity Employer/never an Applicant Fee. 52x1

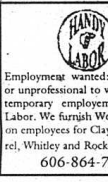
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Help Wanted: Siding Seamless Rain Gutters helpers needed. Must have transportation. P&P Gutting. 256-4393 or 379-2221-50x2pd

Help Wanted: Now accepting applications for Taco Bell at Valley Ashland. Apply in person. Starting wages \$5.50/hr. 50x4

Field Service Rep: Are you looking for part-time work? Are you able to work a flexible schedule? Can you work independently? Do you have a reliable insured auto? National Marketing Research Firm seeking permanent, part-time employee to collect production information from retail stores. Call 615-367-1646. 51x2

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Help Wanted: Full-time live-in caregiver for elderly woman in Brodhead. Salary plus room and board. Call after 7 p.m. 606-986-8636 (Berea). 52x4pd

Help Wanted: Dental assistant needed to join our pediatric dental office. Must be enthusiastic for working with children. Please send resume to P.O. Box 1359, London, KY 40743. (606)864-7310. 52x2

Help Wanted: National Market Research Company is looking for a part-time supervisor for the middle Kentucky area. You would be responsible for 5 current employees, hiring and training for all open areas, covering open areas and handling any special projects in the area. You must be able to work independently. Must possess knowledge of computers, have a reliable insured auto, and be willing to travel the middle Kentucky area. Supervisory experience is a plus. Please send resume and salary requirements to 1005 Metropolitan Road, Suite 205, Nashville, TN 37217. 52x1pd

Field Service Rep: National Marketing Research Company seeks permanent P/T employee to collect data from area stores. Must be flexible, independent, able to travel a 50 mile radius, have reliable, insured transportation, be able to work daytime hours, comfort with computers a plus. (615)367-0646. \$6.65/hr. 52x1pd

Help Wanted: A job that starts pay above min. wage. You earn \$7 hr. in less than 6 months and 1 week pd. vacation in less than 10 months. Call 256-4542. Need high school diploma or GED. 52x1pd

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For Sale: Cemetery lots, Cresthaven Cemetery, Mt. Vernon. Call 256-5648. 31xmt

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For Sale: Stonewash denim jeans, relaxed or traditional fit by

Carhartt \$26.50. Blue denim bib overalls by Carhartt \$38.00. Large selection of Carhartt rugged and casual wear. Napier Bros. Clothing Store, 35 Public Square, Lancaster. 792-2535. 24mt

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For Sale: New Model Sears Riding Mower, 12 hp. \$450. 80 Elite Honda Scooter, like new. \$600. 1992 Hardtop Ford body, \$700. Disney movies, all types. Buy or sell. 1983 Elcamino, good running condition. 1 owner, \$750. 91 Toyota pickup, 5 sp., with air, 67,000 miles, \$4500. 92 Chevy full size high to conversion van, 350 engine, never wrecked. \$9500. Call 256-4739. 50x3pd

For Sale: Hay Flat for a wagon. 758-4514. 50mf

For Sale: 4 new tires P235 160R15, 4 rims, 6 lugs. \$425. 1 new bed mat for Nissan pickup. \$55. Call 256-4662. 51x2

For Sale: '81 Wallace Craft 25 hp motor. Call 256-0286. 51x2

For Sale: Sorrell Mare and Colt, 6 mos. old. \$1100. Call 355-2644 or 748-5137, ask for Cecil King. 51x1

For Sale: Beagle Hound pups and hound dogs. Call 758-0205. 51x4

For Sale: Round bales of grass hay. \$20 each from barn. \$18 each from field. Call 758-0013 ask for Chris Poynter or 937-783-2626. 51x4

For Sale: New Bed. Complete queen size orthopedic mattress set with brass head board and frame still in plastic. \$800 value. Sale \$275. 878-7511. 51x2

For Sale: 500 Gallon Collard Greens. 80 small head. 75 large head. Call 256-0195. 52x4

For Sale: Cherry Queen Anne Lingerie and Jewelry chest, 8 drawers, 2 side compartments, like new. \$200. Also, 27" GE color TV. 12 mo. new. \$280. 758-8029 after 5 p.m. 52x1

For Sale: AKC Registered Rottweiler, female. \$175. 256-4161. 52x1

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The Kentucky Public Service Commission has ordered that pursuant to Commission Regulation 807 KAR 5:056, Section 1 (11), the Kentucky Utilities Company shall appear before the Commission for the purpose of examining the application of the Company's fuel adjustment clause (KUR Tariff PSC No. 11, Sheet 24) for the period November 1, 1996, through April 30, 1997.

A public hearing concerning this matter will be held at the Commission's offices at 730 Schoenel Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602 on October 6, 1997 at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time.
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Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large Frame #1 200-300 lbs. 77-79; 300-400 lbs. 73-79; 500-600 lbs. 71-77; package 28 head 991 lbs. 73.80; 600-700 lbs. 68-72.80, package 24 head 163 lbs. 72.80; 700-800 lbs. 65-70.15, including load 70 head 776 lbs. 70.15.
Small Frame: #1 300-500 lbs. 62-70; 500-700 lbs. 61-68.
Medium Frame: #2 300-500 lbs. 65-70.50; 500-700 lbs. 63-70.
Per Head: Medium and Large Frame #1 Stock Cows 4-8 yrs. old with 150-350 lb. calves by side 420-595; Medium and Small Frame #1 Stock Cows 2-10 yrs. old with 80-150 lb. calves by side 350-110. Medium and Large Frame #1 Stock Cows 2-8 yrs. old 4-8 months bred 380-555; Medium and Small Frame #1 Stock Cows 2-10 yrs. old 2-2 months bred 250-310.
Stock Bulls: No test.
Baby Calves: 10-130, weaned 120-220.

PHONE 792-2118
Owners: R.C. Freeman, 734-7460, Manager
Edwin Freeman, Miller Horn III and Don Horn
Asst. Mgrs. Allen Day - 925-2088 Dickie Arnold-925-3471

PROPERTY FOR SALE

Trailer or House Lots: Land contracts available. Some lots on blacktop road and some have cable TV. Located at Bowling Ridge outside Brodhead. \$4,000 each. Call 256-5364 or 256-3615. 30x60ft.

Restricted Building Lots: All on blacktop road. 1/2 acre to 2 1/2 acres. Located 2 miles from Brodhead, 5 miles from high school and 5 miles from I-75. Nice neighborhood. Owner financing available. \$4,000-57,000. Call 256-5364, 256-5781 or 256-3615. 30x60ft.

For Sale: House with 2 car garage in Mt. Vernon. House has 4 bedrooms, kitchen/dining combo, large living room, laundry room. Call 256-5364. 30x60ft.

For Sale: Approximately half acre lots on Floyd St., in city limits of Mt. Vernon, accessible to water and sewer, \$15,000 each. Call 256-2446. 33x60ft.

Farm For Sale: Large acreage, 2-story house with cement, bath and city water, tobacco base 3673 and hay. Large tobacco barn, stock barn, extra buildings. Call 606-256-5371. 46x80ft.

For Sale: Beautiful 3 bedroom brick located in Country Estates. Lg. dining area with sit. island, cabinets and all woodwork done in red mahogany, lg. living room with vaulted ceiling and fireplace, 2 baths, lg. bath in master bedroom with whirlpool tub, color schemes burgundy, black and hunter green, 2 bogs of french doors leading out to 50 ft. deck, 2 car garage. Must see to appreciate. Shown by appointment only. Call 256-3461. 49x4

House For Sale by Owner: Floyd St., Mt. Vernon. 3 bedroom ranch, bedford stone, 1,200 sq. ft., newly remodeled, with fireplace, 2 car carport, large city lot. For more information or appointment to see call 256-2214. 51x2

New House: Brick, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, central heat and air, attached garage, Hwy. 2549 (old 461) 1/2 mile off Hwy. 150. Paved street and driveway. \$65,900. Open house Saturday, October 4th from 1-3 p.m. Call 256-2339 or 606-624-1997. 51x2pd

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House For Sale: 120 George St. in Berea (close to Big Value). Lg. living room, family room or dining room, 3 BR, lots of closets. lg. kitchen, ceramic tile bath, concrete drive and carport, lg. patio, fenced backyard. Call (606) 256-5497. 52x3

For Sale: Three bedroom brick, located at 65 Hunter St., Mt. Vernon. Central heat and air. Newly refurbished. Contact Paul or Doris Blevis. Phone 256-2798. 52x2pd

For Sale: 3 lots in Brodhead. Call 758-8327. 52x1

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Custom-Built Cabinets: Vanities, entertainment centers, all custom woodwork. R Woodworks. Call (606) 758-4706. 25x15

P&P GUTTERING: 5 & 6 inch seamless gutters, siding, soffit and window installation. Call 256-4393. Free estimates. 21x60

R&B Builders - new homes, complete remodeling, all types, metal building, concrete work, decks, porches, painting, 22 years experience, free estimates. Call 256-9276. 34x11

Grave Markers & Monuments: In stock at all times. McNew Monuments Sales, Inc. 25 miles north of Mt. Vernon. Ph. 256-2232. 13x11

J&L Equipment Co., 50 Williams Street, Mt. Vernon, Ky., selling farm fuels, motor oils, heating fuel and gasolines. Your Chevron Oil Jobber for Rockcastle county. Call 256-2114. 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. 02x11

Part-Time Sales/Walkins: Quality products since 1868. Let's talk money. Immediate opportunities available. Save money and receive an income. Free catalog. Call 606-758-4280. Independent representative. 48x11

FLX-IT - Finish carpentry, remodeling, also vinyl installation and repair, door/window repair and

replacement, tile repair and replacement. No job too small. Custom decks and patios. Call 606-256-4313. 49x11

Sewing Machines: Sales and Service. Roy Davis, 407 Crab Orchard St., Lancaster, (606) 919-3149. 8x11

Lovell's Gun Repair: New and used guns, ammo and supplies. \$60 Hot bluing repairs. Will special order. Maple Grove Rd., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. (606) 919-2141. J & R Roofing: Over 10 years experience. Excellent references. Free Estimates. Shingle repairs, venting and re-roofing. Call us. Johnny 965-3103 or Troy 965-7612. 23x11

Angel's Upholstery: Top quality work. Furniture, autos, boats, office and restaurant seats. Free estimates. Pickup and delivery. Call 256-9167. 28x11

Remodeling: Can build/remodel room additions, garage, decks, and porches. 28 yrs. exp. References. Free estimates. Financing available. Hardwood flooring at cost of carpeting. Call 256-0225, anytime. 30x11

Steve Spoonamore Roofing: Excellent references. Free estimates. 758-4318. 36x36

Paradox Electric: Commercial and residential wiring. No job to large, no job to small. Call 24 hrs. James M. Hines, Licensed Electrical Contractor. 256-9579. 45x11

Concrete Work: No job to big or too small. Free Estimates. Call 256-4915. 46x11

Child Care Service: Experienced mother-child care provider, having opening for 2 children, newborn to 3 years. Quail Area, Brodhead School District. References available. 256-4267. 48x1pd

Rex & Glen's Fuel Oil Furnace Repair & Turn-Ups: 483-9307. 50x80

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YARD SALES

Flea Market: Lace, desks, "wildcat" knives, Flow Blue, watches. YENDORS: Filling up fast; inside 515/wk. Midway Field. Sat. 6-11. 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. We have a lot of big men and women clothes, hospital bed, table and chairs, odd tables and lots of everything. Rain or shine. 51x3pd

Big Yard Sale: For Pine Hill Holiness Church at George Collins, Rt. 2, Mt. Vernon on U.S. 25, 5 miles south of Mt. Vernon, Oct. 3-4, from 6-11, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. We have a lot of big men and women clothes, hospital bed, table and chairs, odd tables and lots of everything. Rain or shine. 51x3pd

Yard Sale: Fri. Oct. 3rd, from 9:00-12:00, at the home of Betty Henderson located behind the Mt. Vernon Post Office. Some antique dishes, shoes, dresses, men's suits, curtains, exercise bike, and other odds and ends. (No early birds) 52x1 52x1pd

Big Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat., Oct. 3-4, 9 to 5: 3 1/2 miles from Roundstone on Scaffold Cane Road turn on Frank Thacker Road, first house. All sizes of clothes, sweaters, sweatshirts, what note an home interior. Lots of stuff. 52x1

Yard Sale: 2 families, Saturday only from 9 to 7. Millie Blevis in Evergreen Estates in Mareburg. Womens clothes size 7 to 20, boys 10 to 13, 3 to 4, 47, toddler car seat, changing table and lots more. Rain cancellable. 52x1pd

Yard and Garage Sale: Oct. 3 & 4, West St., down from Taylor's Produce in Brodhead. 3 or 4 families. 52x1pd

