

profile



Name: Andy Hale
 Year: Senior
 Sport: Football
 Favorite Player: Jerry Rice
 Years Experience: 6
 Outside Activities:
 Attending church; member of FCA, TLC, Y-Club, Key Club, National Honor Society, Beta Club.
 Favorite Movie: Armageddon
 Favorite Television Show: X-Files

If he was stranded on a desert island, he would want this book, person, and food with him: *How to Get Off a Desert Island*, a carpenter (to build a boat), and steak

When he was younger he wanted to grow up to be: A basketball player

Plans/Hopes for future: To have a great senior football season, and maintain a perfect 4.0 GPA.

College Plans: I'm going

Favorite subject in school: Math

Favorite place to shop: Wal-Mart

Favorite place to hang out: Big Dad's (Josh Martin)

Dating Status: single

Pro life/pro choice: Pro-life

Religion: Southern Baptist

Type of music: Country

Favorite Musician: Garth Brooks

Rockets blast Southern Pulaski

By Dackery Larkey

After a rocky start for the Rockets early on, they have since then won 3 straight.

The Rockets fell to Lexington Catholic in the opening game of a score of 34 - 3, then followed a heartbreaking loss against South Laurel with a last minute hail mary to win 14 - 13. In their home opener against Southwestern Pulaski, the Rockets blasted them 28 - 0 in their 9th annual Renfro Valley Jamboree Bowl game. The Rockets then traveled to Madison Southern and defeated them for the eleventh time 35 - 14. The Rockets then performed in the Homecoming game against the Dayton Green

Devils, and almost had another shutout at home with a 28 - 6 win. Jennifer Cromer won Homecoming Queen, and Vanessa Mink won the honors of being crowned Miss Jamboree Bowl Queen.

The Rockets j.v. and freshman teams are also doing very well. The j.v. team has posted up 4 wins and recently lost to the Southwestern Pulaski Warriors 19 - 7. The freshman team has put up an impressive season so far with 6 wins and 0 losses.

The Rockets are coached by Tom Larkey, Tony Saylor, Jerry Pensol, Chris Larkey, Chris Hendrickson, Adam Coleman, Chris Cornelius, Pat Green, and Billy Gay.

By Dackery Larkey

The Rocket Golf Team began play for the 1998 season with a 6th place finish in the Central Hardin Invitational. The Rockets have followed up with four wins against Pineville, Madison Southern, Williamsburg, and Southwestern Pulaski. The Rockets record is four wins and eight losses.

The Rockcastle County Golf Team consists of Layne Nicely, Billy Hackworth, Andrew Cash, Joe Lambert, John Bray, Brian Reynolds, and Jeremy Neely.

The Rockets will be playing in the Regional Tournament, September 28-30 at the London Country Club. Come out and support your Rocket Golf team.



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Mr. and Miss RCHS--Andy Hale and Mary Beth Browning

A profile by Christina Mahaffey

If you could change anything about yourself, what would it be?

Andy: To be taller.

Mary Beth: My nose.

What is something very few people know about you?

Andy: I hate to dust furniture.

Mary Beth: I love to tap dance.

What achievements are you most proud of?

Andy: Making All-State Football team last year, and scoring a 34 on my ACT.

Mary Beth: Being chosen Governor's Scholar and then being able to leave everyone I love for five weeks.

What is something you absolutely hate?

Andy: Losing.

Mary Beth: Rude people. Also, when people do something to me and actually think they can get away with it.

What is something you strongly believe in?

Andy: My salvation.

Mary Beth: God

What do you think is the best thing about you?

Andy: Sense of humor.

Mary Beth: My craziness.

What is the bravest thing you have ever done?

Andy: Going to New Orleans on a mission trip.

Mary Beth: Sky diving.

What is your secret ambition?

Andy: To either have a mathematical formula or a scientific theory named after me.

Mary Beth: Go to outer space.

What is your biggest fear?

Andy: Failure.

Mary Beth: Dying without anybody by my side.

What is your favorite book and movie?

Andy: To Kill A Mocking Bird



and "X-Files" the T.V. series.

Mary Beth: My book would be Winter Dream, Christmas Love and the movies are Dirty Dancing and City of Angels.

What have you read most recently?

Andy: Sports Illustrated

Mary Beth: The A Encyclopedia.

Who was the best teacher you

ever had? Why?

Andy: Jason Wilson because we've always been good friends and I enjoyed the subject he taught.

Mary Beth: My eighth grade U.S. History teacher Mr. Galvin because of his way of teaching.

How has KATS influenced your education?

Andy: I became a better writer but overall it

has hindered my learning in most subjects especially math and science.

Mary Beth: Hooked on Phonics worked for me!

What are your post secondary plans?

Andy: Going to college.

Mary Beth: Going to college.

What is the one thing you have never had the opportunity to do but would like to do most?

Andy: Sky diving.

Mary Beth: Sky diving.

What one person do you feel closest to and why?

Andy: My dad, because I'm a lot like him.

Mary Beth: Christopher Parsons, because I can tell him anything--and because he's a dork.

What is your most embarrassing moment?

Andy: I don't get embarrassed very easily.

Mary Beth: My sophomore year, at the end of the year awards, I fell on my butt in front of the whole school.

What goals do you plan to accomplish through your remaining senior year?

Andy: Maintain a 4.0 GPA, get a full ride to college, and have a great football season.

Mary Beth: Get a 30 on my ACT and get into a great school.

What regrets do you have about high school?

Andy: No regrets.

Mary Beth: Procrastinating.

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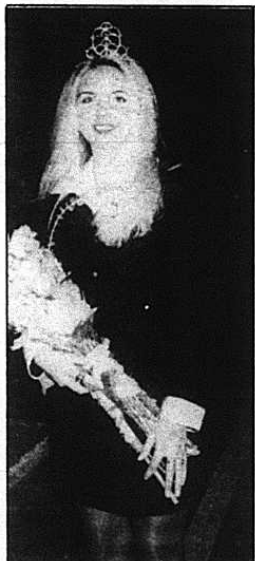
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Homecoming '98

English teacher accepts position in Boone County



Miss Jennifer Cromer was chosen Homecoming Queen, September 18. Runners-up were Swantje Koismeyer and Tara Abney.

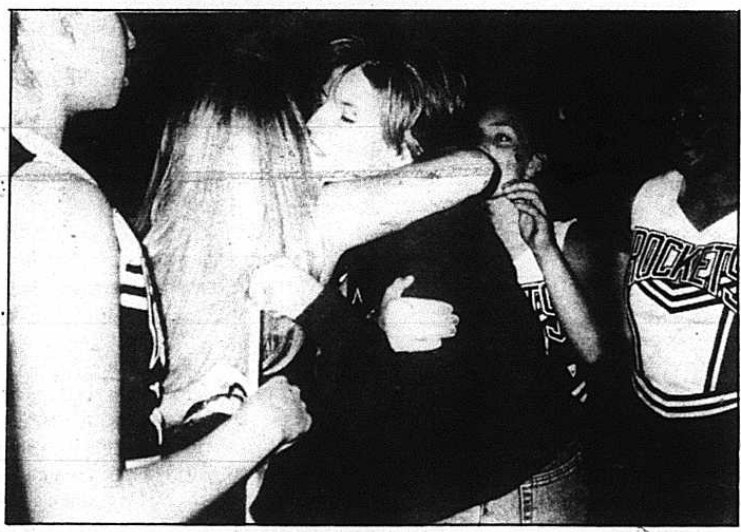
by Crystal Mink
Guest Writer

Ms. Julie Cruse, senior English teacher, left our facility Friday, September 18--destined for Boone County, in northern Kentucky.

Ms. Cruse taught at RCHS for four years, and was only recently transferred from her regular English III classroom to teach English IV. Besides teaching, Ms. Cruse contibuted greatly to RCHS by leading the Pep Club and coaching the Varsity Cheerleading squad.

Despite many misunderstandings, Ms. Cruse was very dedicated to her job and her students. In fact, she was one of the few faculty members that students trusted and sought for useful advice.

Although Rockcastle County High School will not be the same without Ms. Cruse, we will survive. This great teacher, coach, and role model will be remembered by fellow faculty, cheerleaders, and the student body. I'm sure that she will continue her successful career with the same enthusiasm, dedication, and perseverance that she showed here at Rockcastle County High School.



Ms. Julie Cruse (center) recently accepted a teaching position in Boone County, Kentucky. Ms. Cruse was beginning her fifth year-teaching at Rockcastle County High School. Ms. Cruse is former coach of the Varsity Cheerleading squad. She is shown here with, from left to right, Carissa Settles, Kisha Saylor, Crystal Mink, and Tammie Burton.



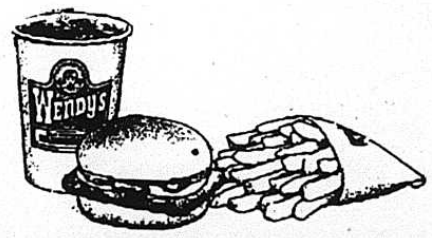
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Romance at the Rock/ Student Poll

By Christina Mahaffey, Becky Davis, and Heather Kirby

Pink is for girls', blue is for boys. The differences between the two sexes are as evident as fire and ice. We at the Rocket have recently done a survey of the student body regarding this issue. What you are about to see may be somewhat shocking

For instance, some of the things you may be doing to attract the opposite sex are could be in vain.

Dating in the 90's has changed a lot over the years. From makeup to attitudes, our outlook on dating has definitely changed in the past few years. For instance, guys are not necessarily expected to ask the out anymore. The re-

sponsibility is equally mutual. So girls if you have that special guy out there, don't be shy and take the initiative: Ask him out!

"What's the deal with makeup?" Most of the guys polled responded that they found lots of makeup to be deceptive and unnecessary. Why? Because they feel that girls use makeup as a way to be something that they are not. It's so ironic because a lot of us wear makeup to attract guys, and to look prettier. Instead, guys see it as a way to hide your true self...and that is just what you should try to be: yourself. If you do like to cake on the makeup, don't use it as a representation of something that you are not. Let your true self shine

through.

Girls aren't the only ones who seem to be doing the wrong thing while trying to impress the opposite sex. A lot of girls we asked said that the thing that they didn't like the most about boys is the way they try to be 'manly' and hide their true feelings. I hate to tell you this guys but the macho facade stopped working years ago. It really makes girls angry when boys think that they have to be macho to impress their friends. Most girls think that showing your emotions is attractive.

Do you see a pattern here? The message is that what he/she really wants is for you to be yourself and not what others expect you to be. If you do act like yourself, and that

special someone doesn't accept you, then maybe they weren't so special after all.

Whether you are a girl or a guy out there playing the dating game, take my advice: In the 90's, old rules absolutely and positively no longer apply! Just ask your fellow classmates at the Rock.

"Guys tend to have a lot of mood swings. Not only that, but they are really hard to get to 'open up'. They never show their true feelings."

-Bethany Brandenburgh

"What irritates me the most about boys is when they treat their girlfriends badly."

-Sahlana Sebastian

"When their response is 'maybe', or 'I'll think about it.'"

-Dackery Larkey

"The thing that I like the most about boys is their sense of humor."

-Mindy Bullock

"I like girls with interesting personalities"

-Alex Tyler

"Boys really get on my nerves when they want to make you into something that you are not. They should accept you for who you are, and not what they want you to be."

-Becky Davis

"I love how friendly girls are. They are very nice."

-Matt Issacs

"I like how respectful girls are."

-Nick Kovaks

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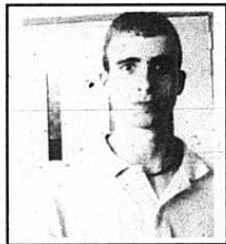
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Eric Vanzant: I hate make-up because it is deceptive.

I love down to earth girls for example when they aren't mooning over a bunch of guys.



Misty Spoonamore: I hate when guys get caught up in a lie but yet keep on lying.

I love when guys are honest and truly mean what they say to you.



Amy Nelson: I hate when guys try to be macho.



Mike Smith: I hate when girls are grumpy.

I love it when girls are nice.



Jamie McFerron: I hate when they think you should always be the one to call and they shouldn't have to call you.

I love when they are understanding.



Josh Linville: I hate when girls obsess about their weight.

I love girls with good attitudes.



Eric Helton: I hate when girls always try to be something that they are not for instance make-up.



Nicole Green: I hate how boys can be jerks.

I love their sense of humor.



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Movie Reviews

The Man in the Iron Mask makes a worthy effort

54 is long on style, flash; short on characters, storyline

Video review by Mindy Bullock

Movie commentary by Stephen Hopkins

The Man in the Iron Mask is a movie out in video stores which was adapted from the novel by Alexandre Dumas. Other than the movie's over-idealistic plot, it made a worthy effort.

The starring roles are played by Leonardo DiCaprio, whose credits include *Titanic* and *Romeo and Juliet*, as both King Louis and his twin brother, Philippe. Louis is the King of France, enjoying a decadent lifestyle, changing women more times than his underwear, and is protected by the Musketeer D'Artagnan, played by Gabriel Byrne. The film is full of subplots, including Queen Anne's relationship with D'Artagnan, and Louis' relationship with a girl named Christine.

The picture's main plot deals with how three former Musketeers, Porthos (Gerard Depardieu), Aramis (Jeremy Irons), and Athos (John Malkovich), try to switch King Louis with his imprisoned identical twin, Philippe.

After accomplishing the seemingly impossible task of actually getting the brother out of jail, they manage to turn him into a king-worthy imposter in three weeks. The actual switching of the two is obviously harder, but after many duels, and more twists than a pretzel, everything works out in the end.

A movie made from a novel is usually not as interesting as the book, but this picture would give Alexandre a run for his money. It is tied together very well, and the all-star cast did a good job portraying the characters. Because of the over-all nice job and the authentic costumes, I give *The Man in the Iron Mask* *** and a thumbs up.

When it comes to style, *54* is an unqualified triumph. Studio 54, the famed, exclusive Manhattan den of disco and decadence, is re-created gloriously, from the infamous balconies and basement, to the dance floor. The atmosphere is almost over-energized, with the beat of a disco tune always in the background. If there was a modern day Babylon in America, it was Studio 54, and that's the sense that first-time director Christopher gives us.

Alas, this is a cliched case of

*--Worse than *Waterworld*

**--No soup for this movie

***--If you can't see something else...

****--A definite must-see

*****--If you miss this one, you're a loser

style over substance. The trite story is a letdown because it traverses a predictable arc. While it's true that some of the people and events in *54* are real, and therefore only subject to marginal manipulation by the script, the disappointment comes from how shallow the fictional elements are.

The movie's central character, a 19-year old Jersey City boy name Shane O'Shea (Ryan Phillippe), is Christopher's creation, and he's not especially interesting.

Mike Myers transforms himself in *54*--in virtually every way a performer can transform himself. Myers plays Steve Rubell, the nightclub impresario who helped create the Manhattan disco as the center of the party universe in the closing years of the 1970's.

In his first truly dramatic screen performance,

Myers is still recognizable with his open-mouthed, little boy grin, but here he uses it to create an overgrown little boy who is convinced he can only find friends by throwing the coolest party.

Except for Myers, who brings some edge and humor to his role, the ensemble is appealing but undistinctive, mostly due to the shortcomings of the writing. The best way to experience *54* is to succumb to its exuberant music and marvel at the ostentatious costumes, which showcase the crowd as preening peacocks at a grand costume ball.

Regardless of the lackluster performances, *54* still merits ***. Go watch the movie, but don't expect the film to live up to the hype of its setting.

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Good luck, Rockets!

Rock at the Rock

Welcome to another wonderful year of the R.C.H.S music reviews. This month's music review section covers almost every type of music, but all the entries remain in the category of movie soundtracks. Let's see what the summer movie season has cooked up for us on the music front.

*******ARMAGEDDON--**The Album showcases four Aerosmith tracks, including a brand new song--"I Don't Wanna Miss a Thing," penned by Diane Warren--as well as a bone-shaking cover of the Beatles' "Come Together," and the classics "What Kind of Love Are You On" and "Sweet Emotion." "I Don't Wanna Miss a Thing" is already becoming a multi-format hit and has entered Heavy Rotation on MTV. The album also features Chantal Kreviazuk's interpretation of John Denver's "Leaving On a Jet

Plane", ZZ Top's "La Grange", and Bon Jovi's "Mr. Big Time." I give this album a very enthusiastic *****. It features a lot of classic rock at its best and is a must for any rock-n-roll enthusiast.

******CAN'T HARDLY WAIT--**The Album, like many classic rite-of-passage soundtracks of the past, brings together music-of-the-moment appealing to that particular generation's tastes. Because the movie is set at a '90s graduation party, this mix is wide ranging. Featuring everything from head spinning hip hop (Busta Rhymes, Missy Elliott) and alterna-one-hit wonders (Smash Mouth, Third Eye Blind) to rebellious provateurs (Guns N' Roses) and party anthems (Run-DMC, Parliament), the soundtrack avoids any ruts in listening enjoyment. In my humble opinion, *****. Buy the cd; it's well worth it.

Music reviews

by
**Stephen
Hopkins**

*****GODZILLA--**The Album contains a variety of different musical styles from a variety of artists. Let's get one important fact out of the way at the beginning. No, the Blue Oyster Cult song isn't on here. If you don't know what that means, it won't matter anyway, and we can continue. What you do get is what amounts to a rock-n-roll collection of oddities. Roots-rock heroes, the Wallflowers, cover "Heroes" by David Bowie. Led Zeppelin's "Kashmir" is source material for "Come With Me" featuring the studio talents of Sean "Puffy" Combs. Ben Folds Five contribute a song called "Air." Green Day also throws an

awesome remix of "Brain Stew" into the pot. I give it ***. If you have some extra cash, get it; otherwise, it isn't worth it.

****CITY OF ANGELS--** The Album is not quite capable of redeeming the movie's lackluster quality. In the bittersweet "Angel," Sarah McLachlan croons, "You are pulled from the wreckage of your sudden reverie/You're in the arms of the angel/May you find some comfort here." U2's "If God Will Send his Angels" asks the question, "If God will send his angels/And if God will send a sign/Where do we go?" The spiritual tome of this soundtrack, laden with angelic images, is set from the beginning, occasionally brought down to earth by bluesy entries like John Lee Hooker's "Mama You Got a Daughter" and Eric Clapton's "Further On Up the Road." A major part of CITY OF

ANGELS' appeal is its inclusion of previously unreleased material from Goo Goo Dolls, Peter Gabriel, and Alanis Morissette, whose "Uninvited" is a riveting, dramatically layered ballad which veers from sweet to edgy and stark. I give it **. An all right CD, but nothing you can't live without.

*--Worse than the Spice Girls

**--One hit wonder

***--Buy the single

****--If you have the cash

*****--Almost as good as

AC/DC

Clayton Cash - Polly Abney -
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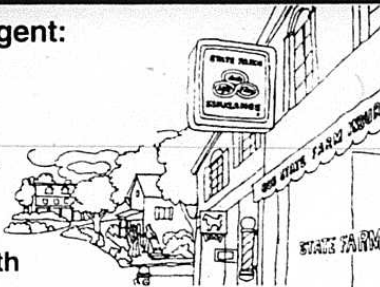


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Advice Column



Madeline & Finch

Dear Madeline & Finch,

I have a really big problem. My boyfriend STINKS!! Most of the time, it's only when he takes off his shoes. He also stinks every once in a while with bad body odor. I am at the point where I can't stand it. How can I tell him nicely he needs help?

Madeline:

Dear Person,

Take him to a private place, and explain that this is a problem for you. Be nice, and try to tell him gently, but be assertive on your feelings. If both people in the relationship aren't happy, then it's not good for either of you.

Finch:

Dear Person,

Maybe, he has a good luck tradition, like sports players do where he doesn't shower before he comes to see you. You should get him a gift, like soap or deodorant. If he doesn't get the hint then, just tell him straight out that he stinks!

Dear Madeline & Finch,

I have been going out with a guy for awhile, and he hasn't given me a good night kiss. I'm afraid he doesn't like me. What should I do?

