

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES (CONTINUED)
ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

	Governmental Fund Types		Totals (Memorandum only)	
	General	Special Revenue	June 30, 1996	
Expenditures:				
General government	\$ 33,671	\$	\$ 33,671	
Police department	220,410		220,410	
Fire department	7,708		7,708	
Streets		27,933	27,933	
Capital outlay:				
Police department	16,788		16,788	
Total Expenditures	278,577	27,933	306,510	
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	< 23,136>	6,209	< 16,927>	
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers in (out)	38,666	<24,734>	13,932	
Excess of revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	15,530	<18,525>	< 2,995>	
Fund balances, beginning of year as previously reported	12,649	350,987	363,636	
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 28,179	\$332,462	\$360,641	

Cash flows from investing activities:	
Additions to property plant and equipment	< 31,925>
Interest on investments	28,057
Net cash provided by investing activities	< 3,868>
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:	
Principal payments on long-term debt	< 81,086>
Interest payments on long-term debt	< 57,585>
Net cash provided by capital and related financing activities	<138,671>
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities:	
Transfers to other funds	< 13,932>
Net cash used by non-capital financing activities	< 13,932>
Net increase in cash	76,759
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	714,577
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$791,336

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky (the "City") conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governments. The following is a summary of the significant policies.

A. Financial Reporting Entity

The City, for financial reporting purposes, includes all of the funds and account groups relevant to its operations. The financial statements presented herein do not include agencies which have been formed under applicable state laws or separate and distinct units of government apart from the City of Mt. Vernon.

There are no separately administered organizations that are controlled by or dependent on the City. Control or dependence is determined on the basis of budget adoption, taxing authority, funding and appointment of the respective governing board.

B. Fund Accounting

The accounts of the City are organized on the basis of funds and account groups, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for within a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures or expenses, as appropriate. Government resources are allocated to and accounted for in individual funds based upon the purposes for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled. The City uses the following generic fund types in its activities:

1. Governmental Funds

General Fund - The General Fund is the operating fund of the City. It is used to account for all financial resources and expenditures not required by law or contractual agreement to be accounted for in another fund.

Special Revenue Fund - Special revenue funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specific purposes.

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

2. Proprietary Funds

Enterprises Funds - Enterprise funds are used to account for operations: (a) that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises, where (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges; or (b) where the governing body has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control, accountability, or other purposes.

C. Property, Plant and Equipment

The accounting and reporting treatment applied to the property, plant and equipment associated with a fund is determined by its measurement focus.

1. Governmental Funds

All governmental funds are accounted for on a spending or "financial flow" measurement focus. This means that only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on their balance sheets. Their reported fund balance (net current assets) is considered a measure of "available spendable resources." Governmental fund operating statements present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets.

Accordingly, they are said to present a summary of sources and uses of "available spending resources" during a period.

Property, plant and equipment used in governmental fund type operations are accounted for in the General Fixed Assets account group rather than in governmental funds. Public domain (infrastructure) general fixed assets,

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - ALL GOVERNMENTAL TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

	GENERAL FUND			SPECIAL REVENUE FUND		
	BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE FAVORABLE (UNFAVORABLE)	BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE FAVORABLE (UNFAVORABLE)
Revenues:						
Taxes	\$ 93,500	\$116,456	\$22,956	\$	\$	\$
Licenses and permits	15,000	25,750	7,750			
Intergovernmental Revenue	19,664	29,187	9,523	36,000	29,689	< 6,311>
Franchise Fees	55,000	61,471	6,471			
Interest income and other revenues	23,835	25,579	1,744	700	4,453	3,753
Total revenues	206,999	255,441	48,442	36,700	34,142	< 2,558>
Expenditures:						
General government	33,335	33,671	< 336>	6,459	6,459	
Police and dispatch	177,862	220,410	<23,548>	6,000	6,000	
Fire	5,000	7,708	< 2,708>			
Streets				59,241	27,933	31,500
Capital expenditures	16,788	16,788		71,769	27,933	43,767
Total expenditures	216,127	278,577	<42,380>	71,769	27,933	43,767
Excess revenues over (under) expenditures	< 29,128>	< 23,136>	6,062	<35,000>	6,209	41,209
Other financing sources (uses):						
Sale of Assets						
Operating transfers in (out)	38,288	38,666	3,488	< 24,734>	<24,734>	
Excess revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	0	15,530	15,530	<35,000>	< 18,525>	16,475
Fund balances, beginning of year	56,422	12,649	<46,773>	185,875	350,987	155,112
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 56,422	\$ 28,179	< \$28,243>	\$166,872	\$332,462	\$171,587

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
COMBINED STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN RETAINED EARNINGS - ALL PROPRIETARY FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

Water and Sewer Fund

Operating Revenues:	
Water Sales (exclusive of tax)	\$557,442
Sewer Sales	355,029
Total Operating Revenues	912,471
Operating expenses:	
Wages	236,641
Employee taxes and benefits	109,598
Operating expense	126,570
Repairs and maintenance	10,035
Utilities	113,854
Office expense	5,285
Insurance	14,164
Depreciation	125,696
Contracted services	99,667
Miscellaneous	8,372
Total operating expenses	849,882
Operating income	62,589
Non-operating revenues (expenses):	
Interest on investments	28,057
Interest on revenue bonds	< 57,585>
Amortization	< 3,937>
Total non-operating revenues (expense)	< 33,465>
Net Income (Loss) before operating transfers	29,124
Operating Transfers	< 13,932>
Net Income (Loss)	15,192
Retained earnings, beginning of year	229,265
Retained earnings, end of year	\$344,457

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
ALL PROPRIETARY FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

Water and Sewer Fund

Cash flows from operating activities:	
Operating income (loss)	\$ 62,589
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Depreciation and amortization	125,696
(Increase) decrease in:	
Accounts receivable	< 10,334>
Prepaid expenses	905
Interest receivable	341
Increase (decrease) in:	
Accounts payable	7,675
Refundable deposits	6,450
Due to/from	31,222
Accrued Expenses	8,686
Net cash provided by operating activities	170,641

consisting of certain improvements other than buildings, such as roads, bridges, curbs, and gutters, streets and sidewalks, drainage systems, and lighting systems, are not capitalized along with other general fixes assets.

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Property, plant and equipment are valued at historical cost, or estimated cost if actual cost is not available. No depreciation has been provided on general fixed assets.

The account group is not a "Fund." It is concerned only with the measurement of financial position. It is not involved with measurement of results of operations.

2. Proprietary Fund

The proprietary fund is accounted for on a cost of services or "capital maintenance" measurement focus. This means that all assets and all liabilities (whether current or non-current) associated with its activities are included on its balance sheet. The Water and Sewer Fund is accounted for as a proprietary fund.

The property, plant and equipment of the enterprise (proprietary) fund are stated at cost at date of acquisition. Expenditures for repairs and maintenance are charged to operations in the period incurred; expenditures for additions or system extensions are capitalized. Depreciation of exhaustible fixed assets used by the enterprise fund is charged as an expense against its operation. Accumulated depreciation is reported on the balance sheet. Depreciation has been provided over estimated useful lives of five to fifty years using the straight-line method.

D. Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurement made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

- Governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Their revenues are recognized when they become measurable and available as net current assets. "Available" means collectable within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period.

Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred.

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

2. Proprietary Fund

The proprietary fund is accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when they are incurred. Unbilled utility service receivables are recorded at year end.

E. Budget and Budgetary Accounting

The budget for all governmental fund types is prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is the same basis that is used in financial reporting. This allows for comparability between budget and actual amounts. The budget was passed on July 3, 1995.

For each fund, total fund expenditures may not legal exceed the budgeted expenditures. The budget lapses at the end of the fiscal year.

The city adopts its annual budget in accordance with KRS 91A.030 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, as follows:

- The budget officer (mayor) submits to the City Council a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing July 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
- A public hearing is conducted to obtain taxpayer comments.
- Budgeted amounts may be transferred between object classes within a fund at any time. The annual budget may be revised by a vote of the City Council by deleting, adding to, or changing budgeted items. Budget revisions increasing the budget will be prohibited if funds are not available.
- The City also adopts an operating budget for its proprietary fund containing estimated revenues and expenditures, which is used as a management control device.

F. Inventories

Expenditures for inventory type items are accounted for as expenditures at the time of purchase.

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

G. Meter Deposits

Meter deposits in the Water and Sewer Fund are recorded as a liability when such deposits are made with the City. The deposits are not restricted by city ordinance or bond covenant and are commingled with the operating cash of the Water and Sewer Fund.

H. Fund Equity

Contributed capital is recognized from three major sources: federal and state capital grants; general obligation bonds issued to finance enterprise fixed assets, and private contributors (individuals, businesses, subdividers, etc.). As a general rule, payments to the City are considered capital contributions if the payments are made to defray the cost of additional construction or distribution line extensions.

I. Total Columns on Combined Statements

Total columns on the combined statements are captioned "Memorandum Only" to indicate that they are presented only to facilitate financial analysis. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or changes in financial position in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Neither is such data comparable to a consolidations. Inter-fund eliminations have not been made in the aggregation of this data.

J. Cash and Cash Equivalents

At year end, the balance of the City's cash and cash equivalents (checking, savings accounts, and certificates of deposit) was \$1,002,944. Of that balance, \$100,000 was covered by federal depository insurance and \$1,000,000 was insured by the bank through pledges to cover deposits.

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 2 - RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES WITHIN THE REPORTING ENTITY

Receivables and payables at June 30, 1996, are as follows:

Amount	Due To Other Funds	Due From Other Funds
\$ 284	General Fund	Payroll Fund
1,490	General Fund	Disbursements Fund
96,444	Municipal Road Aid	General Fund
22,996	Municipal Road Aid	Water and Sewer
10,000	UDAG Fund	General Fund
7,086	Payroll Fund	General Fund
9,737	Payroll Fund	Water and Sewer
45,847	Water and Sewer	General Fund
349	Water and Sewer	Municipal Road Aid
10,721	Water and Sewer	Payroll Fund
4,503	Water and Sewer	Disbursements Fund
<u>\$239,457</u>	Total	

NOTE 3 - RESTRICTED ASSETS

The restricted assets at June 30, 1996, consisted of the following:

	Water and Sewer Fund	Special Revenue Funds
Cash:		
Bond Interest and Redemption Sinking Fund	\$202,419	\$
Depreciation and Maintenance and Replacement Reserve Funds	275,877	
Restricted for Economic Development Activity		114,827
Restricted for Street repairs		2,520
	<u>\$478,296</u>	<u>\$117,417</u>

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 4 - LONG-TERM DEBT - WATER AND SEWER FUND

Revenue bonds of \$410,000 with interest at the rate of 3 3/8% were issued by the City on January 1, 1965, to finance construction of a sewer facility. The bonds outstanding of \$30,000 at June 30, 1996 are payable from the secured by an exclusive pledge of gross revenues of the Fund. Bonds retired during the year were \$20,000.

Revenue bonds of \$624,000 with interest at the rate of 4 1/8% (Series A) and 4 3/4% (Series B) were issued by the City on January 1, 1969, to defer the cost (not otherwise provided) of a new water treatment plant and appurtenant facilities. The outstanding bonds of \$327,000 at June 30, 1996, are payable and by a secondary pledge of gross revenue of the Fund, subject to priorities in favor of the holders of outstanding bonds, dated January 1, 1965. Bond retired during the year were \$19,000.

The total bond maturities for the next five years ending June 30, are as follow:

1997	40,000
1998	30,000
1999	21,000
2000	22,000
2001	23,000

The City was in compliance with the Sinking Fund and Depreciation Fund requirements of the bond ordinances at June 30, 1996.

On July 1, 1987, the City entered into a loan agreement with the Kentucky Pollution Abatement and Water Resources Finance Authority (hereinafter "the Authority") to finance improvements to the sewage treatment and water treatment facilities. The Funds for assistance loans from the Authority were made available through the issuance of Kentucky Pollution Abatement and Water Resources Finance Authority Revenue Bonds. East project approved for assistance by the Authority bears its pro-rate share of the bond issuance cost and debt service reserve.

Payment of loan interest is require semiannually in June and December. Payment of principal is required annually in June. The interest rate is variable, ranging from 5.6% to 7.8%, and payments are amortized over twenty years. Bond issue costs and debt service reserve are also amortized over twenty years. Expenses during the year were \$871 and \$3,066, respectively. The remaining unamortized costs are reported as deferred charges on the balance sheet.

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
NOTES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
JUNE 30, 1996

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
SCHEDULE OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES BY DEPARTMENTS
WATER AND SEWER FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

NOTE 4 - LONG-TERM DEBT - WATER AND SEWER FUND (CONTINUED)

On April 1, 1991, the City entered into a loan agreement with the Kentucky Infrastructure Authority to finance construction and improvements to the sewage treatment facilities.

Payment of loan principal, interest and servicing fees is required semiannually in June and December. The interest rate is 3.45% and the loan is amortized over twenty years.

The total loan principal maturities for the next five years ended June 30, are as follows:

1997	44,373	2000	52,469
1998	47,231	2001	55,398
1999	49,564		

Operating revenues:

Sales and service (exclusive of tax)	\$557,442	\$355,029	\$912,471
Total operating revenues	557,442	355,029	912,471

Operating expenses:

Wages	159,488	77,153	236,641
Employee benefits and taxes	67,173	42,425	109,598
Operating Expense	102,760	23,810	126,570
Office expense	4,053	1,232	5,285
Repairs and maintenance	7,673	2,362	10,035
Utilities	94,521	19,333	113,854
Depreciation	35,447	90,249	125,696
Insurance	8,521	5,643	14,164
Contracted services	41,482	58,185	99,667
Miscellaneous	3,560	4,812	8,372
Total Operating expenses	524,678	325,204	849,882

Operating income	32,764	29,825	62,589
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Non-operating revenues

(expenses):			
Interest on investments	23,843	4,214	28,057
Interest on revenue bonds	< 8,792>	< 48,793>	< 57,585>
Amortization			< 3,937>

Total non-operating revenues (expense)	15,051	< 48,516>	< 33,465>
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Net income (loss) before other financing sources (uses)	\$ 47,815	< \$ 18,691>	\$ 29,124
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NOTE 5 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

The following is a summary of changes in the General Fixed Asset Account Group:

	Balance July 1, 1995	Additions	Deductions	Balance June 30, 1996
Land and Improvements	\$133,791	\$	\$	\$133,791
Autos	121,299	16,788		138,087
Furniture	1,414			1,414
Other Equipment	75,233	1,639		76,872
Totals	\$331,737	\$18,427	\$	\$350,164

Property and equipment recorded in the City's proprietary fund at June 30, 1996 are:

	Balance July 1, 1995	Additions	Deductions	Balance June 30, 1996
Land and Buildings	\$ 419,372	\$	\$	\$ 419,372
Improvements	6,200,324	5,164		6,205,588
Machinery and Equipment	123,110	26,751		149,871
Totals	6,742,806	31,925		6,774,731
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	2,345,917	125,696		2,471,613
Net Assets	\$4,396,889	\$29,229	\$	\$4,303,118

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
SCHEDULE OF DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TO MATURITY
JUNE 30, 1996

Fund	Year	Principal	Annual Interest	Total
Water and Sewer Fund - Revenue Bonds, 1965 Issue	1997	20,000	1,012	21,012
	1998	10,000	337	10,337
	Total	\$30,000	\$1,349	\$31,349

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET - ALL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TYPES
JUNE 30, 1996

	Municipal Road Aid	Local Government Economic Assistance	Urban Development Action Grant	Totals Memorandum Only 1996
ASSETS				
Cash - Restricted	\$ 2,590	\$ 3,493	\$111,334	\$117,417
Note Receivable			86,147	86,147
Due from General Fund	113,440		10,000	123,440
Total Assets	\$122,030	\$ 3,493	\$207,481	\$333,004
LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY				
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 193	\$	\$	\$ 193
Due to Other Funds	342			342
Total liabilities	542			542
Fund Equity:				
Designated for street repair	121,488			121,488
Designated for economic development activities		3,493	207,481	210,974
Total fund equity	121,488	3,493	207,481	332,462
Total liabilities and fund equity	\$122,030	\$ 3,493	\$207,481	\$333,004

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
SCHEDULE OF DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TO MATURITY
JUNE 30, 1996

Water and Sewer Fund - Revenue Bonds, 1969 Issues

Year	Series A Bonds		Series B Bonds		Total
	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	
1997	\$15,000	\$10,147	\$5,000	\$3,847	\$33,994
1998	15,000	9,529	5,000	3,610	33,139
1999	16,000	8,910	5,000	3,373	33,283
2000	17,000	8,250	5,000	3,135	33,385
2001	17,000	7,548	6,000	2,898	33,446
2002	18,000	6,848	6,000	2,612	33,460
2003	19,000	6,105	6,000	2,327	33,432
2004	19,000	5,321	6,000	2,042	32,363
2005	20,000	4,538	7,000	1,757	33,295
2006	21,000	3,712	7,000	1,425	33,137
2007	22,000	2,846	7,000	1,092	32,938
2008	23,000	1,939	8,000	760	33,699
2009	24,000	990	8,000	300	33,290
Total	\$246,000	\$76,683	\$81,000	\$29,178	\$432,861

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
ALL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

	Municipal Road Aid	Local Government Economic Assistance	Urban Development Action Grant	Totals Memorandum Only 1996
Revenues:				
Intergovernmental revenues	\$ 26,239	\$	\$	\$ 26,239
Municipal aid to streets		3,450		3,450
Coal and mineral grants		82		4,553
Interest income	825		3,546	4,371
Total Revenues	27,064	3,532	3,546	34,142
Expenditures:				
Highway and streets	27,933			27,933
Total expenditures	27,933			27,933
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers in (out)	< 8,692>	< 7,182>	< 8,855>	< 24,724>
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures and other uses	< 9,566>	< 3,650>	< 5,309>	< 18,525>
Fund balances, beginning of year	131,054	7,143	212,290	350,287
Fund balances, end of year	\$121,488	\$ 3,493	\$207,481	\$332,462

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
SCHEDULE OF DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TO MATURITY
JUNE 30, 1996

Fund	Year	Principal	Annual Interest	Total
Water and Sewer Fund Kentucky Pollution Abatement and Water Resources Finance Authority Loan	1997	\$25,181	\$35,340	\$60,521
	1998	27,371	33,602	60,973
	1999	29,013	31,673	60,686
	2000	31,203	29,584	60,787
	2001	33,392	27,306	60,698
	2002	36,129	24,835	60,964
	2003	38,866	22,125	60,991
	2004	42,151	19,172	61,323
	2005	45,435	15,884	61,319
	2006	48,720	12,340	61,060
2007	52,552	8,540	61,092	
2008	56,931	4,441	61,372	
Total		\$466,944	\$264,842	\$731,786

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
SCHEDULE OF DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TO MATURITY
JUNE 30, 1996

Fund	Year	Principal	Annual Interest	Total
Water and sewer Kentucky Infrastructure Authority Loan	1997	\$19,192	\$13,323	\$32,515
	1998	19,860	12,617	32,477
	1999	20,551	11,886	32,437
	2000	21,266	11,129	32,395
	2001	22,006	10,346	32,352
	2002	22,772	9,536	32,308
	2003	23,565	8,697	32,262
	2004	24,385	7,830	32,215
	2005	25,233	6,932	32,165
	2006	26,111	6,003	32,114
	2007	27,020	5,042	32,062
2008	27,960	4,047	32,007	
2009	28,933	3,018	31,951	
2010	29,940	1,953	31,893	
2011	30,982	850	31,832	
Total		\$369,776	\$113,209	\$482,985

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
SCHEDULE OF WATER LOSS
WATER AND SEWER FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

Gallons pumped		461,398,000
Gallons billed	401,561,300	
Municipal gallons used	10,047,200	
Total gallons used & billed		411,608,500
Gallons lost		49,789,500
% Water loss		10.79%

HealthNotes

HealthNotes is a health awareness publication provided by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center.

Calendar of Events

JUNE

National Safety Month

Vision Research Month

Stand for Children
June 1

Nurse Assistants' Week
June 4-11

National Men's Health Week
June 15-21

WARNING SIGNS WORTH WATCHING FOR

It strikes every minute in America. It's the third leading cause of death in the United States. More than 500,000 Americans have one each year, affecting four out of every five American families. No, it's not cancer or heart disease—it's a stroke.

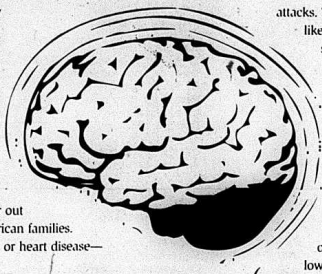
Eighty percent of the time, strokes are caused by blockage in the brain or neck. The other cause is bleeding in and around the brain.

A stroke occurs when the circulation of blood to the brain is blocked or significantly decreased. This leaves brain cells, which control the entire body, without oxygen, and can lead to severe damage or death for those cells.

Blockage can be caused by the movement of a clot from another part of the body to the brain or neck, the formation of a clot in the brain or neck, or a severe narrowing of an artery leading into the brain.

If brain cells die, stroke victims may lose some or all control of their bodies, causing speech problems, paralysis, impairment of memory, a coma or possibly death.