Garage Sale: Sat. Oct. 4, 9 to 3. Home of Debbie Shaffer, turn on road beside Sowder Nursing Home go 2 to 3 miles, house on hill on left. Signs will be posted. Rain or shine. to many items to mention. 52x1

Garage Sale: on West St. in Brodhead, at John and Myrtle Helton across from Taylor's Produce. This Fri. & Sat., Oct. 3 & 4. From 9 till 5. Lots of winter clothes, sweaters, pants, shoes, home accessories. 52x1pd

Yard Sale: Two families. Thurs. & Fri. Trailer #3 - Ramsey Trailer Park. Lots of everything. 52x1

Five Family Yard Sale: Sat., Oct. 4, 10-4. Ladies clothes, sizes 4-12, men clothes, sizes small to large, changing table, booster seat, walker, floor lamp, boys clothes sizes 4, craft items and supplies. Other misc. items. On Williams St. across from Mt. Vernon Elementary School. Rain cancellable. 52x1

House Cleaning Sale: Fri., Oct. 3rd starting at 9:30. Waterbed, tools, appliances, dishes, games apd clothing. School St. in Brodhead. 52x1

Yard Sale: Fri., Oct. 3rd at 630 West Main St. from 9:00 until 7. Lots of little boy clothes, also other items. 52x1pd

Huge Yard Sale: Behind Rite Aid at Rocket Storage. Stove, refrigerator, bathroom sink, kitchen sink, cabinet top. Man. 9:00-4:00. Oct. 3 & 4. Fri. & Sat. 52x1pd

Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. at the home of Debi Moore on U.S. 25 North across from McNew Monuments. Ladies clothing 5-8-10-12, boys large on truck, toys, dolls, houseware, western, tools, glassware, houseware. Rain cancellable. 52x1pd

Gigantic Yard Sale: Fri. and Sat., Oct. 3rd and 4th. Furniture, collectibles, juke box, carpet remnants, vinyl carpet, mattresses and clothing. Saw's Furniture on Lovell Lane. 52x1pd

The Mt. Vernon Sign
Rd. off 1249 (Sand Springs Rd). Rain or shine. 52x1pd

Garage Sale: Fri., Oct. 3rd 9-5: 830 Bowling Ridge Rd. at the home of John D. Cromer. 1 1/3 miles out of Brodhead, turn off 150 onto West St. 52x1pd

Yard Sale: Sat., Oct. 4th, from 8-5. Take 461 S to 934, Follow Signs. Rain cancellable. 52x1pd

5 Family Yard Sale: At Buster Gaddis. Oct. 3, 4 & 5. From 9-4. Sunday bag sale. Lots of goodies! 52x1pd

Garage Sale: Rain or shine. Fri. 8-3. Sat. 9-3. Garden tiller, child's bike, home theater lamps, curtains and designer rods, ladies and children shoes and clothes, books, toys much, much more. Turn right by Brodhead Fire Dept. 1 1/2 miles on right. Watch for signs. 52x1pd

Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. Owens Subdivision, 385 Floyd St. at the home of Rissie Meace. Hot banana peppers, green beans, clothes. From 9-5. Canceled in case of rain. 52x1

Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. 8:30-5:00 Houston Pts. Est. Hwy. 150 between Mt. Vernon & Brodhead. Given by Phil and Kay Singleton. Light fixtures, inside and out, kerosene and electric heaters, bicycles, tricycles, toys, along range hood, microwaves, sm. appliances - irons, toaster, coffee makers, crack pots, blenders, etc. Nice clothing women sizes 12-34, men sizes Lg. & XLg. Baby items, walker, books, dishes, bedspreads, much more. 52x1

2 Family Yard Sale: At the home of Betty Henderson on Hwy. 70. 9-2. Sat. Oct. 4th. 52x1

Big Yard Sale: All kinds of stuff. Sat. only. House of Refuge on U.S. 25 near Roundstone School. Cancel in case of rain. 52x1

Yard Sale: Sat. starting at 9. Hwy. 70, Quail section. Boys clothes 18M-2T, girls 4T-8, lots of home interior, 3 lamps, mens jeans 32-32, women clothes and jeans size 13, full size comforter set, Longaberger baskets, boy bears, seat cover for full size truck, toys and lots more. Rain cancellable. 52x1

Yard Sale: Huge 3 family. Clothes, coats, comforters, household items, Big Band Jazz CD collection. Little bit of everything. Hwy. 150 toward Crab Orchard turn on Copper Creek Rd., approx. 1/2 mile out. Oct. 1, 2, 3, & 4 from 9-7. Rain cancellable that day. 52x1

Yard Sale: Thurs., Fri. & Sat. Crawford Lane. Any of the families that lost everything in the fire at Rockcastle Villa may pick out whatever they need free of charge. 52x1

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Woodstock Pallet, Inc., seven miles east of Eubank off Hwy. 70 at 1025 Liberty Road between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. No experience necessary. Must be eighteen years of age and have dependable transportation. \$6.00 per hour. Must apply in person. No phone calls.

Notice of Bond Sale
The President of Rockcastle County, Kentucky Public Properties Corporation, will until 11:00 a.m. E.D.T. on October 13, 1997, receive at the office of the Judge/Executive, Rockcastle County Courthouse, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456, sealed competitive bids for approximately \$1,820,000 of the Corporations First Mortgage Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series 1997, dated October 1, 1997, being fully registered bonds in denominations in multiples of \$5,000 with the same maturity, maturing as to principal in varying amounts on September 1 in each of the years 1998 through 2012. Bonds of this issue maturing on or after September 1, 2008 are subject to redemption prior to their stated maturities on or after March 1, 2008. Bids must be on Official Bid Form contained in the Preliminary Official Statement, available from the undersigned or Ross, Sinclair & Associates, Inc., which has been deemed "final" by the Corporation within the meaning of Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12. In order to assist bidders in complying with the continuing disclosure requirements of the Rule, the Corporation and the County of Rockcastle, Kentucky will enter into a Continuing Disclosure Agreement to be delivered at closing. Reference is made to the Official Terms and Conditions of Bond Sale contained in the Preliminary Official Statement for further details and bidding conditions. Sale on tax-exempt basis, subject to approving legal opinion of Peck, Shaffer & Williams, L.O.P., Bond Counsel, Covington, Kentucky. The Bonds are designated as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of §265(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Right to reject bids or waive informally reserved.

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Be Your Own Boss: Train for a career in Electrolysis, the only way to remove unwanted hair permanently. Classes starting soon. Call 878-8935 or 843-9416. 52x2pd

NOTICE: No hunting, no trespassing on Crawford Place - Old Brodhead Road. Danny Smith, 47n1

NOTICE: No hunting, no trespassing on any properties owned by Russell Parsons located on Brindle Ridge. 49x16

NOTICE: No hunting or trespassing on property on Red Hill, belonging to Lucy-Hendry. Violators will be prosecuted. 50x3

NOTICE: No trespassing on property belonging to Keith and Angie Legier on Hwy. 1004 in Orlando. Not responsible for accidents. 51x2pd

NOTICE: No hunting or trespassing on all property in the Buffalo area belonging to Zi Graves, Judy Kennedy, Rodney Graves and Polly Abney. 51x3

NOTICE: It is hereby given that Edward L. Jones, P.O. Box 1190, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed guardian of the estate of Bradley Jones on the 8th day of September, 1997. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Edward L. Jones, on or before March 8, 1998. 50x3

NOTICE: It is given that Ronald C. Mullins has filed a Final Settlement of his accounts as Administrator of the Estate of Hattie Vashli Mullins, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held on October 20th, 1997. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 51x2

NOTICE: It is hereby given that James Michael Smith, 250 Ext., Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed Trustee of the Estate of James O. Smith on the 23rd day of September, 1997. Any person having claims against said Estate shall present them according to law, to the said James Michael Smith or to Hon. Kendall Duerson, P.O. Box 270, Berea, KY 40403 on or before March 23, 1998. 52x3

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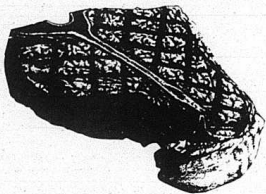
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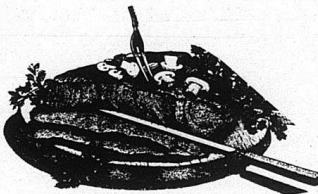


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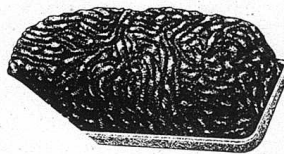
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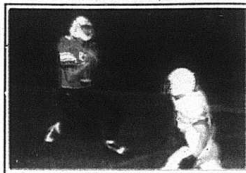
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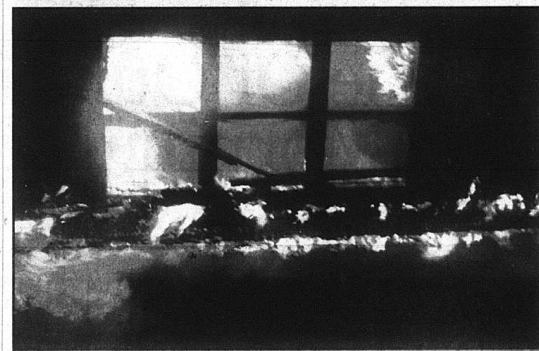
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Sunday blaze destroys 16 apartments



Sixteen apartments in building #4 at Rockcastle Villa were destroyed by an early morning fire Sunday. Fire departments from Mt. Vernon, Brodhead, Livingston, Crab Orchard and Brindle Ridge were called to the scene. The 3 a.m. fire started in an upstairs apartment whose occupants were not home at the time. Mt. Vernon assistant fire chief Bud Cox said the fire apparently started in the ceiling of apartment 418 and spread quickly through the roof. Everyone was evacuated from the building by police officers who arrived first on the scene and residents of adjoining buildings.

(photos by Richard Anderkin)

By: Richard Anderkin
The most disastrous fire in recent years in Rockcastle County swept through building number four at Rockcastle Villa Apartments Sunday morning, leaving sixteen families with nothing but the clothes on their backs.

Mt. Vernon police dispatch said they received a call at 3:04 a.m. Sunday morning from Chris Caldwell, a resident of Woodland Place Subdivision, who said he could see fire coming from an upstairs apartment at Rockcastle Villa Apartments.

The apartment was on the side of the building that faces West Main Street.

The fire apparently started in the ceiling of that apartment and spread very quickly through the roof," said assistant fire chief Bud Cox.

The fire, which started in apartment 418, probably was caused by a short in a fluorescent light fixture, according to Cox, who said that no one was at home in that apartment when the fire broke out. Cox said a Fire Marshall was conducting an investigation into the blaze on Monday to try and determine the exact cause.

Brenda Chaney, manager of Rockcastle Villa, said that apartment 418 was rented by Brenda Denny and her two young daughters and that they had apparently left the apartment around 6:30 p.m. on Sunday night.

"I am very thankful that no one was injured - it could have been a much worse disaster," Mrs. Chaney said.

According to Rockcastle County Deputy Sheriff Mike Bryant, he and Mt. Vernon police officers Barry Adams and Matt Bryant arrived on

the scene just minutes after the fire was reported.

"We did not know if anyone was in the apartment where the fire had started when we arrived, so we kicked in the door and did a quick search," Bryant said.

The three officers and some neighbors, as well as Caldwell, began to evacuate the other fifteen apartments and, in some cases, had to kick in doors to wake up residents.

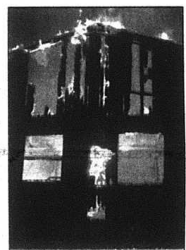
One family, Jeff and Nancy Jones and their two children, Pete and Betty Jane, got out of the building with only the clothes on their back. The Jones lived in the apartment next to apartment 418 and their apartment was beginning to fill with smoke when they got out.

"We did not have time to get anything," said Nancy Jones. "We lost everything, clothes, money, car keys, diapers, furniture," Ms. Jones said as she held her daughter who was wrapped only in a sheet.

The Jones were not alone, although some of the families that lived in the lower apartments were able to get some of their stuff out on Sunday. "Their stuff had a lot of water and smoke damage, but the fire only got in the lower section of the building in two places," Asst. Chief Cox said.