Madeline:

Dear Anonymous,

Don't worry about the boy not wanting to kiss you just yet: I suspect it's not you who's the problem. Boys, particularly at this age, can be very self-conscious about things, especially girls. He obviously likes you, otherwise he wouldn't have asked you out. Give it time, and I'm sure you'll get your good night smooch.

Finch:

Dear Anonymous,

Maybe he doesn't know how to kiss. You need to be the one to make the first move, and teach him what he needs to know.

HOROSCOPES



Aries (March 21-April 19) You will conquer your goals. Homework will get deep, but dig in. The Sun, Mercury, and Venus are here to help you. Moderation is the key to success.

Taurus (April 20-May 20) This will be a busy month, but don't worry, you'll have lots of extra energy. Be sure to make a little extra time for that special someone, because Mars is visiting Leo and insures romances in your life.

Gemini (May 21-June 21) Jupiter is in your pattern, creating a longing to rid yourself of the old. Communication with a friend will help preserve a relationship. The tension will mount, but don't let it get to you.

Cancer (June 22-July 22) Chatty moon child will bring out your talkative side this month. Fight it; too often, words can get you into trouble.

Leo (July 23-August 22) A desire for better things will come to you. Uranus helps you to enhance your image. Mercury, Uranus, and Neptune will bring you a small fortune.

Virgo (August 23-September 22) Being a decision-maker is rough, but Pluto will help you. Mars is visiting Leo and will bring an urge to set high standards; keep them.

Libra (September 23-October 22) Venus is in your solar path. Love is around the corner, so be ready. It will come quietly, so stay on guard.

Scorpio (October 23-November 21) Jupiter meets Pluto in your solar path, causing a problem to occur with someone you care about. Don't give up! Things will work out.

Sagittarius (November 22-December 21) This month, Pluto brings disaster your way. Those you trust may turn out to be your worst enemy. Watch your back.

Capricorn (December 22-January 22) A cluster of Virgo planets will bring a yearning for new knowledge. Because of your busy routine, you're not getting all you want out of life. Take a break--love is in the air!

Aquarius (January 23-February 21) With Mercury's help, you will conquer an impossible goal. You may falter, but just stand up and try again.

Pisces (February 22-March 20) Though asked, do not play matchmaker for two friends. Remember...what people want is not always best.

WHO'S WHO 1998-1999

Mr. RCHS.....Andy Hale
Miss RCHS.....Mary Beth Browning
Most Cooperative (boy).....Andy Hale
Most Cooperative (girl).....Beth Blanton
Best Personality (boy).....Jon Burdette
Best Personality (girl).....Amanda Osborne
Most Athletic (boy).....Josh Martin
Most Athletic (girl).....Tiffany McClure
Most Likely to Succeed (boy).....Andy Hale
Most Likely to Succeed (girl).....Beth Blanton
Best Figure.....Jennifer Cromer
Best Physique.....Andrew Carrera
Biggest Troublemaker (boy).....Daniel Forbes
Biggest Troublemaker (girl).....Ashley Freeson
Most Handsome.....Andrew Carrera
Prettiest.....Jennifer Cromer
Class Clown (boy).....Stevie Bradley
Class Clown (girl).....Lacy Sexton

Best Dressed (boy).....Andrew Carrera
Best Dressed (girl).....Mary Beth Browning
Biggest Flirt (boy).....Stevie Bradley
Biggest Flirt (girl).....Lacy Sexton
Friendliest (boy).....Craig Sowder
Friendliest (girl).....Amanda Osborne
Most Dazed and Confused (b).....Shawn Kirby
Most Dazed and Confused (g).....Mignon Looney
Shyest (boy).....Dougie Griffin
Shyest (girl).....Christina Crawford
Most Rocket Spirit (boy).....Josh Renner
Most Rocket Spirit (girl).....Tiffany McClure
Senior Wanna-be (boy).....Josh Hale
Senior Wanna-be (girl).....Lindsey Vick
Biggest Mouth (boy).....Henry Bryant
Biggest Mouth (girl).....Corne Arthur & Bridgette Feltner
Cutest Couple.....Brooks Ingram & Paula Marcum

Prettiest Smile (boy).....Christopher Parsons
Prettiest Smile (girl).....Kalesa Robinson
Mr. Freshman.....Josh Hale
Miss Freshman.....Suzanne Graves
Greenest Freshman (boy).....Joseph Lambert
Greenest Freshman (girl).....Lindsey Vick
Mr. Sophomore.....Derrick Busell
Miss Sophomore.....Tara Abney
Silliest Sophomore (boy).....Josh Lyons
Silliest Sophomore (girl).....Jennifer Carmack
Teacher's Pet (boy).....Tom Mills, Jr.
Teacher's Pet (girl).....Mindy Bullock
Mr. Junior.....Gary Coffey
Miss Junior.....Brooke Roberts
Jolliest Junior (boy).....Robert Clark
Jolliest Junior (girl).....Angie Ford
Most Reckless Driver (boy).....Mark Proctor
Most Reckless Driver (girl).....Jessica Cobb

THE TOP SEVEN THINGS YOU WILL NEVER HEAR A FATHER SAY:

7. "Can you turn up that punk rock music? It really calms my nerves!"
6. "Here, you take the remote."
5. "You can't finish your peas? Go ahead and throw 'em away!"
4. "Oh no, Honey, sit this one out. I really can't wait to change that filthy diaper!"
3. "As a matter of fact, let's both go get our noses pierced!"
2. "Go ahead, take my car, and here's fifty bucks for gas."
1. "Gee, that Marilyn Manson sure is a wholesome young fellow. I'll have to go buy his new album."

-- Becky Davis



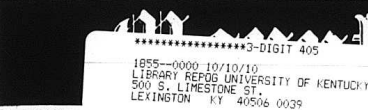
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Carmichael extortion trial to start Monday

Embattled former Commonwealth's Attorney Ray Carmichael, who was indicted in August for allegedly shaking down a Somerset Pawnshop owner is scheduled to go trial in Lexington on Monday.

Carmichael, who served as Commonwealth Attorney for Rockcastle, Pulaski and Lincoln Counties for the past three and a half years was disqualified immediately following his indictment. However, he is still getting his salary.

Carmichael is accused of extorting \$5,500 from pawnshop owner Rodney Adams and trying to extort between \$50,000 and \$100,000 from him.



Ray Carmichael

Carmichael's attorney, David Tapp of Somerset, released a statement saying that Carmichael was conducting his own investigation into wrong doing when the state police turned the investigation against him.

Veterans will not lose benefits

Interpet-perpetuated contentions that veterans will lose health benefits this month are false, officials connected with veterans' agencies maintain. As of Oct. 1, (today) veterans must be enrolled in the Veterans Administration Healthcare System to be treated at VA medical facilities, according to terms of the Veterans' Health Care Eligibility Reform Act of 1996.

However, James Foster with the Kentucky Center for Veteran Affairs, and Tracy Gordon, an eligibility clerk with Veterans Administration Medical Center in Louisville maintain that veterans who aren't enrolled still can get benefits.

They can apply and be enrolled at the time they need VA health care, according to the Department of Veterans Affairs. They find the nearest VA facility call (800) 827-1000.

Two more arrested on federal drug charges

Two more Rockcastle County residents have been arrested on federal drug indictments. According to the indictments, Barbara Deann Lovell, 24, of Quail and Troy D. Bullock, 25, of Sand Springs were arrested on September 17 by federal agents.

Lovell and Bullock were indicted September 3 in Lexington for what the indictment said was possession cocaine, and intent to distribute it on August 13 of this year.

Bullock was also forced to forfeit \$2,700 he had in his possession when police raided the Hwy. 25 Clean-up Shop where he worked on August 13.

Both Lovell and Bullock were released on September 18 after each posted a \$10,000 unsecured bond.

Bullock's trial date was set for November 9 and Lovell has a trial date of November 30.

If convicted, Bullock and Lovell could be sentenced to 20 years in prison and fined \$1 million.

Lovell is the step daughter of Ronnie Bradley, 45, of Quail who was arrested August 19, also on federal drug charges.

Bradley, who has been held without bond since his arrest is scheduled to go to trial on October 26.

Several injured

A Rockcastle County High School student was among the several people injured in wrecks throughout the county last week. Luckily none of the wreck victims received life threatening injuries.

Last Wednesday, Angie Stewart, 17, of Orlando was injured when the car she was driving was hit in the side by a car driven by Teresa Darward, 54, of Mt. Vernon. The accident occurred as Miss Stewart was pulling out of the Rockcastle County High School parking lot. Police said Mrs. Darward apparently ran a red light, causing the accident. Both individuals were treated at Rockcastle Hospital and released.

On Friday, another wreck occurred near a local school, this time at Roundstone, but it did not involve any students or school employees. According to police, Robert Powell, 17, of Berea, apparently drove his car across the center line into the path of a car driven by Minta Bullock, 58, of Mt. Vernon, about the time school was being dismissed. Mrs. Bullock was admitted to the Rockcastle Hospital for treatment. Powell was treated and released.

On Saturday, two Mt. Vernon women were injured when their cars hit head-on on the Sand Springs road. Police said that Barbara Graves 31, received a broken ankle in the wreck and was transferred.

Edna Allen, 17, received lacerations to the head and was also treated at Rockcastle Hospital. Allen's four-month-old daughter, Hannah, was not injured in the 1 p.m. collision.

Bittersweet Festival set for this weekend in Mt. Vernon

Statler Brothers in Renfro Valley



The world famous Statler Brothers were in Renfro Valley Friday night performing to a sold-out crowd. Many local fans said the concert was the best Renfro has promoted in 1998. On Saturday night, legendary performer Merle Haggard performed to two sold-out shows. This weekend, Gene Watson heads to the Valley stage.

Nine apply for top job at high school

By: Richard Anderkin
Nine educators have applied to be the next principal at the Rockcastle County High School.

Rockcastle Schools Superintendent Larry Hammond said Tuesday that three of the applicants were local educators and five of the applicants were from in-state and one from out-of-state.

Hammond said that he would give the three local applicant's applications to the site based council at the high school next Tuesday night for their review.

The three local applicants are current interim RCHS principal Ruth Allen, Rockcastle County Middle School Principal Johnny Hale, and Betty Jo McKinney, Language Arts Specialist for the Region Six Service Center and a former teacher at RCHS. The Superintendent said that he would do some background work on the other applicants, but that he would also turn their applications over to the council as soon as possible.

Of the six other applicants one is from Somerset, one from Martin, one from Liberty, one from Harrodsburg, one from Carrollton and one from Fort Meyers, Florida. All total there are five men and six women who have applied, according to Hammond.

Hammond said that at 8 p.m. next Tuesday the council at the high school will hold a public forum for those interested in the selection process to voice their comments about the principalship at the high school.

Hammond said the meeting's purpose will be to get the public's and the staff's input about what the qualifications would be for a good principal.

The superintendent said that the council is under no time line in hiring a principal and could even ask him to re-advertise the position if they do not hire someone from the nine applications received.

The principal's position at RCHS became open in August, after Hammond fired then principal Ronnie Cash. Cash had been teacher and principal in the local school system for the past 27 years and was beginning his twelfth year as principal at RCHS. Hammond would not comment as to why he fired Cash, saying it was only a personnel matter. Cash has appealed his firing to the state department of education.

Hammons hired as full-time officer

Livingston resident Sandy Nolan says that current Livingston police officer Bill Hammons has been harassing people, stopping people because they looked strange and simply being a nuisance to residents in the city.

Hammons has worked for the city of Livingston for the past three months after he was hired by the council in June. He was placed on a 90 day probationary period.

Nolan presented a petition to the Livingston City Council last Thursday against Hammons, and other officers Brian Hammons and Greg Poynter.

Nolan said the petition contained the signatures of 83 people from in and around Livingston and 52 signatures of people living in the city limits and registered to vote there.

But Nolan's efforts apparently fell on deaf ears as the Livingston City Council members present at the meeting voted to hire Hammons as a full-time officer and Greg Poynter as the part-time officer.

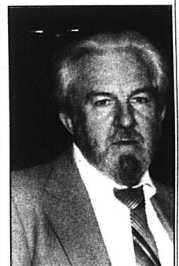
Hammons' son, Brian, who had been volunteering as a part-time officer was dismissed from his duties because of a conflict of interest, according to Livingston City Clerk, Angie Lovins.

The clerk said she counted 79 signatures on Nolan's petition. Of the 79, Lovins said that only 27 people on the petition lived in the city limits.

Following a closed door session, Mayor Sandra Tyree and councilmembers Curtis McHargue, Todd Mink and Katha Carpenter all voted to hire Hammons and Poynter. Aleda Bond, who is ill was not present.

Council member Katha Carpenter told a Lexington newspaper that some of the people on the petition were just trouble makers.

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Livingston officer Bill Hammons

A hearing date of November 9-11 has been set for Cash to appeal his firing.

That hearing, before a three member panel made up of people

from another area of the state, will be held at the central office of the Rockcastle County Board of Education.

The hearing can be open to the

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Orlando, Conway voting places moved

The voting place for the Orlando and Conway precincts have been moved for the November General Election, according to Rockcastle County Court Clerk Norma Houk.

Mrs. Houk, who is head of the local election commission, said Tuesday that voters in Conway would vote at the Brindle Ridge Fire Department and voters in Orlando would vote at a county voting booth on the property of Virginia Clark.

In the May Primary, voters at Orlando voted in a room adjacent to Philbeck's Market, but Mrs. Houk said the voting place had been changed because of some complaints during the voting there in May.

Estill Philbeck, who owns Philbeck's Market with his wife Teresa, said he was shocked to learn that the voting place had been changed.

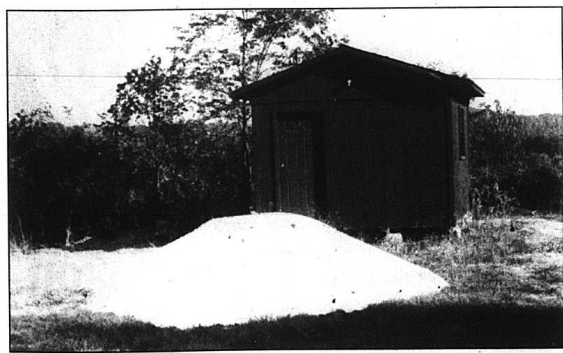
"They did not even notify us that it would be moved until we went to the courthouse to tell them it was ready," Philbeck said.

Philbeck said he thought it was a waste of taxpayers' money to pay to have a building moved and have electricity hooked up when voters already had a good place to vote in Orlando.

"Due to some complaints on various issues, and the fact that a building already owned by the county was now vacant and available and in order to have a good election, the county election commissioners voted to move the voting place for the Orlando precinct," Mrs. Houk said.

Mrs. Houk said she informed Philbeck of the complaints when he came to the courthouse.

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The voting place for the Orlando precinct has been moved from Philbeck's Market to the Virginia Clark property on Hwy. 1004. The county still has to gravel the area for the parking lot before next month's election.

HERESAY

By:
**John Norman
Meadows**



Precious souls, children of an evil age, greetings and remembrances from the not-yet-Autumn Del'O Wald, the life-long-love of the late Jasser C. Eddelbeter, home-time local station master for the I&N Railroad, and part-time peddler of Dr. Warden's *Female Pills for All Female Diseases*, who said, "Don't be downcast that your dreams never come true - just be grateful that your nightmares don't!" Speaking of nightmares, dear hearts, my dearly beloved delights in telling about mine, even to strangers and people she doesn't know! And what went on between her and I in what one night last week (Gasp!) figures to be the apex of all my nocturnal mental antics.

I was having a fitful night. Nancy had awakened me - or kicked me - several times. And then I, lying on my back, took muttering about. Nancy was wide awake, so she decided to talk back to me, hoping, I think, to find out things I wouldn't tell her otherwise. What follows is pertinent what was said, according to Nancy.

She: [shaking me] Wake up, honey. Wake up. You're dreaming.

Me: Unhand me, woman. I've

got a wife back home. [I moved a bit.]
She: What are you doing?
Me: I'm a cowboy riding this here horse. [I did not speak in my normal tone of voice but more like a rough and tough mountain man or a town-down loner on *Gunslinger*.]
She: What did you do before you were a cowboy?
Me: I hauled coal.
She: Where did you haul your coal from?
Me: Clay County.
She: What year model truck did you drive?
Me: A little green International.
She: What year model was it?
Me: A '37.
She: If you hauled coal in '37, you must be an old man. How old are you?

Me: Four score and s-s-s-seventy lebers.
She: Is your wife pretty?
Me: As pretty goes.
She: What is she like? Does she have a big behind?
Me: I'd better not answer that.
She: Oh, come on. Tell me.
Me: Watch your tongue, woman.
She: Can I ride on your horse with you?
Me: No-o-o-o.

Me: Nope.
She: Why not?
Me: It's broken down.
She: Why is -
Me: It's not my horse.
She: Whose horse is it?
Me: Belongs to the funeral home.
She: Which funeral home?
Me: Cox and Howell.
She: [Giggling] You must be really old being four score and seventy lebers.
Me: Ah, I got that from that old speech man, the one that splits logs.
She: Do you split logs?
Me: No-o-o-o.
She: Does your wife split logs, or kindling?
Me: No-o-o-o, we don't split with wood. We burn peat.
She: Peat? What is peat?
Me: It's what folks in Ireland burn in their stoves.
She: Ireland? Are you from Ireland?
Me: Yes.
She: Does it get cold in Ireland?
Me: Yes.
She: How cold does it get?
Me: Cold enough to freeze all the d--taters in Ireland.
She: If you were born and raised in Ireland, how did you get here?
Me: On the *Titanic*.
She: [laughing] Well, you didn't make it because the *Titanic* sank before it got to America.
Me: I got in one of them little boats.
She: Did you try to save anybody from the cold, icy waters?
Me: Yep.
She: Who did you save?
Me: A dog and a cat.
She: All those people and you saved -
Me: The dog and cat were the only ones swimming near my boat.
She: Did you name them?
Me: Yep. Named 'em Npsy and Daisy.
She: [Giggling again] What was the name of the cat?

Me: I named her Daisy.
She: [laughing hard] You mean you name a dog Npsy?
Me: Look woman, if the cat's name was Daisy, the d--- dog's name had to be Npsy!
[I sat up in bed.]
She: What are you doing now?
Me: I'm gittin' off this poor 'ner horse. Gonna take him back to the funeral home. They might need him to need him in someone ups and outs.

[I got out of bed, and walked into the kitchen. I stood there a moment and then opened the pots and pans cabinet. Out came six or eight big pots and pans. They made one h---uva noise.]

[Nancy came running. There were the pots and pans everywhere. And I was leaning against the wall sound asleep.]

There you have it, beloved. A normal night at Nod's Little Acre. Make of it what you will. I'm not think Nancy found out anything worth knowing. But there is one thing about that night that she will not know until she reads this article.

When I walked into the kitchen, I was fully awake, intending to go to the bathroom after getting a drink of water at the kitchen sink. Then my prankish mentality went to work. I thought: I think I'll make a big noise that will scare the h--- out of Nancy and see how fast she comes running to see what caused all the clatter.

I opened the pots and pans cabinet, and then heaved them all onto the floor.

Bang! Bang! Kabloo!
And more Klang! Bang!
Then I stood up quickly, slouched against the wall, and pretended to be sound asleep. And Nancy did come running, her gowtail - as her mother, was wont to say - a-flying in the air.

That's all for this week, dearly beloved. I'll do my best to write next week - if I'm able.

describe what happened in that little room next to the Oval Office. All he seems clear on is that Miss Lewinsky did something to him and this his response was "inappropriate." But it wasn't sex, as any "reasonable" person would define sex. He did not touch any of the forbidden areas of her body, as defined in the Jones deposition. That, too, he vividly re-

calls. Still, he has only *himself* to blame. Why is that? If the sworn testimony we heard today is true, he is as innocent as a suckling pig, but he knows never to do it again--whatever that was, is.

Sincerely,
Christine McKinney
West Chester, Ohio

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Rockcastle Community Bulletin Board

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

Bookmobile Schedule
Mon., Oct. 5th: Scaffold Cane, Disputanta, Anglin Falls, Clear Creek, Wildlife.
Tues., Oct. 6th: Buffalo, Castle Village, Adult Day Care, Negro Creek.
Wed., Oct. 7th: Ottawa and Bee Lick.