"Sometimes there are warning signs of a stroke," said Dr. Kimberly Cornelius, a physician at Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center. "Some people experience TIAs, or transient ischemic



attacks. These attacks are like having small strokes that last for only a few minutes or hours. These should not be ignored. You should seek medical attention." If you experience one or more of the following symptoms, you should consult with your doctor.

- Sudden numbness, weakness or paralysis of your face, arm or leg, especially if only one side of your body is affected;
- Sudden blurred or decreased vision in one or both eyes;
- Sudden confusion, trouble talking or understanding speech;
- Sudden severe headache—often described as "the worst headache of your life;" or
- Sudden dizziness, loss of coordination or trouble walking.

Many precautions can be taken to decrease your chances of having a stroke. Cornelius recommends the following:

- Check your blood pressure. High blood pressure is a leading cause of a stroke.
- Know your cholesterol. High cholesterol increases your chances for a stroke.
- Find out if you have an irregular heart-beat. This allows blood to collect in your heart, which makes it more likely to clot.
- Only drink alcohol in moderation.
- If you are a diabetic, follow your doctor's orders carefully to control it.

- If you smoke, quit. Smoking doubles your risk for a stroke.
- If you have heart disease, consult with your physician to manage it.

"The key is to seek immediate medical attention if you experience a stroke or TIA," Cornelius said. "Every second counts."

HEALTHY TIPS

BEE STINGERS: TO YANK OR NOT TO YANK

An abrupt, sharp sting hits you out of nowhere. The pain begins to build, and you discover you've been stung by a bee. Instinct tells you to yank out the stinger, but logic tells you to slowly work it out so less venom is released.

Well, in this case, instinct wins, and rightly so. Researchers have found that yanking the stinger out is one of the best things you can do. The longer the stinger is left in, the more venom it will release.

The belief of slowly removing the stinger was based on the misconception that the stinger works like a turkey baster, that if you pinch it or yank it, more venom would be released.



FEED A COLD, STARVE A FEVER... AND OTHER MEDICAL MYTHS

Don't stick out your tongue and make a face because it might stay that way."

We know that statement is a myth from our childhood. But there are dozens of myths out there that are more believable.

Here are several medical legends that have been passed down from generation to generation. They've passed the test of time, but they don't pass the truth test.

COLDS, FLU AND FEVER

• **Feed a cold and starve a fever.** In reality, both cold and flu sufferers should drink plenty of non-alcoholic fluids and eat when they feel like it.

• **Don't go out in the cold with wet hair, or you'll get sick.** Viruses cause colds and the flu. Wet hair or cold weather alone will not cause either illness.

• **You can get the flu from a flu shot.** The viruses that are used to make the flu vaccine are grown in chicken eggs and then killed by a chemical, so they are no longer infectious. However, some people will experience a sore arm and flu-like symptoms for a day or two.

BREAST CANCER

• **Mammograms have no benefit to women under age 50 and may even be harmful.** More than 20 percent of breast cancers are diagnosed in women who are less than 50 years old. Neither the X-ray nor the process itself can spread the cancer.

• **One mammogram is enough to make sure you don't have cancer.** Abnormal lumps that aren't visible one year might be visible the next.

ALLERGIES

• **If you don't have allergies as a child, you never will.** Allergies can start at any age. However, children are more allergic to foods, while young adults can become allergic to medicine, pollen and insect stings.

NUTRITION/DIET

• **Dairy products are high in fat and**

should be avoided. Dairy products are an extremely important source of calcium, which is necessary for healthy bones. Skim milk and low-fat yogurt are excellent ways of getting calcium without the fat.

• **Fasting is an effective way to lose weight.** Without the proper nutrients, your body will just shut down. The only true way to lose weight without hurting yourself is to combine a mild diet with exercise.

HOUSECALLS



PROFILE

Janice Mullins, Radiologic Technologist

Educations: Associate degree in radiologic technology, Lexington Technical Institute

Family: Husband, Doug; daughter, Sarah (12); son, Christopher (8)

Affiliations: American Society of Radiologic Technologists
American Registry of Radiologic Technologists with advanced certification in mammography
Pianist at Ottawa Baptist Church

Nurturing is what Janice Mullins does best. Between being a mother to her family and providing the best quality care with a personalized touch to Rockcastle County, Mullins has plenty of experience. When she's not at home nurturing her family, she is at the hospital giving special attention to every patient she sees.

Mullins is a radiologic technologist who specializes in mammography at Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center. Mullins' main responsibility is to take accurate, detailed X-rays that help physicians make the correct diagnosis.

"It's important that people are given the best, personal-

ized care," Mullins said. "I've known almost all of my patients for years, and I treat them like family."

Mullins grew up in Rockcastle County and has worked at the hospital for 13 years.

"I enjoy being able to offer an exceptional level of care in a hometown, family atmosphere," Mullins said.

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Local boys struck with E Coli virus

The E Coli bacteria has been confirmed in two Rockcastle toddlers, but local health officials say there is no need for worry.

Family members of the two 2-year-old boys confirmed this week that doctors diagnosed the children with the E Coli bacteria last week.

One of the children is still in the hospital, but the other one has been released.

Mrs. Diane Napier, Nursing Supervisor at the Rockcastle County Health Department, said Tuesday that she could not release any information concerning the cases or even if there were any cases, but that local residents should not be concerned. "I can tell you that we definitely do not have an outbreak or an epidemic of any nature," Napier said.

The two boys were in the same Sunday School class at First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon.

Association seeks bids for water expansion

It looks as if the much awaited water project for Rockcastle Water Association is finally about to become a reality.

For the past two years, the project has been held up by the federal government's Rural Development Agency because Rockcastle could not get a solid water user's agreement from the City of Mt. Vernon.

The water association is advertising for bids this week for the \$1.7 million dollar project, which will

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Circuit suit dismissed

Rockcastle Circuit Judge Dan Venters has dismissed a lawsuit filed by a London man against the Rockcastle Sheriff's office.

\$2,943 was seized from Gerald W. Collier, 44, in October of 1996

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Carloftis, Smith, Miller win

All incumbent magistrates on ballot win on Tuesday



Estlin Philbeck was the first person to vote at the Orlando precinct on Tuesday morning. The new voting precinct is located on the old Philbeck home place next to Philbeck's Grocery. Election officer, Sandy Vanwinkle helps Philbeck sign in. Looking on are other election officers, Dorothy Miller and Virginia Clark.

By: Richard Anderkin
Rockcastle County voters were in a re-election mood Tuesday as they returned every incumbent official on the ballot to office, except one.

Rockcastle County Judge-Executive Buzz Carloftis became the first county judge to succeed himself in 21 years when he defeated challenger James H. Lambert by nearly 1,000 votes.

Carloftis defeated the former County Attorney in all thirteen precincts, by a total vote of 2,401 to 1,424.

Rockcastle Sheriff Shirley Smith will also return to office for a third term, something no other Rockcastle Sheriff has ever done.

Smith held off eight challengers getting 1,468 votes. His closest challenger was David Abney who garnered 832 votes. Bill Hammons was third with 635.

Rockcastle Jailor Joe Howard was the only incumbent to lose, falling to challenger James Miller.

Miller, the son of Circuit Court Clerk Denver Miller, defeated Howard easily, 1,909 votes to 1,081. Buck Farthing was third with 549 votes and Doug Bullock got 240.

Miller will face Democrat Dale C. Johnson in November.

The youngest person on the ballot, Chad Burdette, at age 26, was the winner of the Republican nomination for magistrate in the first district. Burdette's closest challenger was Shannon D. Bishop who got 156 votes.

Burdette had 212 votes. Joe Cummins had 70 votes. Burdette will now face incumbent democrat magistrate John Holbrook in the fall.

In district two Republican incumbent magistrate Jack Bradley was elected to a fourth term. He held off challenges from William Denny, Gary Wade Mink, Clarice Kirby, Keith Sowder and Ot Bond. Bradley had 266 votes, Denny, 228, Mink, 221, Kirby, 164, Sowder, 94 and Bond, 56. Bradley has no opposition this fall.

Republican incumbent Bill McKinney also held off a strong challenge from Bentley Durham in the third district. McKinney won 357 to 298. McKinney now faces Democrat James "Bear" Bradley in the fall.

Fred Mullins Jr., won the Republican nomination for magistrate in the fourth district, where current magistrate Ames Burdette declined to run.

Mullins defeated his closest challenger, Bobby Thacker, 180 to 165.

Roger Rucker finished third with 150 and Larry McKnight had 112, finishing fourth.

Mullins will face Democrat Shaun Tracy Poynter this fall.

Fifth District Republican incumbent magistrate Donald Bullock will also return to the fiscal court for a fourth term.

Bullock narrowly defeated former magistrate Joe Clark by 14 votes. Bullock had 352 votes, Clark had 338

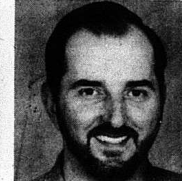
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Buzz Carloftis



Shirley Smith



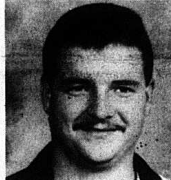
James Miller



Fred Mullins, Jr.



Donald Bullock



Chad Burdette



Bill McKinney



Jack Bradley

Rockcastle County voter count for county-wide and state offices

Primary Election May 26, 1998 PRECINCT	DEMOCRATIC PARTY					COUNTY JUDGE-EXECUTIVE										SHERIFF		JAILOR								
	UNITED STATES SENATOR 5th Congressional District	Ken Buchanan	THOMPSON	David L. WILLIAMS	Scooty BAESLER	James Henry "Jim" BROWN	Steve L. HENRY	Charlie OWEN	UNITED STATES SENATOR 5th Congressional District	Jim BUNNING	Barry METCALF	James H. LAMBERT	Buzz CARLOFTIS	Phillip CHESNUT	Barry L. ADAMS	David ABNEY	John H. KEMPER, JR.	Henry "Hank" COATES	Jim KING	Shirley SMITH	Billy M. HAMMONS	Barbara FETTERS	Heiran "Buck" FARTHING	Joseph L. "Joe" HOWARD	James E. MILLER	Doug BULLOCK
EAST MT. VERNON	0	0	12	1	3	3	111	67	106	137	5	31	68	2	16	10	81	32	0	29	95	103	31	2		
SOUTH MT. VERNON	1	0	7	0	1	6	146	99	146	228	13	58	56	0	6	36	126	72	2	56	97	187	18	1		
WEST MT. VERNON	4	0	23	1	2	16	236	94	190	280	20	81	95	2	21	30	171	45	7	70	131	256	20	3		
NORTH MT. VERNON	1	0	22	0	6	10	154	76	104	193	6	52	71	1	16	9	96	46	1	41	98	144	16	2		
CONWAY	3	0	13	0	4	4	139	113	156	181	6	23	118	7	0	19	118	54	5	61	87	175	21	3		
ROUNDSTONE	1	0	16	0	1	12	191	85	131	233	6	22	97	2	0	15	200	35	1	87	113	141	8	13		
CLIMAX	0	0	8	0	0	2	52	20	41	52	0	3	19	0	2	0	53	19	0	10	22	47	9	1		
ORLANDO	0	0	2	0	2	5	106	70	90	175	4	26	36	1	3	12	129	49	7	14	75	150	30	1		
EAST LIVINGSTON	2	0	9	0	0	2	101	61	66	181	14	8	19	0	5	36	79	78	2	17	64	122	13	24		
WEST LIVINGSTON	0	0	4	2	0	2	51	24	38	80	5	0	8	0	3	37	25	37	1	4	39	49	13	8		
BULLOCK	0	0	6	0	1	1	48	26	36	65	3	9	22	0	1	4	35	18	2	16	24	56	1	0		
BROWN	2	0	52	6	6	13	133	48	92	156	8	27	73	1	3	5	94	38	3	55	74	116	10	0		
WEST BROADHEAD	2	0	34	4	4	13	146	63	88	191	9	29	54	1	11	10	109	50	7	32	74	146	23	0		
NORTH BROADHEAD	0	0	23	0	5	6	144	76	111	159	8	35	69	0	0	9	96	55	2	32	63	156	18	4		
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Viewpoints



Points East

By:
Iko Adams

A couple of weekends ago, Loreta came home with a clear plastic tube about 20 inches long and three inches in diameter. It had a yellow dome on one end and a yellow base big enough that it would stand upright on the other. It also had several little orange/yellow protrusions sticking out of the side.

I thought maybe it was some kind of bug trap or maybe a new fangled flower watering device but really I didn't have much of a clue when she asked me to guess what it was.

"A finch feeder," she announced. "I want you to hang it right there on the persimmon tree limb at the edge of the porch while I fill it up with thistle seed!"

"Thistle seed?!"
"If you think you're going to hang half a gallon of thistle seed up in a limb so it can blow up over my garden, you're finally gone off the deep end."

I practically screamed and stomped off as though that had brought the matter to a close.

So she drags out a five pound box of thistle seed that, according to the label, are guaranteed not to sprout. Even safe and approved for California, it indicated. But I still thought she'd gone nuts.

In the bird watcher in our family most of the time and I assured my wife that I had not seen any finches in our neighborhood. I figured the blackbirds had them scared away and I advised her that they would have her flimsy feeder in pieces minutes after it was hung. My well known position on blackbirds is that if I feed them anything it will be number 8 shots out the end of a gun barrel.

"Just be that way," I was advised. "I can do it myself."
So sure enough, safe in the knowledge that humming birds have been

frequenting the little red glass thing she has hung on the porch, Loreta dragged out a step ladder and hung the contraption about ten feet up in the persimmon tree right beside the porch.

My only advice had to do with what kind of shape it would be if thistles started coming up in the garden or blackbirds started flying right up to the porch. Both pieces of advice involved a twelve gauge shotgun.

The next day I came home from work, walked in the door and met my wife with her finger upacross her lips in the universal "be quiet" sign as she

motioned me to the front door.

Lo and behold, there were finches all over the feeder and the surrounding limbs. Purple finches, house finches, gold finches, evening grosbeaks and a couple that I couldn't identify at first glance.

I wouldnt take a hundred dollars for the feeder now and I have sat for hours studying its visitors through opera glasses. I have apologized numerous times and if a few thistles sprout in the garden I will deal with the problem without hurting the birds.

I don't have a clue where they came from, but I'm glad they did.

HERESAY

By:
John Norman Meadows

PRECIOUS SOULS, CHILDREN OF AN EVIL AGE, greetings and remembrances from the drenched and dripping Weald of Wabed, home of the late Mally C. Stiglebottem, long-time Professor of Musiology at Wabed's Hall of the Arts and Sciences, and part-time Chautauqua lecturer and author of *Why the Late Victorians Were Always Late*. It was also he who said, "Many of life's shadows are caused by standing in our own sunshine."

Speaking of sunshine, beloved, there wasn't much of it this past weekend and on Memorial Day itself I made three daily cemetery trips, and the sky was overcast most of the time.

My first trip was Saturday morning, to two different cemeteries. I put flowers on the graves of my parents and grandparents, my brother, and on the grave of the brother of an Atlanta friend who asked me to do so.

Oops! Truly, friends, I didn't put flowers on my maternal

grandmother's grave because I don't know where she is buried. I never knew her or much about her, except that she was "odd" and "died before her time." I'd say she is interred in Jackson County, from whence came the Hellards, near a place called Peoples. She had a lovely name, Sophia, which was also the first name of Nancy's late mother, whom folks called "Hazel."

Furthermore, I have to guess where my paternal grandfather, William Meadows, is buried. But there is no marker for William Meadows. (She also had a lovely name - Matilda. And from what I know of that side of my family, I'd say she knew how to waltz. Not so with the Calvin-laden clan on my maternal side.)

Grandma Matilda's stone is large and also bears the name of one of her daughters buried beside her. But there is no marker for William Meadows. Next to the large stone, however, is a small, roughly round rock. No inscription, just a rock. I assume that it marks "Daddy Bill" Meadows' marker.

Why don't I know more specifics about those graves? I'm sorry to say, dear hearts, that when I was young I wasn't at all interested in my lineage. And when I did become interested, those who could have told me about graves and such were in their graves.

Let me inject a word of praise for Nancy's family. She and her brother, Don, went to several burial grounds this past weekend, putting flowers on the graves - some unmarked - of relatives, some whom they never knew, like James Cummins, their great-great grandfather, who records show, owned a thousand acres of land in dear ol' Wabed.

At the outset of this article I said I made three trips to the cemetery. I went back a second time to put a flower on the grave of some relatives whose graves had no flowers. (So it was last year.) Those who should and could decorate that grave don't. Why? I do not know.

And there was one grave of a non-relative that on Sunday afternoon had no flowers. Knowing the deceased, I could not believe she would be forgotten. So, I went back on Memorial Day itself, with a flower in hand for her, just in case. Again, no flowers. I heaved a sigh as I planted plastic, yellow tulips in front of her stone.

That Monday I walked to and fro amid the graves for a couple of hours, just reminiscing. I came upon the grave of a couple with whom I was closely acquainted when I was in high school. On their headstone was a beautiful spray of flowers. That is their daughter's work. She is not to forget, although she lives several hundred miles away. I'm sure a friend put that spray there for her.

Anyone could do that, but a lot of anyone don't! The grave of two who were especially kind to me when I was a child had no flowers. Under their names was an inscription: *Gone But Not Forgotten*.

I would be wrong, dear hearts, to conclude that no flowers always means no one has visited a grave. I saw some acquaintances who just stood by their loved ones' graves, honoring, remembering, weeping. And perhaps most touching of all were those graves that were not decorated this weekend because flowers were planted earlier in the spring. They could be perennials. Whatever. Evidence of cultivation told me loved ones had been there more than once this year. "Several times" I'd say.

Nancy and I didn't do a super job instilling a reverence for the past in our three children. Being in the ministry, we were often too far away to drive home for "Decoration Day." I was sometimes involved in Memorial Day services elsewhere. But there were numerous times we could have come home with flowers, telling our children who lies here and who lies there. No, that "stuff" wasn't important then.

Now that I'm in the autumn of my life - as 'Ol' Blue Eyes sang - I'm well aware of my mortality - and my heritage, both great and inglorious.

Our oldest son, Mark, asked me not long ago to scan, annotate, and e-mail to him pictures of his ancestors. Good for Mark! Maybe Mike and Malissa will come around after their children are grown.

Mark has no children. As a PK he was always "on the move." And now he's at it again as a musician. Soon to be forty, he's begun thinking about "roots." He couldn't abide Wabed for much more than a week, but a week in Wabed twice a year is a must for him. His base is La'Ma, his home is Wabed - because "Momma and Daddy" are here (We're "Mom and Dad" to Mike and Phebe).

Oops! I must quit writing and go remind some political winners of what they promised. So until next week, when I will assay on the undertaker's favorite concept, *cremation*, ponder a cherished word of the biblical Hebrew writers: *zakav* (זָכַב).

Child Abuse-- A Matter of Fact

By Peter O. Samples, State Chairman
Sexual Abusers Rarely Use Physical Force

The child sexual abuser rarely uses physical violence and usually will avoid its use since injury may lead to discovery. The sexual abuser is more likely to use his power and authority as an adult (or older child) to coerce the child victim through bribes, threats and the child's fear of the unknown. Children are taught to obey without question or resistance. The abuser's most powerful weapons are authority and secrecy.

To obtain more information about child abuse and neglect, call our hotline number at 1-800-468-8920.

Rockcastle Community Bulletin Board

Free Aerobic Class

Free Aerobic Class for women at the Lighthouse Assembly of God every Tuesday at 6 p.m. and Thursday at 4:30 p.m. sponsored by Rockcastle Health Dept. and Lighthouse Assembly of God, Call Beverly Sexton, Health Educator, 256-2242 for more info.

Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., June 1: Brodhead and Copper Creek.
Tues., June 2: Green Hill, Conway, Boone, Lambert Rd., Fairview and Bridge Ridge.
Wed., June 3: Burr, Pine Hill, Maple Grove, Climax, and Three Links.
Thurs., June 4: Mt. Vernon Manor and Mt. Village Apex.

Items Needed

Family of fixed-income needs some essential things: 2 mattresses, 2 beds, 1 washing machine. Call 256-2023.

TOPS

(Take off Pounds Sensibly) TOPS meets Thursday at 6 p.m. at the First Church of God on Main St. in Brodhead. For more info, call 1-800-932-TOPS or locally 256-4047

Kiwanis Club

Rockcastle County Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Thursday at Kastle Inn Restaurant. Thursday, May 28th club member Lee Keene will introduce guest speaker, Don Wallace, an architect from Lexington. Mr. Wallace will share with those present the past, present and future plans for Rockcastle Hospital. All visitors are welcome.

Can You Answer This

Safe Driving Question?
Q: How safe are older drivers on the streets and highways?
A: Drivers over age 50 have more accidents per mile driven than do younger drivers. Large scale statistical studies indicate that those who complete a classroom refresher course have 16% less fatal crashes. Leading insurers state that this justifies their 5-10% discount on premiums for people who complete these classes. Drivers 55 and older may receive an additional auto insurance discount for completing the AARP 55 Alive! Mature Driving 8 hour classroom course. There is no test or cost to public. The Bank of Mt. Vernon is sponsoring a class June 15 and 16, 1998. Classes will be held at the new #61 branch in the training room. Monday, the class will meet from noon to 4 p.m. Tuesday, the class will meet from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. You must attend both sessions to complete the course. The Bank of Mt. Vernon will pay all fees for this class. Please register by June 8.