Cox said that although water pressure was somewhat of a problem because of all the lines being used on the fire, the fire had spread so quickly through the roof of the building that fire fighters had no chance of containing it. "The fire was already coming through the roof when we got there and had already spread through the roof of one of the breezeways, which

See Fire from Front A-3



Homecoming '97



Wendy Himes, center, was crowned Homecoming Queen during half-time festivities of the Rockets - Cardinals football game Friday night. Members of her court were, left, Tiffany McClure, a junior and Mignon Looney, also a junior, Miss Himes is the daughter of Randall and Angela Himes of Berea. Tiffany is the daughter of Barry and Janet McClure of Mt. Vernon and Mignon is the daughter of Darrell and Vicki Goff of Livingston. At left are all the candidates and their escorts. They are, front row, from left: Dongle Muller, Shaiksha Saylor, Leslie Hunt, Cherie McLargue, 1996 Homecoming Queen Amy Whittier, Theresa Chislum, Mignon Looney and Stevie Bradley. Second row: Travis Anderkin, Tara Abney, Erica Kirby, Cassandra Fallin, Wendy Himes, Tim King and... Lyons. Back row: Corey Bailey, Michael Parsofs, Vanessa Mink, Blake Calhoun, Tiffany McClure, Blake Childress, Paula Marcum, John Brown, Eric Vanzant and Brian Bell.

County Statistics

District Civil Suits

Mt. Vernon Greens vs. Daniel Gray, et al, notice of eviction hearing. 97-C-0016.
 Laura Frederick, Adm.v. estate of David Saley Frederick vs. Robert C. and Lesa Kilbourn. \$531.75 claimed due estate. 97-C-00168.
 Laura Frederick, adm.v. estate of David Saley Frederick vs. Hal Holbrook, Jr., \$1,200 claimed due estate. 97-C-00169.
 Lexington Clinic vs. Willis-Bussell and Joyce B. Bussell, \$1,233.20 claimed due. 97-C-00170.

Circuit Civil Suits

Vicky Carol Farthing vs. Harlin Farthing, petition for dissolution of marriage. 97-CI-00200.
 Commonwealth of Kentucky Ex. Rel. Sheila D. Smith vs. Tip Smith, complaint for medical support. 97-CI-00201.

Jeffery Robert Phelps vs. Jessica Gail Phelps, petition. 97-CI-00202.
 Commonwealth of Kentucky Ex. Rel. Tommy Wynn vs. Eli J. Spencer, uniform support petition. 97-CI-00203.

Commonwealth of Kentucky Ex. Rel. Glenn M. Mink vs. Michael Sturgill, complaint for child support and medical support. 97-CI-00204.
 Darlene King Martin vs. Andrew Martin, petition for declaration of invalidity of marriage. 97-CI-00205.
 Owen Mink vs. Charles Ashcraft, complaint for money claimed due. 97-CI-00206.

Deeds Recorded

Stephen and Jill Ponder, and others, real property located in Chestnut Heights (Subdivision), to Gary and Cindy Johnson and Kris and Joyce Ponder. Tax \$6.00.
 Boyd and Regina Smith, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Christine Carroll. Tax \$7.00.
 James Michael Hines, real property located in Rockcastle County, to

James M. and Martha E. Miller. Tax \$5.00.

Joyce I. and Michael E. Thompson, real property located in Rockcastle County, to John W. and Barbara Turner. Tax \$4.00.

M.S.P.C. Dev., Inc., real property located in Sunny Side Estates, to Robert Lewis Jasper. Tax \$8.00.

Billy Wayne and Brenda J. Mink, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Boyd Wayne and Linda J. Durham. Tax \$3.00.

James and Gail Miller, real property located in the Buffalo Section of Rockcastle County, to Emmanuel and Magdalene Miller. Tax \$2.00.

Nina P. Sandlin, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Precia Bowling. Tax \$15.50.

James and Judy Kidwell, real property located in the Level Green section to Shannon and Jennifer York. Tax \$20.

Amy Childress, real property located in Mountain View Estates, to Billy Lee and Omaha Kathleen Bishop. No tax.

Manuel B. and Phyllis Ann McGuire, real property located on Hwy. 1094, to Eugene and Vanessa McCoy. Tax \$35.

Marglen F. Swonger, through her attorney James I. Miller, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Eddie D. Wilson and Virginia Edwards. Tax \$86.00.

Buck L. and Aneta R. Vance, real property located in Chestnut Hills Subdivision, to David and Terri Woodall. Tax \$0.

Steven G. and Kimberly A. Humer, real property located in Mareburg, to Lawrence and Sharon Rogers Hinkle. Tax \$89.00.

Marriage Licenses

Kristi Renee Wood, 24, Berea, teacher, to Michael Christopher Young, 26, Mt. Vernon, factory worker. 9/27/97.

Brenda Kaye Thomas, 29, Berea, factory, to Kenneth Harold Bowlin, 41, Berea, self-employed. 9/27/97.

Sonya Kaye Peters, 18, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Jeremy Blade Owens, 21, Rt. 2, Mt. Vernon, self-employed. 9/19/97.

Carmilla Karen Ramsey, 43, Berea, health and rehab, to Noah Jay Halcomb, 34, Nicholasville, Creative Drapery, Inc. 9/20/97.

Rea Annette Nicley, 35, Stanford, unemployed, to Gary Lee Murray, 36, Stanford, truck driver. 9/20/97.

Amy Mae Smith, 18, Rt. 3, Mt.

Renfro Valley Entertainment, to Wayne Rodney Owens, 20, Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, factory worker. 9/19/97.
 Tracy Lynn Spoonamore, 22, brothead, to Kristofer Dale Croemr, 24, Mt. Vernon, electrician. 9/22/97.
 Maria Louise Bailey, 19, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Shannon Dale Eaton, 21, Mt. Vernon, Central Body Service. 9/25/97.

Small Claims Court

Madison Termite vs. Bobby Combs, \$300 claimed due for services. 97-S-00062.

District Court News

Charles Anderson: Fines due \$120.00 and \$72.50, bench warrant for failure to appear.
 Bonnie Barr: Fines due (77.46 restitution and \$82.50 fine and costs), 10 days in jail for contempt.
 Darren Bennett: Criminal trespass, \$250 fine and costs, conditionally discharged one year.

Charles D. Canmack: Alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.
 Byron D. Cole: No insurance, \$500 and costs, suspend \$450.

Tony W. Damrell: Receiving stolen property, 60 days, conditionally discharged one year on condition of

good behavior and payment of \$100 fine and costs.

David W. Gardiner: Speeding, state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.

Jason D. Horton: No insurance, suspend license for failure to appear.
 Michelle K. Jacobs: Possession of marijuana.

Michelle K. Jacobs: Possession of marijuana, issue criminal summons for failure to appear.

Bruce C. King: No Ky. Registration Plates, \$25 and costs.

David R. Lindsey: Alcohol intoxication. (Cont. to A3)

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Fire From Front

separates four apartments from the other four in each section of the building.

Mt. Vernon called for help from firefighters at Livingston, Brodhead,

Brindle Ridge and Crab Orchard. "We certainly appreciate all of the help we received, we needed it," Cox said. Mrs. Chaney said the Red Cross had found temporary housing for all of the families living in the sixteen apartments and each family had received some type of assistance from

Red Cross. "They (Red Cross) conducted individual meeting with each family on Sunday to assess their needs and help them find the housing," Chaney said.

Chaney said that the company that owns Rockcastle Villa, which is based in Nashville, told her on Monday that they would send in a construction crew as soon as possible to estimate the cost of rebuilding. "They would not give me a definite answer as to whether they would rebuild the apartments but it is very likely," Chaney said.

The fire Sunday morning was the only major fire at the complex in 27 years. Rockcastle Villa was one of the first public housing complexes built in the county when it was constructed in 1970. 32 other apartments are still occupied at Rockcastle Villa.

District Court From A-2

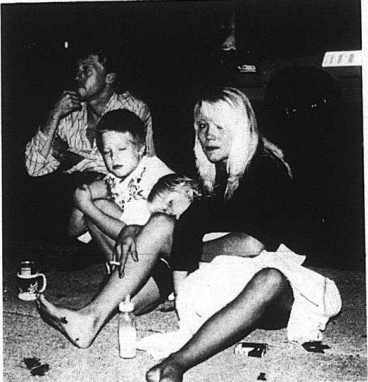
Scotty L. Renner: Speeding, \$40 and costs.

Jerry R. Long: Speeding, \$18. and costs.

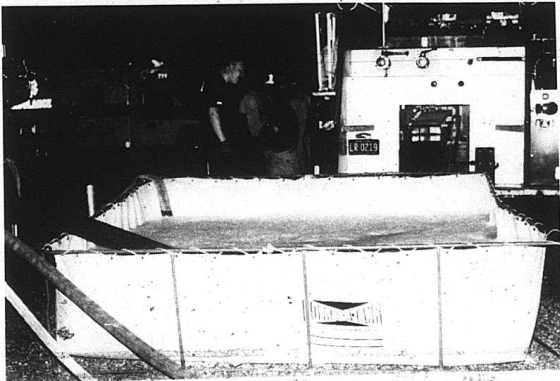
Ricky D. Madden: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs.

Jeffery J. Miller: Violation of EPO, Terroristic Threatening and Contempt of Court, bench warrant for failure to appear.

Lisa N. Rader: Possession of marijuana, criminal summons issued for failure to appear.



Jeff Jones and Nancy Jones and their children, Pete and Betty Jane, escaped the Sunday morning fire at Rockcastle Villa with only the clothes on their back.



Members of the Brodhead and Brindle Ridge Fire Department used a portable 1500 gallon tank to help supply water to fight the fire at Rockcastle Villa early Sunday morning.



Family members of Frank and Wanda Mason helped them salvage their belongings from a ground level apartment in building No. 4. Fire broke out in only two places on the lower level.



Mt. Vernon firefighter Bill Towery and Brindle Ridge firefighters Irene Hale and Rick Fry battled the Sunday morning blaze that destroyed sixteen apartments.

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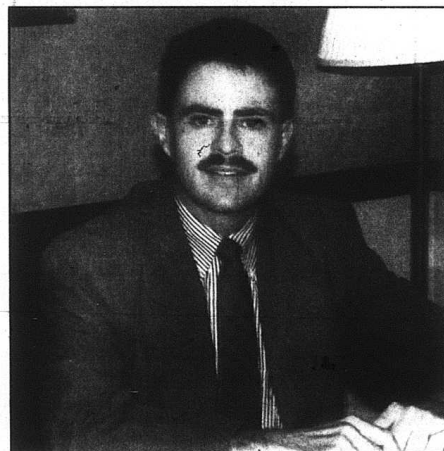
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River Sweep held



Police raid Kirby home

The home of an elderly Chestnut Ridge woman was raided by police on Tuesday.

According to a news release from Mt. Vernon police, the home of Mattie Kirby was searched around 4:30 in the morning by members of the Mt. Vernon police department and the Rockcastle Sheriff's office.

Confiscated in the raid were over 400 pills, drug paraphernalia and marijuana. Police also confiscated a large amount of cash and food stamps.

Mt. Vernon police chief Bill Mink said the case would be presented to the Rockcastle County Grand Jury when it convenes on October 10. No arrests were made.

Participating in the raid were Rockcastle Sheriff Shirley Smith and deputies Doug Thomas and Greg Richards. Mt. Vernon police officers Barry Adams, Lufe Owens and Matt Bryant investigated for the city.

The '97 River Sweep was held last Saturday with 75 bags, which filled three pickup trucks, being collected. Volunteers in the top photo were from left: County Judge/Executive Buzz Carlotis, Shawn Holsting, Kathy Owens, David Baron, Henry Robbins, Nancy Meadows, James Miller, Audrey Bishop and Skylar Bishop. Also volunteering were Barbara French, Jim Middleton, Jonathan Bond, Jeff Mullins, Daniel Bond and Jerry Waddle. Below, Audrey Bishop and Kathy Owens collect garbage.

Court avoids \$40,000 payment on courthouse

Rockcastle County officials attended two public hearings held by the Department for Local Government in Frankfort, Monday, on behalf of the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court.

County Judge/Executive Buzz Carlotis, County Treasurer Joseph Clontz and County Attorney Jeff Burdette represented the court during the hearings conducted by Kentucky's State and Local Finance Officer Tom Armstrong.

The first hearing involved the Rockcastle County Judicial Annex building that was constructed in 1991, and which has recently become of great concern to the county government.

"At the time of construction, the former fiscal court reported that the building would not be a financial burden to the county," Judge Carlotis said.

But two weeks ago, the Judge Executive received word that the county would be charged for three years' administrative costs (approximately \$3,000) and the following day, he received notice that unless the county paid a "shortfall" in interest the state was unable to pay, the county could be held in technical default.

"This bill was approximately \$8,600 and we (the county) made that payment, which represented the first expense borne by the county toward the annex project," the Judge said.

That same week, however, Carlotis learned that the county would be required to start making payments of \$40,000 per year on the annex.

During the hearings the county sought to have the judicial annex building placed completely in the Administrative Office of the Courts' jurisdiction, (or budget) thereby making the state completely responsible for all future principle and interest payments.