GED Classes
Is the lack of a high school diploma or GED standing in your way of gaining employment, advancing in your present job, keeping you from attending college or technical school? Then call us at 256-5307 we can help. Classes are always open at the CAP Adult Learning Center in Renoir Valley. Start any time!

TOPS
(Take off Pounds Sensibly) TOPS meets Thursday at 6 p.m. at Broadhead Christian Church basement on Main St. in Broadhead. For more info call 1-800-932-TOPS or locally 758-4871.

Kiwanis Club
Rockcastle County Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Thursday at Kastle Inn Restaurant. All visitors are welcome to attend.

Chili Supper
The RCMS boys basketball booster club will be sponsoring a chili supper Thursday, October 1 in the RCMS cafeteria. Meals will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. Cost will be \$3 per meal.

Road Test Notice
Effective September 28, 1998 Road Test, CDL, and Permit Test will only be given in Frankfort, Rockcastle County. Sign-up for the Road Test will be Fridays at 8 a.m. Permit and CDL testing sign up will be Fridays at 1 p.m. For further information please contact the Circuit Clerk's office.

Heifer Project Meeting
October 6th at 7 p.m. at the LEAP building. Taking applications for livestock. Call 453-9800 for info.

VA Rep
VA Rep will be at VFW building at Lake Louisville from 9 to 2 Monday, October 5th.

Bittersweet Festival Notes
Anyone who would like to participate in the Bittersweet Festival contact 256-5740 or 256-5039. Anyone wishing to participate in the parade call 256-5740 or 256-4661. Any vendor or civic organization interested in an Arts/Crafts/Food Booth call 256-5740 or 256-3437. Anyone wishing to place a go-cart in the parade call 256-4661 or 256-5740. There will be first, second and third place prizes sponsored by Andy Barnett.

Saddle Club News
Fall Round-up Ride and Annual Pig Roast Ride starts at 9:30 a.m. Oct. 2, 3, 4. Pig roast on 3rd at 6 p.m. at Club Campground.

DAR Meeting
Rockcastle DAR meeting Tuesday, October 6th at 7 p.m. Rockcastle Steak House. Jess Wilson, guest speaker. Public invited.

Extension Office Classes
October 2nd - 10 a.m. - Calligraphy; 11 a.m. - Veggie Mania. Call 256-2403 for details.

Open House
Open House for Rockcastle County Senior Citizens and Day Health Center October 2nd, from 3 to 7 p.m. at Mt. Vernon Center. Everyone welcome.

Storybook Parade
The Rockcastle County Library is sponsoring a Storybook Parade at the Bittersweet Festival. All participants should dress as their favorite storybook character. Children and parents should meet at the starting place for the parade down Main St. at 4 p.m. There will be transportation for children. The Storybook Parade will be held immediately following the parade. For more information call the library at 256-2388.

Join R.A.A.P.
Become a member of Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets, Inc. call 758-9202 or 256-5183 for info, or sign-up at our booth at the Appalachian Harvest Festival October 2, 3, and 4.

Voter Registration
The last day to register to vote in the November 3 general election will be October 5, 1998. Anyone needing to register or make any changes in their registration must do so by this date.

911 Board Meeting
911 Board Meeting will be October 6 at 6 p.m. at Kastle Inn.

SBDM Forum
SBDM Forum for parents and community will be held Tuesday, October 6th at 8 p.m. at RCH Library. This forum will be to discuss criteria and characteristics for hiring a principal.

Fish Fry
Woodmen of the World Fish Fry, Berea Lodge Hall, Saturday, October 3 beginning at 4 p.m. Lodge provides everything, come and bring appetite.

Crafts Booth
Crafts Booth at Appalachian Harvest Festival October 2, 3, 4. All proceeds go to start an animal shelter in Rockcastle County.

Fish Fry
Everyone welcome at Broadhead Volunteer Fire Dept. Fish Fry, Saturday, October 3, 1998 from 6 to 12 p.m. Adults \$5 children under 12 - \$2.50. Carryovers from 5 to 5 p.m. All carryover eat \$5. You may get carryovers anytime but after 10 p.m. you may have to wait in line. Menu: Fish, cole slaw, baked potato, mush, puppies, dessert and drink. All proceeds to BVFD.

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Our Readers Write

Dear Editor,
We would like to take this opportunity to respond to the numerous letters, e-mails, faxes, and phone calls from state workers concerning the high cost and lack of options for health insurance. Health care is among the most critical issues on the minds of Kentuckians, particularly teachers and state workers.
We would like you to know that this current problem did not develop because of a legislative action, but rather is the result of actions taken by the Executive Branch. We, as legislators, knew nothing of the changes until we read about them in the newspapers. Nor, it seems, were state employees or teachers consulted.
The Personnel Cabinet took bids for insurance coverage, and all of those bids were rejected because they were too high. Bids were taken again, and the result is that state employees will be offered fewer choices with less benefits and higher premiums. This is TOTALLY UNACCEPTABLE!
The Interim Joint Health and Welfare Committee recently met and

adopted a resolution opposing these changes. The resolution urged the Governor to provide the information that led to the suspension of Kentucky Kare, to keep Kentucky Kare in operation, and to allow state employees to be made available to current and retired state employees.
We are very much aware of your concerns. This affects the pocketbook of every state worker, and it is the hardest. It is not right that the increase in the cost of health insurance exceeds the cost of living increase each year.
We have spoken with several other legislators, and all agree these changes are unacceptable. Jointly we are communicating with the Governor about this problem, but only he can change things. We urge all concerned state employees to also relay their concerns to the governor's office.
We are working to improve this situation, and hopefully a united group of legislators will be effective in asking for changes to be made.
Sincerely,
Albert Robinson, State Senator
Danny Ford, State Representative

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Mary Bailey, Agent

At last the Clinton tapes have been viewed and what do we know? Well, for one thing, it seems clear that our esteemed leader has not the faintest clue as to what constitutes sexual activity, though reports indicate he has been practicing same since he was thirteen years old. And his memory is so poor as to be alarming. Would he remember to warn us if we were attacked? Would he know the definition of attack? The man obviously needs a good dictionary!

With his admitted preoccupation with other matters, including how to present his own story, the president missed some of his attorney's arguments in the Paula Jones case. He simply wasn't listening. Which explains the inappropriate answers and conflicting statements labeled by some as blatant lies. But it got him off the hook for the moment and the case dismissed.

During those long months of intense rumor and debate about his involvement with Monica Lewinsky, the president could not remember having met her, though she had made numerous visits to the White House, often late at night and on holidays and weekends. Then he couldn't remember ever being alone with her; had to consult his personal secretary. Still doesn't know what alone means!

Having danced around that question to the point of admitting that something resembling a romance had occurred, on a few occasions, his memory again failed him. For the life of him, he could not remember or

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Heifer Project meets at LEAP

Heifer Project animals (and training for their care) offer hungry families around the world a way to feed themselves and become self-reliant. Children receive nutritious milk or eggs; families earn income for school, health care and better housing; communities go beyond meeting immediate needs to fulfilling dreams. Farmers learn sustainable, environmentally sound agricultural techniques.

How Heifer Project Began
In the 1930s a civil war raged in Spain. Dan West, a Midwestern farmer and Church of the Brethren youth worker, ladled out cups of milk to hungry children on both sides of the conflict. It struck him that what these families needed was "not a cup, but a cow." He asked his friends back home to donate heifers, a young cow that has not borne a calf, so hungry families could feed themselves. In return, they could help another family become self-reliant by passing on to them one of their gift animal's female calves.

The ideal of giving families a source of food rather than short-term relief caught on and has continued for more than 50 years. As a result, families in 115 countries have enjoyed better health, more income and the joy of helping others.

Over one billion people will go to bed hungry tonight. With more than 50 years experience, Heifer Project has a proven approach to helping people obtain a sustainable source of food and income.

Success Stories
Families benefit through Heifer Project's approach because they gain a means of producing a steady source of food and income. Project families gain new skills and self-esteem from the training and support they receive in caring for their animals. Children have the chance to grow strong and healthy from better nutrition. Many families use income from their animals to educate the children, offering hope for a better future for all.

Community
Heifer Project works with grassroots community groups, who determine their own needs, and train and

prepare for their animals. They also decide who will benefit first from the gift of livestock and how the animals will be passed on to other families.

Environment
To end hunger effectively, food production must be sustainable and kind to the environment. Heifer Project trains farmers to manage grazing, plant trees and crops and use natural fertilizer in ways that improve the environment.

Women
HPI fund more than 80 Women in Livestock Development projects, which provide women with food- and income-producing animals, as well as training in leadership, community development and environmentally sound farming.

Community Development —

More Than a Quick Fix
Heifer Project works at the grassroots level by providing animals and training to organized local groups that request assistance. The organization's work is driven by the expressed needs of the people participating in the project. Typically, a project consists of three essential components:

1. livestock and other material goods;
2. training and extension work; and
3. organizational development, which includes planning, management, record keeping, passing on the gift, and reporting and evaluation.

Heifer Project works with community groups. First, HPI helps them analyze their situation. The groups ask: What do we want? (They often find a need for better food for the children or a desire to send the children to school.) What are our resources? What would we like to see happen five years from now? Then, they plan specific activities to achieve their goals.

At this point, the HPI project becomes reality. Farmers take training, build sheds, plant trees and grasses. Then the livestock arrives and the benefits of milk, wool, draft power, eggs and offspring begin.

Finally, the group evaluates its progress, and the cycle repeats as the group moves to more and more ambitious goals, each time visioning, deciding, implementing, reflecting.

Heifer Project is sponsored locally by LEAP. The next meeting is October 6 at 6 p.m. The meeting will begin with a potluck supper. Tammy Cornett of DogWood Knob Farm will be providing emu steak and burgers. Everyone else is asked to bring a dish. Please feel free to stop by and visit with some local people who are involved with this project. If you would like more information please feel free to call 453-9800 for more information.

Heifer Project Provides Lasting Gift
Passing on the Gifts. That is the cornerstone of the Heifer Project, where applicants receive livestock and repay their gift with the firstborn female offspring.

Many gifts have been passed on since this program was started by Livingstone Economic Alternative in Progress (LEAP) in 1990. Sheep, goats, beef and milk cattle have provided extra income and food to many low-income rural residents in Rockcastle County.

Take for example Lonnie and Vickie Anglin or Jim Gibbons who each received a cow. They have since passed on a young heifer so two other families can take advantage of the program.

This fall, the Heifer Project has opportunities for several families to become involved. The Heifer Project is run by participating members who run by participating members who can receive a livestock animal.

The next meeting is scheduled for October 6, 1998 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at the LEAP building, 4.5 miles south of I-75 on Hwy. 25. All are welcome.

If interested, contact LEAP at 453-9800.

GRAND OPENING

Pam's Flowers and Such

October 3, 1998
9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Pam Burdette would like to "Welcome" everyone to her "New" establishment in Mt. Vernon --

Pam's Flowers and Such

Located on Main Street next door to the Castle Dry Cleaners

Call Pam at 256-0700 or drop in between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

While there, ask about the "Dog House" Club!



Pam's Flowers and Such will be open for business Thursday, October 1st!

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National Wild Turkey Federation starts local chapter

The National Wild Turkey Federation has started a local chapter in the Mt. Vernon area. On September 9, 1998 a few people got together and developed some ideas for the new chapter. We talked about events for the chapter like a turkey hunting seminar and a conservation banquet. We even talked about a name for the new chapter. What about the "Wildcat Mountain" chapter?

There are a lot of interesting things that this local chapter can do and we need your participation and input. So we have scheduled another meeting for you to come out and get involved in the fastest growing conservation organization in North America. We

are very excited about having a new chapter in Mt. Vernon and want to pass on this enthusiasm to you about turkey hunting and conservation.

This is a formal invitation to you and your friends or family to come on out and become a charter member of the Mt. Vernon chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation. You will learn about the benefits of having your own chapter locally, about all of the great conservation work that you can be involved in and about the sport of turkey hunting. Come on out and join us and bring a friend.

The meeting will be Thursday, October 1st at 7 p.m. at Rockcastle County Courthouse.

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Obituaries



Recie Gadd

Recie M. Gadd of Niles, Ohio, died Sunday, September 28, 1998 at her home. She was 91.

Mrs. Gadd was born July 1, 1907 in Desputina in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late John "Monkey John" Gadd and Luthisie Croucher Gadd. She spend most of

her life in Niles, Ohio working as an assembler at Wilder's Manufacturing and Snack Shack Restaurant both in the 1950s as well as being a homemaker.

Survivors include: three daughters, Mrs. Russell (Oval) Bell, Niles, Ohio; Mrs. Frank (Wanda) Roysce of Chesapeake, VA, and Mrs. Thomas (Susan) Rooney of South Russell, Ohio; six sons, John V. Gadd of West

Farmington, Ohio, Egbert Gadd, Clyde Gadd, Donald Gadd, Blaine Gadd and Alvie Gadd, all of Niles, Ohio; 15 grandchildren; 21 great grandchildren; 17 great great grandchildren. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, John Gadd; aunt, Miss Luthisie Gadd; a daughter, Mildred Gadd; a son, Virton Gadd, Sr.; two grandsons and two very special people who raised Recie, Ruben and Elizabeth Abney.

Services were conducted September 30, 1998 at Williams Funeral Home in Berea with Bro. Wayne Harding officiating. Burial followed at Abney-Gadd Cemetery in Rockcastle County.

Denver Mize

Denver Mize, 58, of Rt. 1 Mt. Vernon, died September 28, 1998 at his home. He was born on July 13, 1940 in Rockcastle County, the son of the late Jay and Betty Renner Mize. He was a retired truck driver.

Survivors are: his former wife, Mrs. Pamela Agin of Rt. 1 Mt. Vernon; one son, Earl Mize of Cincinnati, Ohio; two daughters, Mrs. Denise Vestring, and Mrs. Deanna Mize, both of Cincinnati, Ohio. Nine grandchildren also survive.

Services were September 30, 1998 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Larry Proffitt officiating. Burial followed in the Mize Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Lee Gray, Danny Mize, David Mize, Ronnie Mize, Tony Bullock, and Shawn Hardy.



James Marcus Sigmon

James Marcus Sigmon, 78, of Roundstone, died Saturday, September 19, 1998 at the Berea Hospital. He was born on September 28, 1919 in Rockcastle County, the son of Beulah Reynolds Sigmon of Brindle Ridge and the late Tom Sigmon. He was a retired farmer, and press operator for Parker Seal Company.

Survivors are: his wife, Beatrice Rasmick Sigmon of Roundstone; two sons, Billy Gene Sigmon of Brindle Ridge and Jackie Len Sigmon of Burnt Ridge; one daughter, Mrs. Joyce Yave Gabbard of Green Hill; two stepsons, Billy Mason of Livingston and James Mason of Mt. Vernon; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Linda Foster of Livingston and Mrs. Martha Johnson of Lexington; 12 grandchildren; four great grandchildren and six step grandchildren.

Services were September 22, 1998 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bros. Billy Medley and Jim Miller officiating. Burial was in the Rimmel Sigmon Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: John Polly, Larry Thompson, Dennis Coffey, Roger Rucker, John D. Bullen, and Everett Johnson.

Cordie Gibbons

Mrs. Cordie Marie Gibbons, 69, of Rt. 4 Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday, September 23, 1998 at her residence. She was born June 9, 1929 in Lincoln County, the daughter of Finley and Mary Magdalene Hensley Gibbons. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church.

She is survived by: two sons, Simon Cody Byrd of Berea and Bobby Joe Byrd of Marcell; three daughters, Ann Hoskins of Orlando, Martha Mae Renner and Phyllis Polly, both of Mt. Vernon; a brother, Jim Gibbons of Orlando and two sisters, Nancy and Hensley of Orlando and Lucy Burnett of Mt. Vernon; 16 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Services were September 26 at the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Bros. Charlie Hensley, Billy Medley and Tim Hampton officiating. Burial followed in the Johnetta Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Bobby Moore, Jr., Bobby Joe Gibbons, Garrett Gibbons, Scott Dale Renner, Sterling Hoskins, Jr. and Enoch Polly.

Irven Dave Saylor

Irven Dave Saylor, 66, of Berea, died Saturday, September 26, 1998 of an apparent heart attack at the VA Medical Center in Lexington. He was a Rockcastle County native born February 17, 1932 and the son of the late James and Eta Alexander Saylor, and had been a resident of the Berea area of the most of his life.

Saylor was a farmer, U.S. Army Veteran, member of the Lighthouse Baptist Church and the Berea Senior Citizens organization.

Survivors include: five sons, Ray Saylor of Berea, Elwood Saylor of Dayton, OH, Dale Saylor, Donnie Saylor and Tim Saylor, all of Mt. Vernon; three daughters, William Saylor of Marion, IN, Essil Saylor of Lynn, IN and Condi Saylor of Berea; two sisters, Billie Smith of Houston, TX and Florence Reppert of Mt. Vernon; 11 grandchildren; two great grandchildren and three step great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one son, Billy Saylor, three brothers and one sister.

Services were September 29, 1998 at Reppert Funeral Home in Berea with Rev. Roy Himes officiating. Burial followed in the Rimmel Cemetery in Rockcastle.

Nephews served as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Jeff Kendrick, Keith Saylor, Chris Saylor, Josh Saylor, Jason Abney and Bradley Saylor.

"T.J." Wilcox

Thomas "T.J." Jefferson Wilcox, 80, husband of Alline of Broadhead, passed away Wednesday, September 16, 1998 at the Jewish Hospital in Lexington.

He was born on June 1, 1918, in Tennessee, the son of the late William Anderson and Elizabeth Moore Wilcox. He was a retired coal miner, farmer, restaurant owner, Army Veteran of World War II, a member of the Masonic Lodge of Whitesburg, member of Frank Creek Baptist Church at Eolia, Ky. and an active worker at Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

He is survived by: his wife, Alline of Broadhead; three daughters, Mrs. Carol Boggs and husband Ronnie of Partridge, KY, Libby G. Burdette and husband Tommy of Broadhead, Marsha Frank and husband Roger of Springfield, OH; two sisters, Beatrice Collins of Wednesday, September 16, 1998 at the Jewish Hospital in Lexington.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, Kate Wilcox, Blanch Fields, Betty Stacey and two brothers, Arthur and Billy Wilcox.

Funeral services were conducted

September 19, 1998 at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church with Rev. Arthur Bengo officiating. Burial followed in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: David Boggs, Gary Boggs, David Gibbs, Richard Gibbs, Matthew Franklin, Joan Franklin. Honorary casketbearers were: Bill Beate, Jeff Burdette, Robbie Crawford, Stephen L. Jung and Kelley M. Cornett.

Gracie Owens

Gracie Barnes Sweeney Owens, 76, of Manor Blvd., Crab Orchard, and formerly of Rockcastle County, died Wednesday, September 23, 1998 at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. She was the wife of Dale Owens.

She was born February 28, 1922 in Rockcastle County, to the late Mae and Flora Mae Stevens Barnes. She was a housewife and a member of the Faith Temple Jesus' Name Church.

Survivors include: her husband, Dale Owens, of Crab Orchard; seven daughters, Sue Thompson, Oma Cash, Dessie Oaks, and Judy Owens, all of Crab Orchard, Ruby Alexander of Broadhead, Irene Napier of Lancaster and Margaret King of Stanford; two sons, Johnny Sweeney of Crab Orchard and Gene Sweeney of Preachersville; one brother, Robert Barnes of Paris; four granddaughters, Irene of Broadhead, Maggie Baker of Crab Orchard, Lucie Barnes and Martha Sweeney, both of Mt. Vernon; 35 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren and 52 great great grandchildren also survive. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Walter Sweeney.

Services were held September 25, 1998 at the McKnight-Martin Funeral Home in Crab Orchard. Burial followed in the Ottawa Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Hobert Sweet, David Coleman, Joe Preston, Mike Johnson, Ricky Johnson, Kenny Stevens.

Jack B. Simpson

Jack B. Simpson, 58, of Lancaster and formerly of Crab Orchard, died Friday, September 25, 1998 at the Veterans Hospital in Lexington.