1998. Light refreshments will be served. Call 256-514 to register for this life-saving course.

Ashland Lodge #640 meeting

Ashland Lodge #640 will meet Saturday, June 13 at 7:30 p.m. to discuss the sale of old lodge and building of a new one.

Home Repair Program

Home Repair Program is again being offered by LEAP. Please drop by or call to receive an application. 453-9800.

First Annual

Kiwanis Club Picnic
Thursday, May 28th 6 to 8 p.m., all Builders Club and Key Club members and their parents and Kiwanis Club members are invited to the First Annual Club Picnic. It will be held at Renfro Valley at CAP - Shelter House on top of hill. (Signs will be posted.)

LEAP Annual Meeting

Come to a time of celebration. Bring family and friends to the LEAP annual meeting being held at the led shed at the CAP Family Life Center on May 30, 12 to 5 p.m. Bring a covered dish. Refreshments available.

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to help raise funds. Rockcastle County needs an animal shelter. Call Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets, Inc. Officers for information: Terry Lunce - 758-9202, Heather Brown - 758-9284 or Sue Boshart at 256-0252.

Food, Family & Fun

Food, Family & Fun will be taught at the Extension Office on May 28th at 1 p.m. This FREE class will feature ways to make family meals and snacks both fun and nutritious. Call 256-2403 for more information.

Kids Create

Kids Create, a FREE lesson for parents, teachers, VBS teachers, Sunday School teachers and daycare providers, will be taught at the Extension Office on May 28th from 7 to 8 p.m. Get plenty of ideas on educational and fun projects! Call 256-2403 for more information.

R.A.A.P. Yard Sale

We're sorry - due to unforeseen circumstances, "Pretty Boy" Brown, will not be available for the yard sale at R.A.A.P.'s Yard Sale, June 6th, next to Hardee's, Renfro Valley. We will be having Face Painting (.50 - \$1.00 per face) starting at 9 a.m.

Face Painting

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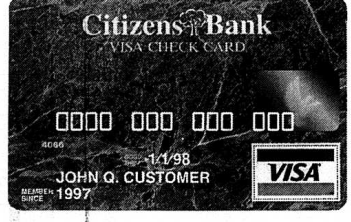
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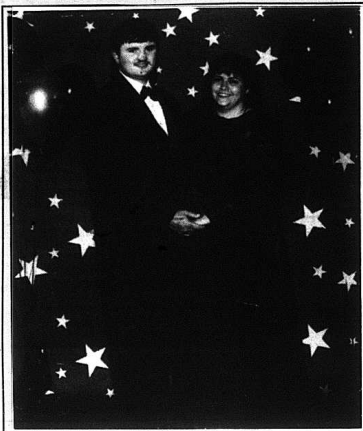
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Martin - Isaacs

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Martin would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Brandy Lea to Brian Stacy Isaacs, son of Russell and Bonita Isaacs of Berea. The couple will exchange vows on May 31, 1998 at 2 p.m. at the Three Links Christian Church. All friends and relatives are invited to attend. A reception will follow.

Quail News

By Vivian Owens

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walls and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Nicely had lunch at McDonald's on Sunday then visited their friends at the Sowder Nursing Home in Broadhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stephens of Louisville spent the night with Mrs. Ruby Taylor.

Mrs. Mae Bullock, sister of Arthur McKinney, has suffered a stroke. She is wished a speedy recovery. Our prayers are with her.

Mrs. Carolyn Jean McKinney is slowly improving.

Mrs. Gladys Jones of Tennessee spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Don Stevens and visited Mrs. Jewel Albright.

Mrs. and Mrs. Estil J. Owens of Ohio spent Saturday night with their mother, Mrs. Vivian Owens.

Mr. Roy Brown has returned home from the hospital where he had back surgery and is slowly improving. He is wished a speedy recovery.

Adams Limer of Louisville visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Preszel Brown and his great grandmothers, Mrs. Eva Arney.

Mrs. Rose Mary Peters of Tennessee visited her sister, Bonnie and

Pretzel Brown over the weekend.

Curtis Bullock spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Bullock and Kristy.

Kendall Mink celebrated his graduation at the home of his maw, Mrs. Zelma Hayes. Those to help celebrate were his maw, Tommy Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tracy and Angie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bullen, Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitaker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hayes, Donnie Hayes and family, Lewis "Gus" Whitaker, Mrs. Evelyn Mink, Bro. and Mrs. Ed Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whitaker and Miss Ashley Fontgomery.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Zelma Hayes and Tommy were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brock and Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Gabbard and boys.

Memorial Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rogers were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godbey, Mr. and Mrs. Cleston Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Sowder, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Hefferman and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kersey and Zachary, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lawson and Jacob, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Todd and Jeffrey and Mr. and Mrs. Rusy Blevins.

Carolina attending the Coca-Cola 600 NASCAR auto race.

A birthday dinner was held on Sunday at the home of Don and Norieita Thompson honoring Ricky Thompson's 41st birthday and Chase Thompson's 7th birthday. Mrs. Lynn Goff of Florence spent

the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Goff and children and Kevin Goff.

Jr. Bradley of Louisville spent some time on Saturday with Gilbert and Olla Burton. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barker of Mason, Ohio.

Mt. Vernon Personals

By Marie McKinney
Memorial weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKinney and granddaughter, Mrs. Jeff McKinney and children Steven, Jack and Stacy, all of Reading, Ohio; also their daughter, Mrs. Sharon Lovins and grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Lovins of Berea, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lovins of Livingston and great-granddaughter, Samantha Macy and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovins, Jr., and great grandson, Dalton Blake and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Vaught of Woodstock. Mrs. Lavada Graves visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hayes on Monday.

Library News

By Geraldine Robbins



Once again I am helping out the American Heart Association with the Cardiac Arrest. Only this time I am not in danger of being arrested but some of our staff members are asking for donations to help them meet their goal. Betty, Pam and Carolyn need your help. Actually, this is all for fun, but the cause is very real. Heart Attacks are one of the major killers in this country and even in our own county. Almost every week we read of someone dying from a massive heart attack. Please help these girls out with a generous donation.

The used books are all gone, but there may be some fiction books for sale later. We will let you know when these are available. Thanks to all those who bought some of our discarded books.

Our thanks also go out to the Kiwanis Club and especially one of the members, Ms. Murray, who did the actual purchasing of the toys for the preschool children that use the library. Library's are not all about books as you will discover when you come into our library. We have a section for the small children to play in while the mothers or the person that brings them in look for books or take advantage of our other services. There is a large number of books available for the preschool children but we feel that playthings are also necessary for them.

Don't forget the Summer Reading Program that will be beginning next week on the bookmobile and June 15th at the library. You will be getting more information on the theme and etc. each week.

Some new books you might enjoy are: For our science fiction readers, FREEDOM'S CHALLENGE by Anne McCaffrey. Kris Biomoon has come a long way since the day alien space ships scooped her up in a slave raid. She has fallen in love with

the gentle Zainal, despite his being of the same race as the Gatteni slavers, and has worked by his side to turn the uninhabited world where they were dumped into a home. The thousands of abandoned slaves have succeeded- they have done far more than just survive. Now Kris has a house of sorts, a child whom she adores, and a respected place in the community. But she still feels a soldier's duty and escape and rejoin the struggle. Will she succeed in her efforts or will she remain with her lover?

MURDER ON THE PROWL by Rita Mae Brown & Sneaky Pie Brown. As the principal of St. Elizabeth's, an exclusive private school that caters to Crozet, Virginia's best families, Roscoe Fletcher has proven himself to be a highly effective and vastly popular administrator. So when his obituary appears in the local paper, everyone in town is upset. Yet nothing compares to the shock they feel when they discover that Roscoe Fletcher isn't dead at all. Someone has stooped to putting a phony obituary in the newspaper. But is it a sick joke or a sinister warning? Only Ms. Murphy, the canny target, can sense the pure malice behind the act. And when a second false obit appears, this time of a Hollywood has-been who is Roscoe Fletcher's best friend, Mrs. Murphy invites her friends, the corgi Toe Tucker and fat cat, Pewter, to do a bit of sleuthing.

It takes a cat to write the purr-fect mystery! AMERICAN COUNTRY from the Architecture & Design Library. American country style is a distinctive blend of local craftsmanship, traditional accents, and exuberant personal expression. This beautiful photographed volume offers inspiration and inspiration for decorating your home with American country flair.

Farm News

By: Tom Mills
County Extension Agent for Agriculture

Cut Large Round Bale Hay Losses



Decisions now on where and how large round bales of hay are stored will determine how much and of what quality this winter's feed supply will be. One should look at the financial consideration for using round bales as by measuring hay losses.

Studies on the weathering effects of hay stored in different ways show some interesting facts. A round bale that is 4.5 feet in diameter and 4 feet wide occupies a total volume of 64 cubic feet. Even though 4 inches is only 7% of the bale diameter, a weathered layer 4 inches deep over the entire surface of the bale, including ends, would contain 39% of the total package volume. Even a layer that was only 2 inches deep over the surface would occupy 23% of the bale volume. Losses on the ends of exposed round bales do not penetrate as far into the bale as on the outer circumference of the bale. When losses on the ends of the bales are disregarded, a 4 inch deep layer contains 28% of the total bale volume. Since the ratio of surface area to volume decreases with increasing bale size, larger round bales should have smaller storage losses on a percentage basis. With these facts in mind, what can be done to save hay?

Whenever possible, store hay inside. Better quality hay and alfalfa hays should be stored inside first. Long stem fescue will bale tighter and shed water better. Bale storage sites should be well drained. Any method such as crushed stone, poles, tires, and pallets which will keep round bales off the ground will prevent damage from ground water. And don't forget the obvious. Store hay so that weeds and trees do not prevent good air movement for drying. Bale storage areas located under trees or allowed to grow up in woods will have even higher losses than reported earlier. New bale tarps are on the market that allow large stacks of hay to be covered. Special pockets allow pipes and ropes to secure the sides to prevent wind damage. Farmers find, with care, that bale tarps last up to 5 years and store hay just as well as barns. One might look at hay loss like a mowing machine or rake that left 25% to 30% of the hay in your field. Most farmers would not stand for a shoddy job, but accept large bale storage losses as unpreventable.

What's New In The World of Clothing & Textiles

By: Hazel Jackson
County Extension Agent for Home Economics



• New Fiber - The first new fiber category introduced in 30 years, lycocel is made from wood-pulp. It's related to rayon and acetate, but has characteristics similar to cotton. Lycocel is environmentally friendly.

• Naturally Colored Cottons are now being produced (Gotts) direct. Naturally grown colored cotton is environmentally friendly and available in six natural colors from green to clay. Colors intensify with laundering rather than fading.

• Some new wool garments are featuring moth-resistant characteristics built into the fiber. More and more wool is being used in year around clothing. Check out some of your better brands of ready-to-wear!

• Changes in Clothing Care Labels - a major shift is underway. Words on care labels are being replaced by symbols. Manufacturers will be required to use symbols beginning January, 1999. Consumers take heed!

• Ladies, do you wear a size 12 or larger garment? The plus-size apparel market is growing by leaps and bounds. Approximately six out

of 10 women wear a size 12 or larger (plus-size) garment. The apparel industry is taking notice. It'ds there are more than 2,000 vendors compared to 200 five years ago.

• Home sewing is not dying! Technology and new products abound. Some machines are very high-tech and expensive! On the other hand, they can duplicate anything in ready-to-wear. There is now more creative sewing but less for necessity. According to research, who sews? A person who works, lives a busy life, is logical and intelligent! If you are interested in a home sewing-related business, there is a great demand for persons who can fit patterns and alter garments. Persons with skills and interest in machine embroidery, creative stitching and home decor (draperies, slipcovers, etc.) can also find ready business opportunities.

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Friday, May 29th
Bible Baptist Church
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Time off from everything—homework. Teachers. School food. And time to enjoy the heat. Or is it?

Sometimes the most intense heat isn't from the sun—it's from temptation. What do you use for "sin-screen"? Find out as we go beyond the bracelet and find out What Jesus Would Do with a WWJD Rockettown Summer Vacation Celebration!

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Bring your friends and sign up now while there's still time. You won't want to miss the excitement and adventure of **Passport to the Holy Land!**

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Place: FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Age: PRE-SCHOOL thru 6TH GRADE
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8 oz. **3/\$2**
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Vlasic Hamburger Dills
32 oz. **1⁷⁹**
Ultra Sunlight Dish Liquid
28 oz. **1⁸⁹**
Kraft Cheez Whiz 16 oz. **2⁹⁹**
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Prices Eff. May 28-June 2

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Totino Pizza Rolls 7.5 oz. **3/\$4**
Snuggle Fabric Sheets 40 ct. **2¹⁹**
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Napkins
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Vienna Sausage
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DelMonte
Ketchup
40 oz. **1⁷⁹**

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Pepperidge Farm Layer Cakes
17 oz. **2/\$4**
Pepperidge Farm Garlic Bread
11 oz. **1⁹⁹**
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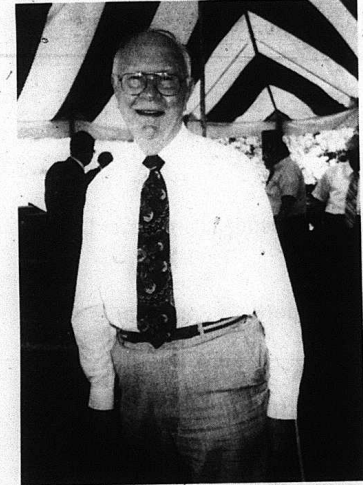
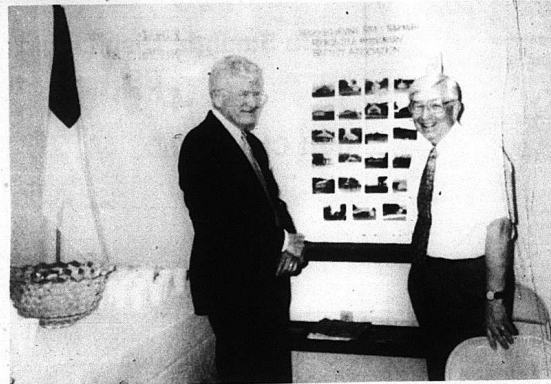
3 lb. or more
Fresh Ground Beef . . . lb. **.89**

Whole Sirloin Tip Roast 1⁵⁹ lb.	Boneless Chuck Roast 1¹⁹ lb.	Boneless Chuck Steak lb. 1³⁹
Sirloin Tip Steak lb. 1⁷⁹	Platter Bacon lb. 1²⁹	

Fresh Produce

Bananas lb. **.39**
Idaho Potatoes 10 lb. bag **1⁷⁹**
Red or Yellow Apples
3 lb. bag **1⁵⁹**
Yellow Onions 3 lb. bag **1¹⁹**
Yellow Corn 5/ **1⁴⁹**

Baptist Association dedicates new building



The Rockcastle Association of Kentucky Baptists held a Dedication and Open House May 17th for their new building located on Hwy. 150. A large crowd attended the ceremony. In the above, middle photo, is Dr. Jack Bruce, right, Director of Missions in Rockcastle County and Jim Hawkins, Executive Associate for the Kentucky Baptist Convention. At left, Dr. D.M. Aldridge, former Director of Missions in Rockcastle County, former president of Clear Creek Baptist Bible College and presently Church Extension and Seminary Extension Consultant for the Kentucky Baptist Convention attended the festivities.



Nelson Leonard, manager of post office operations, recently presented Kenneth Wayne and Virginia Vanzant, of Orlando, the Eagle Spirit Award for their service to highway contract carriers. They have carried mail for 21 1/2 years in HC 63 Orlando. From left are the Vanzants, Mr. Leonard and Melody Salyer, postmaster.



Corps of Discovery '98



Corps of Discovery group setting up puppets

JROTC Corps of Discovery planning in final stage

By Sahlena Sebastian
Reprinted from the April/May issue of The Rocket.

If you haven't made any plans for this summer, maybe you had better get started.

As for a group of 20 JROTC cadets, they have been planning all year for a tour of the western part of the United States when school is out.

Called the Corps of Discovery, the students, accompanied by SGM Keith Taylor and his wife, Jenny Taylor, will be spending seventeen days camping and hiking in historic sites.

Their plans is to loosely follow the route of Lewis and Clark explored by traveling along the Missouri River from St. Louis to Chamberlain, South Dakota, near the Sioux Indians attempted to turn back the original expedition.

From Chamberlain, they will turn directly west and head for the Badlands of South Dakota where they will hike eight to ten miles cross-country with no trails to follow, using map reading and land navigation skills they have learned in class.

They will also spend at least one night out of the prairie and participate in a guided nature hike conducted by Department of the Interior Rangers.

From the Badlands, they will travel to the Blackhills where they will spend several days visiting points of interest such as Mt. Rushmore, Crazy Horse Monument and Custer State Park. They also plan another hike while in this area, this time along established trails.

Leaving South Dakota, they will travel directly to Devil's Tower National Monument in Wyoming, where they will probably spend two days. From Devil's Tower, they will travel to the Little Bighorn National Battlefield in Montana, spending the night

in Bighorn Canyon.

SGM Taylor says if there is money and time, they might try to visit Yellowstone National Park.

They will also be stopping at other historical sites such as the Wagon Box Battle, Chimney Rock, the Pony Express Museum and sites along the Mormon Trail as they return home through Nebraska.

To prepare for this trip, students have been involved in route selection, budget development, and menu selection. All twenty students have recently completed adult CPR certification and will receive additional first aid training prior to departure.

Every student making the trip will be designing a travel guide to help others see the route. Cadets will be keeping a journal on the trip that later will be part of the guide.

"The whole idea for the travel guide is to help people. Like if you are planning a trip to go somewhere nice, you can look at the travel guide and see all the places we visited and maybe even take the small trail we took. It should be really beneficial to a lot of people," said SGM Taylor.

The students going on the trip

are: William Leger, Julie Burdette, Tami Taylor, Miranda Seiber, Adrian Isaacs, Kristen Cobb, New Robinson, Kenneth Begley, Joe Gigold, Chris Phillips, Joe Clark, Carolyn Griffen, Melissa Looney, Jessica Childress, Kathy Mullins, Kyle Fletcher, Robert Payne, John Abrams and Lecann Frith.

"I'm glad my students are getting to experience things like this," said SGM Taylor, who has done extensive traveling with his family in the west.

The funding for this trip is a combination of payments by students, money from a dance, sponsorship by two teachers, a School-to-Work grant, and a contribution by Mr. Ronnie Cash.

"Nobody could ask for a better group of students. They have pulled together and continue to work as a team far better than anyone could expect. Parents also continue to be extremely supportive and many have given their time to assist in our preparations and help chaperon dances to raise additional funds. The administrations also have been and continues to be very supportive," said SGM Taylor.

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LeAnn Frith, Corps of Discovery member, having CPR training.

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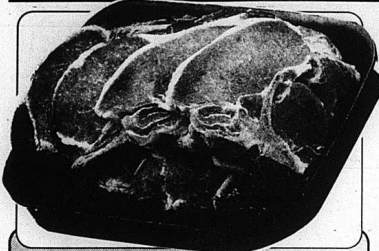
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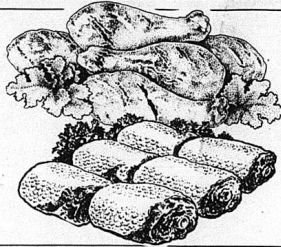
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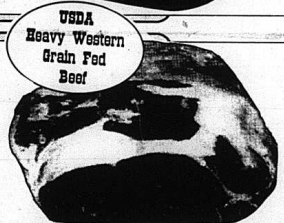


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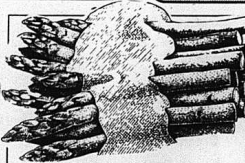
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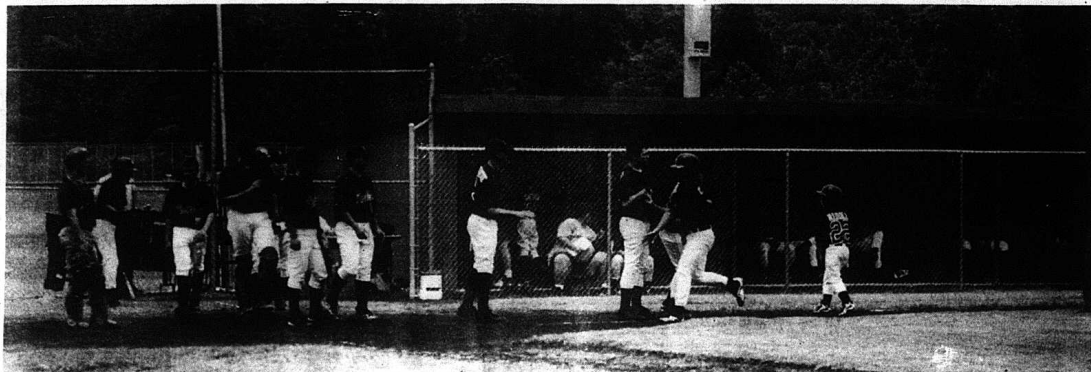
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Senior shortstop Chris Bishop is congratulated by teammates after slaming a solo home run to lead off the fifth inning in the Rockets first game of regional action against Bell Co. at Middlesboro. The homer put the Rockets up 5-2 but Bell came back, in the top of the seventh, to tie the score and the Rockets had to win it in the bottom of the seventh 6-5. The Rockets were scheduled to play Cawood Wednesday night in the semi-finals.