"Such a step would completely eliminate the new annex's liabilities from the county and the building would become, in 2012, a county-owned property," the Judge said.

"The county attorney, county treasurer and I sought relief for the county from the Department for Local Government and the Administrative Offices of the Court during Monday's hearing," Carlotis said.

"We won the most pressing points, because we were told that the county will not have to be responsible for the \$40,000 per year (due to the refinancing of the bonds at a lower interest rate), with the original contract granting the county the building in 2012 still intact," he said.

The Administrative Office of the Courts, however, refused to enter into a new contract that would erase the county's name from the debt.

"Did we win? I think we just saved the county's taxpayers \$560,000.00 over a 14-year period," said Carlotis.

Items being accepted for Villa fire victims

The Rockcastle Emergency Assistance Program, in conjunction with the Red Cross, has been collecting items for the 16 families burned out in the weekend fire at Rockcastle Villa.

Director of REAP, LuEd Nielsen said that five storage buildings have been filled with clothing and that she is no longer able to accept clothing items for the victims.

However, the victims still need items such as living room furniture, appliances, sheets, dishes and especially money.

The Red Cross has provided such things as beds and dressers to the families, but they are unable to pro-

vide non-essential furniture items. Mrs. Nielsen said that each family has temporary housing while she and the Red Cross look for permanent housing.

"Some families will probably have to relocate in other towns - but they will have a place to live," she said.

Mrs. Nielsen asks that people look around their homes and see what they can spare. "These people have lost everything," she said.

Anyone wishing to donate items other than clothing should call (606) 256-9599 or send monetary donations to REAP at P.O. Box 60, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40356.

Parking lot closed for Bittersweet Festival

The annual Bittersweet Festival is scheduled for this weekend in Mt. Vernon.

The festival is slated to start Friday afternoon and promises to be the best yet.

However some people are going to be inconvenienced by the festival.

The City of Mt. Vernon announced on Tuesday that all city parking lots will be closed to public parking starting at midnight on Thursday

and will remain closed until Sunday at midnight.

According to a release from the city, the parking lots will be used for booths and any additional needs of the festival.

The city is asking that all persons now using the lots find alternative parking for the period. The city said that any vehicles parked in city lots during the time period noted, will be towed to the owner's expense.

Bittersweet Festival begins Friday at 4 p.m. Main Street • Mt. Vernon



Mt. Vernon fireman Chuck Gray sprays water from the top of Building #3 to the top of Building #4 at Rockcastle Villa Apartments early Sunday morning. The fire destroyed all 16 apartments in Building #4.

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Rock holds off tough Scott County team 20-14

By: Richard Anderkin

The Rockcastle County Rockets ran their record to 4 and 1 with an impressive 20-14 win over the Scott County Cardinals on Friday night.

It was the ninth straight time the Rockets have won their homecoming game and the win kept the Rockets unbeaten streak against 4A schools intact.

The win also helped keep the Rockets ranked fourth in the state in division 2A behind only Breathitt County, Lawrence County and Danville.

The Rockets defense allowed only 200 yards of total offense but Scott County was able to score more points than any other Rock opponent, except for South Laurel, a team that put

up 28 in the Rocket's season opener.

"I thought we beat a very good football team Friday night. When you compile a 3-1 record against opponents such as Woodford County, you are certainly no slouch," Larkey said.

"I am very pleased with our team's improvement since the first game and the effort they put forth on Friday night, it was a good win," Larkey also said.

The Rocket offense had very bright spots on Friday night.

Junior Andrew Carrera, who has played fullback most of his high school career, was moved to tailback in a three back offense. He gained 125 yards on 29 carries and converted many crucial third downs. Carrera also scored the first touch-

down of the game to give the Rockets a lead they would never relinquish.

"Andrew played a good game and he also had some very good blocking from Andy Hale and Brooks Ingram," Larkey said.

Another bright spot was quarterback Chris Bishop's performance. The senior completed 8 of 9 passes for 117 yards and two touchdowns.

"Our passing game has been good this season," Larkey said, "we have been able to mix it in with the run which keeps our opponents guessing to some extent."

Bishop's two touchdown passes went to senior Dusty McClure and junior Andy Hale. McClure caught a total of three passes one, a spectacular catch in the third period, that helped the Rockets convert a crucial third down situation.

All total McClure had 47 yards in receiving.

Hale had 55 yards on four catches and 15 yards in three rushes.

Nathan DeLeon had one catch for 15 yards.

Brooks Ingram, who played probably his best game of the season on defense, had 24 yardson six carries.

All total, the Rockets had 117 yards passing and 170 yards rushing against a good Scott County team.

The Rockets were led on defense by Ingram, who had eleven tackles and assists. Ingram also had one sack. "He was everywhere, he played a great defensive game," defensive coach Tony Saylor said.

Also playing outstanding against a team that no doubt had more speed than the Rockets was Kevin Bradley. Bradley, who has played all season with a tender shoulder, had nine tackles and assists.

Andy Hale also played extremely well for the Rock on defense, picking up eight tackles and a fumble recovery in the second half.

Quarterback Chris Bishop, who plays linebacker on defense, also picked up eight tackles.

Senior Cliff Matekovich picked off a Cardinal pass and had three tackles. Another senior, Nathan DeLeon, played well picking up six tackles and assists. He also deflected two Cardinal passes in coverage to prevent long gains.

Gary Coffey, who saw limited action Friday night because of an injured shoulder, had four tackles and assists, as did Andrew Carrera and nose guard John LaFavers.

Dusty McClure, who Coach Saylor said plays for "prime-time," had his hands full on Friday night defending Cardinal receivers and he also picked up three tackles and assists.

Josh "Big Daddy" Martin picked up one tackle as did Bobby Cundiff and Henry Bryant.

Larkey and Saylor both said that this year's team has exceeded their expectations to this point and, if everyone can stay relatively healthy, they should continue to improve.

There are not enough adjectives to describe recent games between the Rockets and their next opponent.

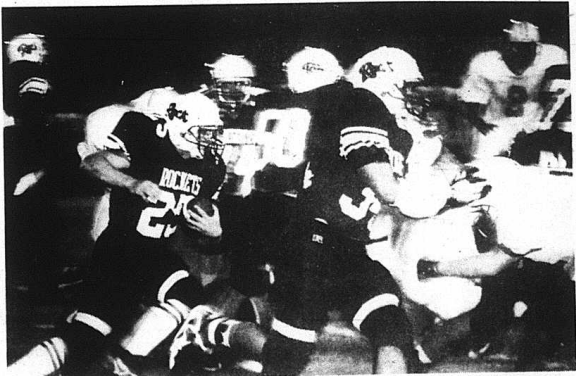
Laughter, massage, breather, cake walk, just to mention a few of the outcomes of recent games between the Rockets and Wayne County.

However, this year may be a different story. When Rockcastle travels to Monticello on Friday night, they will face a 4 and 1 team that has had a week off to get ready for this contest.

They will face a team that has had a lot of success as younger players against the mighty Rock and they will face a team that has a player that can absolutely fly.

Quarterback Seth Rice was clocked by the University of Louis-

(Cont. to B3)



In the above photo, halfback Brooks Ingram follows Kevin Bradley and Andrew Carrera through the hole Friday night in the Rocket's win over Scott County. Carrera had a game high 125 yards to lead the Rockets in rushing.

7th and 8th enjoying undefeated seasons

The Rockcastle County Middle School football teams are enjoying another great season. Both the seventh and eighth grade teams are undefeated. The eighth grade has won, 35-0 over Red Foley, 39-6 over Somerset's Meece, 24-14 over Southern Pulaski, 41 to 6 over Wayne County and 50-0 over North Laurel.

The seventh grade has beaten Foley 51 to 6, South Pulaski 44-6 in a game that lasted only three quarters because of darkness and North Laurel 55-0. The games against Meece and Wayne County were forfeited.

In one of the middle school's most recent victories North Laurel had no chance against the much superior Rockets.

In the seventh grade game, Marty Reagan scored five touchdowns, two rushing and three receiving. Jason Reynolds scored two touchdowns and Aaron Anderkin had one TD rushing.

Anderkin also threw three TD passes and two extra point conversions. All total he had 172 yards passing.

Michael Hayes caught two 2 point conversion passes and Reynolds kicked one.

On the defensive side of the ball, Steven Boring had three fumble recoveries and an interception.

In the eighth grade game, Clay Dooley rushed for two TDs, P.J. Rowe, William Blair, and Josh Hale each rushed for a TD. Hale also passed for one touchdown to end Chris Kerns. All total Hale had 132 yards passing. His favorite target, Paul Hayes, had 97 yards receiving.

Scoring extra points for the eighth grade were William Blair, who kicked 2 of 3 and scored one and Clay Dooley who ran for one.

Linebacker David Snider led the defense with several tackles and assists.

The middle school takes their next defeated road game on the road Thursday night when they travel to North Pulaski. First game is at 5 p.m.

Sixth grade goes to 8-0

The RCMS 6th grade football team has won four more games in the past 10 days to improve their record to 8-0 for the season.

The Rockets defeated Wayne County 42-0 and Red Foley Middle School 26-0. In both games, the Rockets defense was dominant allowing their respective opponents only one play from scrimmage for positive yardage.

On Saturday, the 6th grade team played two consecutive games against two Whitley County 6th grade teams. The Rockets defeated Pleasant View Elementary 20-0 and Oak Grove Elementary 14-0.

The Pleasant View game was stopped at halftime after a couple of their running backs were injured and the team was not willing to continue the game.



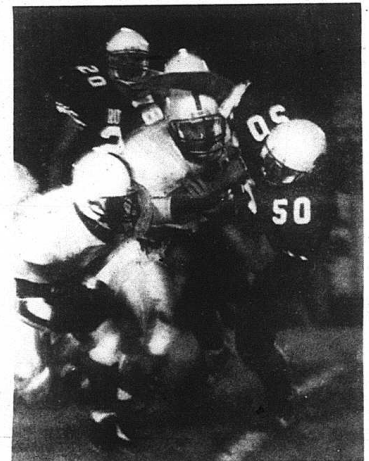
Junior Andy Hale grabs one of his four receptions against Scott County Friday night. Hale had 55 yards in receiving and one touchdown as the Rockets won their fourth straight game of the season.



Wendy Himes, daughter of Randall and Angela Himes of Berea, was crowned Homecoming Queen during halftime festivities Friday night.



Cliff Matekovich picked off a Scott County pass in Friday night's win over Scott County. The Rockets travel to Wayne County this Friday night for their first district game of the season.



Rocket defensive lineman Kevin Bradley fights off a Cardinal blocker in Friday night's action against Scott County. Bradley and the rest of the Rocket defense held Scott County to only 200 yards in total offense.



The Rockcastle Middle School's sixth grade team has compiled a 3-1 season record thus far, with their only loss coming Tuesday night at Wayne Co. Members of the squad, coached by Melissa Singleton, are, bottom row, from left: Jenny Durham, Jennifer Kidwell, Samantha Owens, Amanda Smith, Jena Owens, Anna Guilfoill, Shereen Sweeney. Back row: Lauren Clontz; Stephanie Price, Krystal Parsons, Amanda Rogers, Rachel McClure, Allison Anderkin and Heather Adams.

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Freshman team moves to 5-1 on season

The Rockcastle County Freshman team is 5 and 1 so far this season with wins over Lexington Catholic, South Laurel, Southeast Pulaski, North Laurel, and Pulaski County.

The young Rockets beat Catholic 16-14, South Laurel 26-0, South West Pulaski 42-6, North Laurel 20-6 and Pulaski 36-0.

Their only loss came last Thursday night when Whitley County beat them 14-8.

The freshman have outscored their opponents 148 to 40.

Quarterback Christopher Parsons has thrown the ball 54 times, completing 34 of them for 546 yards. He has been picked off only one time, while throwing seven touchdown passes.

Josh Singleton has rushed the ball 42 times for 308 yards. Parsons has carried the pylon 13 times for 142 yards, Matthew Cromer has 76 yards on 23 carries, Derrick Buswell, has 55 yards on 12 carries, Thomas Coffey has 54 yards on 13 carries, Travis Ingram has 40 yards on 11 carries and Heath Payne has 2 yards on a carry.

Singleton has rushed for seven touchdowns, Parsons for two, Cromer for two, Coffey for one and Payne has rushed for one extra point conversion.

On the receiving end, the freshmen have been led by Derrick Buswell who has caught three touchdown passes while amassing 195 yards on 11 catches. Buswell has also scored an extra point conversion.

Greg Harper has caught 11 passes for 180 yards and also scored three touchdowns.