He was born December 31, 1940 in Lincoln County, to the late Beckham and Geneva Brown Simpson. He was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church and a veteran of the United States Army.

Survivors include: one son, Kevin Simpson of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Jacqueline Vanwinkle of Broadhead; one sister, Dorothy Foster of Shepherdsville; four brothers, Hulen and Loren Simpson, both of Crab Orchard, Donald Simpson of Dallas, TX and Bennie Simpson of Lancaster.

Two grandchildren also survive. Services were held September 28, 1998 at the McKnight-Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Volra Brown officiating. Burial followed in the Mt. Zion Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Eddie Simpson, Johnny Simpson, Mike Simpson, Danny Simpson, Bobby Martin and Terry Oaks.

Sherry Whitmore

Sherry Ann Hobbs Whitmore, 32 of Berea, died Tuesday, September 22, 1998 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center from complications of aplastic anemia. She was a Madison County native born February 3, 1966, a graduate of Jackson County High School, an employee of Rockcastle Manufacturing, and a member of Kirby Knob Baptist Church.

Survivors include: her husband, Steve Whitmore of Berea, her mother, Betty Payne Coffey of Richmond; three sisters, Mrs. Johnny (Vicky) Turner of Lexington, Mrs. Vincent (Rhonda) Browning of Berea and Mrs. David (Shannon) Eversole of Berea; six nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father, Cleo Hobbs and one daughter, Amber Nicole Whitmore.

Services were held September 25, 1998 at Reppert Funeral Home with Rev. Bruce Dyer officiating. Burial was in the Silver Creek Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Scott Whitmore, Larry Kidwell, Don Kidwell, Billy Ross, Craig Hobbs, and Timmy Johns.

Honorary pallbearers were: Johnny Turner, Vincent Browning and David Eversole.

Cards of Thanks

James Marcus Sigmon

The family of James Marcus Sigmon would like to extend great thanks to Cox Funeral Home, to the doctors and staff of the Berea Hospital, to those of you who brought food, flowers or visited, a special thanks to Bro. James Miller, Bro. Billy Medley and his wife for the kind words and beautiful words. Thank you to the pallbearers and everyone who helped in any way.

The Sigmon Family



Henry Lee Bowles

The wife and daughter of Henry Lee Bowles would like to say thanks to everyone that has helped them in any way in the year that we had a struggle to fight for Henry's life. There are so many people we can't name everyone so instead we say thank you to everyone. We couldn't have done all we did if it hadn't been everyone and God strengthened us. Everyone would just seem to say the right thing to us. We know God was watching over us everywhere we went. Because, we would get so tired but when we meet anyone they would pick us up. So we know God was using them to pick us up. Whenever we got in a need someone was always there to help us. This was really amazing. We help us. This was really amazing. We want to thank everyone that cared for Ashley, our daughter, after school because we couldn't have been home for her while Henry was on dialysis and in the hospital. Thanks to all of Ashley's friends that stood beside her during this hard year she had. Thanks for all the phone calls that was made during this whole year. They really helped us. The donations everybody gave was really a blessing. We hope God will richly bless them to each and everyone. The food, flowers, and cards were truly appreciated. All of the prayers that everybody said was what really helped us and it still is helping us. We just hope we can be as helpful as everybody was to us in their time of need. If we can help anybody in a time of need just how much we know. Because, we know just how

this does help. We really appreciate everybody that came to U.K. Hospital while we were there. We want to thank everybody that helped Henry at UK Hospital (doctors, nurses, nurses-aides, interns) We want to thank everybody at the dialysis center in Richmond. They were like a family to us. We want to say thanks for the two preachers that came to the hospital and talked to Henry so he could see he was saved. Thank you God for this. Thanks Joe Vanwinkle and Gordon Mink for their words they said at the funeral home. Thanks to Dowell and Martin Funeral Home for being so nice and thoughtful during our time of sorrow. We want to

thank everyone that showed their concern during the time of the funeral. We want to thank all of the pallbearers as Henry would call them (Ho Gabbard, Jelly Belly, Rooster, Red Man, Bubble Head, Easy Rider). I know Henry was really proud of these guys. We want to thank all of the churches that helped us in any way. We know God will bless each one of them. Everybody is still in our hearts and there always will be a special place for each of you all. May God bless everybody and we love everyone. We are looking forward to being with Henry again. Amen.

Sandra and Ashley Bowles

In Loving Memory



In Loving Memory of Mildred Ann Bullock

October 3rd would have been her 36th birthday.

Although her beautiful soul took a flight into the land where there is no night, Her name is carved in our hearts to stay. As we think of the things she used to say.

So she is not dead she is only gone

into a brighter more wonderful dawn.

For daughters like her are not born to die but like the sun that warms the earth she also warmed our hearts from the time of her birth.

We have happy thoughts that she lives again, so while her voice is still her spirit goes on and always will.

Although our loss of her has caused us much grief and always will until we walk through Heaven's gate where I know she waits to welcome us to that land free from all tears where joy becomes eternal and time is not counted by years.

We love her so very much and will always miss her until we meet again.

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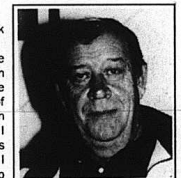
To the Voters of the Third District:

I am coming to you once again and asking for the opportunity to work for you as your Magistrate in the Third District.

I would like to tell you a little about my background. I feel it will be beneficial if you allow me to serve as Magistrate. I worked 30 years in state government. The first 12 years of my career I worked for the State Highway Department Engineering Crew. We inspected all aspects of road construction and blacktopping. Although I do not claim to be an expert or know everything about blacktopping and road construction I certainly am no stranger to this type of construction. The last 18 years of work was at the Department of Surface Mining. During that time I was a regulatory inspector responsible for seeing that several strip mine operations complied with the law. If you talked with the people I inspected I am sure they would tell you that I was reasonable and fair. Knowing how to deal with people and being reasonable and fair are certainly qualities that are needed in public office. I feel that my past experience would be useful while serving as your Magistrate.

In my last article I gave you my phone number (256-4865) and told you to call if you had any questions, concerns or just wanted to talk. If you do not have a phone and would like to write to me my address is Rt. 1 Box 535, Mt. Vernon, Ky. If you contact me I will get back with you. Even though I told you in my last article (and will probably tell you in every future article) I would like to tell you again I will make no campaign promises.

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Church News

Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Catholic Church to hold classes

Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Catholic Church will be offering adult education classes to review the Catholic Faith. These classes will be opened to anyone in the community who is interested in learning about the Catholic Faith. You do not have to become a member of this Faith to participate in the classes and we hope it will be a learning experience for everyone who attends. For further information call Renee Creech at 256-3901.

New Church

Church of God in Jesus Name is located on the left past Citizens Bank in Brodhead. Services are Friday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 6 p.m. Everyone Welcome.

Revival

Mareburg Baptist Church, US 150 Mt. Vernon, will be having revival services Oct. 4-7. Seymour Wattenbarger, Evangelist. Services start at 7 p.m. Bro. Wayne Harding and congregation invite the public.

Singing

Saturday, October 3rd at 7 p.m. at Sand Springs Baptist Church featuring Glorybound Inspirations. Danny Robbins, pastor and congregation invite everyone.

Homecoming

Congregation of Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church would like to invite everyone to attend our annual homecoming on Sunday, October 4th. Sunday School at 10 a.m., Worship Services at 11 a.m. Dinner following. Everyone welcome.

Homecoming

Brush Creek Holiness Church Homecoming October 4th starting at 11 a.m. Ambassadors for Christ will be there. Church invites everyone.

Revival

Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church beginning October 4th, 7 p.m. nighty. Evangelist, Rev. Billy Conn. Pastor is Bro. Randal Adams.

Revival

Galilee Baptist Church, Mason Lake Rd., Berea, October 4-7 at 7 p.m. Evangelist Mark McGuire, special singin each night.

Singing and Revival

New Hope Baptist Church Gospel

Singing October 3rd at 7 p.m. featuring the Cozart Bros. Revival October 5-10 at 7 p.m. Different preacher nightly. Special singing nightly. Joe Vanwinkle and church invite everyone.

Benefit Singing and Revival
The Climax Holiness Church Benefit Gospel Singing. Saturday, October 3rd at 7 p.m. Ambassadors for Christ from Verney, WV will be singing. Revival starts Sunday, October 4th at 7 p.m. Nahaniel Fugate will be preaching. Pastor Co. Himes and church invite everyone to attend

Revival

Fall Revival services will be held October 4th - 8th at Freedom Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon. Sunday morning, October 4th, services will begin at 10 a.m. and nighty services will start at 7:30 p.m. Messenger will be Evangelist Bro. Dale Rose, of Monticello. Bro. Rose has a special talent of using visual effects to present God's word. He can hold your attention while building your curiosity at the same time. If you've never heard and seen Bro. Rose preach, then plan now to attend these most interesting services. If you have heard Bro. Rose, then you already know what a spiritual experience you will encounter. Special music will enhance each service and nursery will be provided nighty. Pastor Bro. Shawn Madden, and Freedom's church family welcome you to share what God has planned for next week.

Homecoming

Sand Hill Baptist Church, October 11th, all members and past members invited to attend. Special singing by Dean Family.

"M" Night is Mon., Sept. 28
Rockcastle Association of Baptists will hold its annual "M" Night on Monday, September 28th. This year's host church will be Freedom Baptist, located on Freedom School Road in Mt. Vernon. Freedom's pastor, Bro. Shawn Madden, will deliver God's message from the third chapter of Nehemiah. Banners will be presented to the churches with the highest attendance and highest percentage of discipleship training enrollment in attendance. A special message will be delivered in song. Refreshments will be served immediately after the serv-

ice. Freedom invites you to join the fun and fellowship at this important motivational disciplinarily rally which will begin at 7 p.m.

Weigh Down Workshop, Inc.
Do you or do you know someone who could benefit from a Christ-centered Bible Study and weight loss program? There will be an orientation meeting this Sunday, October 4th at 5:15 p.m. at the First Christian Church, 160 West Main Street at the corner of Lovell Court, Mt. Vernon. You are invited to join to learn one and for all that dieting is not the answer! If you have any questions please contact Kathy Corry at 256-5138.

Dillon Asher and Hendrickson Reunion

The 1998 Annual Dillon Asher Reunion will be held October 2nd and 3rd. The Dinner will be held at 5:30 p.m. Friday, October 2nd at the Pine Mountain State Park Lodge. The All-day picnic will be at the Upper Shelter House in the Pine Mountain State Park beginning at 11 a.m. Saturday, October 3rd. Please bring

plenty of food for the picnic. The second Hendrickson Reunion will be held at the Pine Mountain State Park Lodge, Sunday, October 4th, beginning at 1 p.m. All descendants of Jackson Davis Asher, Josiah Asher,

and China Asher are also Hendrickson descendants. A 6-generation Dillon Asher descendants book and a historical Asher book will be available at both reunions.

Classified Deadline is NOON Tuesday Call 256-2244

Upcoming Reunions

Ponder-Norton

Ponder - Norton Reunion Descendants of Daniel Ponder Reunion at Levi Jackson State Park in London. Saturday and Sunday, October 24th and 25th. Please notify all relatives of upcoming reunion.

At right: The Wild River Band will be featured at the Bittersweet Festival (see schedule below). Members of the band, sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center, Inc. during the festival, are: James Miller, David Adams, Jerry Pennington, and Eddie Money. Manager is Bentley Cromer.



Bittersweet Festival 1998

Schedule of Events

Friday, October 2, 1998

- 4:00 p.m. Festival opens featuring Arts & Crafts, Food Court, Carnival, Antiques, Continuous Music and Entertainment on the Stage
- 4:00 p.m. Bogey Hill Boys Bluegrass Band
- 5:30 p.m. Bluegrass Country Ramblers
- 7:00 p.m. Bittersweet Cloggers
- 8:00 p.m. Dance in the Street to the Wild River Band
(Sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center, Inc.)

Saturday, October 3, 1998

- 7:30 a.m. Registration for 2nd Annual Bittersweet Vencor 5K Run and Health Walk
- 7:30 a.m. Bogey Hill Boys Bluegrass Band
- 8:00 a.m. 5K Run
- 8:00 a.m. Registration for Car Show in Depot Parking Lot (Registration \$10.00)

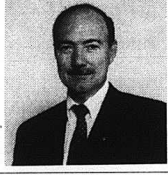
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- 7:30 a.m. Bogey Hill Boys Bluegrass Band
- 8:00 a.m. 5K Run
- 8:00 a.m. Registration for Car Show in Depot Parking Lot (Registration \$10.00)
- 9:00 a.m. Festival Opens featuring Arts & Crafts; Food Court; Carnival; Continuous Music & Entertainment on Stage
- 9:00 a.m. 5K Run Awards
- 10:00 a.m. Car Show Opens to public in Depot Parking Lot
- 10:00 a.m. Ercel Cromer Gospel Music
- 11:00 a.m. Julia Lutrell
- 12 Noon Donna Bullock Band
- 1:00 p.m. Judging of Car Show
- 3:00 p.m. Amber Thacker
- 3:30 p.m. Parade Lineup begins at Mt. Vernon Elementary School
- 4:00 p.m. Bittersweet Cloggers
- 5:00 p.m. Parade
- 6:00 p.m. Bogey Hill Boys Bluegrass Band
- 7:00 p.m. Country Jamboree Featuring the Southern Knights with Sherry Carrender
- 8:30 p.m. Wild River Band (Sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center, Inc.)
- 11:00 p.m. Festival Closes

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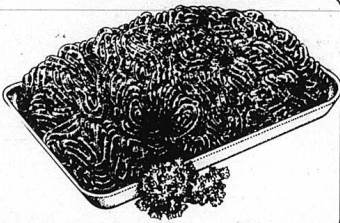
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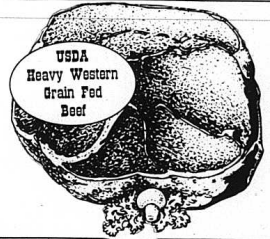
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Agricultural News

By Warden Alexander,
FSA Director

Loan Deficiency Program
The Farm Service Agency (formerly ASCS) is currently taking applications for the loan deficiency payments (LDPs). New changes to the marketing assistance loan program and the LDPs program make them more flexible for farmers to use during the 1998 harvest.

Many farmers are experiencing low commodity prices and many others have suffered natural disasters and these changes will give farmers more marketing flexibility and will allow them the opportunity to maximize their cash flow.
Farmers participating in the Agricultural Marketing Transition Act (AMTA) program will be able to obtain marketing assistance loans or LDPs for all of their production of wheat, corn, and other program crops without regard to how the commodity is harvested. Similarly, producers of non-contract commodities such as soybeans, designated minor oilseeds, and extra long staple cotton will be able to take advantage of these changes.

If you are a farmer who is a participant in the AMTA program or a producer of non contract commodities in 1998 — we urge you to come to the local FSA office and obtain more details and to file for the LDP payments.

Conservation Reserve Program
Sign up for the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) will be held beginning Oct. 26 and ending December 31, 1998. This is the third general CRP sign-up since enactment of the Federal Agricultural Improvement and Reform Act of 1996.

CRP is a voluntary program that offers annual rental payments and cost share assistance to establish long term resource conserving covers on

eligible land.

Annual rental payments are made based on the agricultural rental value of the land and cost share assistance is provided in an amount equal to not more than 50% of the participants costs in establishing approved practices.

The duration of the contracts are from 10 to 15 years.

To be eligible to be placed in CRP, land must be degraded, has been planted or considered planted to an agricultural commodity 2 of the 5 crop years from 1994 to 1998 that is also physically and legally capable of being planted in a normal manner to an agricultural commodity or marginal pasture land that is either enrolled in the Water Bank Program or suitable for use as a riparian buffer to be planted to trees.

In addition to basic cropland other conditions must be met to be eligible for enrollment.
For more information concerning CRP contact the Rockcastle Co. FSA or NRCS offices.

Article — Voter Registration

The US Department of Agriculture relies on farmers and ranchers to make adjustments to federal agricultural policy that help programs work best under local conditions. These decisions are made through county committees made up of local farmers and ranchers, who are elected by their fellow producers to represent the local agricultural community. As in any democracy, the FSA county committee system works best when every one participates, and to participate, producers need to get their names on the FSA name and address file. It's just like voting in a presidential or other election—only registered voters can cast a ballot.

The County Committee system is most effective when it represents all of local agriculture and the variety of business operations that give Ameri-

can agriculture its strength in today's world markets. The Farm Service Agency wants to make sure that all eligible producers—farmers and ranchers—are registered to vote in the upcoming County Committee elections. Truck farmers, organic growers, dairy or crop farmers, strawberry and cranberry growers, as well as other private and livestock producers, are all valued for their unique perspectives and business. FSA is especially interested in registering producers who have never stopped by a county office, as well as those who are part of partnerships and joint ventures. Everyone has an interest in the County Committee's activities.

Farmers and ranchers—regardless of the type of operation—are eligible to vote and actively participate in county committee elections when they register. All anyone need to do is stop by the local Farm Service Agency to sign up, and verify that their operation is in the county, or their administrative area, that the committee serves. Farm or ranch owners, operators, tenants, or shareholders that have any interest in the farm or ranch, and who are eligible to register and vote. Producers who don't even need to have been an active participant in FSA programs, or the principle operator of a large

farm to vote, but all voters need to register before the election.

Registering to vote is a simple process that takes only a few minutes and is repeated many times a day across the county. By getting on the name and address file at the local FSA county office, farmers and ranchers help establish a critical link between the US Department of Agriculture and many of America's rural communities. Participation in the election process helps USDA make services better, more efficient, and more reliable. Taking part in the County Office Committee election is one way to help provide for the future generations of Americans who will feed the rest of the nation.

USDA prides itself in the fact that no other federal department involves people at the local level in the kind of extensive way that USDA does through the farmer-elected County Office Committee system. By bringing people in at the local level, the Farm Service Agency is the most effective and direct voice for agriculture in the nation. The county committee system reflects the needs of the community and provides the understanding and expertise needed to make national agriculture programs work in America's rural towns and communities.

Appalachian Homespun Yarns at Renfro Valley

A.P.P.L.E., INC. presents the fabulous Blue Apple Players in their original musical presentation, *Appalachian Homespun Yarns*. There will be two performances at the New Barn Theatre, Renfro Valley Entertainment Center in Renfro Valley on Monday, September 28th at 10 a.m. and 12 noon.

This show celebrates the rich tradition of folklore that is indicative of this unique region of America. On cold autumn evenings, families in the Appalachian Mountains would gather around the fireplace as Grandpa told stories. Many of these yarns were "Jack Tales"; stories that arrived with early settlers and were told and retold for generations. The Blue Apple Players bring these "Jack Tales" to life with a talented cast of professionals in an entertaining story that stresses

the values of family and heritage.

The Blue Apple Players' original musicals are performed for nearly 150,000 students each year in over fifteen states in venues ranging from the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C. to school gymnasiums in rural Kentucky. Appalachian Homespun Yarns was written by Geraldine Ann Snyder, co-founder of The Blue Apple Players.

The Blue Apple Players will be returning to the New Barn Theatre on Tuesday, November 10th at 10 a.m. and 12 noon for two performances of *Make Room for Elmer*. Tickets for schools are \$4 for students, with one free admission per ten paid student tickets.

To order tickets, please call Lynn or Jennifer at 1-800-587-7990.

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Farm News

By: Tom Mills
County Extension Agent
for Agriculture

Southern Beef Expo

Beef Cattle Producers are invited to the first ever Southern Beef Day on Friday, October 2, 1998. This year's Expo will be held at the Center for Rural Development located on South Highway 27 in Somerset, Ky. A Trade Show will open at 8:00 a.m. and run throughout the day. Short educational sessions are also scheduled throughout the day starting at 9:10 a.m. and concluding around 4:20 p.m.

This first ever Southern Beef Day is intended to help farmers find ways to get the highest profits from their beef herds. Cow-calf operators are the foundation for Kentucky's beef industry. This program will challenge producers to think about the future of the beef industry and their operation.