Rockets survive Bobcat scare; advance in regionals

The Rockets didn't play their best game of the season Tuesday in regional action at Middlesboro, but they came back in the bottom of the seventh to get the win 6-5 over a tenacious Bell Co. team.

Senior Scotty Moore only gave up three hits in his five innings of work -- two of them in the first inning -- and left the game with a 5-2 lead. Freshman Brandon Bishop came in to pitch in the top of the sixth and the first two

men reached on errors on the Rocket infield. Bishop struck out the next man. With runners at first and third, the runner at first tried to steal second, the runner from third broke for home and Chris Bishop threw the ball home to catcher Bral McNew who put the tag on for the second out.

The next man popped up in the infield. However, the Bobcats rocked Bishop in the seventh. The first ball was safe on an infield single and the second was safe on a fielders choice. The next batter doubled, putting runners at second and third with one out.

The next batter singled, making it 5-3 and the runner at third then scored on a wild pitch, making it 5-4. The clean-up batter for the Bobcats singled and wound up a second on an infield error, putting a runner at third with still just one out. At this point, Coach Ryan Riddle lifted Bishop for Andrew Cash who intentionally walked the next man to set up the force at any base. The next batter promptly singled, tying the score at five all. However, the Rockets picked up their second out when the next batter didn't execute a squeeze bunt, the runner broke from third on the wind-up and the batter pulled his bat back. McNew was waiting at home with the ball when the runner crossed the plate. Cash then got the batter on a grounder from short to first.

Of the Rockets six runs in the ball game, only one was earned -- a lead-off solo homer in the fifth by Chris

Bishop. Greg Harper and Derrick Bussell each got two RBIs and Andrew Cash got the winning RBI of the game in the bottom of the seventh, bringing in Bussell who had singled to lead off the inning.

All together, the Rockets got six runs on seven hits. Bell Co. scored five runs on eight hits. The Rockets were scheduled to play either Cawood or Knox Central at 8 p.m. Wednesday night.

Senior baseball players honored



Prior to the Rockets game with Knox Central, the senior members of the team were honored. In the above photo is Dale Green and his mother, Gonneta Jean Green.



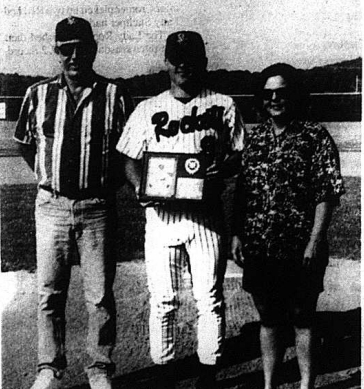
Dusty McClure and parents, Barry and Janet McClure.



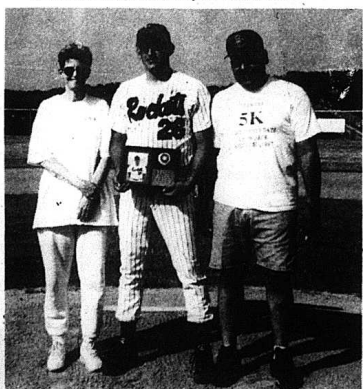
Travis Aderkin and parents, Jim and Perlina Aderkin.



Kevin Bullen and parents, Larry and Debbie Bullen.



Chris Bishop and parents, George and Jenny Bishop.



Nathan DeLeon with parents, Tony and Gail DeLeon.

Good Luck RCMS Track Team in state competition



Scotty Moore with head coach Ryan Riddle.

RCMS Conference Champion

At the annual South-Central Middle School Awards and scheduling Banquet, RCMS was crowned Overall Conference Champion for the second time in three years. The championship is based on a point system. Wins by grade eight teams earn two points, wins by grade seven teams earn one point, grade eight championships garner five points, and grade seven championships are awarded three points. The eight-school conference competes in Girl's Basketball, Boy's Basketball, Cheerleading, and Football. Member teams include Corbin, Wayne County, Somerset Mecece, North Laurel, Northern Pulaski, Rockcastle, South Laurel and Southern Palaski. RCMS earned 86 points while runner-up Corbin totaled 77 points.

The middle school Rockets were conference champions in 7th grade football, runner-up in 7th grade cheerleading, and runner-up in 8th grade football. The 7th grade girls' basketball team had an 11-3 conference record, the 7th grade boys' team was 9-5, and both the 8th grade girls' and boys' teams were 10-4 in conference play. They represented the county well.

Saddle Club News

By Bev. Rockwell
Riders will have a full slate of activities to choose from this month, rides are as follows:
June 7, Sunday - Amanda Blanton director ride. Campground. 2 p.m.
June 8, Friday - Moonlight ride. Campground. 7 p.m. (Full moon 10h)
June 6, Saturday - Club ride. Campground. 9:30 a.m.
June 7, Sunday - Amanda Blanton horse ride. Scaffold Cane Rd. 2 p.m.
June 13, Saturday - Bub Leger Wagon Ride. Blue Springs. 9:30 a.m. B.O.L.
June 14, Sunday - Harris Burton director ride. Campground. 2 p.m.
June 17, 18, 19 & 20, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday - 23rd Ann. 100 Mile Ride. 8 a.m. long. 9 a.m. short. 9:30 a.m. wagons.
June 21, Sunday - Father's Day. No ride.
June 27, Saturday - Bimbo Robinson wagon ride. Copper Creek Road, Cartersville. 9:30 a.m. B.O.L.
June 28, Sunday - Robin Anglin director ride. Bear Wallow, Central KY Wild Life Center, Bebbelham Chapel, Madison County. 2 p.m.
Anyone interested in having more information on rides or club activities contact Rocky at 256-2494. Regu-

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Girls regional runners-up in track; seven qualify for state

Rockcastle's varsity track and field teams competed at the Region 4 Class 2A meet at Cumberland College last Friday and Saturday. Friday's meet served as the preliminaries for most events, while the finals were contested on Saturday. Both boys' and girls' team competed well and had several athletes qualify for the finals.

The girls' team got off to a good start on Friday as they scored well in completed events and several girls qualified for Saturday's finals by placing in the top eight.

In the 100 meter high hurdles, freshman Theresa Chislum and Mindy Bullock ran an 18.3 and 18.9 respectively. Both qualified for the finals. In the 100 meter dash, freshman Cheyenne Carmack ran a 13.5 and ranked second going into Saturday's finals. Cheyenne also led all qualifiers in the 200 meter dash with an awesome time of 27.5, one of her best times ever. Sixth grader Sheena Swinney, also ran very well and qualified for the finals with a time of 30.7. In the 400 meter dash, Cheyenne broke her own personal record with a time of 1:02.1. She easily outdistanced all qualifiers, beating her nearest rival, last year's regional champ, by over three seconds. Seventh grader, Ashley Mink also ran a great 400 and qualified with a time of 1:12.7.

In field event competitions, junior Jenia Davidson had an awesome performance in the discus throw. She threw an amazing 97' and placed second overall, earning a spot in the state championships next weekend. Eighth grader Clarissa Hubbard also performed her best with a personal record throw of 91'2" and a fourth place finish. Both girls earned a total of 12 points in the event - a great starting point for the girls' team. In the long jump competition, freshman, Mindy Bullock, placed sixth overall with a leap of 14'5.5". Freshman teammate Rachelle Hammond finished eighth with a jump of 13'3.5". Weather conditions made it very difficult for all jumpers to perform up to capability.

In the 300 meter low hurdles, freshman, Tara Abney easily qualified for the finals with an awesome race and a personal best time of 53.5.

In relay competition, the girls' 3200 meter relay team ran a great race. The team of Brandy Reynolds, Ashley Lawson, Amy Barnes and Crystal Clark broke their own school record time by four seconds with a time of 11:06. The team narrowly missed going to state with a third place finish, the best in school history. The girls ran with a tremendous amount of heart and just missed a state championship berth. In the 400 meter relay, the team of Theresa Chislum, Mindy Bullock, Jennifer Carmack and awesome fifth grader Johnny Abney sought to qualify for the finals. The girls ran a 57.1, ranking them fourth overall and easily qualifying them for the finals.

The boys' team competed under very difficult circumstances as several members were unable to compete at the meet due to Saturday's graduation.

In the 100 meter dash, freshman Sean Smith ran a 12.6 and just missed qualifying for the finals in ninth place finish. In the 300 meter hurdles, junior Nathaniel Bullock ran a 45.6 and easily qualified for Saturday's finals. In the 200 meter dash, freshman Josh Singleton ran a 25.0 and Jon Burdette a 25.7 as both qualified for the finals.

In field event competition, junior Andrew Carrera threw very well in the shot put. He threw 38'10.5" and placed fourth overall. Senior John LaFevra threw well and placed seventh with a throw of 36'10". In the high jump competition, Josh Singleton placed ninth with a jump of 5'2". In triple jump, junior Jeremy Saylor leaped 36'6.5" and placed eighth, while teammate Michael Parsons jumped 35'0.5" and finished tenth. Again, wet weather conditions hampered the performances of all jumpers.

In relay competition, the 3200 meter relay team of Jeremy Neeley, Josh Lyons, Jeff Linville and Stewart Abney placed sixth overall with a time of 9:35.6. The 400 meter relay team of Nathaniel Bullock, Jon Burdette, Michael Parsons and Josh Singleton easily qualified for the finals with a time of 47.19.

After a day of preliminary rounds, the girls headed into Saturday's finals in third place with 19 points, while the boys were in eighth place with five points.

Saturday's finals brought about more rain for the team to endure. The girls' team began the day in a good position to make a run at the regional championships.

The 100 meter high hurdles was first on the agenda. Theresa Chislum and Mindy Bullock ran great races. Theresa placed fifth in 18.11, while Mindy placed seventh in 18.22. Next came the 100 meter dash, where one tenth of a second separated the top three girls. Cheyenne Carmack ran an excellent race and placed a close third with a time of 13.32. She missed second place by only two hundredths of a second. In the 200 meter dash, Cheyenne had a career best performance as she shattered her own school record. Cheyenne placed second overall with a time of 27.1 and earned a spot in the state championships. Sixth grader Sheena Swinney, also performed exceptionally well placing fifth with a time of 28.85. In the 400 meter dash, Cheyenne had the difficult task of dethroning regional champ, Mazy Clark of Green County. She handled that easily, defeating her by more than 3.5 seconds to earn the 400 meter regional title. Cheyenne ran a personal best time of 1:01.25, shattering her previous best time set the day before. Seventh grader Ashley Mink also looked awesome as she ran a 1:12.7 and placed eighth overall.

Saturday was the first day of distance competition. Sophomore Brandy Reynolds sought to earn a berth in the state championships, as well as to break the school record in the 800 meter run. Brandy was successful at both as she ran an awesome 2:35.78 and finished in second place. Brandy defeated heavy favorite Danielle Jeffereys from Green County last past year's regional cross-country champion. In the process, she broke the school record and earned a trip to the state championships. Also running well was eighth grader Crystal Clark who placed sixth overall with a time of 2:41.68, a personal best.

In the 1600 meter run, sixth grader Cassandra Ramsey, placed tenth with a time of 6:36 and seventh grader Amy Barnes placed 15th with a time of 7:07. In the grueling 3200 meter run, Cassandra placed 11th in 15:26.59 and seventh grader Rebekah Lyons placed 12th in 15:28.47. In the 300 meter low hurdles, Tara Abney

ran an awesome race and placed fifth overall with a time of 53.62. Tara has improved her time by over six seconds from the beginning of the season.

In field event competitions, Jenia Davidson and Clarissa Hubbard continued their dominant ways as both girls placed high in the shot put competition. Clarissa threw very well and broke her own school record with a distance of 31'7". Clarissa narrowly missed a berth at state with a third place finish. Jenia also threw extremely well. She broke her own personal record with a throw of 30'7.5" and placed fourth. Both girls performed exceptionally well at region and played a vital role in the teams' regional success. In the high jump competition, Mindy Bullock jumped well and placed sixth overall with a jump of 4'4", just slightly short of tying her all-time personal best mark of 4'6".

The triple jump competition added some excitement to the afternoon, especially since this was the first time it had been included as a state sport. Freshman Rachelle Hammond and Jennifer Carmack sought to earn spots at the state championships against some tough competition. Jennifer jumped her best all season and placed 13th overall with a jump of 27'4". Rachelle also had her best jump of the season with an incredible distance of 32'6.5". Rachelle earned a berth at state with a second place finish and missed the regional championship by only two inches. In the process, Rachelle shattered her own school record by over 2 feet.

In relay competition, the girls' teams ran very well. The 400 meter relay team of Theresa Chislum, Jennifer Carmack, Johnna Abney and Andy Bullock ran an awesome race and placed third with a time of 56.13, narrowly missing a spot at state. The 800 meter relay team of Cheyenne Carmack, Tara Abney, Rachelle Hammond and Sheena Swinney ran a tremendous race and also barely missed a chance at a state championship. The team ran an awesome time of 1:53.05 and placed third. The last relay team to have a chance was the 1600 meter relay team of Brandy Reynolds, Theresa Chislum, Rachelle Hammond and Tara Abney. Coming into the event, the girls ranked third and had a definite shot at state. At the time of the race, the girls learned that the outcome of their own day determine whether or not the team earns a regional trophy. The team ran exceptionally well and easily finished in second place with their best time of the season, 4:34.94. They also earned a spot in the state championships.

The girls finished with a total of 97 points and were only six behind Southwestern Pulaski. The team earned a very nice regional runners-up trophy. In the process, six girls qualified for state in six different events. Those included Jenia Davidson, discus; Cheyenne Carmack, 200 and 400 meter dashes; Brandy Reynolds, 800 meter run; Rachelle Hammond, triple jump and Tara Abney, 300 meter hurdles. Brandy and Rachelle, 1600 meter relay. The girls missed state qualification by one place in five other events. The girls' accomplishment was truly an awesome one considering this year's regional team had one sopho-



The Rockcastle varsity girls track team earned their first ever Region 4 runners-up title at Cumberland College last Friday and Saturday. Members of the squad are, front row, seated, from left: Theresa Chislum, Tara Abney, Sheena Swinney, Back row: Cassandra Ramsey, Crystal Clark, Johnna Abney, Cheyenne Carmack, Jennifer Carmack, Rachelle Hammond, Brandy Reynolds. (Team members not shown include: Angela Owens, Jenia Davidson, Clarissa Hubbard, Ashley Mink, Mindy Bullock, Ashley Lawson, Amy Barnes and Rebekah Lyons).

more, one junior and no seniors. The boys' team began Saturday's finals missing several key members of the team. Other members filled in

and gave it their best. In the 200 meter dash, Josh Singleton and Jon Burdette ran awesome races. Josh placed fifth with a time of

24.28 and Jon placed seventh in 24.35. In the 800 meter run, freshman, Thomas Coffey ran very well and placed tenth in 2:22.93. Freshman Jeremy Neeley, was close behind placing 11th in 2:26.22. In the 1600 meter run, sophomore Stewart Abney nearly broke the school record by the placed

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Saddle Club News

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lar business meetings are held the first Monday of each month, 7:00 p.m. at our clubhouse on Highway 1326 (old Broadhead Road) Mt. Vernon. Everyone welcome, we enjoy a pot luck supper before the meeting.

Youth League Football Camp

When: July 9-10
Time: 9 a.m. to 12 Noon
Where: Rockcastle Co. High School Practice Field
Cost: FREE
Gradest: All 1998 Youth League and Middle School
All the basic fundamentals of offense, defense, and kicking will be taught by the Rockcastle County High School Coaching Staff.
This will be a non-contact camp
T-Shirts and pizza will be provided the last day
Sign-up when you arrive on July 9 with parents.

Lady Rockets beat Wildcats; lose to Bobcats in extra innings

The Rockcastle County Lady Rockets missed a golden opportunity to advance to the regional semifinals as they lost to Bell County 9-7 in 10 innings.

The Lady Rockets kept answering the Lady Bobcats during the game but Tiffany McClure closed the door in the tenth, scoring two to take the 9-7 victory.

With the score 6-4 in the fifth, Amanda Osborne singled and scored on a sacrifice fly by Jessie Rickels while Tiffany McClure walked and scored on a wild pitch to tie the game at six.

No one scored in the seventh and Bell scored one in the top of the eighth. With their backs against the wall, the Lady Rockets again scored a run to tie the game. The run came after Amber Falin walked, Brooke Roberts sacrificed her to second and Patty Stumper singled her in.

No one scored in the ninth and Bell put two on the board in the tenth for the victory.

For the game, Amanda Osborne was 3 for 5 with two singles and one homer. Suzanne Brown was 2 for 3 with a double and single. Nikki Bullock was 1 for 4 with a single. Patty Stumper was 1 for 2 with a single.

Tiffany McClure was 1 for 4 with a double. Amber Falin was 1 for 3 with a single. Brooke Roberts was 1 for 5 with a single.

Jennifer Cromer was on the mound for the Lady Rockets as she pitched 10 innings giving up six walks and striking out four batters.

In the first round, the Lady Rockets picked up a win over Lynn Camp, 10-0.

Jennifer Cromer pitched a five inning shutout giving up only three walks and striking out eight batters. The Lady Rocket defense was equally impressive committing only one error for the game.

The Lady Rockets scored four runs in the second off four walks and singles by Brooke Roberts and Nikki Bullock.

In the third, the Lady Rockets picked up four more off a walk, Bobcat error, singles by Roberts and Bullock and a triple by Amber Falin.

They scored one in the fourth and one in the fifth off singles by Suzanne Brown, Amber Falin and a triple by Amanda Osborne.

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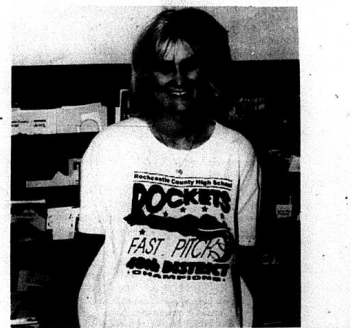
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nifer Cromer picked up two RBI and Patty Stumper had one. The Lady Rockets finished their fast-pitch season with a 17-2 record.



Nikki Bullock played her last game for the Lady Rockets softball team at Williamsburg Tuesday night. Nikki is the daughter of Doug and Jeeri Bullock and the only senior on the team.

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Recently, elementary students from the county participated in Safety Day at RCHS. FFA members William Leger, Jason Whicker and John Dyehouse help give safety tips for riding a tractor.

Safety Day held at RCHS

Recently the Rockcastle High School A.G. class held a safety day, petting zoo, and a greenhouse tour for the grade schoolers at Mt. Vernon and Broadhead Elementary. Students involved in the FFA brought farm animals and helped go through other safety procedures you need to follow while on a farm.

FFA members Matthew Hayes and Roy Adams brought dairy cattle and a horse for the kids to enjoy. Another member, Zach Gentry brought what seemed to be one of the favorites among many people, his Holland Lop cased rabbit he calls Buttercup. The other favorite was a dog who enjoyed fetching brought in by Travis Wynn.

To cover the safety of farm machinery, William Leger, John

Dyehouse and Jason Whicker are shown in the photo explaining the importance of tractor safety precautions that should be used each time you're around a tractor or farm. Though the children may not use these procedures all the time, they may be more aware of the hazards surrounding tractors.

Among other guests that day were Mr. John McQuary, the county's 4-H Agent and Mr. Brian Bussell a volunteer fire-fighter from Broadhead.

Mr. McQuary was gracious enough to come set up a bicycle safety course and showed the students safe riding procedures. They would take turns riding through the course and Mr. McQuary would show them the things

they were and were not doing correctly. This was good because kids don't realize the many dangers involved when riding a bicycle.

What Mr. Bussell came to do was inform the children the hazards of different fires including those concerning electrical cords. He demonstrated some different things and kept the grade schoolers' attention by asking them questions and getting them involved.

When reflecting back on that day I think it is safe to say that everything went well. The children learned a lot and got to have fun while they were doing it. Even though they may not follow all the safety precautions, we hope that maybe they will be more aware of the dangers.

Rockcastle County student chosen for Farm Bureau scholarship

A recent University of Kentucky graduate from Mount Vernon has been chosen to receive a \$1,000 college scholarship grant administered through the Kentucky Farm Bureau Education Foundation.

Marilyn Coffey, 22, a 1993 graduate of Rockcastle County High School, was selected to receive the Louis F. Ison Memorial Scholarship for those pursuing graduate degrees in agriculture-related majors at the University of Kentucky. Ison was president of Kentucky Farm Bureau.

Coffey received her B.S. Degree in Agriculture Engineering last December and plans to pursue a Masters Degree in that field. She had a 3.6 grade point average in her undergraduate studies, with a 3.8 in her major. She has been a research fellow at Virginia Tech University and currently is doing graduate research at UK. She plans to obtain her Masters Degree in 1999.

This is the 45th year that Kentucky Farm Bureau has distributed college aid money to Kentucky stu-

dents via statewide and county programs. These grants have gone to more than 400 youngsters from throughout the state.