Josh Singleton has gained 95 yards on seven catches and scored one touchdown in the air. Dackery Larkey has caught the ball four times for 59 yards and an extra point and Heath Payne has caught one pass for an extra point.

Greg Harper has kicked two extra points.

Dackery Larkey has picked off four passes and Derrick Buswell, Josh Singleton and Matthew Cromer each have a pick.

The freshmen play North Laurel at home on Thursday at 6 p.m.

Rock	0	8	0	8	16
Cath	6	0	0	8	14

Rock	6	8	12	0	26
S Lau	0	0	0	0	0

Rock	15	12	7	8	42
S.W.	0	0	0	6	6

Rock	0	20	0	0	20
N Lau	0	0	0	6	6

Rock	14	14	0	8	36
Pulask	0	0	0	0	0

Rock	0	8	0	0	8
Whit	0	6	8	0	14

Little League Football
Roundstone Redskins 6
Casey Rebels 0

Kyle Mullins had a quarterback run for the touchdown.

Mt. Vernon Wildcats 20
Casey Rebels 14

Max Taylor scored 2 touchdowns. Jacob Taylor scored 1 touchdown.

Wildcats 22 Redskins 6

Scoring for the Wildcats were Max Taylor with 1 touchdown, Phillip Boring with 2 touchdowns and Colby Brown with two 2 point conversions.

Scoring for the Redskins was Kyle Mullins.

Bengals 7 Bucs 6

Scoring for the Bengals were Blake Roberts one touchdown and Derrick Hurd with 1 pt. conversion.

Scoring for the Bucs was Jonas Adams with one touchdown.

Standings

Bengals	3-1
Wildcats	3-1
Bucs	2-2
Redskins	0-4

Hunting and fishing big business in Ky.

A national survey of outdoors activities in 1996 indicates that hunting, fishing, and other wildlife-related activities account for millions of dollars in revenue within the state of Kentucky each year. The survey was conducted by the US Fish and Wildlife Service and is titled 1996 National Survey of Fishing, Hunting and Wildlife-Associated Recreation.

According to the survey, 23% of Kentuckians fished during 1996, the highest percentage of anglers for any state in the East South Central region. In addition, 32% of Kentuckians participated in wildlife watching and 18% hunted. These outdoor enthusiasts brought in tourism dollars with food and lodging, transportation, equipment, licenses, and a number of other expenditures incurred in the average outdoor adventure.

In 1996, fishing accounted for \$712 million in private and public revenues. Hunting brought in \$342 million. Wildlife watching was responsible for another \$352 million.

The fact that wildlife-related activities are a valuable part of Kentucky's heritage is not news to most folks. But this survey indicates that hunting, fishing and wildlife watching are more than tradition—they are a valuable part of the future for Kentucky's great outdoors.

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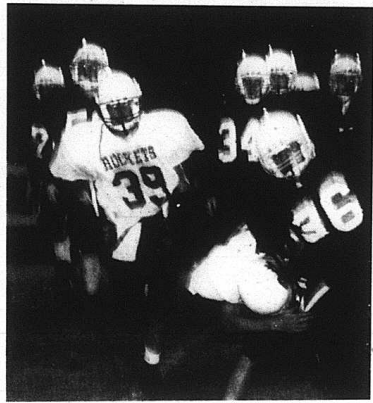
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Eighth graders David Snider and Paul Hayes make a stop during the 50-0 rout of North Laurel.

Middle School basketball

The Rockcastle Co. Middle School seventh grade team put two in the win column in their last two outings but the sixth grade team stumbled for the first time, losing at Wayne Co. Tuesday night, and the eighth grade team lost both of their last games for a 5-4 season record.

Against South Laurel last Thursday night, the eighth grade girls lost 56-48. The score was 25 all at half-time but South Laurel came back strong in the third quarter and took a 37-33 lead. In the fourth quarter, three Lady Rockets (Amber Denney, Amanda Barnett and Angie Boring) fouled out and the other two starters (Leslie Carpenter and Ashley Carpenter) finished the game with four fouls each while South Laurel was building their lead to the final 56-48.

Ten of Laurel's 19 fourth quarter points, came at the free throw line. Ashley Carpenter led the scoring for the Rockets with 23 points; Leslie Carpenter had 10; Amber Denney got 7; Angie Boring 4 and Amanda Barnett and Jessica Saylor 2.

The seventh grade team won 25-19 with Amy Barnett as high point girl with 7 points. Ashley Mink got 6; Heather Pingleton 5; Jessica Thacker, 3 and Jessica Carpenter and Allison Anderkin, 2 each.

The sixth graders had little trouble in their game, winning 25-13. Allison Anderkin led the scoring with 7 points; Krystal Parsons got 6; Lauren Clontz and Stephanie Price, 4 each and Amanda Rogers 2.

At Wayne Co. Tuesday night, the eighth grade girls came up against a quick team of good ball handlers and good shooters who forced numerous turnovers in the 56-42 loss for the Rockets.

Rockcastle tied the score at two all in the first quarter and that was the last time the Rockets were close as the Lady Cardinals went on an 11-0 run to virtually ice the game in the first quarter.

The Rockets were down 27-13 at

half-time and 48-29 at the end of the third quarter as Coach David Owens emptied his bench in an effort to get something clicking for the Rockets.

Leslie Carpenter was high point girl for the Rockets with 16 points; Ashley Carpenter had 11; seventh grader Ashley Mink came off the bench to put in seven points (three at the foul line) and Amber Denney and Amanda Barnett got 4 each.

The seventh grade team scored half-a-hundred in their 50-33 win with Coach Dara Reams getting to play eleven players and ten of them getting in the scoring column.

The first quarter, the score was close with the Rockets only ahead 11-9 at the quarter stop. But, the girls turned it on in the second quarter, outscoring the Cardinals 10-4 for a 21-13 half-time lead. Even with heavy substitution in the third quarter, Coach Reams' team still added to their lead, ahead 34-17 at that stop and, in the fourth quarter, it was all even at 16 all.

Jessie Hayes led the scoring for the seventh graders with 11 points, Ashley Mink had 10; Amy Barnett 7; Vanessa Childress 5; Heather Pingleton and Allison Anderkin, 4 each; Jessie Thacker 3; Rebekah Lyons, 2 points and Bryanna Bussell and Jessica Carpenter, 1 each.

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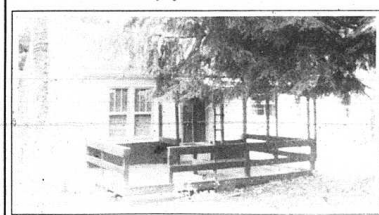
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Obituaries

Bernice Dixon

Bernice Milton Dixon, 83, of Mt. Vernon, and formerly of Valdosta, Georgia, died Thursday, September 25, 1997 at the Berea Hospital. She was born on March 7, 1914 in Madison County, Florida, the daughter of William H. and Claudia Reagan Milton and was the widow of Grover Franklin Dixon and a member of the Fairview Baptist Church of Mt. Vernon.

Survivors are one daughter and son-in-law, Emily Dixon Pensol and Rev. Harvey Pensol of Mt. Vernon; three grandsons, Allen, David and Jerry Pensol, all of Mt. Vernon; three great grandsons, Zachary Franklin, Andrew Harvey and Samuel David Pensol, all of Mt. Vernon and one sister, Nita Milton Cook of Valdosta, Georgia.

Graveside services were Sunday, September 28, 1997 at the Riverview Memorial Gardens in Valdosta, Georgia with Rev. Milton Webb and Rev. Harvey Pensol officiating.

Dowell and Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mary Brock

Mary Ellen Brock, 82, of Rt. 3, Broadhead, died Monday, September 29, 1997 at the Rockcastle Hospital. She was born in September 17, 1915, the daughter of Marion and Easter Adams Hasty. She was the widow of Noah Brock, a homemaker and a member of the Union Chapel Pentecostal Church.

Survivors are three grandchildren, Linda Brauer of Mason, Ohio, Regina Price of West Chester, Ohio and Bill Shepherd of Rt. 3, Broadhead; two sisters, Jessie Bailey of Evendale, Ohio and Edna Sullivan of Camp Verd, Arizona and six great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Pauline Shepherd and a grandson, Gary Shepherd.

Services will be Thursday, October 2, at 11:00 a.m. at the Union Chapel Pentecostal Church. Burial will follow in the Oak Hill Cemetery. Arrangements are by Dowell and Martin Funeral Home.

Fannie Kirby

Fannie Kirby, 63 of Chestnut Ridge, died Sunday, September 28, 1997 at the Rockcastle Hospital. She was born on May 8, 1934 at McKee, the daughter of the late Edd and Bessie Hubbard Weaver and was a retired tester for Dresser Industries and a member of the Well Hope Baptist Church.

Survivors are her husband, Sylvester Kirby of Chestnut Ridge; two daughters, Edna Kirby of Chestnut Ridge and Elizabeth Renner of Pine Hill; one brother, Virgil Weaver

of McKee; two sisters, Eva Smith of Georgetown and Martha Smith of Gray Hawk; four grandchildren, Michael and Erin Kirby and Ronnie and Joseph Renner and two great grandchildren, Austin and Tyler Kirby. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Fred and William Weaver and one sister, Annie Newton.

Services were Wednesday, October 1, at Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Burgess King and Bro. Jimmy Kirby officiating. Burial was in the Kirby Family Cemetery.

Burl Lee Wolfe

Burl Lee Wolfe, 87, of Berea, died Saturday, September 27, 1997 at his residence following an illness. He was a Rockcastle County native, born June 11, 1910, the son of the late James H. and Angie Bullens Wolfe. He was a retired Berea College employee and a member of Wildie Christian Church. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Marie Gravett Wolfe; four brothers and one sister.

Survivors are his wife, Ernestine Ponder Wolfe of Berea; one daughter, Gail Cope of Lexington; one sister, Hazel Linville of Abilene, Texas; three step-children, Marsha Jones of Mt. Vernon; Terry Ponder of Jacksonville, North Carolina and Larry

Ponder of Jacksonville, Florida and four step-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday, September 30, at Roper Funeral Home with Rev. Jack Martin officiating. Burial was in Vaughn's Mill Cemetery near Clay City.

Pallbearers were James Cope, Larry Ponder, Jim Jones, Gilbert Shepherd and J.T. Smith.

James Bradshaw

James I. Bradshaw, 63, of Danville died Sunday, September 28, 1997 at the Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville. He was born on December 12, 1934 in Mercer County the son of James Morgan and Mary Wilma Demaree Bradshaw of Harrodsburg. He retired as a Sergeant in the Kentucky State Police where he had served for 34 years. He was a member of the Junction City Baptist Church and a member of the Kentucky State Police Retirees.

Survivors besides his parents include his wife, Lilli Roussey Bradshaw; two sons, James Thomas Bradshaw of Broadhead and Gary I. Bradshaw of Harrodsburg; two daughters, Mary Linda Cannon of Casey County and Tina Bradshaw Rice of Perryville; one brother, Forest Brent Bradshaw of Harrodsburg and nine grandchildren, two great grandchildren and two nieces.

Services were Wednesday, October 1, at the Alexander and Royalty Funeral Home in Harrodsburg with

Bro. John Rasel and Rev. Paul McFarland officiating. Burial was in the Spring Hill Cemetery in Harrodsburg.

Pallbearers were David Yates, Paul Wayne Yates, Bryan Roussey, Mary Roussey, Rickey Henry and Frankie Roussey.

Honorary pallbearers were Douglas Rice, Tommy Roussey, Rollan Cannon, Roger Wilhoite, Darrell Presley, Paul Blevins, Shannon Coman, James Fitzgerald, Rickey Bottoms, Ray Graham, Bruce Rayens and Paul Yates.

Dorothy Elliott

Dorothy Elliott, 72, of Berea, and formerly of Rockcastle County, died Monday, September 29, 1997 at Madison Manor in Richmond after a long illness. She was born on March 13, 1925 in Wildie, the daughter of the late William and Belle Langham Mullins, and was a member of the Roundstone Baptist Church.

Survivors are two sons, Robert Elliott of Berea and Boyd Elliott of Tacoma, Washington; two daughters, Kathy Thompson of Mt. Vernon and Gayle Bratcher of Berea and two grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Elliott.

Services will be Thursday, October 2, at 2:00 p.m. at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. John Dodson officiating. Burial will follow in the Elmwood Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Amos Anglin, Granvel Isaacs, Harold Johnson, Vester Maples, John Pigg and Roger Sadder.

Pansy L. Parsons

Pansy Lorene Parsons King, 72, of Deltona, Florida, and formerly of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, September 19, 1997 in Deltona, Florida. She was born May 14, 1925 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of Theard and Mammie Drew Parsons.