Mark your calendar for Friday, October 2. This day may prove to be the most profitable day you have spent as a beef producer.

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| 1987 Ford F150, 6 cyl., 4 speed, Air, AM/FM Cass. All power..... | \$1,995. |
| 1983 Ford F150, 4x4, 6 cyl., 4 speed, AM/FM Cass. All power..... | \$1,495. |
| 1982 Ford F150, V6, 4 speed, AM/FM Cass. All power..... | \$995. |
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| 1990 Dodge D-150, Conversion Van, V8, Auto., Air, AM/FM Cass. All power..... | \$3,495. |
| 1991 Plymouth Voyager, Mini-Van, V6, Auto., Air, AM/FM Cass. All power..... | \$3,495. |
| 1988 Dodge Caravan, Mini-Van, V6, Auto., Air, AM/FM Cass. All power..... | \$1,995. |



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Dale and Sandy Whitaker have recently passed the state real estate exam and are now associated with Ford Brothers, Inc. of Mt. Vernon, Dale, a graduate of Cumberland College, received his Masters at EKU and attended A-Pass Weikel Institute. Sandy is a graduate of EKU with a B.S. in Medical Technology and attended A-Pass Weikel Institute. Dale and Sandy currently reside in Mt. Vernon along with their two children, Jordan and Hannah. They are looking forward to being associated with Ford Brothers and helping the people of Rockcastle County solve their real estate needs.

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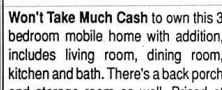
A Deck and Dandy 2 car Garage make this neat one-story home just what you need. Includes living room, dining room, kitchen, and carpet. **Sale Pending** M1116



Spruced Up best describes this newly remodeled home. With its new paint job, carpet and appliances, all it's waiting for is YOU!! It offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large deck, formal living room, dining/kitchen combo and is located near everything. Call Danetta for more details. Priced at \$74,900. M1085



2 For Your Money: Super nice bedford stone home with additional 2 bedroom rental property situated on approximately 3/4 of an acre and located at 345 McClure Street, Livingston. Home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room and kitchen dining combination. Property also offers a 28x26 detached garage. M1136



Don't Take Much Cash to own this 3 bedroom mobile home with addition, includes living room, dining room, kitchen and bath. There's a back porch and storage room as well. Priced at only \$29,900. M1153



Impressive! Wow! This is what your friends will say when they see you're the owner of this home in Houston Point Estates. The beautiful stone/vinyl home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, dining room. Home is situated on a wonderfully landscaped yard. All of this could be yours for just \$86,900. M1108



Like Being Out? Enjoy the tranquil beauty of this three bedroom brick home on three acres, more or less. **Sale Pending** M1097



Roomy and Reasonable 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick home, located in the Robert Ford Subdivision is just what you're looking for. Central air, heat pump and 2 car detached garage. Priced at \$79,900. M1150



REDUCED! Nice Vinyl Home and 2.43 acres more or less located just off 1004 near Hensley's Auto Sales. With 1600 square feet, the first floor features living room with cathedral ceiling and fireplace, kitchen/dining room with oak cabinets, master bedroom, utility & bath. Upstairs offers open loft and 3 bedroom comb. Also, a fully insulated wired metal building. Reduced to \$69,900. M1121



Once You Come In you won't want to leave this charming, brand new 3 bedroom vinyl siding home in the Sunset Place Subdivision. Full living room, dining/kitchen, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, utility and storage room. Cathedral ceilings in kitchen and living room and walk-in closet in master bedroom. Ceiling fans, heat pump, deck. **SALE PENDING** M1152



Lots of Space, Lots of Options in this 2 story vinyl siding home! First floor offers living room, dining/kitchen comb., 2 bedrooms, bath and utility and the upstairs has 2 bedrooms. In addition, the basement which could be separate living quarters offers 2 bedrooms, bath and utility room. Located on Chestnut Ridge and priced at \$85,900. Call Sonja for details. M1105



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. M560a



Summer Comfort - Relax this summer in this 3 bedroom luxury home. This first class home also features modern kitchen, formal dining room, living room and family room with cut stone fireplace and wavy Chateau throughout. If you'd rather be outdoors you can cook off in these 4 beautiful study acres with an inground pool. Owner will consider trade to smaller property. Just Reduced to \$129,500. M884



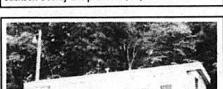
Lovell Lane, Mt. Vernon! This aluminum/vinyl siding home offers living, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, bath and utility room. Other amenities include full basement, city water and sewer, porch, gas heat, and washer/dryer hookup. Conveniently located and priced at \$36,900. Call today. M1037



New Listing! Peace and Quiet: Privacy and room to roam - the self-sustaining property consists of a nice brick ranch with full basement with drive-in garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen and dining area with french doors, lg. living room and much more. 105 acres with 26x46 barn, 650 lb. tobacco boxes, 8-10 stable acres, tall n young timber. All located on good backroad road w/airport. 15 miles of road frontage. Asking \$145,000. L1069



Red Hot! Be a cool cat in this completely remodeled 3 bedroom home with bath, living and dining comb., kitchen and utility room with full basement and the upstairs has 2 bedrooms. In addition, the basement which could be separate living quarters offers 2 bedrooms, bath and utility room. Located on Chestnut Ridge and priced at \$85,900. Call Sonja for details. M1105



Getting Started? This is the home you've been looking for. This 1997 mobile home offers living room, dining/kitchen comb., 1 bedroom. **Sale Pending** M1140



There's A Wel come Here For You! You'll smile when you see this beautifully cared for ranch style brick! This one story home features living room, dining/kitchen comb., 1 1/2 baths, living, dining, kitchen/utility room and den plus much more. All on 6 spacious (but private) acres and priced at \$79,900. M1151



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



West Main Street, Mt. Vernon! It's the handiest place in town. Walk to schools, churches and shops. This brick home offers 3 bedrooms, bath, living room & dining/kitchen comb. Added features include ceiling cable, city water and sewer, washer/dryer hookup, blacktopped drive and a landscaped lot. Priced at \$49,900. M1156



Just Listed For You! If a nice home situated on 4 acres in the country is your desire, then be sure to check this out! Located just off Highway 150 on 3245, this home offers living room, dining/kitchen comb., 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths and a utility room. Other amenities include: a 2 car detached garage, city water, an outbuilding as well as a mobile home. All this for \$53,000. M1118



PRICE DRASTICALLY REDUCED! Don't Pass This 'BUY!' Even rich folks like bargains, such as this 1 1/2 story home comes **SALE PENDING** M1074



Where It's At! This new one story 3 bedroom home offers living room, dining/kitchen combination and 2 baths. Attached garage, heat pump, central air and vinyl siding. Situated on a 1/2 acre lot in the Benton Blvd. Subdivision. Priced at \$69,900. M1146



In the Country! If you're tired of the fast track, then this is the home for you. Located just minutes from town off Rt. No. 461. This extraordinary brick home consists of living, dining/kitchen comb., open area with cathedral ceiling, bedroom, utility and bath on first floor. Second floor offers balcony, bedroom and bath. 32x33 garage, all on 5 wooded acres. \$110,500. L1064



3 Bedroom Brick located in the Willalla section. This home contains a living room, dining room and kitchen, family room, utility and bath. Situated on 3/4 of an acre. Just asking \$53,500. Call Sonja for your inspection at 355-7000. M1133



Located on U.S. 251 Commercial building with small apartment 60x63 metal building with 2 garage doors 11'2" wide and 16' tall. Overhead apartment has outside entrance. For rental lease possession. Call today for more information. \$129,900. M1147



Just Reduced! Special Bargain for Beginners! This 1988 Holly Park mobile home offers 3 bedrooms, bath, utility, kitchen, dining room and family room, electric heat and carpet. Priced at \$9,500. Located along Hwy. 150, Broadhead. Call Sonja for your appointment! M1119



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, carpet and central air, all situated on a 1/2 acre lot and priced at \$67,500. M1101



Just Ducky! Enjoy fishing or washing ducks? Both are within a hop-skip-and-jump of this lake front property. This 1 1/2 level home offers 5 or 6 bedrooms, 3 bath, living room, dining/kitchen combination plus much more. Priced at just \$84,900. Call Danetta to make your appointment. M1100



The Best for the Least! Beautiful home with 26x40 garage. Home completely remodeled and consists of 2, possibly 3, bedrooms, bath, extra large living room, new carpet and vinyl throughout, KJL electric, city water and sewer. Centrally located just 5 miles from south I-75 exit and 3 miles from north I-75 exit in the heart of Livingston. Unbelievable for \$41,500. L1060



Charm Plus Investment! Don't just own your own home, but offer yourself some extra income potential by purchasing this one with entry hall, living room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and bath as well as a large workshop. Home also features small bath, tool shed, 15x20 craft shop, and appliances such as washer/dryer, refrigerator, gas range and window AC are included. Situated on 9/10 of an acre with fruit trees, white board fences and small pond, this opportunity is yours for \$58,510. M1129

FUTURE AUCTIONS

Absolute Auction of Farm Credit Service's Office Equipment and Furniture Saturday, October 3rd at 10:30 a.m. London, Kentucky

Absolute Auction of Building Lots Maplewood 10 a.m. - Towing Hills 11 a.m. 810 West Main Street, Mt. Vernon

Absolute Auction of Mr. and Mrs. John Beaker's House and Lot Saturday, October 3rd at 2:30 p.m. 810 West Main Street, Mt. Vernon

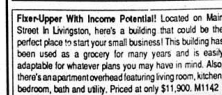
Absolute Auction of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Reynolds' 10 Acres, more or less Saturday, October 10th at 10 a.m. Lincoln County, Kentucky

Absolute Estate Auction of the late Ma. Etta Kirby's House, Lot and Personal Property Saturday, October 17th at 10 a.m. Berea, Kentucky

Auction of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wain's Approximately 100 Acres Saturday, October 17th at 10:30 a.m. Cannonball Road, Shoptown



Just Reduced! Newlywed or Retired? In either case, this home would be perfect. Home offers 2 bedrooms, bath, living room and kitchen. Other amenities include new room, kitchen, shed and 2 car garage. Reduced to \$39,900. M1124



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COMMERCIAL

20 Acres of prime commercial 1-75 property at Rentfro Valley. Great visibility from I-75, city water and sewer and good terrain with tremendous possibilities. May be your opportunity at \$300,00. M538

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FARMS

200 Acres Near Broadhead! Approximately 80 acres of bottom land and a balance in woods with some good timber. Owner has moved out of country and wants to sell. Priced at \$125,000. M1104

13.6 Acres of Retreat-Type Land in the Buffalo Section! Very private, tobacco base, an abundance of growing timber. All for only \$79,500. M1107

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

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! M937

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.

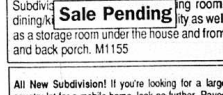
4 1/2 Acres Partially Cleared in the Walnut Grove section! Puttully County. City water available, priced at \$14,900. M1158

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You'll See the Value in this 3 bedroom Bedford Stone home, located in the McGuire Subdivision. **Sale Pending** M1155



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 Sunnyside Estates Subdivision. Financing available. Priced at \$7,900 each. M1048

New Development! Introducing the All New Hunter Ridge Subdivision! Located on Highway 150, across the street from Cedar Rapids Country Club. Prestigious restricted lots with underground utilities. Choose the lot of your choice! Prices range from \$9,500 to \$15,500 each. M948

Rockcastle Hospital's Heart Disease and Stroke Awareness program a success

More than 200 people participated in Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center, Inc.'s (RHRC) public education program on heart disease and stroke. The program, which ran throughout the month of August, focused on increasing awareness among Rockcastle County residents about the health risks and proper prevention measures associated with heart disease and stroke.

With early detection of high cholesterol levels increasing the chances of preventing future problems, RHRC offered free cholesterol screenings to the public throughout the week of Aug. 24. More than 200 people participated by stopping by the hospital's lab for a blood test. The participants' blood samples underwent testing by RHRC's lab and then were confidentially forwarded to their family physicians. Each cholesterol-screening participant received a \$60 service from the hospital at no charge.

"This education program allowed people who may have never checked their cholesterol levels before or for some time to be aware of their risk for developing heart disease and having a stroke," said Dr. Karen Saylor of RHRC. "And by knowing if their cholesterol levels are high, they have a chance to change their lifestyle now and ultimately help prevent heart disease and stroke."

In addition to the free cholesterol screenings, the hospital distributed educational materials on heart disease and stroke to the public through radio commercials, newspaper advertisements, articles and information booths set up throughout the hospital.

"We couldn't be more pleased about the participation from Rockcastle County residents. And we're excited to see the dedication to good health this community has," said Lee Keene, administrator of RHRC.

Solar Energy fits right at home in Kentucky

On Saturday, October 17, three local homes (with more anticipated) will be opening their doors to the

public to demonstrate how solar energy is being used to heat water, light buildings, power appliances and

warm homes. It's all part of the National Tour of Solar Homes, organized locally with the help of Appalachia - Science in the Public Interest (ASPI).

The homes in eastern Kentucky portion are located in Lexington, Livingston, and Dryfus (near Berea). Tour hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Visitors to these homes will be able to ask about solar energy's cost, benefits, maintenance and savings.

"Solar energy makes sense today. The technology has advanced to such a degree that homeowners can heat their homes and water, as well as generate their own electricity, with just as much reliability as it offered through utility companies," says Joshua Bills, appropriate technology consultant at ASPI. All three of the homes scheduled for the tour generate electricity using solar photovoltaics. One of the homes also incorporates passive solar design for winter heating. These homes also incorporate energy efficiency measures as well.

The benefits of solar homes are many. Solar energy does not produce pollutants as does fossil fuels and it poses much less risk than nuclear fuels. Improvements in solar panel construction (for electricity or heating water) have made them less costly to install and easier to maintain.

On October 17, solar-powered homes in over 100 communities in 43 states will open their doors to the public for the 6th annual National Tour of Solar Homes. The tour is sponsored nationally by the American Solar Energy (ASES), U.S. Department of Energy, BP Solar, Red Goods Trading Company, Interstate

Renewable Energy Council, Utility Photovoltaic Group and Home Depot.

For more information about the tour, contact Matt Green at 606-271-9102.

ASPI located in Mt. Vernon, is a nonprofit organization promoting technology that is appropriate and responsive to the needs of citizens within central Appalachia.

"Nine Apply"

(Cont. from front)

public if Cash request it be, but otherwise it would be held behind closed doors, according to the school board's attorney Carl Clontz.

Since Cash's dismissal, Hampton moved to replace him until a new principal can be hired.

The hiring of the new principal is of course the responsibility of the council members at RCHS.

They include: teachers, Debbie Cash, Tom Larkey and Jeff Hayes and parent members Debbie Brown and Yvonne Carmack.

However, the five council members can only choose from applications submitted to them by the Superintendent. They can, however, reject them all and request more.

Also, RCHS English teacher Julie Cruse has taken a job in another county. Ms. Cruse brought sexual harassment charges against Cash in March of this year. Those charges are still pending before the department of education.

"Voting Places"

(Cont. from front)

Philbeck said the only complaint he was aware of was that a bathroom in his store was not available the day of the election because it was torn up.

Philbeck said that if a bathroom was the problem, the county could have rented a port-a-potty - something they will probably have to do at the Clark property."

Mrs. Houk said the commission had not decided yet whether or not to rent a port-a-potty or use the bathroom at the Clark's residence.

Mrs. Houk would not comment further, saying only that any decision to move a voting place was totally left up to the election commission and the fiscal court has no say.

"I wonder if the fiscal court would move the courthouse to somewhere else in the county if someone complained," Philbeck said.

Mrs. Houk said it was going to cost the county about \$400 to be building moved from Conway to Orlando.

"Hammons"

(Cont. from front)

Livingston resident Vonie Mink, whose home has been broken into several times and who scared away a burglar earlier this year when he broke into her home while she was sleeping said she thought the police were doing a good job. "We need police, I know that better than anybody," she said.

Hammons, who was hired with funds through the federal government COPS program, will earn a salary of \$21,000 annually.

Youth League

Football Results

September 15, 1998

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| Redskins | 8 |
| Bucs | 6 |
| Skins Scoring - Justin Albright, TD, 2 Pt. Field Goal, Kenny Gidd | |
| Bucs Scoring - Izak McQuary, TD. | |
| Wildcats | 30 |
| Bengals | 6 |
| Wildcats Scoring - Jamie Howard and all four TD's, Colby Brown, 3-2 pt. field goals. | |
| Bengals Scoring - Chris Petry, TD. | |

September 22, 1998

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| Redskins | 20 |
| Wildcats | 16 |
| Skins Scoring - Justin Albright, 3 TD's, Dustin Albright 2 Pt. Field Goal. | |
| Wildcats Scoring - Colby Brown, TD, Jamie Howard TD, Brown, 2, 2 Pt. Field Goals. | |
| Bengals | 16 |
| Bucs | 0 |
| Bengals Scoring - Zachary Burkhardt, TD on kick-off return, Jarrod Brown, TD, Anthony Cunagin, 2, 2 Pt. Field Goals. | |

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| Records: | |
| Wildcats | 3-1 |
| Bengals | 3-1 |
| Redskins | 2-2 |
| Bucs | 0-4 |

Schedule Oct 1, 1998

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| Redskins - Bengals | 6:30 |
| Wildcats - Bucs | 7:45 |

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| 88 Pontiac Grand Am, 4 Dr., Auto, Extra Clean, Local Trade | \$2,500. |

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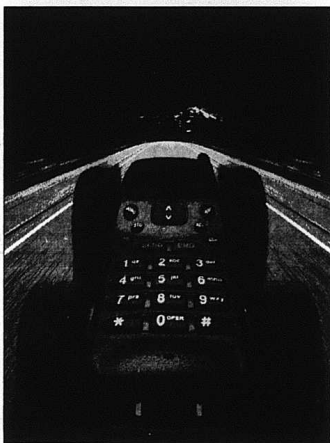
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There were four members to receive their state FFA Degree. Those members were Charles Leger, William Leger, Eric Helton and Travis Wynn.



Members of the Chapter Meeting Team were back row, from left: John Dyehouse, Jeremy Reynolds, Matt Hayes, Travis Ingram, Charles Leger and Roy Adams. Front row from left: Chaz Cable, Eric Helton, Brady Ray Durham, Travis Wynn and William Leger.



The Agricultural Sales Team placed sixth at state. The team was William Leger, Charles Leger, Waylon Isaacs, Steven Powell.



FFA members attending state were back row from left: Travis Wynn, Roy Adams, William Leger, Matt Hayes, Waylon Isaacs, Charles Leger, Travis Ingram, John Dyehouse. Middle row from left: Kendall Mink, Eric Deney, Eric Helton, Jeremy Reynolds, Josh Lyons. Front row from left: Brady Ray Durham, Chaz Cable, Ashley Lawson, Steven Powell.

FFA attends state convention

During our very busy summer the FFA attended the state FFA convention. While we were there we competed in several contests and were recognized for our accomplishments in state activities. The convention was held at the Galt House in Louisville on June 10-12.

We are very proud to report that our chapter did very well in its competition. The chapter meeting team placed second and was the highest scoring team in the written test portion. Members of the team were: president, William Leger; vice-president, Jeremy Reynolds; secretary, Matthew Hayes; treasurer, Eric Helton; reporter, John Dyehouse; sentinel, Charles Leger; members - Chaz Cable, Brady Durham, Travis Wynn and Roy Adams.

Our record keeping team also did very exceptional. They placed fourth overall as a team. The members were: Josh Lyons, Eric Denney, and Ashley Lawson. Ashley was the fourth high individual in the state.

Another contest that our chapter competed in was the State Agricultural Sales Contest. The team consisted of: Waylon Isaacs, Charles Leger, William Leger and Steven Powell. Our team placed sixth overall and Steven tied for fourth high individual.

John Dyehouse participated in the State Swine Impromptu Speaking Contest. Roy Adams participated in the State beef Production Proficiency. Nick Isaacs participated in the State Turf Grass Management Proficiency. Mark Carpenter also participated in a state proficiency, is proficiency was Food Science and Technology.