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I want to thank the people of the Second District for their vote and support of me in my recent successful campaign for Constable.

Delno McClure

Pd. for by Delno McClure

RCHS Cadets print and run

The RCHS JROTC Cadets have kept extremely busy all year - parking at home football games, presenting the Colors at football and basketball games, helping winterize low income housing, marching in parades and numerous other community and school activities.

They end the school year on as busy a note as they started. As the result of grants obtained from several sources, the Cadets have published a booklet entitled *Let's We Forget - The Military Veterans of Rockcastle County* and will be exploring the western states in a project named *The Corps of Discovery*.

The book was the culmination of the Spring Semester study of American Military History. Working closely with Mr. Allen Pensol, the students developed a detailed questionnaire,

contacted local veterans, and produced the book in a limited printing of only 100 copies. The book has met with general approval from several veterans. According to Mr. John Bullen, who visited the classes several times and assisted the Cadets in collecting their information, the book is a reflection of the quality work high school students accomplish at RCHS. The remaining copies of the book will be sold until the supply is exhausted. Anyone interested in obtaining a copy of the book should contact the JROTC Department at 256-4816.

While many students rest over the Summer, Sergeant Major Taylor will be escorting 19 Cadets on a study tour of historical sites in the western states. Cadets will visit battlefields, national parks, and historic sites in

their study of American history. Each student will keep a journal; at the end of the trip, a formal book will be prepared and presented to the high school library.

Concluding the summer "vacation" period, returning Cadets will complete a 3-day Cadet Leaders Course to prepare them for the new school year. The Cadets will complete a challenging course designed to improve leadership and decision-making skills and to foster improved teamwork between Cadets and faculty. The course is being hosted and supported by 1st Battalion, 149th Infantry (Mechanized), Kentucky Army National Guard units in London and Barbourville.

Girls runners-up in regional

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ninth with a time of 5:09.48. Record holder Jeremy Neeley placed 12th in 5:26.03. In the 3200 meter run, Stewart placed 13th in 12:31.28. Sixth grader Andrew Nelson ran a gutsy race, placing 14th overall with a time of 13:19.41.

In a field event competition, freshman Eric Denney placed 13th overall in the discus throw with a toss of 82'. The best performance of the finals for the boys' team came from Jeremy Saylor in the long jump competition.

Defending his regional title from last year, Jeremy jumped an awesome 19'3" and placed second, only 2.5" from first place. Jeremy qualifies for the state championships for the second year in a row. Michael Parsons placed 11th overall with a jump of 14'11".

In the 400 meter relay finals, the team of Michael Parsons, Nathaniel Bullock, Josh Singleton and Jon Burdette ran well and placed fifth with a time of 48.02. In the 1600 meter relay, the team of Jeremy Saylor, Jeff Linville, Josh Lyons and Thomas Coffey placed sixth overall in 3:57.93.

The boys finished in eighth place overall with 18 total points. The team would have finished much higher with every member present. Joining the girls who qualified for state is Jeremy Saylor, who makes his second straight appearance in the long jump competition.

Both boys' and girls' teams represented their county exceedingly well at the regional finals. The girls remain poised to make a better attempt this season at their ultimate goal - a state championship. The state championships will be held on Friday, May 29 and Saturday, May 30 at the University of Kentucky's outdoor track. The meet begins at 4:30 on both days. GOOD LUCK, ROCKCASTLE!

Dear Friends,

My family and I would like to thank those of you who voted for and/or supported me throughout this primary election.

Sincerely,

James E. Miller

Pd. for by James Miller

Thank You!

I want to thank all the voters in Rockcastle County for your trust in me to serve a third term as your Sheriff.

A win like this means a great deal to me. It's a great encouragement to know that so many people are paying attention and are aware of what is going on in the county. To me, this was your way of letting me know that you do want and approve of law enforcement.

A Sheriff's job is not an easy one by any means; it takes a lot of courage and a desire to help the people to seek a job like this. But, with the hope and encouragement you have given me, it does make it more worthwhile for me to continue to do everything I can do to make Rockcastle County as safe as it can be.

Thanks again for all the support you gave me by re-electing me and to all the people who have called and come by to see me in person to congratulate me. I will certainly remember who chose me to be Sheriff and return the trust by continuing to be an honest, dependable Sheriff -- one that you can trust.

I look forward to serving honestly and efficiently as your Sheriff for the next four years and I remain,

Sincerely,

Sheriff Shirley Smith

Pd. for by Shirley Smith

1998 - 9th Annual Lady Rocket Basketball Camp

When: Mon., June 1st to Thur., June 4th

Where: MVES Gym

Time: Grades K-4 2:00-4:30 and Grades 5-8 5:00-7:30

Who: Any girl from the age of 5 to 13

Cost: There will be a \$20 camp fee for first child and \$10 for each additional child in the family. Full/Partial Scholarships may be provided by your school's FRC/YSC if need is indicated.

**Each camper will receive individualized instruction in all phases of basketball. Careful attention is given to developing all aspects of the game including team work, hustle, and good sportsmanship. Campers will be matched carefully according to size and age and will compete in various competitions.

**Each camp who attends camp all 4 days will receive a free t-shirt.

**Concessions will be sold daily during break. T-shirts and shorts will also be sold. If your child brings money, there will be an adult who will keep it for her.

**Please drop your daughter off at the back door and pick her up promptly each day.

**Campers should wear t-shirt, shorts, socks, and tennis shoes. NO jewelry.

**Trophies will be awarded for Camper of the Week, 3 on 3 champs, and 5 on 5 champs.

CAMP APPLICATION

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Parents Name _____

I give my daughter _____ permission to participate in the Lady Rocket Basketball Camp being held by the 1997 13th Regional Girls Basketball Champions and coaching staff and will not hold Mt. Vernon Elementary or Rockcastle County High School or any staff members or camp workers responsible for any accident or injury to my daughter.

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Date _____

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Any questions please see Coach Noble

From Our Files

10 years ago this week...

The Renfro Valley Barn Dance headed toward a half century of country music entertainment. John Lair opened Renfro Valley on November 4, 1939.

The Rockcastle Hospital won three statewide awards for its display of their facility. The designers of the display were Bobby Bailey, Director of Public Relations; Gary Asher, Materials Manager and Richard Broadus, Respiratory Therapist.

Two Mt. Vernon postal employees received Certificate of Award for one year perfect attendance. Presentations to Karen Noe and Annette Faulkner, were made by Postmaster James O. Smith.

15 years ago this week... Mark Lovell, son of Mrs. Dorothy Lovell of Mt. Vernon and Renee Wolfe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Wolfe, of Mt. Vernon were recipients of the annual DAR Citizenship Award.

Kevin Smith and Sherry Mink of the seventh grade, were crowned king and queen of Roundstone Elementary's May Festival.

Phillip Jacobs and Evelyn Burkhardt, both of Mt. Vernon, caught approximately 45 pounds of crappie from Renfro lake.

20 years ago this week... Two local boys appeared before Judge Calvin Aker on charges of damaging the Elmwood Cemetery. The damage cost \$910 to repair, according to police estimates. The boys were under 10 years of age.

Bonnie Holcomb became Mt. Vernon's first lady cop.

At the Athletic Banquet held at the high school, Darlene Bishop, Mary Ann Bassell, Kathi Payne, Lynelle Hammons, Connie Hunt, Gaylen Phelps and JoAnn Riddle, received their letter for cheerleading.

Miss Shirley Ballinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Ballinger of Orlando, graduated from Bryant and Stratton Business College in Louisville.

Brenda Faye Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Miller of Pine Hill, celebrated her fourth birthday.

From Long Ago
Submitted by Ray Evans
The following material first appeared in the *Mount Vernon Signal* on December 22, 1905. It was recently transcribed from microfilm of that issue of the *Signal*. One of my

interest genealogy friends, Mrs. Cindy Duran Crawford, of Batavia, Ohio loaned me some of her University of Kentucky King Library microfilms of the *Signal*. I thought it would be a nice gesture to share these gleaming with the *Signal's* present readers. Perhaps you will be able to determine where your ancestors migrated to.

Rockcastle People Making Good Citizens in Many States

Information That Will Prove Interesting

Mr. James Maret has put himself to the trouble to hunt up and give the following information as to where former Rockcastle people live. Those S. Miller is in the fruit growing business in Santa Rosa, California. M. Clell Williams druggist, Somerset, H.C. "Boss" Hasty, druggist, Skidmore, MO. John Egert Lewis, farming in Texas. Mrs. Alice Lewis McClauglin is located in Portland, Oregon. Robert L. Brooks is in Southern California. W.F. McClary is looking after fruit groves near Deland, Florida. Leander, J.E. and Budett Houk are in the mercantile business in Jamestown, Indiana. Jasper Francisco is farming near Wishart, MO. Boone, Jerome and Dew Francisco are also Missouri farmers. Joseph Joplin, Jr. farming near Joplin, MO. Henderson Jones, jeweler, located in Montana. Joseph Jones, farmer, Villa Grove, Illinois.

Amp French, is farming in Oklahoma. Rev. Eugene Sneedness after spending many years as a missionary from the Christian Church to Japan located in Lexington soon two years or more, since Sam Ward, Sr. is telegraphing in the West. Willie B. Meyers, druggist, Pineville. John Meyers, builder, Williamsburg, Brack Graves, railroad in Corbin. Horace Newcomb, (1872) colored, bossing a lively stable in Louisville. Henry Bales is located in Washington. A.W. Soward is type setting in Cincinnati. Frank, James and Bennett Chestnut are farming near Santo, TX. Miss Mollie Parker is filling a stenographer position in Laurel, MS. John V. McKenize is farming near Kingsville, James L. White lives in Stanford and is in the oil business. Ap Taylor is section foreman at Hazard Patch. Oscar Bryant is telegraphing

at Hazel Patch. Elisha Terrel, when last heard of, a few years since, was running a big sheep ranch in Nevada. W.M. Weber lives in Chattanooga. Dr. Harry Weber is in Nevada. J.L. Joplin (who married Miss Matilda Albright) lives in Nevada. M.O. J.L. Joplin is living near Harrodsburg.

Only two persons Jasper Francisco of Wischart, MO. and Will O. Jones, U.S. Navy New York. The other names and address, shown here, were those we remembered or gathered from other sources. There are many names omitted from the list for the reason we were unable to get the desired information.

Phil said, "We buy what we deserve, not what we can afford." Buying better the means to pay is what gets many families into financial hot water. What once was luxuries are now seen as necessities, especially since the neighbors already have one.

The Family Room

By Dr. Don Whitehead

Family, Work and Money Cause Major Stress
"I'm all stressed out!" Barbara lamented to her counselor. "I feel like I'm on a treadmill, and I can't get off."

A human being can only withstand so much pressure (stress). When his stress level rises beyond that point, he feels, as Barbara does, "stressed out."

Stress is cumulative, that is stress in one area of life adds to the total stress level. A person can withstand stress in family life if work is OK. Or she can take the stress at work if family is OK, but stress in both places is more than most can handle.

The biggest source of stress is not work but family life. More and more corporations and businesses are recognizing this and providing some sort of counseling for their employees who are going through a time of intense family stress. Marital problems and other family relationship difficulties affect the ability to be productive at work.

Relationships with other family members are the most common sources of stress. These relationships can be with immediate or extended family. Problems can be with spouse, children, in-laws, siblings, parents, uncles and aunts. The summer can intensify this stress as family members, some of whom don't like each other, spend vacation time together.

Work stress also usually centers around relationships. How often has someone said, "I love my work, but it's the people I can't stand."

Money is another important source of stress. For some families income is so low that it is a continual worry. For others the reasons are different: as

Learn to relax. Listen to music, take a walk, sit quietly in a rocking chair, exercise or take a hot bath. Give yourself time and permission to rest. Even God rested on the seventh day!

1. Have realistic goals for what your family can afford. Don't worry about keeping up with the Joneses.

2. Improve your relationship skills. Take advantage of learning opportunities: classes at work or church, consultation with a counselor or your minister. If you have the courage, ask your spouse what you could do to improve your skill in relating to people.

3. Ask your doctor or counselor if you might be depressed. For those

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Obituaries

Robert Abney

Robert Abney, 91, of Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, died Saturday, May 23, 1998 at the Rockcastle Hospital in Mt. Vernon. He was born on July 22, 1906, the son of Larkin and Allie McGuire Abney. He was Rockcastle County Deputy Sheriff from 1958-1962 and from 1980-1982, a farmer and a member of the Roundstone Baptist Church.

Survivors are three sons, Robert D. Abney and wife, Gisela of Lexington, William David Abney of Mt. Vernon and Donald Ray Abney, and wife, Peggy of Florence; two daughters, Jean Saylor and husband, Estil of Lynn, Indiana and Mary McCollum and husband, Alonzo of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Dorothy Abney of Mt. Vernon and 16 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

Services were Tuesday, May 26, at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Arnold Pingleton officiating. Burial was in the Inghetta Cemetery.

pallbearers were Mike Abney, Greg Abney, Cameron Abney, Brandon Abney, Robert Saylor, Bradley Saylor and Joseph Saylor.

Hiatt Mink

Hiatt L. Mink, 85, of Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon, died Monday, May 23, 1998 at the Sowder Nursing Home in Brodhead. He was born in Rockcastle County on September 9, 1912, the son of Hiram and Maggie Fields Mink. He was a farmer and a member of the Walnut Grove Church of Christ. Survivors are his wife, of sixty-five years, Olive Mink of Mt. Vernon; four sons, Clinton and Sandy Mink and Carter and Barbara Mink, both of Somerset and Gernie Mink and Gordon and Sue Mink, both of Mt. Vernon; three daughters, Marcelline and Arnold Vossler of Reading, Ohio, Jeanne and Boone Cromer of Mt. Vernon and Willene Trent and Doug of Evendale, Ohio; one half brother,

Bradley Mink of Somerset and two half sisters, Kate Mink of Mt. Vernon and Bee Mink of Livingston and 13 grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and four step-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one brother, Zade Mink; one sister, Mary Mink and one half sister.

Services were Wednesday, May 27, at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Zade McClure officiating. Burial was in the High Dry Cemetery.

pallbearers were Greg Broyles, Bentley Cromer, Julian Cromer, Chris Mink, Jeff Mink and Scott Mink.

Clell Pittman

Clell W. Pittman, 78, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, May 21, 1998 at his residence. He was born October 14, 1919 in Rockcastle County, the son of John and Rose Kirby Pittman. He was a retired farmer and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors are his wife, Mary Frances Pittman of Mt. Vernon; four sons, Stanley Pittman of Pine Hill, Norman Pittman of Sand Springs, Carl Pittman of Mt. Vernon and Ricky Pittman of Lexington; three step sons, Frankie Prickett, Charlie Prickett and David Prickett, all of Mt. Vernon; five step daughters, Hazel Nicholas of Newport, Vickie Prickett of Richmond, Dorothy Pugh of Hamilton, Ohio, Grace Prickett of Las Vegas, Nevada and Tina Morris of Independence; one sister, Virgie Denny of Brodhead and several grandchildren. He was preceded in death by four children.

Services were Sunday, May 24, at Dowell & Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Bobby Bradley officiating. Burial was in the Pittman Cemetery.

Jerry McClure

Jerry McClure, 47, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, May 21, 1998 at the Rockcastle Hospital after a long illness. He was born on October 8, 1950

in Rockcastle County, the son of William and Rena McClure. He worked for the Tecumseh Products Company in Somerset, and was a member of the Blue Springs Church of Christ.

Survivors besides his parents are, one son, Jeremy Wayne McClure of Cincinnati; seven brothers, Gerald McClure of Goodlettsville, Tennessee, Bobby McClure of Berea, Roger, Wayne, Dennis, Tim and Randy McClure, all of Mt. Vernon; five sisters, Patsy Mink of Hamilton, Ohio, Betty Thomas, Aline Dean, Judy Brock and Sheryl Miller, all of Mt. Vernon.

Services were Saturday, May 23, at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Zade McClure officiating. Burial was in the High Dry Cemetery.

pallbearers were Dean McClure, Shane Doan, Troy Cromer, Alan Lankhair, Robbie Thomas and Matthew McClure.

Contributions suggested to Hospice of Kentucky River, 210 St. George St., Richmond, KY 40475.

Luree Carter

Luree Bowman Carter, 81, of Tompkinsville, died Saturday, May 23, 1998 at the Monroe Co. Medical Center in Tompkinsville. She was born in Monroe County on March 6, 1917, the daughter of Benjamin D. and Beulah Headrick Bowman. She was a homemaker, a 4-H leader, a Master Homemaker from 1977 to 1981, a member of the Rockledge Homemakers Club, a member of the First Baptist Church of Tompkinsville and a charter member of the Rockledge Baptist Church.

Survivors are three sons, Daniel Denton Carter and Jack Douglas Carter, both of Hopkinsville and Benjamin Ed Carter of Elizabethtown; two daughters, Jeanne Harlan of Tompkinsville and Sandy Dowell of Mt. Vernon and 10 grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and four step great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Daniel Spencer Carter and two brothers, Jack Bowman and Billy Bowman.

Services were Tuesday, May 26, at the First Baptist Church of Tompkinsville. Burial was in the Skaggs Creek Cemetery in Tompkinsville.

Arrangements were made by the Stroda Funeral Home in Tompkinsville.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society of the American Heart Association.

This obituary courtesy of Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Judith Thornberry

Judith Mary Thornberry, 59, of the Rockcastle Hospital Respiratory Care Center, died Friday, May 22, 1998. She was born in Grand Rapids, Michigan on June 16, 1938, the daughter of Joseph J. and Genevieve Peters Kapilla. She was a social worker for the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Survivors are her father, Joseph J. Kapilla of Louisville; one son, Robert Mark Ball of San Diego, California; one brother, Joseph E. Kapilla of Syracuse, New York and one sister, Mary Beth Sanford of Gilbert, Illinois.

There were no services. Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Bentley Rowe

Bentley I. Rowe, 70, of Greenwood, Indiana and formerly of Rockcastle County died Saturday, May 23, 1998 at the Greenwood Convalescent Center. He was born in Rockcastle County on July 2, 1927, the son of Everett and Cora Mink Rowe. He was a greenskeeper for golf courses and a member of the Greenwood, Indiana VFW Post #5864.

He is survived by a cousin, Eddie Rowe of Indianapolis.

Services were Wednesday, May 27, 1998 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Maynard Head officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Evelyn Cottengim

Evelyn Cottengim, 75, of Gosport, Indiana and formerly of Brodhead, died Friday, May 22, 1998 at the Blooming Hospital. She was born on April 26, 1923 in Everts, the daughter of the late Furman and Jettye Foley Jones. She was a homemaker and a member of the Brodhead Baptist Church.

Survivors are two sons, Frank Cottengim of Gosport and Gerald

Cottengim of Indianapolis; three sisters, Veda Falin of Columbus, Indiana, Ruth Hicks of Indianapolis, Indiana and Sandra Bowling of Rising Sun, Indiana and three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, John David Cottengim.

Card of Thanks

Julia Edith Dailey
The family of Julia E. Dailey would like to express our deepest thanks and gratitude to all those who have shown us their kindness, support and love in the loss of a mother, grandmother and great grandmother. A special thanks to all who visited, brought food, and sent cards, flowers. Your graciousness means more than mere words can express.

Services were Monday, May 25, 1998 at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Mark Whickler officiating. Burial was in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

We would also like to thank Bro. Kenton Parkey, Clethid Thacker, Dowell and Martin Funeral Home and the very special singing by Brother Ron Roberts and Paula, Bonnie.

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96 Toyota Camry DX	Loaded! Gray, 4 dr, auto, pwpl, air bag, 28K miles \$14995
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98 Saab 900 Turbo	Maroon, 2 dr, auto, air, pst, cass, local trade \$4995
94 Pontiac Sunbird	Blue, 4 dr, auto, air, pst, cassette \$5995
94 Chevy Cavalier	Teal, 4 dr, auto, air, tilt, air, pm, 66K miles \$6995
95 Hyundai Scoupla	Teal, 2 dr, auto, air, pst, cass, alloy wheels, 47K mi \$6995
95 Hyundai Accent	Green, 2 door, auto, air, power steering, 60K miles \$6995
92 Chevy Camaro	Loaded! Red, 2 dr, V6, air, tilt, cruise, 35K mi \$7995
94 Ford Taurus	Loaded! Gray, 4 dr, V6, air bag, pwpl, 65K miles \$7995
95 Chevy Corsica	Loaded! Gray, 4 dr, V6, air bag, pwpl, 57K miles \$7995
95 Buick Wildcat	Blue, 4 dr, auto, air, tilt, pst, cass, 45K miles \$9995
95 Chevy Cavalier	Gold, 2 door, 2 dr, auto, air, air bag, cass \$9995
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96 Nissan 200 SE	Teal, 2 dr, auto, air bag, pwpl, cass, 32K miles \$10995
96 Ford Contour	Blue, 4 dr, auto, pwpl, air bag, cass, 40K miles \$10995
97 Fiat Prizm	White, 4 dr, auto, air bag, cass, 7K miles \$11995
95 Chevy Camaro Z-28	65,000, 2 door, auto, air, tilt, cassette \$12995
96 Ford Taurus Wagon	Loaded! Gray, 4 dr, V6, air bag, pwpl, 54K miles \$12995
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96 Chevy Cavalier	Black, 4 dr, auto, air, air bag, cass, warranty, 8K miles \$13995
95 Honda Accord EX Wagon	Loaded! Green, auto, pwpl, CD, warranty, 46K miles \$15995
97 Chrysler Solaring Convertible	Loaded! Black, 2 dr, V6, pwpl, cass, tilt, cruise \$18995
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Our Lord is trying to get us to see an important point of how things are to be in the kingdom of God. In Christ Jesus we are all brethren, we are on an equal standing before God. This is the reason why religious titles of distinction, that exalt some above others are wrong. Jesus said we are not to call men "Father" (in a religious use) or "Rabbi" or "Master". Folks use the terms, "Reverend" or "Holy Reverend" or "Holy Right Reverend" or "Doctor" or "Pastor" as religious titles. But the principles of Matt. 23 forbid such vanity and nonsense. Some of these same people will wear special garments, robes, collars turned backwards, which make them "men of the cloth" But those who love what is right, and the precious teachings of the Jesus, will refuse and reject all such things as these. There is no clergy-laity distinction that is taught in much denominationalism. For as Jesus said, "and all ye are brethren."