Survivors are a brother, Roy Parsons of Cincinnati and two sisters, Patricia Varner of Orlando, Florida and Odessa of Florida.

Services and burial were in Deltona, Florida. This obituary courtesy of Dowell and Martin Funeral Home.

Lloyd E. Winkler

Lloyd Estill Winkler, 63, of Bagdad, formerly of Rockcastle County, died Thursday, September 18, 1997 at his residence. He was born in Rockcastle County on January 26, 1934, the son of the late Ambrose and Grace Hasty Winkler, was a poultry farm manager and a member of the Waddy Church of Faith. Mr. Winkler was also an Army veteran of the Korean War.

Survivors are his wife, Mattie Irene Winkler of Bagdad; three sons, Donnie and Paul Winkler, both of Reidsville, North Carolina and Harold Winkler of Pageland, South Carolina; two daughters, Kim Samples of

Frankfort and Venita Cox of Cripple Creek, Colorado; three brothers, John Winkler of Ludlow, Carl Winkler of Quail and Melvin Winkler of Okeechobee, Florida and 10 grandchildren, two step grandchildren, five great grandchildren and one step great grandchild.

Services were Saturday, September 20th at Shannon Funeral Home in Shelbyville with Rev. James Eugene Brown officiating. Burial was in the Bagdad Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy are suggested to Hospice of Louisville.

This obituary courtesy of Dowell and Martin Funeral Home.

Cards of Thanks

Sallie Mink Mullins
The family of Sallie Mink Mullins wishes to thank everyone for the expression of love, phone calls, visits, cards, food and most of all your prayers shown during the illness and passing of our mother. These acts of kindness will always be remembered. To the Rockcastle Co. Hospital staff and doctors we send a special thanks for the love and concern shown. Also to Dowell and Martin Funeral Home for their efficiency and expression of love shown us in our time of grief. Our gratitude is beyond words, we shall never forget the love shown to us. To God be the Glory.

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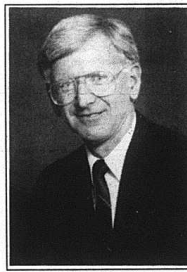
I thought of you with a broken heart and with for you today. But, that is nothing new for I think of you all day as every day passes through. I smile and try to put on a brave face but, inside of me, there is always that empty place that hurts for you. So, in silence, I go on and bear the pain and when I look at your picture in the frame, it's hard to believe I will never hear your loving voice again.

25 years have gone by since I heard your first cry and I was so happy and now I sit and wonder, Dear God why, oh why, did this have to. Why did you take her from me? But, I know and believe that God knows what is best so he sent his angels down and took you to his place of eternal rest and, though, we miss you more and more each day, I know you are waiting for us in your beautiful new home far away and we will be coming to meet you some day soon. We love you and miss you very much.

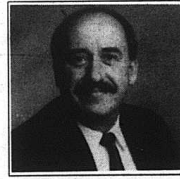
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HERESAY

By:
**John Norman
Meadows**



PRECIOUS SOULS, CHILDREN OF AN EVIL AGE, greetings and exasperation from the hallowed Halls of Wab, birthplace of the late Cecil Q. Armistead, longtime ornithologist, and now-and-then chairman of The Greater Wabdomia Committee on Anti-Gravity Research, who said, "There isn't much to see in a small town, but what you hear makes up for it."

Ah, beloved, the beauty of autumn is upon us — and will be even more splendid when the trees take on their magnificent (but saddening) hues. If you haven't done so, take a slow walk of a country lane and back in the beauty of wild flowers and weeds. The Almighty is the quintessential artist!

I'd be out looking about right now were it not for the fact that I must respond to a couple of missives recently received, queries that you, dear readers, might find intriguing, amusing, or nauseating. Here goes!

Dear John Norman: I'm surprised that you have said a word about the death of Princess Di and all the media hoopla that followed. . . I thought you would have had a heyday with that scene.

*Brian Lee Grabbs
Merrittville, Ohio*

Dear Brian: I didn't comment on the "Di" event because I didn't want to enrage a multiplicity of Wabdomians who are still Puritan enough to eschew traditions of paganism — although we have plenty of tradition that is not recognized as such, especially in our churches (America's "theological" when in reality they are only "traditional").

We do have a tad of paganism in our seasonal commemorations and fetes, like next month's Possum and Sorghum Festival. But let's face it, Brian, it's hard to have genuine paganism without a monarchy — and a cathedral.

I was caught up by the televised coverage of the funeral for the Princess. How I wish I could have been there to hear the colossal thunder of that mighty organ in Westminster Abbey. If only *Favoroff* had sung!

I was reminded that Wabdomians have something in common with the British, namely, the *stiff upper lip*. Don't dare let your emotions show! Better still, don't have any emotions. It's a sign of weakness. And that, of course, brings up the question of grief and how to handle it, if indeed, it can be handled. I have neither space nor inclination to get into that matter. But I will note that the biblical patriarch, Abraham, *wept aloud* when his beloved Sarah died. I did not matter to him that others, including his servants, heard.

Watching the funeral of Princess Diana, Brian, put me to wondering if Wabdomia would be better off with a monarchy. In other words, does Wab need a king and queen? Would it make for juicier scandals? If so, how would we go about choosing our first king? I'm sure some of our magistrates would feel qualified. I'd opt for our judge to become king. But "King Buzz" doesn't sound very majestic.

"It is Written"

Let us begin our study today by looking at Jesus' statement in John 8:31-32. "Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed: and ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." A disciple is a learner, pupil, student of the master or teacher, with a view to following the teaching the disciple receives. A true disciple of Jesus Christ will learn and follow his word, or as Jesus goes on to say, the truth. God's word is the truth we must follow. John 17:17. "Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth." Notice that Jesus says that the truth shall make you free. He did not say that error shall make us free. He did not say that false doctrine shall make us free. He did not say that ignorance shall make us free. He did not say that the commandments of men shall make us free. He did not say that the decrees of the Pope shall make us free. He did not say that human creed books shall make us free. He did not say that human wisdom shall set us free. He did not say that denominational church manuals shall set us free. No, he said that the truth shall make us free! Yes, the truth is what I should love, desire, seek, and pursue after. I am fearful that far too many in our world are satisfied with less than the truth. John records for us in chapter 1, verse 17. "For the law was given by Moses, but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ." Jesus and his word is the truth that we need to be set free from sin. Any thing less than the truth will not set us free from sin. That is why we need to study God's word honestly and carefully. 2 Timothy 2:15 "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." Are you seeking the truth?

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mening with *Beowulf*

So, Brian, I elected to read rather than write about England's present or past. After all, the media said more than enough — and is still at it. Just before I commenced this article, I turned off Herald when he asked, "Was Princess Di's death the result of a conspiracy?" (I always turn off Herald.)

Dear John Norman: I hurt for you when I read about the trick your back played on you. My late husband, Nelbert, had a bad back and suffered with it until his dying day. And I understand what you mean when you refer to your manual lumber. Have you given any thought to going back to your shed and duplicating that accident that gave you some relief? Maybe it would work again, and for a longer time.

*Melba Subbens
Bluefield, West Virginia*

[Note to reader: In case you didn't read last week's *Heresay* let me say that upon picking up a ladder that housed two wasp nests, I hurled it out the door of our shed and so no doing got myself off balance, causing me to jump out of the shed, clearing two steps. I landed on my left foot and jammed my hip. The result was excruciating pain from my lumbi to the pit of my foot. But when the pain subsided, it subsided completely. I was totally pain free for two days! And elated! But then — why I do not know — the pain that I've suffered for four plus days returned full force. I was disappointed to say the least. [End of Note to Reader]

Dear Melba: Your suggestion has merit. Others have urged me to duplicate that accident. And I would have already done so were it not for the fact that I'm having a devil of a time getting a couple of live wasp nests affixed to the top rung of my step ladder.

Alack and alas! I must take leave of you, dear hearts, and go find a sprayer so Nancy can waterproof our office. Until next week then — the Almighty willing — ponder the words of the late Wiley T. Fordler, long-time telegrapher at Wab's L&N Depot and part-time doorman for The Brotherhood and Protective Order of Elks, who said, "There's a lot of history that isn't fit to repeat itself!"

Upcoming Reunions

Laswell

Saturday, October 4th at 12 noon, pitch-in at 1:00, at "The Cabin" in Glen Miller Park, Richmond, Indiana. See you then.

Wayne Smith to speak at First Christian

Our first BIG MONDAY exceeded expectations. We had great music by Anthony Machel and Amber Thacker. The Holy Spirit led our worship service. A large crowd from several neighboring counties as well as folks from our community gathered to worship the Lord and hear

Bob Russell, minister to one of America's largest churches, preach an inspiring message on how God measures success.

This coming Monday, October 6 BIG MONDAY II happens at 7:00 p.m. We'll have great music, inspiring worship and hear another "great" man of the pulpit in Wayne Smith. Wayne preached at the Southland Christian Church in Lexington for over 30 years, just recently retiring. He's snort retired from the Lord's work, but continues to be a much sought after speaker. Many people from Rockcastle and neighboring counties will know him from the Southland Hour broadcast over Lexington TV for years. Among the brotherhood of Christians churches of Christ

he is known as the "Bob Hope" of the Restoration because of his humorous style of communication. He's really funny, witty and at the same time communicates God's word effectively. While ministering to Southland, the church grew from infancy to nearly 4,000 in attendance when he retired.

Bro. Eddie Hammond and the congregation invite you "come on by" for this special service on Monday night, October 6 at 7:00 p.m. This will be the last BIG MONDAY for '97, but should Jesus tarry His coming, we'll have BIG MONDAY the sequel next fall and we're in the process of scheduling men like Stuart Shepherd (Chapel 18 weatherman, Wally Rendel (Southern Acres) and Mike Breaux (Southland).



Wayne Smith

Church News

Revival Rescheduled

Revival services at Copper Creek Southern Baptist Church, originally scheduled to begin October 6, have been rescheduled to October 20-24, due to the illness of Bro. Terry Brock, evangelist scheduled. Bro. Doyle Lester of Williamsburg will be the evangelist for the Oct. 20-24 services. Everyone invited. Interpretation for the deaf and hard-of-hearing will be provided.

Revival

Sand Hill Baptist Church will be having a Revival starting October 19th. Sunday night services will begin at 6 p.m. Mon. - Sat. 7 p.m. Special singing nightly. Everyone welcome to attend.

Benefit Gospel Sing
Benefit Gospel Sing for the Martin Family, Galilee Baptist Road, Berea, Saturday, October 4th at 7 p.m. Featured singers: The Nairrow Way, The Parker Brothers, Pastor John Dodson.

Revival

Galilee Baptist Church, October 5-10th at 7 p.m., Mason Lake Road, Berea. Evangelists: Tim Mullins from Hamilton, Ohio, Pastor John Dodson welcomes you. Special singing each night.

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FFA holds fall cookout at Quail Park

What does good food, recreational activities, high school students, and fun have in common? Why, the Rockcastle County Fall FFA Cookout, of course! On Thursday, September 11th over 60 members, parents and guests packed Quail Community Park for an evening of fun and togetherness as we celebrated the beginning of a new FFA school year.

Activities ranged from softball and horseshoes to volleyball for the members, while several Rockcastle Alumni members assisted advisors Roy Reynolds and Jeff Huxes in pre-

paring the meal. While the event began around 5 o'clock, by 8:30 most members were ready to call it a day after all the activities.

We would like to take the opportunity to thank all of the parents and Alumni members who assisted in hosting the cookout, whether by helping serve and prepare food, or providing transportation for the members attending. Your help and support is truly appreciated. A special thank you is also in order for Mr. Roy Brown for allowing us to use Quail Park for our cookout.

Cards of

Thanks

(Cont. from B4)

Carsel Blanton

The family of Carsel Blanton would like to express their thanks and gratitude for all the kindness shown us in our great loss.

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say, perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day.

Whatever you did to console our

hearts—we thank you so very much, whatever the part.

Special thanks to Bro. Eldon Browning and Bro. Bill McCollum for their consoling words and the kindness spoken about our dad and husband, Barbara Faulkner and Sylvester Carpenter for the beautiful songs.

May God Bless You All

The Blanton Family

Thank You Mother

I want to thank the Lord for giving me and my eight brothers and sister a wonderful mother to have around to love and tell our troubles to and know she will listen and give us sound advice when we want it. She is always there for us and also a friend to

so many other children, young and old. I've never known her to turn a child away from friendship or love. It takes someone special to be there for neighbor children also. She's an avid Rocket fan and loves to watch basketball with young or old. You hear her shout and root for teams right along with the best of them, with a crowd or alone at home. Thank you

Ann Rickels Whitaker

Card of Thanks

We want to thank all the tenants and management for their help and kindness during our time of need.