The chapter as a whole also did well. We received a State Gold Rating. This is the highest rating possible that a chapter can receive. It is based on the activities the chapter had participated in as recorded in the secretary's book.

While we were there our chapter had the privilege to attend the State FFA Alumni Convention. Two members were recognized for receiving grants through the Alumni. Jason Whicker received \$50 to attend the FFA Leadership Training Center. Matthew Hayes is one of only two students to receive a \$450 scholarship to attend the Washington Leadership Conference.

Brady Durham and Matthew Hayes served as delegates for the chapter. Three members also served on the Courtesy Corps. Those members were Matthew Hayes, Roy Adams and John Dyehouse.

Jon Adams received a very prestigious honor. He was elected to be the sentinel on the 1998-99 State Officer Team. His first duty as an officer was to present retiring officer Matt Chaliff with his retiring State Officer pin. Matt had served on the 1997-98 state officer team as the Kentucky River Region State Vice-President.



The Record Keeping Team consisted of Ashley Lawson, Josh Lyons and Eric Denney. They placed fourth at state. Ashley was fourth high individual.

Mt. Vernon Message

Greetings from MVES!
Remember, school will be dismissed early this Thursday, Oct. 1 in order for bus drills to be conducted. Walkers will be dismissed at 2:30 and buses will be released at approximately 2:50. Also, there will be no school on Friday, October 2 due to the Kentucky Education Association conference.

Counselor's night continues each Tuesday night for parents to come in and share concerns, inquire about their children, etc. This Tuesday, Oct. 6, Debbie Cummins will be available after school from 3 to 7 p.m. Parent may stop by or call 256-2953. Also Regina Jett, Family Resource Coordinator will be available each Tuesday night from 4 to 6 p.m. After 6 p.m. will require an appointment.

Counselor's Night for Tuesday, October 13 has been cancelled due to the fact that both Ms. Cummins and Mrs. Anderkin will be in attendance at the Fall Kentucky Counselor's Association conference in Louisville.

Family Resource personnel will still be available.

Deadline for purchase of Fall school pictures is Wednesday, Oct. 7. Proof's and money should be turned in by this date.

Enrichment classes are now underway and are held from 3:30 to 4:30 on the following Tuesdays: Oct. 6, Oct. 20, Oct. 27, Nov. 10 and Nov. 17. Call 256-5173 for more information.

Congratulations to the following fourth and fifth grade students for being selected to perform in Central Kentucky Music Educator's Association (CKMEA) concert: Kyle Busell, Ashley Ridner, Megan Alcorn, Matthew Carter, Morgan Kinn, Meagan Griffin, Kayla Lear, Kari Jones, Shawetha Smith, Derrick McClure, Ty Brooms and Allison Carter. Further details of this concert will be printed in next week's Message.

Thought for the week: Attitudes are contagious: Is yours worth catching?



Heather Bray receives Dizney Scholarship

Heather Bray, daughter of Richard and Jenny Bray of Mt. Vernon, recently received the Dizney Scholarship from Eastern KY University.

The Tinsley and Mamie Dizney Memorial Endowed Scholarship Fund was established at Eastern Kentucky University by Donald R. Dizney to honor the memory of his beloved grandparents, Tinsley and Mamie Dizney, of Loyall, Kentucky, and to promote the education of deserving students who enroll full-time at Eastern Kentucky University.

The following criteria is applied for awarding the scholarship:

1. A commitment to nursing/health professions as a career.
2. Graduation from an accredited Kentucky high school with high academic potential. A high school grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a four-point system. The student's ACT and graduating class rank will also be considered.
3. A record of citizenship, leadership, and service to school, church, and community.
4. Other humane qualities espoused by Mr. and Mrs. Dizney during their lifetimes.

The scholarship of \$500 per semester/\$1,000 per year is renewable for a maximum of eight semesters, providing the student maintains a high grade point average (3.0 or higher) and remains in good standing with the University in all areas. The initial scholarship is made at the beginning of the scholar's freshman year.

Tiger Pause

Bus drills are scheduled for Thursday, October 1. School will dismiss at 2:30. Remember, there is NO SCHOOL on Friday, October 2, due to CKEA.

We would like to say goodbye to a very special person at BES. Mr. Gary Scott, our PE teacher, retired last week after 27 years of service. We will miss your Mr. Scott but we will miss your Mr. Scott but we will miss you the best!

We want to welcome Mr. Charles Bullen to Brodhead Elementary. Mr. Bullen will be our new PE teacher.

Join us for Family Night this Thursday as we welcome Warren "The Wizard" Welsh back to BES. Mr. Welsh has performed his magic for us at BES in the past and his performance was enjoyed by many. Don't miss this opportunity to see why! There is no charge for Family Night and the show begins promptly at 6 p.m. Please remember to show all of our guests the respect and attention they deserve. We ask to no one be on the play equipment that is in the gymnasium. It is not open for use. It

is not part of our program and is very disruptive to those trying to listen to our performers.

If you haven't been saving your Campbell's Soup labels now is a good time to start. PTA is once again holding the Campbell's collection in order to earn items for BES. Last year we collected enough labels to receive the computer program Oregon Trail that can be used school wide and a microscope for our students. This is an easy way to earn valuable educational supplies for your children.

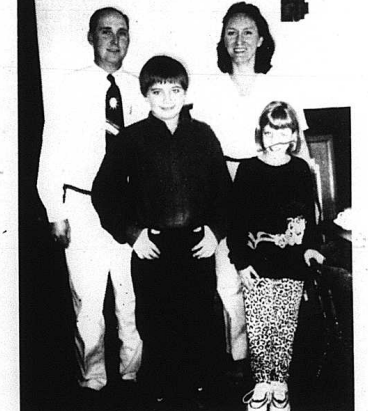
The Leather Gallery at Renfro Valley is sponsoring an attendance incentive program for us this month. Each student in each class that has perfect attendance (no tardies or absences) between September 30 and October 28 will be awarded a coupon good for one free Puffkin. The coupon may be redeemed at the Leather Gallery during regular business hours. Remember that the ENTIRE class must have perfect attendance for each child to be eligible.

Youth talk about 4-H Camp to Kiwanis Club

By John McQuary
Co. Ext. Agent for 4-H/Youth Dev.

On Thursday, September 24, 1998, two Rockcastle Co. 4-H Youth spoke to the local Kiwanis Club. Josh Lovell, a sixth grade student at Rockcastle Co. Middle School, and Shain McHaffey, a fourth grade student at Roundstone Elementary School, spoke about attending last year's 4-H Camp. Josh and Shain

told the group how much they enjoyed 4-H Camp. They also talked about what classes they had taken, as well as the things they had learned in their classes. Both agreed that the biggest assets to 4-H Camp were meeting new friends, learning how to get along with each other, and learning how to work together. Special thanks to the Rockcastle Kiwanis Club for sponsoring 4-H youth to attend camp.



Josh Lovell and Shain McHaffey pictured with Tammy Cox, Kiwanis member and John McQuary, 4-H Agent.

MVES raises over \$5,000 for Easter Seals

Coach "Tubby" Smith and the UK Wildcats salute the faculty of Mt. Vernon Elementary School for their participation in the 18th Annual Coach "Tubby" Smith UK Wildcat Basketball Shootout for Easter Seals.

118 MVES students raised \$5,747.43 for Easter Seals by collecting pledges for baskets made during a 3-minute period. Students are awarded prizes based on the amount of money they raise. The top boy and girl at MVES are Michael Rowe raising \$297.50 and Mary Brinson raising \$415.00. The top basketball shooter at MVES is Ronny Lee

McClure making 89 baskets.

Money raised will make a big difference in the lives of the children and adults served by Easter Seals. Funding will benefit new and expanded programs and facilities throughout the state, including: Cardinal Hill Rehabilitation Hospital in Lexington and its outreach centers, the Geiger Center in Ashland, Camp Kysse in Carrollton; the Northern Kentucky Center in Covington, and the Louisville Easter Seal Center and its satellite facilities. Funds raised by schools are designated to the centers in the school's home area.



Rockets lose to Scott Co., 36-10

By: Dackery Larkey
When your opponent schedules you for their homecoming game it usually means trouble.

And trouble is what the Rockets found Friday night when they invaded Rawlings Field at Georgetown to play the Scott County Cardinals.

The strong, fast, talented Cardinals handed the Rockets their third loss of the season 36-10.

Scott County, which is ranked 11th overall in the state was simply too much for the Rockets, as they used their speed and strength to score 29 unanswered points after the Rockets had managed to take a 10-6 lead in the second quarter.

Rockcastle played extremely well the first half, but could not muster any offense the second half as they were blanked 21-0 in that half.

Rockcastle received the opening kickoff with decent field position, and on first down Derrick Bussell ran 12 yards down the right side of the field to pick up a 10 yard gain. On a four yard loss by Bussell and a five yard penalty, the Rockets looked like they were in trouble, but a nine yard pass from Christopher Parsons to Andy Hale gave them new life.

After a holding penalty on the Rockets, Andy Hale caught two consecutive passes for 10 and seven yards to make it third and three. An offside penalty gave the Rockets a third and eight situation. A long pass from Parsons to Josh Singleton was slightly overthrown, as the Rockets had to punt after taking five minutes off the clock.

The Cardinals took over on their own 20 yard line. They marched down the field 80 yards in eight plays for the first score of the game. The extra point fake was broken up by Derek Bradley and the Cardinals led 6-0.

After a short kick by Scott County, the Rockets took over on their own 40 yard line.

Two good carries by Josh Hendrickson and an eight yard pass to Singleton led to a Bussell touchdown from three yards out. The extra point was good by Greg Terry and the Rockets led 7-6.

On the kickoff, Kevin Childress put a hard shot on a Scott County player.

Two sacks by Henry Bryant and Sean Smith set the Cardinals up with a fourth and five.

The next time the Cardinals would get the ball they would fumble, which was covered by Andrew Carrera, after a Brooks Ingram and Josh Jones hit on the Scott County quarterback.

The Rockets had the ball on the Scott County 17 yard line, and added to their lead with a 32 yard field goal by Terry, making it 10-6.

But Scott County came right back. On their first play, a Scott County back broke loose down the right side of the field before being knocked out-of-bounds on the two yard line. Scott County went on to score making it 12-10.

The Rockets would punt once again, and Scott County would take advantage of the opportunity with a field goal after a tough Rocket defense stopped them short of a touchdown, 15-10.

Starting off the second half the Cardinals received the ball on the 46 yard line after a series of penalties. Scott County would add a touchdown on this drive almost looking like it dismantled the Rockets hopes of getting back in the game as they were behind 22-10.

The Rockets would punt on their next possession to the Cardinals 42 yard line. The Cardinals scored on their first play making it 29-10.

In the fourth quarter the Cardinals scored on a 20 yard run for the final of 36-10.

The Rockets had a total of 161 yards of offense. The running game was led by Derrick Bussell who ran the ball 20 times for 66 yards and one touchdown. Josh Hendrickson had 29 yards on six carries. Josh Singleton had 18 yards on six carries. Brooks Ingram rushed for two yards on one carry and Chris Parsons had one yard on five carries. Chris Parsons went 6 for 13 for 45 yards passing and two interceptions. Derrick Bussell was one for one with seven yards and field goals. Andy Hale caught six passes for 44 yards and Josh Singleton had one catch for eight yards. Greg Terry was one for one on extra point attempts and had one 32 yard field goal.

Josh Jones had 10 tackles and two sacks. Brooks Ingram had nine tackles and one sack. Andrew Carrera had seven tackles. Henry Bryant had seven tackles and one sack. Derrick Bussell had six tackles. Josh Hendrickson picked up five tackles. Matt Martin gathered four tackles. Derek Bradley and Jeffrey Linville had three tackles. Travis Ingram, Bobby Cundiff, Greg Harper, and Sean Smith all had two tackles and Andy Hale had one tackle.

The Rockets will play host to district rival Wayne County Friday night. Game time is 8 p.m. Wayne County is 4-1 this season with their only loss coming to Pike County.



Senior Josh Jones bares down on the Scott County quarterback. Jones led the Rockets with 10 tackles and two sacks.



A Scott County back beats Rockets Henry Bryant and Derek Bradley to the corner in Friday night's action at Rawlings Field. The Rockets lost 36-10.

Junior varsity beats East Jessamine, 25-0

The Rockcastle County Rockets junior varsity team upped their record to 5-1 on Monday night with a 25-0 win over East Jessamine County.

Josh Dooley scored in the second quarter to give the junior varsity a 6-

lead, which place kicker Greg Terry made 7-0 shortly thereafter.

Terry added a 20 yard field goal to make the score 10-0 at halftime.

Dackery Larkey caught a touch-

down pass from Dustin Crawford in the third and Kevin Childress caught a two point conversion pass for the extra points to give the Rockets a 18-0 lead.

The junior varsity rounded out the scoring in the fourth quarter when Travis Ingram scored from three yards out and Greg Terry added the extra point.

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| 96 Pontiac Firebird, Auto, Air, 22K miles, Sharp | 96 Nissan Sentra, 4 Dr., Auto, Air, Loaded | 96 Ford Escort LX, Auto, Air, 10K Miles |
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| 97 Olds Delta 88, 4 Dr., Loaded, Nice | 95 Ford Taurus, V6, Auto, Air, Loaded | 96 Pontiac Sunfire, 4 Dr., Auto, Air, Extra Nice |

RCMS Girls' Basketball Update

6th Grade
vs. Northern Pulaski
RC 18 4 7 0 29
NO 0 2 3 0 5

Scoring for RCMS
Johnna Abney 12; Tara Rowe, 6; Ashley Bell, 4; Heather Hammond, 3; Ashley Mink, 2.

vs. Corbin
RC 2 2 5 8 17
CMS 6 0 4 4 14
Johnna Abney, 11; Tara Rowe, 4; Heather Hammond, 2.

vs. Wayne Co.
RC 9 8 9 8 34
WC 2 4 0 7 13
Johnna Abney, 12; Tara Rowe, 13; Katie Parsons, 3; Ashley Bell, Heather Hammond and Ashley Mize, 2 each.

7th Grade
vs. Northern Pulaski
RC 7 7 8 11 33
NO 8 10 4 10 32
Allison Anderkin, 8; Stephanie Price, 11; Jessica Riddle, 14.

vs. North Laurel
RC 3 8 11 6 28
NL 4 8 6 12 30
Stephanie Price, 12; Jessica Riddle, 6; Lauren Clontz, 4; Amanda Rogers, 2; Krystal Parsons, 3; Rachel Childress, 1.

vs. South Laurel
RC 6 10 10 0 26
SL 3 5 2 4 14
Sheena Swinney, 8; Stephanie Price, 6; Jessica Riddle and Lauren Clontz, 4 each; Amanda Rogers and Rachel Childress, 2 each.

vs. Wayne County
RC 5 9 9 11 34
WC 11 4 9 7 31
Sheena Swinney, 9; Jessica Riddle, 8; Allison Anderkin, 7; Lauren Clontz, 4 and Stephanie Price and Krystal Parsons, 3 each.

8th Grade
vs. Northern Pulaski (OT)
RC 4 5 10 8 8 35
NPJ 8 8 5 6 5 32
Jessie Hayes, 25; Bryanna Bussell, 8; Jessica Carpenter, 2.

vs. North Laurel (double OT)
RC 10 9 10 8 4 3 44
NL 3 8 13 13 4 4 45
Jessie Hayes, 16; Bryanna Bussell, 9; Jessica Thacker, 8; Jessica Carpenter, 6; Stephanie Price, 3; Ashley Mink, 2.

vs. South Laurel
RC 5 5 6 8 24
SL 8 3 3 5 19
Ashley Mink and Allison Anderkin, 6 each; Jessie Hayes, 5; Jessica Thacker and Stephanie Price, 3 each and Jessica Carpenter, 1.

vs. Wayne County
RC 4 9 7 3 23
WC 18 13 16 8 55
Jessie Hayes and Allison Anderkin, 6 each; Jessica Thacker, 5; Bryanna Bussell, Stephanie Price and Sheena Swinney, 2 each.

Rh Grade at Berea Invitational
vs. Scott Co.
RC 1 5 8 8 22
SC 8 13 6 10 37
Jessie Hayes, 11; Jessica Carpenter, Jessica Thacker and Stephanie Price, 3 each and Amanda Rogers, 2.

vs. Meece
RC 8 6 10 7 31
MMS 4 13 18 4 39
Jessie Hayes, 10; Bryanna Bussell, 5; Jessica Thacker and Stephanie Price, 4 each; Allison Anderkin, 3; Jessica Carpenter and Amanda Rogers, 2 each and Sheena Swinney, 1.

Little League board members elected

The Rockcastle County Little League picnic was held two weeks ago and board of directors for 1999 season were elected.

The fifteen board members elected were: Tonya Simpson, John McQueary, Steve Phelps, Lee Earl Adams, Howard Saylor, Johnny

Boone Saylor, James Bradley, David Riddle, Debbie Cash, James Sandusky, Becky Perkins, Burley Burkhardt, Ricky Kirby, Ronnie Brown and Dennis Bray.

The board will meet for the first time on October 7 at 8 p.m. at the Rockcastle County High School to elect officers for the coming season.

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Kiwanis Club holds installation dinner for new officers

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club held their annual installation dinner September 24th at the lovely bed and breakfast, Cedar Ridge by Request, located in Kenfro Valley. There were approximately 40 members and guests of the Kiwanis Club, RCHS Key Club, and RCMS Builders Club, that met to begin a new year by installing new officers and new members.

In addition to installing new officers that will begin their new year of service in October, Committee Chair persons were also announced: Young Children/Priority One, Jessie Murray; Community Service, Vicki Cox; Membership, Rebekah Hammond; Programs, Rocky Rockwell; Public Relations, Martha Cox; Spiritual

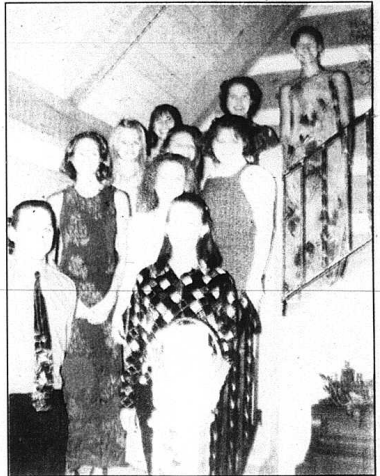
Aims, Sue Hamm; Sponsored Youth/ Youth Services, Tammy Cox and Ways and Means, Gary Cromer.

The Kiwanis, Key Club and Builders are organizations that focus on community service and play a vital role in our community by the numerous projects they undertake and sponsor throughout the year. The rewards are great for the groups as they work together and form many new and lasting friendships. It is good to be reminded of the fact that clubs like these are needed and that they are truly of great importance in our challenging world.

The Rockcastle County Kiwanis meets every Thursday at noon at the Kastle Inn Restaurant. Visitors are always welcome.



New directors for the Rockcastle Kiwanis is: Gertha Mink, Jeff Burdette, Martha Cox, Rebekah Hammond, Jessie Murray and Vicki Cox. Not present was Sue Hamm.



The RCHS Key Club officers met with the Kiwanis Club at the installation dinner. Pictured above from left are: Gary Tillery, leader, Kristi Whitter, Rachelle Hammond, Teresa Chislum, Shalonia Niceley, Tara Abney, Brittney Owens, Chelsen Stratton, Courtney Alexander, Tara Cox.



New Kiwanis officers are pictured above. They are: Teresa Vanzant, president; Tammy Cox, president-elect; Beverly Rockwell, secretary and Lorin Rockwell, treasurer.



The RCMS Builders Club leader Ken Mattingly and president Amanda Cummins and member Genna Cummins were in attendance at the Kiwanis Dinner to share their plans for the coming year and to enjoy a night of fellowship.



Steve Coy who is employed by the Rockcastle Hospital as Physical Therapy director was installed as a new member in the Rockcastle Kiwanis by President Rebekah Hammond.