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Local farm family trying to get their birds on the market

By Janet Patton

Tammy Cornett and her brother, Trenton White, want to sell you a chicken. But unless you're willing to buy it alive, they probably can't.

"That's because the state won't allow farmers to sell meat from livestock killed on the farm."

But with the pastured poultry method they learned through Heifer Project International, Cornett and White are pretty sure they can raise a better bird than typical supermarket poultry - one that's healthier and tastier. Like most of Kentucky's small farmers, however, they can't find a legal way to get it on the market.

"When it comes to getting the food to the marketplace... we want to make sure everything's safe," said Guy Delius, an administrator with the food safety branch of the Kentucky Department for Public Health. "We want to make sure that if someone markets poultry or cashif or ostrich or whatever, that it's been looked at."

Delius said it's fine to buy a live chicken and take it to a custom processor, if you can find one.

"There are lots of growers that we work with in the extension program that can grow the best meat in the world, but they're locked out of the market," said Mc Stone, Kentucky State University farm manager. He and Partners for Family Farms and other advocates are working with the state to find a way to address safety concerns.

They're hoping to find small meat

lockers that can be adapted to process chickens and get the facilities certified to sell to restaurants and consumers. Stone said.

There are several custom meat processors in Kentucky that can kill and cut up a steer, a lamb, or a pig, "but they don't have a USDA inspector and they are not set up to deal with chickens or fish or turkey or shrimp," Stone said.

She Weant of Partners for Family Farms points out that it could take a lot of money to retrofit a processing plant for chickens.

"This is one of the things that stands in the way of the small farmers getting to the market," Weant said.

Meat cut as a custom processor can't be sold in portions smaller than a quarter of an animal; meat cut as a USDA-inspected locker can't be sold in portions of any size. But there are only a few Kentucky cities - Lexington, Bardonia, Princeton - that have a USDA inspection center.

"We're in the process of coming up with an alternative that can get products grown in Kentucky out in the market a little easier than what they've been going through," said Delius, the public health official.

Yesterday, he discussed food safety regulations, with about 75 small producers at a KSU workshop. "We want to be as accommodating as possible, but ultimately, our responsibility is to make the food supply safe."

Regulations don't stand in the way of farmers in all states. The USDA can exempt from inspection small farmers filling perhaps only

20,000 birds or a few head of cattle or sheep a year.

About half the states include the exemption in their own laws; most of the other half let the USDA handle all inspections, so the exemption applies. But in a few states, including Kentucky, health departments supply their own rules that close the loophole.

"In some states, agricultural officials recognize the exemption, but health departments don't," said Janie Hipp of the National Center for Agriculture Law. "It's either a lack of understanding or an unwillingness to acknowledge that this kind of market exists."

It's a market that Heifer Project International has been showing small-scale farmers how to tap into. The Heifer Project offers training, technical assistance and livestock to rural families and communities.

May 16th, at a Heifer Project seminar on the 50-acre Dogwood Knob Farm near Mt. Vernon, Cornett and White showed 50 farmers from Kentucky, Texas, Florida, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee how they might bring small-scale fryer production in their communities.

"That's what the whole concept is - you're raising something you can provide for your community," Cornett said. "We wanted find a way to blend traditional farming and native habitat."

With a three-year grant from the federal Sustainable Agriculture Research and Educational program, Heifer Project picked 24 Kentuck-

ians like White who qualified as limited-resource farmers - those who gross \$20,000 or less - to get pastured-poultry training, 100 buffers and all the equipment for sanitary processing.

"They help you get started and, in return, you help somebody else get started," White said. In addition to training others, each farmer will pay for the chickens to get another started.

White and Cornett were passing on what they still can't legally use themselves.

"It's a wonderful system for small farmers, but we can't even talk about it with them," Stone said. "If we can get it started, it will take off. I know it will."

Through Heifer Project, Cornett and White learned how to raise the chickens - Cornish-White Rock crosses - in pasture pens.

The pens, which are usually 10-

by-10 but can be smaller, are moved around a pasture daily, so the birds eat a more natural free-range diet. The pens protect the birds from predators, and nitrogen from the pens helps fertilize the pasture, bringing it into hay faster.

At eight to nine weeks, the chickens would be ready to be slaughtered and sold. The birds would be sold for \$6-7, comparable to supermarket prices, but the consumer has to pay for custom processing.

"I get calls almost every week from people interested in doing this," Hipp said. "This is going to be part of a diversified small farmers operation. Farmers say, 'I like this, I know I can't get very big, but I don't want to wind up with a huge fine.'"

And some might. They say they will dress the chickens anyway, because their customers want them. That worries health officials.

"If everybody slaughtered on their farms, we'd be influencing a lot of consumers," said Mark Straw, director of Value-Added Livestock, Poultry and Forage Promotion for the state. "While most farmers would do it right, we'd have no control over it."

Heifer Project International Partners for Family Farms, KSU and the University of Kentucky are working with the state health officials on ways to meet their requirements, perhaps by providing a mobile processing unit or arranging federal inspectors, said Steve Muntz of Mount Sterling, Appalachia Field Representative for Heifer Project. Muntz conducted the seminar.

"This is basically something that could be a good cottage industry if we could get the regulations changed," Muntz said.

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Renner and Sons earns strong reputation for skilled masonry

It was one of Wendell Renner's proudest moments. It was April 20, 1992, the day after Thoroughbred Park in downtown Lexington opened.

His firm, Renner & Sons Stone, Inc., had built the 400-foot stone wall at the park, so Renner paid special attention to a newspaper article about the opening. There in black and white was a simple photograph that summed up his entire career and the vocation he had trained his sons to carry on: "I tell you the most unbelievable thing to me is the stone wall," read the article, quoting Matt Tierney of Lexington. "It is totally plumb. The guy who built this is an absolute master."

To Wendell Renner and his three sons who work in the family business, stone work is not just how they make their living. Each stone wall, fireplace or mailbox they construct represents the family name so anything less than the very best isn't acceptable.

The top of every stone wall or

column is smooth and level. Every stone is carefully picked so that it fits with its predecessor to maintain a certain pattern. Corners are sharp and the structures are solid. That's the reputation the Renner name has and they all agree that's the reputation it will keep.

"I would literally kill myself on a job for a compliment," Wendell Renner said. "It may not sound like good business sense but I'd rather take the time on a job and not make as much money on it than to put up a wall that looks like it was just thrown up there to save time and make more money."

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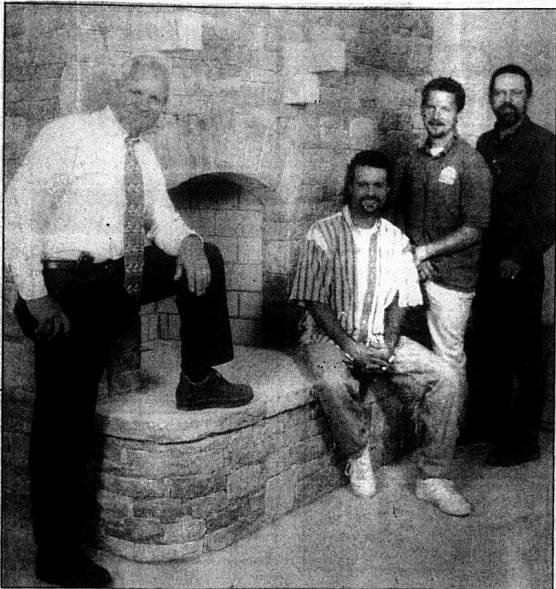
Renner & Sons is best known in the area for its stone walls and entrances that are regal welcomes into subdivisions, apartment complexes, parks and public buildings. Entrances to the University of Kentucky Arboretum and the UK Coldstream Research Campus are some of the firm's most visible work. The stone that

graces the exterior of the Danville Country Club and the McConnell Springs Visitor Center off Old Frankfort Pike is testament to their talents. The new stone entrance the firm is building at Park Place Apartments on Tates Creek Road is attracting a lot of attention.

But a good portion of Renner & Sons' stone work can't be seen by passersby. Majestic stone fireplaces in residences have also become their trademarks. Those who have seen the Handland Swim & Racquet Club's fireplace have an idea of how memorable the company's work can be.

"His (Renner's) fireplaces are unmistakable. I don't think I've met anybody who has seen one of Renner's fireplaces that didn't say something favorable about it," said Don Dalton, owner of Dalton Built Homes and president of the Home Builders Association of Lexington. "Anytime I've got some stone work that needs to be done awfully well, he's the guy I call."

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Wendell Renner, left, and his sons, Tony, Danny and J.R. make their home in Rockcastle County. They are well known throughout central Kentucky for their excellent stone work. Wendell Renner has been working with stone since the age of 11.



Tammy Cornett builds coops like the one in the background to raise chickens her family eats. She hopes to eventually

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County Statistics

Deeds Recorded

Clarence and Louise Carter, real property located in Sunset Place Subdivision, to Clinton E. and Stephanie Hammack. Tax 7.00.
 Genald Miracle and others, real property located on waters of Rockcastle River, to George Bryant. Tax 13.00.
 Wilma Henson, real property lo-

cated in Rockcastle County, to Lisa Blanton. Tax 40.00.
 James Tommy and Doris Gail Adams, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Ralph Neal and Angela Yvonne Hines. Tax 25.00.
 George and Rita McCown, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Lonnie and Jennifer Thomason. Tax 4.00.
 Ray Hysinger, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jim Hysinger and Clifford Fry. No tax.
 T&C, Inc., real property located in Rockcastle County, to Kenneth

and Martha Carter. Tax 22.00.
 Aldene Harris and others, real property located on Alex Napier Road, to Aldene Harris. No tax.
 Grace Brummett, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Donnie and Rebecca Adams. Tax 3.00.
 Lonnie and Dianna Sue Philbeck, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Patricia Kirby. Tax 2.50.
 Michael Phelps and Tracie Phelps, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Michael Phelps. No tax.
 Gene and Jean Noe, real property located in Maple Grove, to Barry and Tammy Blanton. Tax 4.50.
 Stephen and Jill Ponder, real prop-

erty located in Chesnut Heights Subdivision, to Bret and Paula Poynter. Tax 63.00.
 Stephen Ponder and others, real property located in Chesnut Heights Subdivision, to Gary and Cindy Johnson and Kris and Joyce Ponder. Tax 6.00.
 Master Commissioners Deed for real property located in Rockcastle County, to Peoples Bank and Trust Company of Madison County. Tax 150.00.
 Fernin Feliciano, real property located in Rockcastle County, to George, Jr. and Peggy Sue Wilson. Tax 6.00.
 Dean H. Barron, real property located on Hwy. 70 to Lillie M. Barron. No tax.
 Benton and Theresa Bullock, real property located in Dusty Trails Subdivision, to James and Judy Kidwell. Tax 4.00.
 Shelia and Dallas Severance, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Shelia and Dallas Severance. No tax.
 Timothy B. and Pam Harding, real property located in Scaffold Cane, to William C. and Patricia A. Kirby. Tax 92.50.
 Grace Bowling, real property located on Hwy. 2549 to Scottie Cotton and Crystal Carpenter. Tax 6.00.
 William Douglas and Tena Lorene Pigg, real property located on Big

Marriage Licenses

Hill, to Cecil and Bonnie Ingram. Tax 20.00.
 Master Commissioners Deed for real property located in Rockcastle County, to Dennis and Donna Doan. Tax 10.00.
 Angela Leigh Adkins, 22, Frankfort, student, to Kevin Lucas Mullins, 24, Berea, teacher. May 22, 1998.
 Norma Ruth Martin, 42, Crab Orchard, unemployed, to Benjamin Wesley Barger, Jr., 41, Crab Orchard, forklift operator. May 23, 1998.
 Sherry Lynn Pugh, 19, Brodhead, MVP, to Garrett Dean Tompkins, 24, Brodhead, Donaldson's. May 21, 1998.
 Eva Mae James, 34, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Lewis Calvin Denney, 34, Mt. Vernon, mechanic. May 18, 1998.

Dale Stewart, petition for dissolution of marriage. 98-CI-00101.
 Commonwealth of Kentucky, Ex

Rel Edna Renner vs. Wendell Sizemore, complaint for medical support. 98-CI-00102.

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor:
 On May 15-16, over 50 people from Florida, Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee attended an educational conference at our farm. We spent the weekend discussing the benefits of raising pasture poultry. The weekend would not have been such a success without the support of so many Rockcastle County citizens.
 We would like to say a big thank you to Yvonne Sowder of Golden Kentucky for satisfying our sweet tooth. Thank you to William Bullen of Farm Bureau for personally delivering soda pops and hats to keep our heads cool. Barbara Bennett of Exquisite Catering cooked up our pasture poultry. She made some divine dumplings and fine fried chicken. The Cedar Rapids County Club gave us a cool location Friday night for supper. Our slaughter crew leader, Steve Muntz of Heifer Project International, kept the crew on the straight and narrow. Thank you to the slaughter crew: Betty and Robert Lear, Harold Cooper, Judy and Tom Wilson and Trent White. The clean-up crew consisted of Carl Ann and Charlie White and Tom Doolley. A final Thank you to Super 8 for providing everyone a clean, comfortable place to spend the night.
 All the participants remarked about the hospitality of the people they came in contact with in our county. Thank you to everyone that helped and anyone I may have failed to mention.
 Tammy Cornett
 Dog Wood Knob Farm

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District Civil Suits

Russell Bullock vs. Loretta Smith, forcible detainer complaint. 98-C-00033.
 First American Cash Advance vs. Jerry Saylor, \$260.00 claimed due on note. 98-C-00054.

Circuit Civil Suits

Virginia E. Murphy vs. Bernice Miller, administratrix of Estate of Billy Gene Miller, \$7,050.00 claimed due for non-payment of child support. 98-CI-00100.
 Rebecca Russell Stewart vs. Travis

Attention Class of 1978

On Saturday, August 1, 1998 at 6:30 p.m., the class of 1978 will be holding our **20 YEAR CLASS REUNION** at the Red Barn in Renfro Valley. The cost will be \$15 per person.

If you and your spouse wish to attend, please send a check or money order payable to Pam Durham at PO Box 1362: Mt. Vernon, Ky 40456 or Gaylen Settles at PO Box 665 Mt. Vernon, Ky 40456

For more information you may call Pam at 606-256-4140, Gaylen at 606-758-9719, Marlene at 606-256-3398, or Sharon at 606-624-1222.

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Thank You,
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.79 lb.

Produce
 Large Baking Potatoes
.49 lb.

Produce
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.49 ea.

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Pretty As A Picture! 1994 28x40 mobile home situated on a wooded lot on Freedom School Road is the ideal home for starting a family or starting some quiet years. It offers 3 bedrooms and 2 baths and is priced at only \$39,900. M104



Believe It Or Not...Just Like New! If you're looking for this completely remodeled brick home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large den, formal living room, and kitchen with all appliances included. Waiting for your personal touch and priced at \$74,900. M1085




Fieldstone Ranch Style Home is perfectly located on Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, It's location and a great bargain you're looking for. Home offers 3 bedrooms, bath, living room, kitchen, formal dining room and washer/dryer hookup plus a carport and detached garage. All this on a large lot priced at \$65,000. M1029



Everything You've Been Looking For is here in this brick home situated on 2 1/2 acres in the Woodstock section of Putaski County. Features entrance foyer, living room, dining, kitchen, family room, 3 bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths plus a partially finished basement and 2 car garage. At \$76,500, you can't afford to pass this one up! M1035



Country Home in the Calloway Section of Rockcastle County is a beautiful home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen/dining comb., central heat, city water, over range and dishwasher and also a small outdoor. Located on Cromer Subdivision Road off Highway 461, it's priced at \$34,900. Call today for more information. M1073




Like Being Out? Enjoy the tranquil beauty of this three bedroom brick home on three acres, more or less. This home also offers living, dining/kitchen comb., 1 1/2 baths, wall to wall carpet, heat/pump, partial fence and 2 car garage. All of this is priced just right at \$66,500. M1097




Do What You Like with this 2 story home with 2 bedrooms, bath, and dining/kitchen comb. The entire upstairs is one large open room that could be made into a separate apartment. The home has new carpet and is priced at \$34,900. M1036.




Quality and Value Merge Perfectly in this completely remodeled 3 bedroom home with bath, living/dining comb., fireplace, carpet, storage. **Sale Pending** baseboard heat and tile are just a few of the extras that are sure to meet your standards. Located on Shirley Street M1050




Tomorrow Belongs To You! If you're interested in Living, We're Offering Atmosphere and Serenity in This New Home! This brand new 1 1/2 brick/vinyl home offers 2,000 sq. feet of living area with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, and formal dining room. Added features include: heat pump and 2 car garage. Located on a large lot in the New Hunter Ridge Subdivision, the home for your future is priced at \$109,900. M1069



Time To Act! Good property at a good price is hard to find, but this mobile home in the middle of 2.55 acres is one great example. This home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen/dining comb., central heat, city water, over range and dishwasher and also a small outdoor. Located on Cromer Subdivision Road off Highway 461, it's priced at \$34,900. Call today for more information. M1073



Get Back To Nature on 40 acres of bottom land with an excellent 32x40 barn with shed, and live in the comfort of this modern brick home with 1500 sq. ft. of living area. Offers 3 bedrooms, bath, living, dining/kitchen comb, plus washer/dryer hookup, electric baseboard heat and storm wells. Located in the Indian Creek section of Jackson County and priced at \$75,000. M960a



Sheer Luxury! Endless hours and months were spent in planning and subsequent construction. This first-class home features 3 bedrooms, modern kitchen and formal dining room as well as living/family room with cut stone fireplace and wavy Chateau' throughout. Nestled on 4 beautiful acres with in-ground pool and 3 car garage. Reduced to \$149,900. Owner will consider trade-in smaller property. M984



Lowell Lane, Mt. Vernon! This aluminum/vinyl siding home offers living, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, bath and utility room. Other amenities include full basement, city water and sewer, porch, gas heat, and washer/dryer hookup. Conveniently located and priced at \$36,900. Call today. M1037



What Everyone is Talking About!! It's small acreage with a nice home that you want, consider this 1997 doublewide with 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, living room and dining room, kitchen and utility room, large deck and porch. Located on one acre lot in the Brandy section of Putaski County. Reduced to \$66,900. M1068



Get Ready For Compliments! Everyone will congratulate you on your purchase of this brick/vinyl home with 1780 sq. ft. of living area. Home features entrance foyer, living room, kitchen with breakfast area, family room, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, and utility room. Other amenities include heat pump, 2 car garage & deck. This home is situated at \$88,900 and is located in the Hunter Ridge Subdivision. M1072



2-For-1 Investment! 1 1/2 story home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, heat pump, fireplace, washer/dryer hookup and detached 2 car garage. Plus a 12x60 mobile home with 2 bedrooms and a bath. A golden opportunity located on Highway 150, Brodhead! Priced at \$72,500. M1052



Creative Thinking has made this home excitingly different. This 2 story Massard-style rooted home has 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, den, living room, dining room and kitchen. Situated on 8 1/2 acres in the Poplar Grove section, it's perfect for quiet country living. Priced at only \$63,500. M1038



Care To Indulge In The Finer Things Of Life? Such as living in this deluxe new vinyl siding home with over 2,000 sq. ft. of living area. This 2-story home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen and dining area on the first floor. The ground floor has a bedroom, bath, recreation room and 1 1/2 car garage. Quality construction on a large lot. M1075



Treat Yourself! to happier living on this 83 acre dairy farm perfectly located on Control Road in Putaski County. A 6 room frame house, 36x60 tobacco barn with 20 ft. shed, small stock barn and 4 station mill parlor with equipment make this the farm you've been waiting for. Includes city water, 5 ponds, and 2,800 lbs. tobacco allotment. Drastically reduced to \$114,900. M1081



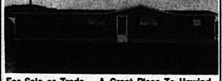
One Of The Areas Finest Homes! Enjoy the summer evening on the large deck. This brick/vinyl home has entrance hall, living, dining, kitchen, family room, master bedroom plus 2 bedrooms, bath and utility room on the first floor. The second floor has a large bedroom room over the garage. **Sale Pending** The basement has a sun room, recreation room, and unfinished bedroom, bath and utility room. Situated on 2 acres and located on the Rockcastle/Lincoln County line. M1094



Ready For A Bargain! \$46,500 buys a great 1 1/2 story home with family room, kitchen, living room, 2 bedrooms & bath downstairs, and 2 bedrooms upstairs. If you don't need to make a few repairs, this is the home for you. M1074



Her's Depity and Hospitality! Traditional 2 story home in Brodhead **Sale Pending** as well as 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, full garage and concrete drive make this immaculate home irresistible. M1076




For Sale or Trade - A Great Place To Unwind whether you enjoy an open air, a book by the fire or warm luxurious bath. This home has it all including: 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace and a garden spot plus much more. Call Danetta for further details. Priced at \$67,500. M1079



Something Very Special! This 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brand new home offers a large living room, large dining/kitchen, utility room, will will carpet and plenty of closets. This conveniently located home can be yours for \$69,900. M1086




Lots of Space, Lots of Options in this two story vinyl siding home! The first floor offers living room, dining/kitchen comb., 2 bedrooms, bath and utility on the first floor; the second floor has 2 bedrooms and there are 2 bedrooms, bath and utility room in the basement which could be separate living quarters. Located in the Chestnut Ridge section, it's all priced for \$89,900. Call Sonja for more details. M1105.