Brenda Chaney, Manager, was here in the very early morning. She has a lot of care and concern for her tenants. All the neighbors came together to help each other, your thoughtfulness and caring is heartfelt and goes a long way.

A special thank you to Chris Caldwell for waking the tenants and alarming them of the fire, everyone is very appreciative of you.

There were ten fire departments, Mt. Vernon City Police, and Rockcastle County Sheriff's office on the scene fighting to save our complex. American Red Cross was here all day to help with assistance for the tenants who lost their homes. Thank you all for your hard work and heroic efforts.

To the people of the community, Businesses, Church organizations, and other agencies, your donations

and generosity is greatly appreciated. May God Bless all of you.

Respectfully,

Tenants of Rockcastle Villa

Submitted by Carol Renner

Thank You

First of all we would like to thank God for no one getting hurt. A very special thanks to the man that came by and saw the fire and woke everyone up. We would also like to thank everyone for all the help, prayers, items, and support we received due to the fire at Rockcastle Villa Apts. A special thanks to Tim Albright, Eddie Mosley, Bently Martin, Jr., and Buddy Gene Miller. Without your help, we would have lost even more. Thank you for your kindness and thoughtfulness. It means more than you'll ever know. God bless.

Lillie Cameron Lakes and Angelia Cook

Girls

Basketball

(Cont. from B3)

Allison Anderkin led the scoring for the sixth graders with 8 points; Krystal Parsons, Lauren Clonuz and Stephanie Price each got two and Heather Adams scored a free throw. The team is now 3-1 for the year.

Thursday night, the teams will host Southern Pulaski and next Tuesday night will travel to Mecca Middle School in Somerset.



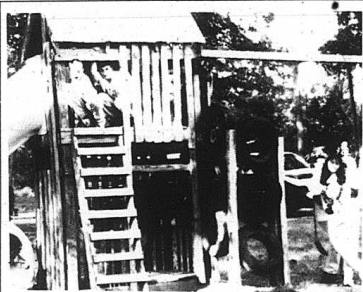
Kentucky River Region President Jon Adams is up to bat during softball competition. Also shown are Nick Leiger, Jonathan Bishop and Bobby Hensley.



Several members participated in a volleyball game. Shown are Kenneth Cromer, Michael Vaughn, Matt Reynolds, Roy Adams, Jason Whicker, Elizabeth Bullock, Kendall Mink and Amanda Clark.



At right, "Sluggo" Jason Whicker at bat during the softball game held at the cook-out. Watching the action is Jonathan Bishop.



"Monkeying Around" at the cook-out were Brady Ray Durham and Geoff Fugate. At right, Amanda Clark doesn't look quite as enthused.



Here are just a few of our FFA alumni members who helped serve at Quail Park. From left: Judy Adams, Kay Bullock and Bro. Mark Whicker.

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As noted in this communication, we truly appreciate the level of support that the citizens of Rockcastle County have provided us during our twenty four years of operation and we look forward to maintaining this relationship for many years to come.

NACCO MATERIALS HANDLING GROUP, INC.

September 29, 1997

To the Citizens and Community of Berea, Kentucky:

NACCO Materials Handling Group, Inc. is proud to be a member of the Berea community. We have always felt fortunate to be able to draw upon the work ethic of the people and the natural beauty of the Bluegrass countryside to help make our plant the best it can be and a successful competitor in the global economy.

In return, our company has been a partner to this area. We provide nearly 500 of the best jobs in south central Kentucky, helping our employees raise families and contributing significantly to the economy of the area. Ours has been a story of growth - not just getting by. In the last five years we have added many new employees and have increased our production in response to the increasing demands of our market place. One of the reasons we have been able to respond and make our business grow and prosper is our company's commitment to a team philosophy with our employees. Employee involvement and empowerment has been the key to our success, as it is the key to success in most endeavors in today's fast-paced business world. We strive to provide a positive and motivational environment where people are given the opportunity to learn, develop, participate, and be recognized and rewarded for their contributions.

Recently there have been rumors that we were closing our Berea plant and moving to Mexico. *Nothing could be further from the truth. We are committed to our operation in Berea. There are no plans to close or "downsize" the plant.* We are already an international corporation with 13 manufacturing operations in eight countries around the world, including five in the USA. We are building a new plant in Mexico and it will utilize components to support several of our North American operations including Berea. This will allow our Berea plant to produce a more cost competitive lift truck for our Hyster and Yale product lines. This change is necessary to be able to compete with formidable global companies like Toyota and Komatsu, which also build lift trucks for the world market.

Today's economy rewards flexibility and punishes those companies unable to quickly adapt to changing conditions. Teamwork with our employees enhances our flexibility and allows us as a company to change and continue to be competitive. I believe that anything less would be disastrous to our operation. It is this teamwork that will allow our Berea operation to continue to expand and grow.

I know that our team reaches beyond our four walls of the plant. It reaches into the community, to homes and families. I would personally like to thank the friends and families of our employees for the support that they provide us. It is a team effort that gets the job done.

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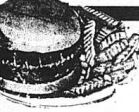
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"Church News"
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Revival
Revival services begin October 6th at Copper Creek Southern Baptist Church. Everyone invited. Interpretation for the Deaf and Hard-of-

Hearing is provided.

Annual Homecoming
Pastor Bro. Wayne Henson and members of the First Missionary Pine Hill Baptist Church invite everyone to attend their annual homecoming on Sunday, October 5. Service will be held at 11 a.m., and dinner will follow.

Rockcastle Community Bulletin Board

Bookmobile Schedule
Mon., Oct. 6 Scaffold Cane, Disputanta, Anglin Falls, Clear Creek & Wildie.
Tues., Oct. 7 Buffalo, Castle Village, Adult Day Care, Negro Creek, Wed., Oct. 8 Onward and Back.

Rockcastle County Saddle Club
Saturday, October 4th, Pig Roast at Campground, 6:30 p.m., bring a dish. Fall round-up ride, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, Oct. 3, 4 and 5 and campground 9:30 a.m. All three days free. Guests welcome. Any questions call 758-4706.

Fall Display
Come by Cox Funeral Home and see the old Cox wagon and horsedrawn hearse now on display through the Bittersweet Festival.

Bus Drills
The Rockcastle County Schools will be conducting bus drills on Thursday, October 2, 1997. The high school and middle school will dismiss at 2:30 p.m. Buses will proceed to the elementary schools where the drills will be conducted. Please adjust your schedule for this early dismissal.

Kiwanis
Kiwanis will meet Thursday, 12 noon at Kastle Inn Rest. Key Club to present program.

Casserole Cover Class
This class will be taught on October 6th at 10:00 a.m. and REPEATED at 6:30 p.m. at the Extension Office. The class is free but participants need to bring their own supplies.

Call 256-2403 to register and get supplies list.

Holiday Ideas
The Extension Service will have a "Holiday Ideas" class on Thursday, Oct. 2 at 10:30 a.m. at the Extension office. This is FREE and open to anyone. Call 256-2403 for details.

Basket-Woven Wreath
This class will be taught on October 13 at 7 p.m. at the Extension office. An \$8 materials fee covers all supplies. Pre-registration is made on a first-come first-served basis. Call 256-2403 to pre-register or stop by the Extension office to see a sample of the wreath which will be made.

Weight Watchers
Weight Watchers is coming to Mt. Vernon. A free organizational meeting will be held on Monday, October 6th at 5 p.m. at the Mt. Vernon Christian Church, 106 West Main Street. Please come and talk with a Weight Watchers Leader about starting a weekly series and 1-2-3 Success.

VA Rep
VA Rep will be at VFW Building at Lake Linnville on October 6th from 9 to 2.

Fish Fry
Fish Fry, all the fish you can eat at Brothhead Vol. Fire Dept. Saturday, October 4th. Fish, cole-slau, hush-puppies, potato, drink and dessert. Carry-overs adult size only \$5 from 3 to 5 p.m. Dine in 6 to 8 p.m., adults \$5 and children under 12 \$2.50. Come support your fire department. All proceeds go to BVFD. To get carry-overs after 5 p.m. you must wait in line.

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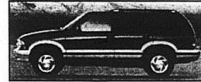
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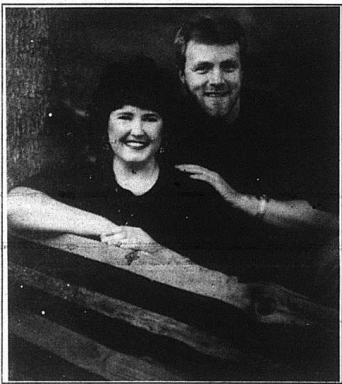
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Four Generations...

Edith Nicely, great grandmother; Doris Jean Brown, grandmother; Gary Ramsey, father and Cassie Moray, daughter.

King-Harmon to be wed



Peggy Mills and Bert King announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Cynthia Rena King, to Jeffery Miller Harmon, son of Patricia and Harry Harmon. The wedding will be held October 11, 1997 at 6 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon. No formal invitations are being sent.



United in marriage...

Glen Hamm and Maxine Albright were united in marriage September 7, 1997 at Quail Community Park.

Joyce Head honored



Joyce Earls Head, manager of Mount Village Apartments, Mt. Vernon and Brodhead Elderly Apartments, Brodhead, was recently recognized by the Rural Housing Service as Outstanding Multi-Family Housing Site Manager of the Year for 1997 for the State of Kentucky in ceremonies at the Holiday Inn, Louisville. Mrs. Head has been manager at Mount Village and Brodhead Elderly Apartments since 1995 and is also manager of Hustonville Elderly Apartments, Hustonville. She and her husband live in Mt. Vernon.

\$6,820.43 raised in CF Bike-A-Thon

Fifty-three riders rode 693 1/2 miles in the Cystic Fibrosis bike-a-thon. Aren't our children and adults great? \$6,820.43 has been turned into the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation as a result of the bike-a-thon and road block.

All of us who are committed to finding a cure for CF are very grateful to all of you for your interest and help in the battle against CF. Thank you for caring enough to donate your time and money to help raise the much needed funds for researching this terrible disease.

The eleven top fund raisers and the prize they chose are: Suzanne Graves, CD tower, Heather Allen, bean bag; Tanner Allen, lunch box; Steve Proctor, pizza; Jillisa Lay, bugs back pak; Jerrika Robbins, Mickey and Minnie pillows; Amanda Graves, tote bag; Jerry Graves, Jr., pizza; John Mark Davis, clue game; DeJon Graves, pizza and Christine Bryant, bike helmet. They will also receive a T-shirt and, most of them, another prize. All 53 riders received an ice cream cone.

Two-year-old Derek Clark rode five miles under the watchful eye of his mother, Tonya, who rode the bicycle she won in our first Cystic Fibrosis bike-a-thon in 1984 (this is our fourteenth).

Jason Reynolds rode the most with 31 miles. Way to go Jason! The other riders were Joshua Lovell, John and Paula Gray, Sasha and Olivia Bullock, Lucas Cochran, Adam Woodall, Jessica, Rachelle and Jacob Riddle; Grant and Jessica Thompson, Jamie and Becki Lawrence, Tyler Burris, Jamie Ellison, Beth Adams, Josh Cromer, Loren and Roger Reynolds, Jered Brown, Derek Adams, Kevin Bussell, Tim Oliver, Benjamin Corry, Jeffery Albright, Weston Riddle, Matthew Silcox, Ashley Carpenter, Nicholas Benge, Matthew Whitaker, James Judd, Amy Parsons, Ben Graves, Curtis Burton, Samantha and Gerard Payne and Johnna and Jonathan Higgins, most of whom get a T-shirt.

Thanks also to the April Gibbins, Doug Proctor and Elizabeth Proctor for taking a collection.

Thanks to the volunteers who so
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Arts Night at Roundstone Elementary

During September, nationally known storyteller and traditional dance specialist, Andrena Belcher performed for students and parents at Roundstone Elementary School's Parent/Student Arts Night. Ms. Belcher also led KET's series "Telling Tales" stood before approximately 80 audience members and acted out Appalachian tales and story games. Belcher involved the audience by having them repeat noises, actions and words and asking some parents to join her onstage to play roles in the stories. According to Belcher, "the arts are essential to developing leadership, self-confidence, self-identity and creative thinking. Among the folk arts, storytelling is particularly useful in education, appealing to students with a variety of backgrounds and abilities."

During the school day, Belcher presented her folk tales and traditional Appalachian pieces in a school-wide performance and two mini workshops with the fifth grade students. As Belcher encouraged students and teachers to actively join in the storytelling process, many students were eager to relate personal family stories and traditions.