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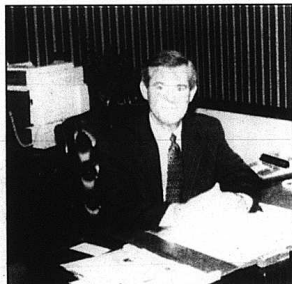
**5K Run is
Saturday**



Two new members were installed in the Kiwanis Club by Rebekah Hammond. Corey Craig, who is employed by the Bank of Mt. Vernon as Branch Manager/Exec. Loan Officer and Russel Alred, who works as an assistant to County Attorney Jeff Burdette.

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 H.C. Anglin, Jr. and Geraldine Anglin, real property located on Carl Brown Road, to Jerry and Tracy Barron. Tax 1.50
 Margaret B. Fletcher, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Audrey M. Fletcher. No tax
 Benny D. and Danielle C. Blanton, real property located in addition to Woodland Place Subdivision, to

Carl Baker, Jr. and Donna Baker. Tax 68.00
 Herbert Ray Robbins, Executor of estate of Fannie Robbins, real property located in Owens Subdivision, to Mike and Debbie Cameron. Tax 75.00

Christopher Joe and Jeanette Robinson, real property located in Mt. Vernon, to Bobby Cox. Tax 90.00
 Carol Ann and Charles L. White, real property located on the waters of Negro Creek, to Tammy Cornett. No tax

Edward L. Lucksinger and Betty Lucksinger, real property located in Mountain View Estates, to Luther G. and Bonnie S. Rose. Tax 3.00
 Albert and Ina Mae Cash, real property located in Rockcastle County (Sherman Thomas estate) to Dana Hurt. No tax

Kenneth and Billy Durham, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Virginia Bond. Tax 1.00

William Hackworth, real property located on Lambert Rd., to Jerry T. and Brenda K. Hackworth. Tax 4.00
 Emma Joe Hackworth, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jerry T. and Brenda K. Hackworth. Tax 1.00
 Carl and Dorothy McClure, real property located on Level Green Rd., to Howell Harris Holbrook, Jr. and Lena Gail Holbrook. Tax 48.00

Marriage Licenses

Deanna Gaye Stallsworth, 20, Berea, Rockcastle Hospital, to Mark Delaney Carpenter, 19, Livingston, Carter's Market. 9-24-98
 Linda C. Preston, 48, Lancaster, factory, to Frank Allen, 63, Lancaster, disabled. 9-19-98
 Alice Marie Hill, 19, Rt. 3 Broadhead, self-employed to Shawn Michael Reed, 21, Rt. 3 Broadhead. 9-

22-98
 Christie Dianne Baker, 17, Orlando, student, to Jonathan Patrick Foster, 20, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon, logger. Silvia Anja Krause, 34, Oelkassen, Germany, physicians assistant, to Wolf Thomas, 45, Oelkassen, Germany, carpenter. 9-18-98
 Brandy Ann Poynter, 21, Berea, housewife, to Darrell Wayne Lamb, Jr., construction. 9-17-98.

District Civil Suits

Greenwood Trust Co. vs. Doris V. Proctor, \$2,657.19 claimed due. 98-C-00096
 Sears, Roebuck and Co. vs. Theresa L. Manis, \$572.29 claimed due. 98-C-00097
 Clontz and Cox vs. William Michael Clark, \$3,875.00 claimed due for services. 98-C-00098

Circuit Civil Suits

Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance vs. Jerry Ross, \$6,309.44 claimed due on contract. 98-CI-00205
 Emma Jean Bussell vs. William Keith Bussell, petition for dissolution of marriage. 98-CI-00206
 Cora Dowell vs. Jerry Lee Dowell, petition for dissolution of marriage. 98-CI-00207
 Commonwealth of Kentucky Ex Rel Norma R. Barger vs. Timothy Shelton, complaint for child support and medical support. 98-CI-00208
 Crystal G. Lawson vs. James Henry Lawson, petition for dissolution of marriage. 98-CI-00209

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District Court News

Hon. Walter F. Maquire
 Kevin D. McCoy: Operating motor vehicle under influence of drugs, \$200 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 victim compensation fund (VCF), 2 days/time served/balance probated.
 Robert E. Newcomb: Operating motor vehicle under influence, \$350 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 30 days to serve 7/balance probated two years; Operating motor vehicle under influence, \$350 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 30 days consecutive to serve 7/balance probated two years.

plus 60 hours community service work.
 Billy R. Johnson: No insurance, \$500 and costs; No Licensed Operator w/person, \$25 fine; Failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 fine; No registration receipt, \$25 fine.
 Benji F. Jones: Wanton Endangerment, 2nd degree, 6 counts, 12 months in jail, to serve 90 days/balance conditionally discharged 24 months.
 Bryan D. Phillips: Operating contrary to law, \$25 fine and costs, suspend fine.
 Jamiel, Silman: Fines due (\$48.50), suspend license for failure to appear.
 Neil F. Sparks: Fines due (\$68.50), issue summons for failure to appear.
 Allen K. Stanley: Operating motor vehicle under influence drugs, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 Sharon K. Stephens: Speeding, \$34, suspend \$11.15 of fine.
 (Cont. to B3)

Patient Care Assistant (PCA) Training Course to be conducted at Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center, Inc.

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Library News

By Geraldine Robbins



I want to thank Carol for writing my article last week. She did a fantastic job and I hope to persuade her to write more in the future. I also want to thank everyone for all the love and concern that was shown to me and my family during the sickness and death of my mother. This has been a very trying time for me but with help from so many caring people, this has helped to ease the pain.

So many new things are going on here at the library and I will try to share some of them with you.

The library board is in the process of making a new five year plan. To help in preparing this, a luncheon is being held for several prominent people in our community that are interested in seeing our library become an even more of a focal place in the county. By sharing their ideas and suggestions with us, we hope with this planning process to make our library one of the most important places for information in the county.

The Bittersweet Festival is almost here and we plan on being a part of this with a booth. We will have a good selection of books to sell, bookmarks and bookbags to give to our friends and we just want to be visible to those people visiting the festival

that doesn't know about our library. Please stop by and say hello to us. I always enjoy seeing old friends that I don't see regularly and I like to make new friends and may be gain some new patrons for our library.

We will be having a Storybook Parade again this year and I know this is short notice but we didn't have very many commitments until this last week. So please let your little ones participate in this fun time. They always have fun and we will have a surprise for them at the end of the parade. They will also be in the main parade through town at 5 p.m. We will have transportation for them but you should report at the starting place no later than 4 p.m. The Storybook Parade will be held immediately following the parade.

The library is going to be a part of the Empower Kentucky Program soon. This will mean that we will have at least two new computers and other equipment. Also the Gates Foundation will be helping us next year with more computers and other services. Then if we are able to get a grant for automation we will be making strides in becoming one of the best libraries in the area. This is

the one goal that I hope to see accomplished before the year 2000.

We have been receiving a lot of new books both fiction and non-fiction. I am planning on having our staff members give a brief review of their favorite books soon but for now here are some comments on our newest acquisitions.

For our mystery fans.....TROUBLE IN PARADISE by Robert B. Parker.....The legendary Spenser has been considered the best in detective fiction but Parker's debut of Jesse Stuart in Night Passage, Spenser has met his match.

Siles Island is a wealthy and exclusive enclave separated by a bridge from the Massachusetts coast town of Paradise. James Macklin sees the island as an ultimate investment opportunity; all he needs to do is invade it, blow the bridge and loot the island. As Macklin plans his crime, Paradise police chief Jesse Stone has had his hands full. He faces romantic entanglements in triplicate; his ex-wife, Jenn, is in the Paradise jail for assault, he's begun a new relationship with a Siles Island realtor named Marcy Campbell, and he's still sorting out his feelings for attorney, Abby Taylor.

Filled with what has been termed Parker's characteristic "light, shade, texture, and complexity," Trouble In Paradise is the work of a master.

CRITICAL MASS by Steve Martini.....Jocelyn "Joss" Cole, a burned-out public defender from L.A., has opted for a quieter life in the San Juan Islands of Washington state. Joss has no significant clients other than a group of commercial fishermen suffering from a strange and serious illness, a condition doctors cannot diagnose, which Joss believes has an industrial cause. Then into her office comes Dean Beldon, a well-heeled client in search of a lawyer to help him set up a business in the islands. Within days, Beldon is subpoenaed to appear before a federal grand jury. Before he can testify, and before Joss can discover what happened in the secrecy of the grand jury room, Beldon dies in a fiery explosion of his floatplane on Seattle's Lake Union.

Filled with tension and suspense, Critical Mass is Steve Martini at his best. Martini weaves a story based on today's fears and tomorrow's headlines, riveting in its realism, genuine in its characters. A romance novel FLASH by Jayne Ann-Krentz.....Olivia Chantry may keep her desk in a disarray but she's a dynamo when it comes to business. Her marvelous success has almost made up for a marriage that ended in

disaster and left her wedded to a career instead of a mate.

She certainly has enough on her shoulders when she inherits a portion—49 percent, to be precise—of Glow, Inc., her uncle's high-tech lighting firm. But it's the interloper who bagged the other 51 percent, Jasper Sloan, a venture capitalist and dealmaker known as a man with all his ducks in a row, and his neat, orderly life under control that has made Olivia suspicious of his motives. Their new relationship faces the acid test of truth. They might fight each other all the way but when extinction turns to murder, a union of their minds and hearts might be their only chance to stay alive.

Several new non-fiction books are:

1. Great Outdoor 2x4 Furniture 2. Rustic Retreats; A build-it-yourself guide 3. Creative Crafting With Recycled Greeting Cards 4. The Complete Gardening Encyclopedia 5. The Complete Book of Dollmaking. We also have two new GED books.

We hope to see you at the Bittersweet Festival!

District Court News

(Cont. from B2)

William B. Wilcoxson: Speeding, state traffic school authorized on payment of costs; Failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 fine.

Robert M. Goodknight: Defective equipment, \$20 and costs. Norman R. Anderson: Defective equipment, \$20 and costs, suspend fine.

Rachelle M. Gardner: Operating on suspended license, \$100 and costs and 10 days/conditionally discharged one year on payment of fine and costs and no other offenses.

Juan D. Keith: Violation of EPO, 60 days in jail, to serve 1/credit time served/balanced conditionally discharged.

September 9, 1998 Donald H. Beshares: Speeding, \$38 and costs; Failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 fine.

Keith Falin: Guilty plea to contempt for failure to appear, 30 day/s to serve 4/balanced conditionally discharged one year; alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.

Earl Brent Kirby: Possession of controlled substance, 30 days to serve 4/credit; 4 days time served/balanced conditionally discharged one year plus \$100 fine and costs.

Elisa Ramsey: Operating vehicle under influence, \$350 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 30 days to serve 7/credit time served.

James Scalf: No Ky. Registration Plates, summons issued for failure to appear.

Timothy E. Abell: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

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

James R. Barron: Defective equipment, \$20 and costs.

Lance D. Bean: Speeding, \$28 and costs.

Harold D. Campbell, Jr.: Operating vehicle under influence, \$200 fine and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF.

Trent D. Clark: Defective equipment, \$20 and costs; Failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 fine.

Melissa R. Dawson: Failure to use child restraint device, \$25 and costs;

Failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 and costs.

Finis E. Eversole: Speeding, state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.

John Anthony Freeman: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

Herman Joseph Gabelin, III: Speeding, \$36 and costs, suspend \$15; Failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 fine.

John E. Higgins: No operators license, \$25 fine and costs; Failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 fine.

Jeffrey S. Jett: Speeding, \$18 and costs; No insurance, \$500 fine, suspend \$450.

Gregory McDonald: Speeding and other charges, suspend license for failure to appear.

Jerry L. McKinney: Permitting unlicensed operator, \$25 and costs.

Eric Lowell Peters: Theft by unlawful taking, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Larry W. Riddell: Speeding and Failure to wear seatbelts, suspend license for failure to appear.

Larry Dean Gardner: Alcohol intoxication, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Jeffery A. Sullivan: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

Brian S. Dennis: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

Dennis R. Holman: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

Elijah J. Rodgers: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

John P. Stumper: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

John D. Tomisch: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

Travis K. West: Defective equipment, \$20 fine, suspend fine.

Martha J. Zonca: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

September 14, 1998 Hanson B. Ambrugey: No Ky. Motor Fuel Users License, dismissed on payment of costs.

Eric D. Anderson: Fines due (\$137.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Paul A. Asher: Operating vehicle under influence, \$350 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$10 VCF, 30 days to serve 7/credit 1 day time served.

Bill G. Baker: Operating vehicle under influence and other charges, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Lesley A. Bryant: Fines due (\$12.50, \$257.50, \$22.50 and \$267.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Michael J. Campbell: For payment or warrant, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Appointment Needed For Flu Shots

The Rockcastle County Health Department will begin giving flu shots on Tuesday, October 13th but you MUST have an appointment this year. They will not be given on a walk-in basis. No shots will be given on Mondays or Thursdays. Appointments will be given on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Please call 256-2242 now if you wish to get your flu shot at the health department this year. The health nurses will be scheduling certain days to give flu shots at the Senior Citizens Centers and some other locations that will be announced later.

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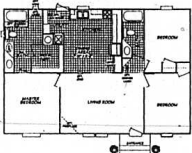
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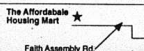
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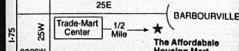
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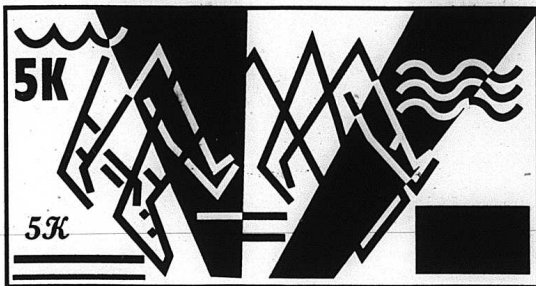


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From Long Ago

Submitted by: Ray Evans
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The following first appeared in the Mt. Vernon Signal on September 28, 1906. It was recently transcribed from microfilm of that issue of the Signal. One of my Interney genealogy friends, Mrs. Cindy Durham Crawford, of Batavia, Ohio loaned me some of her University of Kentucky Library microfilm. I am sharing these submissions, I am sharing these gleanings with the Signal's present readers.

Dynamite Explosion
On last Friday morning at 7:43 o'clock, there occurred an explosion of a car of dynamite at Jellico, Tenn., which destroyed property to the amount of nearly half a million dollars and more than a score of people lost their lives. One of the victims was a car of containing about twenty thousand pounds of dynamite, and near this was standing J.M. Cook, Master Mechanic for the L&N R.R. (See Resolution that follows) Joe Sellers, an engineer, and Walter Rogers, Agent for the East Tennessee Brewing Co., when the great catastrophe came and a foot and part of the skull, which was identified as being that of Mr. Cook, was all that was found of the three men. Of the others killed, which number between ten and twenty (the reports are conflicting) lost their lives by falling timbers and caving in of the houses. The writer reached the terrible scene about ten hours after the great disaster to witness the wreckage and turmoil of what only few hours before was a thriving prosperous little city, everybody on the hustle and everything going well, but alas, almost in the twinkling of an eye was reduced to ruins, such as could almost be compared to that of the great San Francisco disaster. The Kentucky side

was almost a total wreck, while the large brick structures on the Tennessee side were either destroyed or so badly damaged that they were rendered unsafe for occupancy. Just how the accident occurred is a question that not one has been able to solve, as there was no only who was present left to tell the story. However, two possible causes have been assigned, one that Mr. Rogers, one of the victims was shooting at a target on the car, which contained the dynamite and another is that a car loaded with pignion was pushed against the car so

heavily as to cause the explosion, but that is only speculation as no one can state positively that either took place. The argument has been presented by some that it was caused by spontaneous combustion, the exact cause we will probably never know. On the spot where the car stood, there was a hole in the ground more than thirty feet in diameter and thirty-five feet deep. It is a miracle that more people did not lose their lives than did. Work of repairing the town has already begun.

Resolutions
Whereas: Our brother John M. Cook was called from labor here on earth to refreshments in that Lodge on High in that unfortunate explosion that occurred at Jellico, Tenn., on the morning of Sept. 21, 1906, that caused the destruction of so much property and the loss of more than a dozen lives.

Brother Cook was born and raised in this county, and attained the age of 48 years, was a member of the Christian church, having joined at the age of eighteen and has been a devout member ever since, lending his energies to all that was for the upbuilding of his community.

Brother Cook left this county ten years ago, during which time he had been in the employment of the L&N

R.R. At Jellico, Tenn., as foreman of the mechanical department. He enjoyed the confidence and esteem of his employees.

He was ever ready to assist or deservng young men, and through his efforts there are now several young men from this county enjoying lucrative positions, therefore, he is remembered.

That in the death of Brother Cook, his wife has lost the affection of her husband, his children a kind and indulgent father, the church a devout member, and the community an upright citizen, and the Fraternity an honored and true member.

That we deplore the loss of our Brother and extend to the family our heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement.

That we have no greater comfort to offer them for consolation than to refer them to Him who promises to be a husband to the widow and a father to the fatherless.

That, this lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of lodge, a copy be sent to the family of the deceased, a copy sent to the Boston Lodge No. 593 at Jellico, Ky. of which brother Cook was a member and a copy sent to the Advance Sentinel at Jellico, Tenn., and the Mt. Vernon Signal, Mt. Vernon, Ky., for publication.

E. B. Cox, A. B. Furnish, John H. Coffey

Broadhead News
Mrs. Lou Storms, of Keavy, is visiting Mrs. William Adams and Mrs. James Owens. Mrs. Egbert Owens and sister, Miss Mae Spoorman, are here from Cobain visiting Mrs. Per Shelton. The protracted meeting of the M.E. Church under the tutorage of Rev. W. I. Durham, of Chicago, Ill., is still in progress and he is a preacher of marked wander. Rev. Durham is an ex-resident of Broadhead having left here about 15 years ago. The largest crowds ever seen at the M.E. Church is seen attending nightly and he is reaching the hearts of several who were never known to attend church before. Old sinner wake up. The wedding spoke of in the Sept. 21 issue where A.C. McClary and Miss Maude Forbes were the principals, was only a farce and not a true wedding. Mrs. J. M. Clark is having the home torn down where Jake Johnson lived and one in its stead is having a nice five room cottage erected which will add greatly to the looks of upper main street. J.C. Wilhoite of Monterey, Ky. is here attending the bedside of his brother, Dr. A.D. Wilhoite, who is confined to his room with typhoid fever. W.T. Evans and son John Evans were in Louisville first of week. Mrs. J.W. Tate has returned from a week's visit in Lexington. Miss Etta Cable has returned home from Paris where she spent five weeks as the guest of Mrs. Dave Thompson. Miss Nola Keisinger spent Sunday in Cincinnati. Mrs. J.M. Clark is numbered among the sick this week. B.R. Wilmont is at home confined to his room with rheumatism. Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Hutch-

son have returned from a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Salin at Mt. Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. J. Thos. Cherry have returned from a week's visit in Lexington and Lancaster. Master of Trains W.W. Wright, clerk W.L. Benton, H.D. Megee and Pete Drummond of Livingston were all down between trains last Monday. Mrs. Granville Owens is visiting relatives at Pungo. Mrs. Amelia Geizer of Crab Orchard visited her mother, Mrs. W.J. Dickerson last Tuesday. W.H. Barnes spent Sunday in Cincinnati. W.C. Swinford attended the circus at Mt. Vernon Tuesday. R. L. Collier and wife will return to Broadhead about

Oct. 1st after having spent the summer at Crab Orchard springs. Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Watson and son spent Sunday in the country. Wm. Watson and wife of Paint Lick visited his brother, J.F. Watson first of the week. United States court was held in Broadhead Wednesday. W. Sherida Cass is on the sick list. J.M. Ballard was in Stamford Monday on business. Wednesday was big court day. C.C. Williams from Mt. Vernon has been attending Judge Frith's court. Roy Bastin of

Lancaster is here repairing the Bastin Telephone Lines. Wm. T. Brooks was here with homefolks Sunday. **Spiro News**
Mr. Albert Owens has been very sick for the last few days. Mrs. Fred Hahn visited her daughter Mrs. Monk near Crab Orchard Tuesday. Mr. Joe

Sowler, of Garrard County, and Mrs. Ellen Mahaffey, of Brodhead visited at Mrs. Riella Owens last Sunday. W.H. Owens, G.W. Brown, Ed Gentry and Sam Savers attended church at Broadhead Sunday evening. Rev. Thomas Smith preached to a large crowd on at Freedom Sunday.