All New Subdivision! If you're looking for a large country lot for a mobile home, look no further. Paved streets, underground utilities and city water in the Sunside Estates Subdivision. Financing available. Priced at \$7,900 each. M1046



Can't Beat This! Home under construction in the Woodland Place Subdivision - hurry and you can choose the colors! Features entry hall, living, family room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, utility and recreation room, heat pump, caprol and central air, all situated on a 1/2 acre lot and priced at \$67,500. M1011



For Sale or Trade: Fisherman's Dream! If a file on the lake is what you dream of, this is the home for you! This three story home offers five bedrooms, three baths, large dining/kitchen combo plus much more overlooking the lake. Priced at \$84,900. Call Danetta to make your appointment. Owner will sell or trade. M1100



A New Beginning on the Old Brodhead Road! **Sale Pending** with 2 bedrooms, 2 baths. M1096



A Gorgeous Home on a Perfect Lot is right here in this three bedroom, 2 bath home. Located in the Mareburg Section, this one story vinyl siding home offers 1600 sq. ft. of living area and also features entry hall, living room, dining/kitchen combination, utility room and a wrap-around porch. Priced at \$92,500. M1106

FUTURE AUCTIONS

Twilight Absolute Auction of The City of Brodhead's 25 Lots and Tracts
Fri., May 29th at 6:30 p.m.
Just off Highway 150B, Brodhead

Twilight Auction of McCrory Co. Hart Bank's House, Lot & Garage
Friday, May 29th at 6:30 p.m.
McCrory County

Absolute Auction of Mr. Robert Henderson's House, Lot & Personal Property
Sat., May 30th at 10 a.m.
Shady Lane, Somerset

Absolute Auction of Randy and Tammy Livrinie's House, 2 acres & personal property
Saturday, May 30th at 1:30 p.m.
Flat Gap Road near Berea

Absolute Auction of Mr. Carl Boone's Modular Home and 1 acre
Saturday, May 30 at 1:30 p.m.
Ron Dugger Road in Laurel County

Absolute Auction of the late Donald and Glenna Barker's House and Lot in Pulaski County
Sat., May 30 at 2:30 p.m.

Absolute Auction of the late Mr. Ralph L. Raney, Jr.'s Personal Property
Friday, June 5th, at 10:00 a.m.
Pulaski County

Twilight Absolute Auction of Mr. and Mrs. George Jones' Mobile Home
Friday, June 5th at 6:30 p.m.
Stanford, Ky.

Absolute Auction of Rabon & Beverly Warren's Mobile Home & Lot
Saturday, June 6th at 10:00 a.m.
Windsor Community of Casey Co.

Absolute Auction of Mr. Patterson's House, Lot & Personal Property
Saturday, June 6th at 1:30 p.m.
Stophville, Pulaski County

COMMERCIAL

20 Acres of prime commercial 1/75 property at Rentro Valley. Great visibility from I-75, city water and sewer and good terrain with tremendous possibilities. May be your opportunity at \$200,000. M538

Main Street, Mt. Vernon! Conveniently located in town, this commercial property offers a downtown for you to do with as you please as well as rental income with 3 apartments total! Priced at \$45,900. M875

One acre lot with commercial or multi-family potential located near the 461 bypass. Priced at only \$24,900. M874

Great Country Business! Located at Willalla, this established business includes store equipment and 2 apartments overhead. Real estate and equipment all priced at \$69,900 plus inventory. M1042

Rentro Valley! Commercial Lot with frontage on US 25. Lot measures 81'x61' on an acre with water and sewer in the midst of commercial potential. Priced at \$220,000. M1046

Established Sporting Goods Business in South Central Kentucky with catalog and mail order service. Owner wanting to retire. Call for details. M1056

Commercial property, Rentro Valley, Kentucky. 10 acres city water and sewer. Development Potential. Owner will consider dividing into smaller tracts. Priced at \$79,500. M1057

FARMS

200 acres located in the Mackey Bend section of Knox County. The property offers lots of road frontage, great view and mostly cleared. Ideal for single family home or commercial development. Priced at \$225,000. M1047

LOTS

Four Large 1/2 Acre Lots in the Woodland Place Subdivision waiting for your creativity! Restricted, paved streets, and city water. Priced at \$8,000 each. M709

4 Lots - 1/4 Acre Each! Take your pick, located in the Woodland Place Subdivision with paved street and city water. Hurry - only \$9,900 per lot! M710

Evergreen Estates Subdivision! If it's a small and affordable lot in a good neighborhood that you're looking for, here it is! Approx. 5,510 of an acre with blacktop street and city water. Owner will finance and consider trade. Priced at \$7,900. M834

In Simple Words these are 2 ideal restricted lots for building. Located in the Rolling Hills Subdivision, they range in size from 7/10 to 8/10 of an acre. At \$7,000 each, take your pick and start building! M837

Building lots ranging from 49'x100 acre to 78'x100 of an acre. City water available and some restrictions apply. Located on Lawless Center Road. Priced from \$5,500 to \$6,500 each. M1001

Four Large Country Lots in the Willalla section! Some restrictions apply. Perfect for the home you've been wanting to build. At only \$5,700 per lot, get started today! M1049.

AGENTS

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DANNY R. FORD 256-4446
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Henry Cox receives Kiwanis Spiritual Aims Award

It was Margaret Mead who was quoted as saying, "Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has." In the 1950's there was such a group of thoughtful, dedicated Christian Church members who shared a vision of a Christian Camp that would be located close to our community that could be used by several neighboring churches for summer camps and various Christian activities. The land was found and donated and the enormous work began and out of that dream the Kentucky Christian Assembly was born. Located high, very high on top of a beautiful hill just outside of Broedhead this camp lies surrounded with nature and an outstanding view. For the past 30 years this serene spot has been host to many children and adults whose lives were forever changed by this mountain-top experience.

There are many people too numerous to mention whose spiritual devotion to this place has kept this dream alive and functioning. Today, we would like to honor one of these people, Henry Cox who for the past 24 years has been on the board of the Kentucky Christian Assembly and has played a vital part in the upkeep of this important facility. Henry was also instrumental in getting a much needed water treatment system installed and a line run from Broedhead to the camp. For those who have experienced the drive up to the camp, you will appreciate the difficulty in

the endeavor. In addition, he also promoted and helped install phone lines to the different buildings at the camp. Recently he help add storm shelters for the boys' and girls' dorms. Henry, like most people who work in the background, does not like to take credit for his part of the success at KCA as he acknowledges and is well aware of the tremendous amount of work that constantly goes on there by others.

In addition to his work at KCA, Henry has also been on the Elmwood Cemetery Board for the past 15 years. He helped set up a perpetual care fund that has collected over \$100,000.00. Hopefully, this generous fund and the interest it will generate will help the cemetery mowed

and cared for indefinitely.

Henry has been a deacon at the Mt. Vernon Christian Church for the past 35 years. He is a veteran of World War II. He is a 50 year member of the Masonic Lodge and a 50 year member of the shriners.

Although he has no children of his own, he has joined together with other folks and has used his special talents to create a better world for children of others. He is a special person and a wonderful example of a person who has retired from his job but has not retired from the world around him as he continues to work and support. He is very deserving of this Spiritual Aims Award.

(It wouldn't hurt to mention, he is also a real good cook.)



Gertha Mink presents Henry Cox with the Spiritual Aims Award

"Be of good cheer for I believe God, that it shall be even as it was told me."
— Acts 27:25

"Birds"

(Cont. from B1)

organically by the state, this could be one way out of the tobacco settlement squabble.

"They're pushing the farmers to find a new way to make a living, get off tobacco," Cornett said. "We've already got organic customer base. I can't think of a cleaner, healthier way to eat than right off the farm."

Birds Slaughtered, Processed in Complete Home Operation

Like Tammy Cornett and her husband and many other farmers today, Trenton White has another job. But he knows exactly what he wants: "To be able to live as a farmer, to make a living as a farmer, to be self-sustaining," White, 26, said.

About two months after seeing pastured poultry demonstrated in Jackson, he slaughtered his first chickens.

"It's a wonderful home processing method," said Steve Muntz of Heifer Project International.

The birds are put head-first into a metal cone with their feet tied. The jugular is cut and the blood drained out.

The blood, along with all the other left-over parts of the chicken go into a compost bin with wood chips that absorb almost all the odor.

The bird is dipped into water 145-150 degrees Fahrenheit to scald it and loosen the feathers, which are pulled off by a rubber-tentacle plucker.

"You have to watch the wings," White said. "And you have to hold them so that they will fly right out there."

After preliminary processing during which the head and feet are removed, the bird is gutted, with the livers, gizzards and lungs removed under running water.

After being checked for pin feathers, the bird goes right into a cooling tank of ice water.

"You want it to go from body temperature to 40 degrees as quickly as possible," White said.

Supporters Say Market Is Out There

Janie Hipp of the National Center for Agriculture Research in Fayetteville, Arkansas, is pretty sure that Tammy Cornett and Trenton White would have no trouble selling their chickens if it weren't for the Kentucky Department of Public Health.

"I get calls almost every week from people interested in this market," Hipp said. "These folks do not constitute a large enough market to threaten anybody, but there is a market for this kind of bird for folks with compromised immune systems, for instance."

Marge Durham of Rockhold in Whitley County and Sheila Baker of Ansville in Jackson County have found a customer base for their birds.

"I sell mine through word of mouth," Durham said. "Word of mouth is right: 'After somebody eats one, they say, 'It tastes like Grandma's,'" said Cornett. "That's about all it takes."

Betty Lear of Broedhead is going to try this method and incorporate it into organic farming.

"We're basically a homestead farm," Lear said. She's always exploring new farm ideas. "This year we're going to raise blueberries, too."

Although the pastured-poultry program is designed for small farms, its success can be big. Pien Yep has tapped into a demand in his own area. The demand in the Cambodian community around Inman, South Carolina, in Spartanburg County is greater than he can fill.

Yep was one of three farmers to try pastured poultry last year; eight more this year came for training to the International Heifer Project Seminar at Dogwood Knob Farm near Mt. Vernon on May 16th.

"The whole community comes out to help him slaughter and dress the chickens," said Eddie Agbojian, Yep's county agent. "Then they pay him \$7 a chicken." That amounts to at least 50 percent profit.

Finding the customer is not difficult, Agbojian said. "Most people are health conscious." In fact, many farmers also sell to health food or organic produce stores.

On his farm in Salley, South Carolina, William R. Thompson, already raises chickens for eggs.

But with pastured poultry, he can get a return in two months instead of the six it takes hens to start laying. "Variety is one of the things I'm trying to provide along with diversity," Thompson said. "I know at home here's a demand."

But Shirley Lewis isn't sure that the program would work in her small community of Safford, Alabama, where she has 10 acres in Marengo County. Lewis also already has lay-

ing hens, and if the store that buys eggs is willing to sell her chickens, she and her neighbor, Moses Dupress will try it after Lewis graduates from Concordia College in Selma in September.

"They tried (pastured poultry) in the area before, but it didn't take," Lewis said. "Six or seven dollars for a chicken is kind of high if you're used to the prices at the store."

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"Renner"

(Cont. from B1)

Renner & Sons is made up of Dad Wendell and three of his sons—J.R., Danny and Tony. All three sons started working in the family firm when they were boys "just big enough to carry mortar in paint buckets." From their father they have learned the skills and the patience for the work. The eye for it, they say, is a gift from God.

"In stone work, you have to stay at least four or five stones ahead in your mind," explained Wendell. "If you're having to walk several feet away to look for a stone to match the one you've just laid, you need to take a break. It's physical work but it's more taxing on your mind."

Early Foundation

Wendell Renner's connection to stone dates back to his own boyhood when, just for fun, he built a small sandstone wall at the back of his Mt. Vernon home. Four years after that his grandmother would insist that every visitor to the home "come out and look at what Wendell did." The 11-year-old had no idea that the compliments he received for that wall were literally laying the foundation for a career.

Renner later dropped out of high school and went to Lexington for a friend's cousin as a stone crewman for 75 cents an hour. He has worked with stone ever since, either through stone masonry businesses with partners, a three-and-a-half-year stint of mill work at Lexington Cut Stone, or through his own business established in the mid-1970s.

The firm got its first significant recognition in 1984, when it was one of three companies that collaborated

on a 5,200-foot-long, 4 1/2-foot-tall stone wall built around the home at Gainsborough Farm in Woodford County. That work led to the job of building an entrance to Bridgepoint, one of Louisville's most prestigious developments. Soon the company, which by then included the three younger Renners, was handling projects in Lexington, Louisville, Atlanta and several states.

Today, Renner & Sons sticks to Louisville and Lexington as its base and there's enough work to keep the family patriarch, his sons, and a crew of about 25 busy year-round.

Danny is the perfectionist in the group who adds special touches such as hearts and initials in his work. J.R. is the businessman, proving a focus on the time and material constraints of each project. Tony does masterful stone work but his heart really belongs to music. All share their father's demand for excellence.

"Maybe the average person might not be able to tell a wall wasn't done very well but builders and other people in the construction business would know," J.R. said. "We would be bothered by it the most."

"I would rather lose money on a job and have it be an investment in our future because of its quality," Danny said. "I want to be able to take somebody by one of our entrances 30 years from now and be proud when I say, 'I did that. If that entrance is crooked now, it will be crooked 30 years from now when I'm driven by it.'"

Wendell incorporated the company in 1986, including the sons in its name and ownership. He did it with the agreement he would semi-retire in 1995. Semi-retirement to him is "getting my hours down to about 50 a week and being able to take off and go fishing when I want to."

Because of his expertise, Wendell will probably play a part in the rebuilding of stone fences when the widening of Paris Pike gets underway. In the meantime the company will stay busy with such projects as a wall for the University of Kentucky Center on Aging, and construction of a local residence expected to have more than \$1 million worth of stone work on and in it.

"I love taking a pile of stone and making something beautiful out of it," Wendell said. "I do a lot of bidding and designing work these days but I'm much more at home with a trowel, a hammer and a pile of rock."

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Absolute Auction

Auction

of Mr. Randy Linville's and Ms. Tammy Linville's
HOUSE AND 2.2 ACRES
TIME SHARE CONDO
Vehicles and Personal Property
Saturday, May 30, 1998 at 1:30 p.m.
Flat Gap Road, Near Berea, Kentucky



LOCATION: 3 1/2 miles south of Berea and 12 miles north of Mt. Vernon. Turn off U.S. 25 onto Flat Gap Road and proceed 7/10 of a mile to the property. Auction signs are posted.

Due to the dissolution of their marriage, the Linvilles have authorized our firm to market their property for the absolute high dollar.

The above-pictured ranch style house has three bedrooms, kitchen/dining combo, living room with fireplace and insert, and a bath on the main floor plus a full basement with washer/dryer hook-up and one car garage. Other amenities include: 4'x24' above-ground pool, satellite, city water, thermopane and storm windows, ceiling cable electric heat, front deck and screened-in porch.

In addition, there is an 8x10 storage building.

The house is situated on a dandy lot, measuring approximately 2.2 acres.

Time Share condo located in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee.

Vehicles that will be selling include: Chevrolet Astro Extended Van, 1994 model with 62,000 miles, 4:3 automatic and air • 1976 Chevy 3/4 ton, 4 wheel drive, automatic, and 350 engine.

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Church News

Fellowship

Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene
at Fair Ave. will be sponsoring a Single's Fellowship every Tuesday evening from 7 to 9 p.m. starting March 3rd. Devotions, praise, fellowship, games and refreshments. All adults over 21 welcome. For more info call 256-5290.

Vacation Bible School
Brookhead Christian Church will be hosting Vacation Bible School Sunday, June 7th thru Thursday, June 11th from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. each evening. There will be classes for all ages, crafts and lessons from the word of God. The theme for this year is Hooked on Jesus. The closing ceremony will be Friday, June 12th at 6:30 p.m. For more information call 758-8721.

Revival

Calvary Apostolic Lighthouse will be in revival May 27 - 31. Services begin at 7:30 p.m. Wed. - Sat. evening. On Sunday, special worship services celebrating Pentecost Sunday will be at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Evangelist is Bro. Knox. Pastor Blanton and congregation welcome. Church is located on Negro Town Hill Rd.

Regular Services

Corinth Holiness Church invites everyone to worship with us at our regular services on the second Sunday and Saturday nights of each month. Sunday service begins at 11 a.m. and Saturday night services begin at 7 p.m. Also, services are every Friday night at 7 p.m. and every Sunday morning at 11 a.m.

Singing

Gospel singing at Galilee Baptist Church on Mason Lake Road in Berea will be Saturday, June 6th at 7 p.m. featuring The Burns Family from McKee and The Kendrick Family of Berea. Pastor John Dodson welcomes all.

Vacation Bible School

Our VBS is just around the corner, June 22-26 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. We will have a pre-registration on June 6th from 10 a.m. to noon. Come and enjoy snacks, games and fun. We look forward to seeing you! First Baptist Church, Mt. Vernon. For children ages 2 - 12 years.

Vacation Bible School

First Christian Church will be sponsoring a very exciting Bible School program for the kids of Rockcastle County. Passport to the Holy Land, Following Jesus Every Day the Vacation Bible School program hosted by First Christian Church on Mon. - Fri. June 1 - 5 from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Passport to the Holy Land is a five-day world adventure featuring

ing fun, crafts, music, and active Bible learning. By visiting different Bible cities each day, children will learn that Jesus follows down their work for God, live by faith, study God's Word and spend time with Jesus, the Good Shepherd. Kids 3 years through 7th grade won't want to miss any of the excitement of the Passport to the Holy Land. Each session will be held at

First Christian Church, 160 W. Main at Lovell Court. For more information call the church at 256-2876.

Vacation Bible School

Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church would like to invite the children as well as the adults in the community, to attend Vacation Bible School, which will be held June 1-5, at 8 a.m. nightly. The theme is Star Quest and will be a lot of fun. An adult will be conducted each night.

Vacation Bible School

Poplar Grove Baptist Church for preschool - 8th grade, June 15th - 19th from 7 to 9 p.m. Everyone welcome. For info, call 758-8095.

ROCKETOWN Returns!

It's been a while, but IT'S BACK! ROCKETOWN returns to Bible Baptist Church on Friday, May 29th at 7:30 p.m., just in time for a WWJD Summer Vacation Celebration! Don't miss our first-ever Friday night ROCKETOWN and all the great music, drama, videos, games, and more. Mark your calendars now for the first great event of the Summer! ROCKETOWN Returns...because Satan doesn't take a Summer Vacation.

Go On An Island Adventure

Hey! Kids! If you are in Kindergarten through 7th Grade, you can take a free trip to the island—Sunlight Island, when Bible Baptist Church presents our tropical Vacation Bible School on June 15th through June 19th from 7 to 9:15 p.m. Creative crafts, super snacks, marvelous music, great games, and incredible Bible adventures await you at this wonderful week of excitement. Spread the word and invite your friends to a Sunlight Island Adventure This Sum-

mer, where we live in the light of God's love! All parents are invited to a Mini-Musical performed by all our Sunlight Island travel guides and Islanders (that's you) followed by a Cookout on Parents' Night, June 21st. Call 256-5913, 256-3286 or 256-5862 for information or transportation!

Lock-In

Youth Vacation Bible School Lock-In Night for high school and college students at Poplar Grove Baptist Church off Hwy. 70, May 12th beginning at 8 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. All youth are invited to attend.

Singing

Gospel Singing - Poplar Grove Baptist Church off Hwy. 70, May 31st at 7 p.m. featuring the New Covenant Singers. Everyone welcome.

Revival

Mt. Vernon Pentecostal Church will begin revival services Wed. night with Rev. Danny Hudson as Evangelist. Services will begin at 7:00 on Sunday, Pastor Buford Parkson and church welcome everyone.

Community Church Directory

Berea Tabernacle
So. U.S. 25 across from Berea Ford
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday night 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
Pastor: Ralph Chastain

Bible Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m. Broadcast
WRVK 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
VHS available for pick-up
Nursery provided
256-6842 or 256-9913
Pastor: Don Clayton

Blue Springs Pentecostal
SS 10:30 a.m. Sun. Evening 6 p.m.
Friday night 7 p.m.
Highway 1249

Brookhead Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Services & Youth 7:30 p.m.