Belcher, a Pike county native, said her main message is that whether or not people crave entertainment or knowledge, they must use their imagination, just like her relatives did in the mountains. Belcher concludes her



Roundstone Elementary School parents Gail Lewis, left, and Lori Burdette, middle, assist storyteller Andrena Belcher at the Roundstone Elementary School Parent/Student Arts Night.

evening performance with parents and students joining together in a traditional folk dance, "Here Comes Sally."

David Pensol, Roundstone Elementary Principal, said, "As in music or dance, storytelling with Andrena draws on the experiences

of the individuals. Each student and parent can offer something to the creative process."

Co-sponsorship for Mrs. Belcher's residency was provided by Roundstone Family Resource Center.

Exotic animals on display at Harvest Festival

A raitie is not a rat. Raities are a family of large birds who cannot fly. They include the ostrich, the emu and the rhea. All three of these birds are being grown on a farm right here in Rockcastle County, just like chickens and cows. Tammy Cornett, owner of Dogwood Knob Farm in the Spiro area has only recently added the raities to their family farm operation. She currently has over 30 birds on the ground.

The raities on Dogwood Knob Farm were all hatched in the United States. But these birds live wild all over the world. The ostrich is from Africa. The emu comes from Australia. The rhea is from South America.

Like cattle, raities are grown primarily for their meat. Raitie meat is red meat (like beef) and tastes something like fine steak. But raitie meats are almost totally fat-free and has the calories of chicken. The birds are also grown for the valuable oil they carry on their backs. For years, the oils have been used to heal burns and cuts, to relieve pain and as a skin softener. Plus, the leather is used for boots, handbags and more.

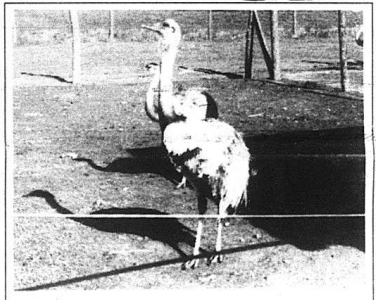
Big birds come from big eggs. When an ostrich chick hatches from its shell, it already stands almost a foot tall and weighs two pounds. Raitie eggs are often used as decorations. The emu egg is a favorite because of its dark green color.

The Cornetts will have a live display of ostrich and rhea chicks, plus many items produced from the ostrich, emu and rhea at the Renfro valley Harvest Festival.

Local DAR meets

The first DAR meeting for the year was held Tuesday, September 8th at the Rockcastle Steak House. The theme of the program was patriotism. James Lambert, attorney spoke about WWII and serving with admiral Nimitz in Guam. He served

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The Family Room

By: Dr. Don Whitehead

Carla and Woody had returned for more marriage counseling. (All characters are fictitious.) They had been in counseling several years ago, when their seven-year marriage was in trouble. Now they had been married ten years, and there were more problems to be worked out.

As I listened to the two of them, I concluded that the main problem was still their lack of communication. "He doesn't treat me like a husband should," Carla complained. But had she told him how she wanted to be treated? "Not really," she admitted. "But he should know without my telling him."

"She doesn't do anything for me," Woody also complained. But he admitted that he really hadn't told her exactly what he wanted her to do for him. "Mom always just knew what to do for Dad," Woody grumbled. "Carla should know what a wife is supposed to do."

"If you don't ask for what you want," I told them, "the odds are that you won't get it. People only know what you want when you tell them."

"Asking is not the same as demanding," I cautioned. "You have no right to demand anything from a spouse. Asking means telling the other person what you want. And that's all. Then you must leave it up to your spouse whether he or she will do it or not. He or she always has the right to say No."

Woody was not happy with this statement. "I think the Bible gives me the right as head of the household to demand that she be a wife for me," Woody argued. "When I tell her to do something, she is supposed to do it."

"And it is your privilege to hold that opinion, Woody," I told him. "I can pretty well guarantee, though, if you hold on to that way of thinking,

you are going to lose your wife. Would you rather be right or married?"

Woody was still not pleased, but he agreed to participate in the experiment I suggested. He and Carla would both write down what each wanted the other to do in the marriage. They were to bring these lists to the next counseling session, so that we could talk about them.

When we got together again a week later, they were both surprised at what they had written. Here are the lists they put together:

What Carla Wanted Woody To Do

1. Sit and listen to me when I talk.
2. Treat my thoughts and feelings as important.
3. Spend time doing things with me.
4. Don't work so much.
5. Tell me how you feel.
6. Romance me like you did when we were dating.

What Woody Wanted Carla To Do

1. Stop trying to change me.
2. Understand me.
3. Show some interest in my physiology.



First birthday

Delaney Elizabeth Ward celebrated her first birthday June 28, 1997 with a "Kitty Cat Party" at her Aunt Lori's in Berca. She is the daughter of Bobby and Shelly Abney Ward of Richmond. Grandparents are Don and Peggy Abney of Florence, Tom and Betty Duvall of Louisville and Ray and Shirley Clemons of Johnson City, TN. Delaney is the great granddaughter of Robert Abney of Mt. Vernon and grandniece of Alonzo and Mary McCollum of Roundstone. Special mention also goes to her favorite cousin, Dianne McCollum of Roundstone. Delaney would like to thank all of her family and friends for attending her party and bringing all the nice gifts that made her day very special.



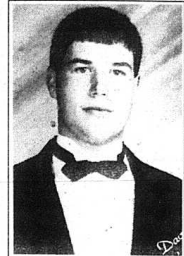
First birthday...

Morgan Dawn Mullins celebrated her first birthday September 24th with a party. She received many nice gifts. Morgan is the daughter of Deana Mink and Donovan Mullins, the granddaughter of Gary and Freda Hayes, Jack and Karen Noe and Jerry and Sue Mullins, the great granddaughter of Kenneth and Ruby Mink, Johnny and Christine McFerron, Dorothy Brown and Georgia Mullins and the great great granddaughter of Lissie Mink, all of Mt. Vernon.



Second birthday

Jacob Mason Mink celebrated his second birthday September 13th at Millstreet Park in London. Jacob is the son of Greg and Lori Mink of London. Grandparents are Mike and Eula Mink of Calloway and Ken and Helen Smith of London. Great grandparents are Bill and Mondell Mink of Calloway and Eva Smith of London. Thanks to everyone for all the nice gifts.



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Extension Home Economics

FDA announces withdrawal of Fenfluramine and Dexfenfluramine

By: Hazel Jackson
County Extension Agent
for Home Economics



The Food and Drug Administration, acting on new evidence about significant side-effects associated with fenfluramine and dexfenfluramine, has asked the manufacturers to voluntarily withdraw both treatments for obesity from the market. Dexfenfluramine is marketed under the name of Redux. Fenfluramine is marketed under the brand name Pindomin. Both companies manufacturing these drugs have agreed to voluntarily withdraw them from the market. The FDA is not requesting the withdrawal of phentermine, the third widely used medication for obesity.

The action is based on new findings from doctors who have evaluated patients taking these two drugs. Patients taking the drugs have a much higher than expected percentage of abnormal echocardiograms, a test that detects abnormalities of the heart muscle.

According to the FDA, data obtained indicates that fenfluramine, and the chemically closely related dexfenfluramine, present an unacceptable risk at this time to patients who take them.

Patients using either of these products should stop taking them. Users of these two products should contact their doctors to discuss their treatment.

These new findings suggest fenfluramine and dexfenfluramine are the likely cause of heart valve problems of the type that prompted FDA's two earlier warnings concerning "fen-phen", a combination of fenfluramine and phentermine. "Fen-phen" has been widely used off-label in recent years for the long-term management of obesity.

In July, researchers at the Mayo

Clinic and Mayo Foundation reported 24 cases of rare valvular disease in women who took the "fen-phen" combination therapy. FDA alerted medical doctors that it had received 9 additional reports of the same type, and requested all health care professionals to report any such cases to the agency's MedWatch program (1-800-FDA-1088/Fax 1-800-FDA-0178).

Subsequently, FDA received 66 additional reports of heart valve disease associated mainly with "fen-phen". There were also reports of cases seen in patients taking only fenfluramine or dexfenfluramine. FDA requested that the manufacturers of fenfluramine and dexfenfluramine stress the potential risk to the heart in the drugs' labeling and patient packaging inserts. FDA continues to receive reports of cardiac valvular disease in persons who have taken these drugs.

Litter Control Update

By Charles Wayne Bullock

The Rockcastle County Litter Control has been busy cleaning roads of litter and trash in the past two months.

Roads cleaned-up were: Park Hill Road and 55 old tires were found there; U.S.-25 South, Livingston; Hwy. 1004; dump cleaned-up on Cove Branch Road; Sweet Water Road; Hwy. 1505; Sand Springs Road; Old U.S. 25; Hwy. 1325 by McKinney Tire; Kiwanis Club Road; Rockcastle Hospital Road; Hwy. 461; Marbleburg Cemetery and Lake Linville Road.

Farm News

By: Tom Mills
County Extension Agent
for Agriculture

**Wheat Seeding Rate:
Know the Numbers**

What Can Wheat Growers Do At Planting Time To Boost Yields?

Put the right amount of seed in the ground to establish a stand that will produce the field's full yield potential.

How?
Think of wheat seeding rates in terms of number of seeds per unit area, such as square foot or linear row foot. Growers need to have a given number of seeds in mind for a particular area to keep from planting too few or too many seeds, either of which can hurt yields. Jim Herbek, Extension Grain Specialist for the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture recommends a rate of 35 seeds per square foot.

The size of wheat seed often varies tremendously among varieties, as well as within varieties due to the environment in which the seed was produced. By planting a specific number of seeds per unit area, growers eliminate the biggest variable affecting potential yield.

Calibrating drills to deliver the

desired number of seeds is another management practice to improve yields.

Since size and shape can affect how well seed is delivered, calibrate the drill for the variety you're planting. Check more than one drill unit because the number of seed delivered can vary from unit to unit. Also inspect the drill to be sure all parts are working and that there are no worn parts that could affect seed delivery.

Using the right seeding rate is one of the most important things growers can do to improve yields. Planting more seeds than necessary increases seed costs and can lead to other management problems such as more lodging and higher incidences of disease because plants are too thick. Growers who don't seed enough will have to rely on plants to tiller more to compensate for lost yield. This won't make up entirely for the lower yield.

Replanting usually is not a good alternative because it increases the costs of seed, time, labor and equipment. A later planting date tends to result in a yield penalty.

Agricultural News

By Warden Alexander
Rural Development will be changing their servicing dates for Rockcastle County. They will now be at the USDA Service Center on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month during the hours of 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Rural Development makes housing loans for the former Farmers

Home Administration. Producers who participate in AMTA will be receiving their final payments this month. Final payments were mailed September 22. Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) sign-up #16 is scheduled for a 5 week period between October 14 - November 14. This is the second

CRP general sign-up since Federal Agricultural Improvement and Reform Act of 1996 amendments to the Food Security Act of 1985.

CRP is a voluntary program that offers annual rental payments and cost-share assistance to establish long-term resource-conserving covers on eligible land. The Commodity Credit Corporation makes annual rental payments based on the agricultural rental value of the land and provides cost-share assistance in an amount equal to not more than 50 percent of the participant's costs in establishing approved practices. The duration of contracts is from 10 to 15 years.

Under Sign-up 16, the CCC will continue to evaluate and rank all eligible CRP offers using an Environmental Benefits Index based on the environmental benefits that would potentially accrue if the land were enrolled in the CRP.

Payments may now be accepted at the FSA Office for Rockcastle producers who have farm loans with Ag Credit (formerly Farmers Home).

The Rockcastle County Farm Service Agency is beginning the process to elect a County Committee in all our offices. In an effort to reach all eligible voters in the county, we urge any and all producers who have not received a voting petition in the past election (DEC '96) to contact our office immediately. Eligible voters are: Farm owners, operators, tenants and shareholders, of legal voting age if the producer is eligible to take part in any FSA program. This includes reservation land owners for Native Americans, spouses of eligible producers in community property states and spouses who are an owner, operator, tenant or shareholder. REMEMBER: If you want to vote in the upcoming election - YOUR NAME MUST BE ON THE VOTING LIST AS AN ELIGIBLE VOTER. NOW is the time to contact your local FSA Office for voting eligibility.

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The William Foster in last week's paper of District Court News, is not the William Paul Foster of Calloway.

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Upon dialing the toll-free hotline, callers will be given three options through a voice response system. They are: obtaining a BBB company report; seeking complaint resolution services offered by the BBB; or filing a complaint or speaking with a representative of the Attorney General's office.

Callers reaching the Attorney General's office through the hotline may receive tips about: how to avoid being a victim of consumer fraud; how to file a consumer complaint form; and a wide variety of companies and deceptive practices. An additional advantage of this hotline is that reliability reports on businesses are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Staff will be available Monday through Friday during normal business hours.

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