Brookhead Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 7 a.m.
Youth Meeting (5th Grade/Up) 6 p.m.
Children's Choir 7 p.m.
Sunday Even. Worship 7 p.m.
Adult Choir Practice 6 p.m.
Wed. Service, Bible Study 7 p.m.
Mission Friends RA, GA, Actevns 7 p.m.
Nursery services - Brohead Adult Day Care Center
Sowder Nursing Home 10:30 a.m.
(First & Third Thursday)
on service available for brookhead & surrounding area
Nursery provided - Birth to 4 years
Phone: 758-6316 or 758-6313
Pastor: Rev. Mark A. Whicker

Brookhead Christian Church
Main St. Brookhead
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Youth Meeting 7 p.m.
You Service Available
Minister: Wade Johnson

Brookhead First Church of God
Main St. Brookhead
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Minister: Bill Davis

Brush Creek Holiness Church
Owens
SS 10 a.m./Sun. Evening 7 p.m.
Tuesday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Olen McGuire

Buckeye Christian Church
1/2 mi. east of Berea Valley on Hummel Road
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
WRVK Radio 8:30 a.m.
Pastor: Bro. Cleith Hatcher

Buffalo Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.
Pastor: Larry Proffitt

Burnetts Chapel Methodist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Highway 934 off Highway 461
Phone 274-1222
Pastor: Claude West

Calvary Apostolic Lighthouse
at Negro Town Hill Rd.
Sunday Services 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
Ph. 256-4416
Pastor: Bro. James Blanton

Church of our Lord Jesus Christ
US 25 South of Mt. Vernon
Sunday 10:30 p.m.
Jack Watkins, Pastor
Jeff McFadden, Asst. Pastor

Church of the Nazarene
Fair Ave., Mt. Vernon
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sun. Evening 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.
Pastor: Rev. Larry Smoot

Central Baptist Church
US 25 S. Mt. Vernon
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
This is Difference - Come & See
Pastor: Dr. James W. Head

Clear Creek Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7:00 until time chg.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.
Song Leaders Music
M. and Mrs. Jerry Nicely
Pastor: Bro. Sherman Hill

Climax Christian Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Interim Minister: Dale Sander

Community Holiness Church
Fairground Hill, Mt. Vernon
Sunday Services 6 p.m.
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Pastor: Oliver Abney

Community Worship Assembly of God
Off 150, 5 miles west on Hwy. 3245
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sun. Evn. 6 p.m./Thurs. 7 p.m.
Pastor: Keith Asher

Conway Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Gary Parker

Conway Church of God
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: C.W. Williams

Conway First Resurrection Pentecostal Church
SS 10:30 a.m./Worship 11:30 a.m.
Sat. 7 p.m. Sun. Evn. 6 p.m.
Thursday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Arnold Akers

Copper Creek Baptist
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: J.W. Lewis

Corinth Holiness Church
Second Sun. & Sat. night of each mo.
Sunday 11 a.m. & Sat. night at 7 p.m.
Every Friday night 7 p.m.
Every Sunday Morning 11 a.m.
Church Invites Everyone

Fairview Baptist Church
Just off US 25 at Fairview
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Harvey Pental

Faith Chapel Pentecostal
Wed. 7 p.m. Sat. 7:00 a.m.
Sun. School 10 a.m.
Sun. Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday night 7 p.m.
Virgil Bustle, Pastor

First Baptist Church
West Main St., Mt. Vernon
SS 9:40 a.m./Worship 10:40 a.m.
WRVK Service 11 a.m.
Children's Worship 11 a.m.
Youth Ministry 4:30 p.m.
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Youth Music 6:30 p.m.
Mission Groups 7 p.m.
Prayer/Bible study 7 p.m.
Pastor: Dr. Moynard Head

First Church of Jesus Christ
Sand Springs
Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m.
Sunday Morning 10:30 a.m.
Pastor: Bro. Wayne E. Nicely

First Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 6 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Wayne Henon

First Christian Church
West Main St., Mt. Vernon • 256-2876
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Radio Program WRVK 1460 AM
Sunday 8:45 a.m.
Wednesday Youth Meeting and Adults 7 p.m.
Minister: Eddie Hammond

Flatrock Baptist Church
Flatrock, Ky.
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Gene Noe

Freedom Baptist Church
Freedom Road
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.
256-2966
Bro. Shawn Madden

Grace Baptist Church
US 25 at Roundstone
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
WRVK Radio 9:15 a.m.
Pastor: Bro. Raymond Oltutt

Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting 1 & 3 Saturdays
Radio WRVK Sunday 1:45 p.m.
Pastor: Randall Adams

Lighthouse Assembly of God
Brush Creek Road
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday - Family Night
Activities for all 7 p.m.
Pastor: Dwight Henson

Livingston Baptist Church
Main St., Livingstn
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Clyde Miller

Livingston Christian Church
Main St., Livingstn
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship Services begin at 6 p.m.
Minister: Arthur Hunt

Livingston Pentecostal Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Service 6 p.m.
Wed. Service 7 p.m.
Saturday night Service 7 p.m.
3rd Sat. of each month
Pastor: Bro. James Miller

Maccadino Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Denton Sears

Maple Grove Baptist Church
Rt. 100 at Owens • 256-4884
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
WRVK Service 2:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Tim Hampton

Mareburg Baptist Church
Hwy. 150
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training Youth 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Youth Group - 3rd Fr. each mo. 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Wayne Hiding

McNew Chapel Community Baptist Church
Sat. 7 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
Sun. SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sun. 6 p.m./Radio Sun. 3:30 p.m.
Pastor: Jerry Kallinger

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 10:45 a.m.
Discipleship Training 6:30 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 7:15 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Randall Smith

Mt. Vernon Church of Christ
Sunday Services 10 a.m.
Pastor: Bro. Russell McFerson

Mt. Vernon Church of God
Next to the middle school
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Everone Welcome
Pastor: Rev. Bobby Owens

Mt. Vernon Pentecostal Church
Lovel St., Mt. Vernon
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Pastor: Buford Parkerson

Mt. Zion Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Radio Program Sunday 2:30
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Arthur Benge

New Hope Baptist Church
Orlando, Ky.
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Even. 6 p.m.
Wednesday Even. 7 p.m.
Pastor: Doug Collins

Northside Baptist Church
High Street, Mt. Vernon
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening 7 a.m.
Wed. Prayer/Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
For transportation, call 256-9027

Ottawa Baptist Church
Ottawa Community Rt. 1650
Bible Study 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer/Bible Study 7 p.m.
758-8453

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US 25 S. Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Thursday & Saturday evenings 7:30
Pastor: Allen Hensley

Pleasant Run Baptist Church
Lanes
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Steve Weaver

Poplar Grove Baptist Church
Hwy. 70 Willacilla
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
758-8095
Pastor: Rick Reynolds

Providence Church of Christ
Sun. 10:30 a.m.
Worship 10:35 a.m.
Sunday evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
Radio 8 a.m. Sunday
WRVK 1460 AM
758-9316
Pastor: Dan McKibben

Red Hill Baptist Church
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SS 10 a.m./Church 11 a.m.
Pastor: Bro. Dale Walters
Everyone Invited

Rose Hill Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sun. Night 6 p.m./Thurs. Night 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Bob Bradley

Roundstone Baptist Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Church Services 11 a.m.
Wednesday night 7 p.m.
Sunday night 6 p.m.
Pastor: Arnold Pingelton

Sand Hill Baptist Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Pastor: Bernard Ellison

Sand Springs Baptist Church
Hwy. 1249
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Pastor: Danny Henson

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Hwy. 265
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Ed Gibbs

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Fairground Hill
Wednesday & Friday 7 p.m.
Saturday 11 a.m.
Everyone Welcome
256-5894
Pastor: Bro. Clyde Hodge

Three Links Christian Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Pastor: Jack D. Martin

Trinity Independent Baptist Church
(Off old 461 on Keith Sower Rd.)
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.
Pastor: Jackie Benner
Everyone Welcome!

Well Hope Baptist Church
Chestnut Ridge
Sunday Services 1:30 p.m.
Pastor: Burgess King

West Broadhead Church of God
Negro Creek Rd., Brookhead
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m./Wed. 7:30 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. John Irwin

Wildie Christian Church
SS 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m./Youth 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Choir 7:30 p.m.
WRVK Sunday 8:30 a.m.
256-4404
Minister: Kenton Parkey

Morning View Holiness Church
Thursday night 7:30
Sunday School 10:30
Sunday Evening 7 o'clock
Evangelist: Burgess Daugherty

Climax Holiness Church
Thursday at 7 p.m.
Sunday 7 p.m.
Every fourth Sunday, services are on Saturday at 7 p.m.
Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Pastor: Cecil Himes, 256-4183

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MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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For Sale: Wood crafts, quilt racks, reindeer, snowmen, bird houses, bird feeders, wall shelves with clocks, decoration lights and more. Roy G. Brown, Rt. 1 Box 298, Broadhead, KY 40409. 758-8581. 16In

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PROPERTY FOR SALE
 Building Lots For Sale: Quail View Subdivision, off Hwy 618. Restricted, 1 acre to 2 3/4 acres, \$9,000 per acre. Owner financing available with 20% down. Call 256-4267. 29x12pd
 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. 30fnf
 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-\$7,000. Call 256-5364, 256-5781 or 256-3615. 30fnf
 For Sale: Approximately half acre lots on Floyd St., in city limits of Mt. Vernon, accessible to sewer and sewer. \$15,000 each. Call 256-2446. 33fnf
 Farm For Sale: Large acreage, 2-story house with basement, bath and city water, tobacco base 3673 and hay. Large tobacco barn, stock barn, extra buildings. Call 606-256-5537. 28x8pd
 Lots For Sale: 1/2 acre off 4-acres. Paved street. 1/2 mile off 150 on 2569 (old 461). Financing available. \$4,000 and up. Call 256-2339. 4fnf
 House For Sale: 4-bedrooms, living room, kitchen, family/dining room, 2 baths, utility room, central heat and air, separate 3 car garage. Toney St. Brindle Ridge. Call 256-558.000.00. Call 256-5400. 11fnf
 For Sale: 3 bedrooms, 1 bath Bedford Stone home has new plumbing and electric and fully remodeled basement also has 2 car garage in Brindle Ridge. 3 cars, board fenced. \$75,000. Call 256-4637 after 5 p.m. 21fnf
 For Sale: Franchise Electronic Business. Call 256-4000, ask for Charles. 22fnf
 For Sale: Mobile Home Lots. Call 256-2339. 25fnf
 For Sale: 95 Dutch Doublewide 3 BR, 2 BA, central airheat, partially furnished on 1/2 acre lot in Bullock's Subdivision. Reduced to \$44,900. Call (606)254-6184. 27fnf
 3 Restricted Lots: In Mountain View Estates. Brodhead. Call 758-8327. 33x2
 For Sale: 2 Davis St. Properties. 35 Davis St. Consists of 5 rooms with bath, a garage with workshop and small attached apartment. 45 Davis St. Has 4 rooms with bath, a small garden, 3 storage buildings and above ground cellar. Interested parties may call 256-9702 after 6:00 p.m. 33x2pd

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 P&T GUTTERING: 5 & 6 inch seamless gutters, siding, soffit and window installation. Call 256-4339. Free estimates. 21xnf
 R&R Builders - new homes, complete remodeling, all types, metal building, concrete work, decks, roofs, painting, 22 years experience. Free estimates. Call 256-9276. 34fnf
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 Variety of bedding plants, vegetable plants, Mother's Day Hanging Baskets, Stepping Stones, Concrete Flower Pots, Potting Soil, Manure, Top Soil, Peat Moss.
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NOTICES

More \$\$\$\$\$\$: For White Oak Stave Logs. Haul to American Stave Company, Eubank. (606)379-2311. 3x52pd

Miss Kentucky: American Coed/Teen/Princess Scholarship Pageant for girls 3-20. For applications: 1-800-664-6851. No makeup allowed for young girls. 31x5

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

Posted: No hunting or trespassing or gravel hauling without written permission on property belonging to Sandy Robbins in Brodhead on Hwy. 150, by railroad. Violators will be prosecuted. 22x52pd.

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property belonging to Dice Mullins located on Chesnut Ridge and Skaggs Creek. Violators will

be prosecuted. 28x52pd

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on 49 acres belonging to Vivian Branstetter on 120 Branstetter Lane. 33x2pd

Notice: The Rockcastle County Board of Education is accepting sealed bids for replacement of furnace pipes at Brodhead Elementary School. Bid proposals may be obtained at the Rockcastle County Schools Central Office, 245 Richmond St., Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. Bid proposals will be accepted until Monday, June 8, 1998, at 10:00 a.m. 33x2

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Notice: I, Scottie Lee Powell will not be responsible for any thing bought or sold in my name or with a social security number, plus no other debts than my own. Effective: May 10, 1998. 34x2

Notice: It is hereby given that on the 19th day of May, 1998, Audrey Purcell, the duly appointed, qualified and acting executor of the estate of Bernard Pershing Purcell, deceased, filed with the Rockcastle District Court a final settlement. Exceptions thereto shall be filed in writing with the Rockcastle District Court on or before June 22, 1998. 34x2

rentals \$5.00 per day. Starting May 9th. at 8:00 a.m. Where: Old chicken barn on Fairground Hill. Ph. 256-4301. 31x4

Big Yard Sale: June 4, 5 & 6, Thurs. Fri. & Sat. Turn right at Sand Springs Baptist Church then 1/10 mile on the left. Furniture, appliances, tools, clothing, and glassware, nice-nacs. Lots of misc. items. Rain or shine. 8-6. 24x2pd

Yard Sale: 4 Family. Sat. May 30. From 9-3. At Don Smith on Dug Hill Road in Ottawa. Lots of items. 34x1pd

Big Yard Sale: Household items, toys, diecast models, Winston Cup cars, tools, tool

boxes, variety of items, car manuals. To much too mention. 3 1/2 miles on 25 past Pine Hill Church on right. Sat. Cancel in case of rain, will have following week. 34x1

Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. on South U.S. 25 at Hilltop Super. Home interior, clothes, Spro. Nintendo tapes, country tapes, movies, Nintendo and tape in box, fishing poles, much more. Cancel in case of rain. 34x1

Yard Sale: Health Dept. Sat. 8-2. Cancel in case of rain. 34x1

Yard Sale: Sat., May 30th. Evans St. on Old U.S. 25 just past cemetery. 34x1

Yard Sale: Several families.

Willalla Groc. on Sat. from 8-7 Given by Carol Martin, Terri Givens and others. 34x1

Yard Sale: Sat. 9 to 4 home of William and Mary Taylor on Hwy. 1326 (Old Brodhead-Mt. Vernon Road). Items to numerous to mention. Everything priced to sell. 34x1

6 Family Yard Sale: Sat. off Hwy. 70 on Hwy. 618 past Providence Church. 34x1

Huge Yard Sale: Saturday, June 6th, next to Hardces. Renfro Valley, starting at 9:00 a.m. Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets, Inc., is raising funds to start an animal shelter. Call 758-9202. 758-8284 or 256-0252, for info.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky

I have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky as of and for the year ended June 30, 1996. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the general purpose financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall general purpose financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion, the general purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, as of June 30, 1996 and the results of its operations and cash flows of its proprietary fund types for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

My audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole. The combining and individual fund and account group financial statements and schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of general purpose financial statements of the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

Mt. Vernon, Ky
January 29, 1998

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YARD SALES

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Old Fashion Trade Day & Flea Market: Every Saturday & Sunday. Trade your livestock, chickens, knives, guns, etc. Table

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Advertisement for Bids

Rockcastle Water Association, Inc. PO Box 540 Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456

Separate sealed bids for the construction of **CONTRACT NO. 1 - approximately 70 +/- miles of 4" and 3" waterlines and related work:** pressure reducer stations and vaults; master meter & vaults; one new water booster pump station and site work; complete one hydrostatic tank station and related work; one residential booster pump and tank station and related work. **CONTRACT NO. 2 - one 80,000 gallon standpipe type water storage tank and site work, complete** will be received by Rockcastle Water Association, Inc. PO Box 540, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456, or at the bid opening at the Kastle Inn Restaurant at exit 59 on I-75, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky until 10:00 a.m. (LOCAL TIME) June 10, 1998, and then at said location publicly opened and read aloud.

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations: Crawford & Crawford & Stewart Engineers, Inc., 931 E. Lakeshore Dr., Burnside, KY 42919, F.W. Dodge Corp., One Paragon Cir., Ste. 230, 2525 Harrodsburg Rd., Lexington, KY 40506.

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be ordered through the office of Crawford & Crawford & Stewart Engineers, Inc. located at 931 E. Lakeshore Drive, Burnside, KY 42919 upon payment of \$250.00 for each Full Set (Contract No. 1 and/or No. 2) or \$150.00 for each Partial Set (Contract No. 2 only).

Any unsuccessful BIDDER or non-bidder, upon returning the Full Set Documents within 30 days and in good condition, will be refunded \$75.00; upon returning the Partial Set Documents within 30 days and in good condition, will be refunded \$50.00.

Contractors are required closely to adhere to information for Bidders and to provide bid bond or bonds. A Pre-construction conference will be held on **June 11, 1998 at 2:30 a.m. (LOCAL TIME)** at the Kastle Inn Restaurant at exit 59 on I-75, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

Section 00012
Advertisement for Bids

Sealed bids for CIAP Modernization Project KY36P097-902(95) will be received by The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon located at 50 Lovell Lane, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456 on June 16, 1998, at 2 p.m., prevailing time and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. This phase of the program includes new parking area, retaining wall and new downspout/underdrain system at site KY 097-002 located within city limits of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. The estimated value of construction is \$140,000 to \$160,000. The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Drawings, Specifications and other contract documents may be examined at the following locations:

Barge, Waggoner, Sumner & Cannon, Inc. 401 West Main, Suite 306 - Lexington, KY 40507

The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon PO Box 456 - 50 Lovell Lane - Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Copies of bid documents MUST be obtained at the office of: Barge, Waggoner, Sumner 401 West Main Street, Suite 306 Lexington, Kentucky 40507 Telephone (606) 367-7521 Attention of Wayne L. Clayton

Direct any questions concerning bid documents to Mr. Wayne L. Clayton, AIA at 606-367-7521

The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon
By: Aneta Vance
Executive Director
May 21, 1998.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Cumberlandns Workforce Development Board/PIC will be accepting requests for proposals under the Clinton/Wayne County Youth Opportunity Area component, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Time (8:00 a.m. Central Time) on May 18, 1998 until 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (4:00 p.m. Central Time) on June 19, 1998, for funds to be utilized by public or private organizations to provide assessments to 454 youth participants (ages 16-24) within the boundaries of Clinton County and the census tract 9804 of Wayne County. The assessment should be designed and administered to provide a job specific assessment utilizing a multi-variable approach. The system must include behavioral/personality analysis. Agencies or individuals that are interested in obtaining an application to provide assessment services may apply. Those requesting more information or a copy of an application shall submit an inquiry to P.H. Mariner, Lake Cumberland Area Development District, P.O. Box 1570, Russell Springs, Kentucky 42642 or call 502-868-4200.

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
COMBINED BALANCE SHEET
ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS
June 30, 1996

GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES	SPECIAL REVENUE	WATER AND SEWER	PROPRIETARY FUND TYPE	ACCOUNT GROUP	TOTALS	
					GENERAL FIXED ASSETS	MEMORANDUM ONLY
GENERAL					June 30, 1996	
ASSETS						
Cash	\$ 14,191	\$	\$ 313,040	\$	\$ 407,231	
Receivables:						
Taxes (less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$1,480)	4,500				4,500	
Accounts (including \$43,379 in unbilled receivables and less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$10,507)	8,745	148,824			148,824	
Interest receivable	6,351	2,493			6,351	
Other receivables	100,000	86,147			186,147	
Note receivable	18,558	129,440	61,419		209,457	
Deferred charges			47,264		47,264	
Prepaid insurance	5,846		5,150		10,996	
Restricted assets:						
Cash and buildings		117,417	478,296		595,713	
Improvements			419,372	133,791	553,163	
Machinery and equipment			6,205,488		6,205,488	
Accumulated Depreciation			(149,875)	216,373	366,244	
			(2,471,613)		(2,471,613)	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$28,231	\$333,008	\$5,152,584	\$350,164	\$5,840,288	

CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY
COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1996

Governmental Fund Types	Special Revenue	Totals	
		(Memorandum Only)	June 30, 1996
General			1996
Revenue:			
Property taxes	\$102,223	\$	\$102,223
Franchise fees	61,471		61,471
Privilege licenses	18,197		18,197
Vehicle tax	14,231		14,231
Arrest fees, fines, etc.	2,353		2,353
Interest income	9,399	4,453	13,852
Boat docking fees	2,200		2,200
Fire department revenue	2,202		3,202
Other	12,978		12,978
Intergovernmental revenues:			
Municipal road aid	26,239		26,239
Coal and mineral grants	3,450		3,450
Base court revenue	11,301		11,301
State Repayment	6,633		6,633
Statue law enforcement subsidies	11,253		11,253
Total revenues	\$255,441	\$34,142	\$289,583