You are cordially invited to attend the formal investiture of **Joseph E. Lambert** as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Kentucky to be held on the **Fifth Day of October, 1998** at 11:00 a.m. in the Chambers of the Supreme Court, State Capitol Building, Frankfort, Kentucky

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"It is Written"

Let's notice a passage in Eph. 5:16. "Redeeming the time, because the days are evil." also, Colossians 4:5. "Walk in wisdom toward them that are without, redeeming the time." Redeeming the time suggests the idea of buying up the opportunity: making the most of every opportunity, since none can be recalled if we miss them. First we need to make the most of our time here on earth by becoming a Christian. If we fail to take advantage of God's mercy while we live in this world, after death we will be unable to believe and obey the gospel of Christ. The risen Christ in Luke 16:31 teaches us this. He died in his sins and was lost. After one becomes a disciple of Christ, born into the family of God, we need to make wise use of our time in this world. There are many opportunities to be busy about doing good. There are many lost souls that need to lead to Christ. There a discouraged, down trodden, dishearten folks who need some encouraging. There is a lot of sick folk who need to be visited, cf. Matt. 25:31-46. There is much we need to learn from the study of God's. Yes, we would do well to redeem the time. John 9:4. "I must work the works of Him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work."

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ABSOLUTE

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Mr. & Mrs. Chandler have built a new home and have contracted our firm to sell at absolute auction without minimum or reserve this spacious Brick and Vinyl home and approx. .55 acre located in Conway section of Rockcastle County, 6 mile south of Berea, Ky, on Hwy. 25.

SATURDAY, OCT. 10, 1998 10:00 AM

24' x 24' metal garage w/ concrete floor

This spacious Brick and Vinyl home contains over 2,600 square feet. Has 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, large family room, kitchen & dining combo with bar, built in range, oven and dish washer, dining room and utility room. Concrete floor throughout covered with carpet, tile or vinyl. LP gas heat, city water and cable. All situated on .55 acre w/ 24' x 24' metal garage with concrete floor, 1 storage building and fenced front lawn.

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Celebrates 96th birthday

Mrs. Maggie Fletcher, of Broadhead, celebrated her 96th birthday with a family dinner on Saturday, September 19th. Her birthday was September 24th. Present were her four children: Clarence Fletcher of Kettering, Ohio; Audrey Fletcher of Broadhead; Judith Fletcher-Walker and husband William of Fairfield, Ohio and Charles Fletcher and wife,

Pat of Broadhead. Daytime visitors were grandchildren Kevin Fletcher and wife, Noreen of Mt. Vernon and Kim Alcom of Berea and great-grandchildren Edwin, Lindsay and Trisha Alcom of Berea. Birthday cards and gifts were received by out-of-town relatives and friends. We wish mom many more and thank the good Lord for her being with us this long.

Carpenter - Kirby Reunion held

The families of Toby Carpenter and Jerry Kirby recently held a family reunion. Those who attended were: Rescie Anderson and her children Jack and Deborah; Anderson and Stephanie and Jennifer; Bill and Wanda Anderson and Steve; Larry and Angie Anderson and Brandon; Jim Anderson; James Anderson; Bobby Anderson; Jay Anderson and son Jackie, wife Shonda and four-day-old son Jay Dalton; Melissa Saylor; Eric and Betty Anderson and children Melissa, Miranda, Krysten, David, Dominic and Debbie Allen; Bobby and Shirley Hatcher; Pete and Bev Anderson and Bridgett; Tammy and Natasha Hensley; Gary Lee Anderson; Cotton and Alice Carpenter; Bobby Carpenter; William Miller, Jr. and Faye and son Tony; J.T. Carpenter and Mildred and son Larry; Jonathan; Yonda

(Peanut) Schneider; Don and Wendell Carpenter; Jack and Evelyn Fletcher; Joyce, Randle and Travis Fish; Dorrie and David Chasteen; Johnny, Trish, Katie, Denver and Mae Carpenter; Chris and Ashlie Caudill; Sharon and Frank Arcari; Chris Ghent; Lou Chaney; Lynn Thomas; Luther and Mary Thomas Jones and sons James, Batserson and Charles Thomas; Jennifer Shelton; Freddie and Rosie Kidwell; Lester Kidwell and Amanda, Tina, Christopher, Daniel, Andrew and Jayson; Ronnie Dale Bostic and Michaelle, James, Faith and Yimmie; Steven, Geneva and Kenneth Kidwell; Tommy and Diane Kidwell and T.J. and Medan; Shy and Lisa Madden; Wanda Kirby Godwin and Britney; Cheler and Robert Kirby; Betty Kirby Sandlin; Jerry, Cheryl, Cassandra and baby Kirby; Messal Kirby. We all had a great day.

deaf ear. When she was feeling great, she told them, "There's nothing wrong with me." When she was depressed, she would say, "I don't feel like doing anything."

Manic-depression is also called bipolar depression, because it has two extremes of behavior and feelings. Sometimes manic-depression looks just like regular, garden-variety depression. The person may be suicidal, may feel his appetite or sleep affected, may have low energy and may feel anxious or guilty or hopeless.

At other times however the individual suffering from manic-depression may be very active; go for long periods without sleep, talk incessantly, plan grandiose schemes that are impossible to accomplish or feel euphoric. The individual feels so good during this time that he will not believe that he is ill.

From what is currently known, manic-depression is at least partly caused by a chemical imbalance in the body. This imbalance is treated with medication, and for many years the medication of choice has been Lithium.

Lithium is a naturally occurring salt. It is not a synthetic compound developed in a lab, but it is naturally available in the environment. It sometimes appears in water.

Lithium is a very successful treat-

ment for depression, producing good results about 85% of the time. There are now other medications developed that are available when Lithium does not seem to work. Thanks to medical research most individuals with manic-depression can be successfully helped.

One problem in treating depression is the patient's non-compliance with medication schedules. Some people will stop taking their medication during the manic phase because they feel so good. "I don't need this medicine anymore," they think, "because I feel fantastic!" This usually leads to another episode of depression.

Counseling is another treatment that can help the person who is suffering from manic-depression. Psychological stresses contribute to the problem. These stresses may be current or may go back years into the person's life. Counseling can help to resolve feelings left over from past events.

If you or someone you know is suffering from manic-depression, get to a doctor or a counselor today. Help is available!

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The Family Room

By Dr. Don Whitehead

Sometimes I'm Up;
Sometimes I'm Down

Occasionally I get a request to write a column on a particular subject. That is what happened this week.

"How about doing a column on manic-depression?" they asked me. I am not inure to the reason, but I am almost certain that she or someone close to her had dealt with this illness. So, friend, this one's for you!

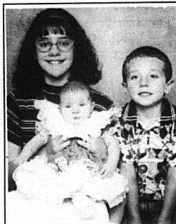
Josie could be on top of the world or at the bottom of the world, and she can be feisty as hell. When she felt good, Josie was a party animal. She would fit from house to house, making her friends laugh at her off-beat humor. During these times she would also borrow money to begin one or the other new business. Her

friends joked that she was the next Bill Gates.

After only a few days of euphoria, Josie would hit bottom. She would disappear for a week, staying in her house, watching soap operas and eating. Friends who tried to contact her got the answering machine. She would not answer the door if someone came by to see her.

Josie's friends urged her to get some help, but Josie always turned me

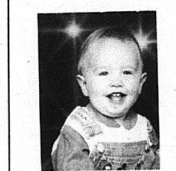
Happy 88th Birthday
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Dwayne and Traci



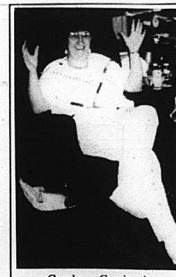
Hi! I'm Nicole, my brother Kenton and our baby sister Katie Annette. She was born June 26, 1998 at Ephraim McDowell Hospital. She weighed 9 lbs. 15 ozs. and was 21 1/2" long. Our parents are Kenny and Janet Adams. Our grandparents are Everett and Eula Taylor and Milton and Janet Adams.



Well, what do you know, look who turned 11! Love you -- Mom, John, Grandma and Grandpa



Christopher Ryan Philbeck celebrated his first birthday on August 26th. He is the son of Eric C. and Amy Philbeck of Richmond. His paternal grandparents are Robert E. and Rosalind Philbeck of Mt. Vernon. Maternal grandparents are Merville and Rita Faye Brown of Orlando. You can't read now but congratulations Chris! We love you very much



Goodness Gracious!
Sakes Alive! Sandy Fish is 45!
She's old and slow,
she's fading fast.
That wrinkle cream
just did not last
Happy Birthday Sis!

County Taxpayer's Notice

The 1998 county tax bills are now due and payable. If you do not receive your bill in the next few days, please contact the County Sheriff's Office. When mailing in your payment, please include your copy of the tax bill or put the bill number on your check. If you wish a paid receipt returned to you, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope. The following are the collection dates:

2% Discount 10-01-98 to 11-01-98

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IMPORTANT NOTE:

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Cattle: 1438

For The Week: 1887

Compared to Last Week: Slaughter Cows 2.00-3.00 lower; Slaughter Bulls 1.00 lower; Feeder Steers: 1.00-3.00 higher; Feeder Heifers: 1.00-2.00 higher.

Slaughter Cows: Breakers 75-80 percent 1150-1450 lbs. 36.50-38; Boners 80-85 percent 1050-1500 lbs. 33.75-35; Lean 85-90 percent 950-1150 lbs. 27.50-31.50; Lean 750-850 lbs. 22-26.50.

Heiferettes: 950-1100 lbs. 50-55.

Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade #1 1390-1605 lbs. indicating 79-81 carcass boning percent 45-49; Yield grade #2 1160-1180 lbs. indicating 77-78 carcass boning percent 40-44; Yield Grade #2-3 1175-1750 lbs. indicating 73-76 carcass boning percent 35-38.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large Frame #1 200-300 lbs. 91-93; 300-400 lbs. 80-83.25; 400-500 lbs. 75-83; 500-600 lbs. 67.76-76; 600-700 lbs. 64-72; 700-800 lbs. 64.25-68; 800-900 lbs. some 66.

Small Frame: #1 300-500 lbs. 65-72; 500-700 lbs. 57-62.

Medium Frame: #2 300-500 lbs. 63-68; 500-700 lbs. 53-60.

Large Frame: #2 (Holsteins) 300-400 lbs. 58.50-64; 400-600 lbs. 52-59.50.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large Frame #1 200-300 lbs. some 65; 300-400 lbs. 65-70; 400-500 lbs. 63-70; 500-600 lbs. 63-66; 600-700 lbs. 62-65.66.

Small Frame #1: 300-500 lbs. 55-60; 500-700 lbs. 50-55.

Medium Frame: #2 300-500 lbs. 53-59; 500-700 lbs. 53-60.

Per Head: Medium and Large Frame #1 Stock Cows 4-8 yrs. old with 150-350 lb. calves by side pair 610; Medium and Small Frame #1 Stock Cows 2-10 yrs. old with 80-150 lb. calves by side 400-70. Medium and Large Frame #1 Stock Cows 2-8 yrs. old 8 months bred 370-440.

Medium and Small Frame #1 Stock Cows 2-10 yrs. old 2 months bred 240-350.

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HealthNotes

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Calendar of Events

OCTOBER

RHRCC celebrates Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Throughout the month of October, RHRCC is offering mammograms for only \$65. You'll also receive a free RHRCC tote bag filled with goodies, coupons and information about breast cancer. Every participant will be registered for a drawing for an autographed copy of June Mumme's book titled, *Play the next Play*. One book will be given away each week.

For an appointment, call Janice or Janet at 256-2195.

Appointment hours 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Special appointments are available upon request.

WORDS OF WISDOM: EARLY DETECTION

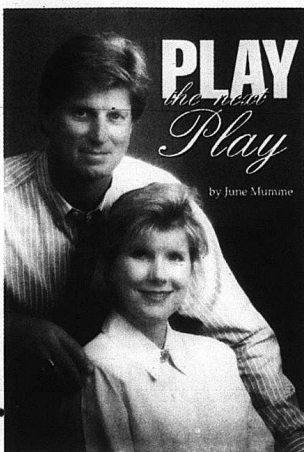
Each year in the United States, more women are diagnosed with breast cancer than any other form of cancer, according to the American Cancer Society. And most of the women diagnosed do not have a family history of the disease or share any of the risk factors. Because of this, Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center (RHRCC) has once again dedicated the month of October to breast cancer awareness.

"Cancer? I couldn't believe it! There was no history of cancer in my family. The women on both sides were known to live long, healthy, independent lives. I thought I had a genetic insurance policy against catastrophic diseases."

These words were written by June Mumme, wife of the University of Kentucky Football Coach Hal Mumme, in her book, *Play the next Play*.

Mumme is a perfect example of how breast cancer can affect anyone. At the age of 42, she was diagnosed with breast cancer after taking her second mammogram. With her cancer now in remission, she's dedicated her life to telling her story, so women will realize how critical early detection is. RHRCC spoke with Mumme regarding her battle with breast cancer.

Q: What are the most common misconceptions you hear about breast cancer?



A: "I, like most people, thought it was a disease that affected older women. A lot of people misinterpret that. Especially women in their 30s. And I've talked to many women in their 30s that have been diagnosed with breast cancer, and at the original time that they found their lumps, they thought it couldn't be; 'this doesn't happen to women in their 30s.'"

Q: What do you think are the biggest obstacles against women having mammograms, and what would you say to combat that?

A: "I hear two things. The procedure itself— a lot of women object to because they think it's painful or maybe...I've even heard degrading. I would trade a thousand mammograms not to have gone through cancer...so I hear that. Then the other thing is denial. If I don't go and get the mammogram, then that lump must not be cancer."

Q: Have you found anything to say to someone who was refusing to take a mammogram, to convince them to take it?

A: "A lot of times what I do say is that I would trade places with them and take a thousand mammograms not to have gone through what I have gone through."

"I also encourage women I say...If you're not going to do it for you, you have to do it for your family because your family is counting on you to be there for them."

While there is no known prevention for breast cancer, there are several methods for early detection that dramatically increase your chance for survival—a physical examination, self breast exams and mammograms.

TIPS FOR TAKING MEDICINE PROPERLY

Medicine is a part of life for almost everyone. And sometimes it can become overwhelming. That's why RHRCC, in honor of National Pharmacy Week Oct. 18-24, would like to supply you with basic guidelines to keep in mind when taking your medication.

"The key to a healthy prescription lifestyle is to make sure that each of your healthcare providers knows every medication you are taking," said Stella Young, pharmacist at RHRCC. "If possible, go to one physician. If you must see more than one physician due to your condition, work with one pharmacist. This will reduce the chances of negative interactions between your medications."

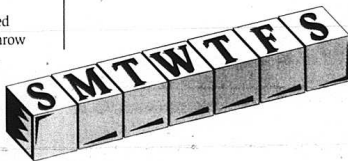
There are many precautions you can take to prevent medication errors and adverse drug reactions. Young recommends the following tips.

- Keep a personal list of all of your medications.
- Be familiar with the appearance of your medication (size, color and shape).
- Maintain a list of medications you cannot take due to allergic reactions, such as nausea, hives or headaches.
- If you experience any unusual side effects, such as dizziness, drowsiness or pain from your medications, let your physician or pharmacist know immediately.
- Upon changing physicians or pharmacists, provide a complete list of all medications you are taking, including vitamins, alternative medicines, diet supplements and over-the-counter medications.
- Store your medications in a cool, dry place. Do not store your medicine in the bathroom medicine cabinet because of the humidity. And

don't store your medication in the refrigerator unless it is noted on the instructions.

- Always check your medications before taking them to ensure they are correct.
- Know the dosage and schedule for each of your medications.
- Always take all of your prescribed medication. And remember to throw medicine away that has expired.
- Feel comfortable to ask your physician or pharmacist any questions about the treatments or medications you are taking.

- Request written information about your medications.
- If you are too ill to follow these recommendations, ask a friend or relative to help.



HOUSECALLS

PROFILE

Larry Bullock, Director of Laboratory Services

Education: Associate Degree in Applied Sciences, Somerset Community College

Family: Wife, Donna; daughter, Natalie; sons, Joe Michael and Phillip

Certification: Clinical Laboratory Scientist by the National Certification Agency

Since high school, Larry Bullock has had a passion for chemistry and biology. That passion led him to pursue a degree and a career in laboratory services.

The laboratory services department is responsible for taking patients' blood or body fluids and performing procedures that assist doctors in the diagnosis process.

Bullock, director of laboratory services at RHRCC, chose to work in Rockcastle County so he could remain in his hometown.

"By working here, I am able to have a lot of patient interaction that I wouldn't have time for in a bigger city," Bullock said.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Mullins of Conway and the late Bruce Stallworth would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Patricia Kay Stallworth to Mark Delaney Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carpenter of Lexington. The wedding will be an event of October 3, 1998 at 2:30 in the afternoon at the Pine Hill Holiness Church. A reception will follow in the church fellowship hall. All friends and family are invited to attend.

Livingston News

By Frances Dickerson

Mrs. Betty Wooten of Crestview, Fla. has returned home after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Lela Jones.

Mrs. Lois Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ruppe spend last weekend with their sister, Mrs. Gordon Garner in Florence.

Tosha Farris spent the weekend with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Toalvine visited Mrs. Toalvine's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Durham last weekend.

Mrs. Juanita Medley, her sister Mrs. Jessie Hibbis, Mrs. Edith Owens and Mrs. Margaret Burdine enjoyed

Friday evening at the Chicken Festival in London.

Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Cottengin visited Harold Ballinger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Argenbright and daughter Janet were in Lexington one day during the week for Arthur to see the doctor.

Henry Allen of Sand Gap visited the Durham family during the week.

John Mullins and son Stuart of Frankfort visited John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mullins Sunday.

An Army buddy George Sturgill of Danville visited Earl Ponder one day during the week.

Fairview News

By Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

Hello to all you good people. I sent some news in last week but it didn't arrive at the Signal office, or at least it hadn't as of this morning. Maybe it will show up later.

Our Sunday School attendance at Fairview Sept. 27th was 154 and the worship service was very well attended. We were glad to see so many people and our pastor Rev. Harvey Penson delivered a wonderful message and a number of re-dedications were made.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy the family and relatives of Irvan Saylor of Berea who passed away Saturday night in a Lexington hospital. The family has our love and prayers in this time of sorrow.

Miss Dorothy Lambert of Augusta, Ga. and her friend Mary Lou Reynolds are here visiting Dorothy's relatives Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Williams and others. Dorothy attended the Sunday morning worship service at Fairview, we were so glad to see her, she is a very sweet lady and loved by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith of Berea visited Mrs. Hallie Alexander Sun-

day. Mrs. Mary Cope, Helen Powell, and Mrs. Sylvester Cope and friend visited Mrs. Cope's sister-in-law, Mrs. Nannie Moore in Winchester last Monday. While there they also visited Mrs. Cope's daughter Jean Hayes and husband Frankie.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Alexander and children of Mareburg visited his mother, Mrs. Hallie Alexander Sunday night.

Our most recent visitors have been Tip Reppert, Wayne and Carolyn Chasteen, Darrin Chasteen, and three children, Wallace Williams, Judy Cummins and Ricky Adams.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Cope were Sylvester Cope and friend and Mr. and Mrs. William Cope and two of her daughters and their daughters. Mr. Junior Banks, wife Eva and daughters Debbie and Kathy of Franklin, Ohio stopped by recently to see Mrs. Edith Mullins of Snider.

Please remember to attend church when you can. Each day that passes is one less that we have upon this earth. Let's all be good to others and serve our Lord every day, he is so good to us.

Mt. Vernon Personals

By Yallie Burton

Monroe Mink of London and Mrs. Lorie Eaton and baby visited Patricia Holland last Wednesday.

Patricia Holland and Mrs. Lorie Eaton and baby were in Richmond Friday.

Mr. Shirley Riddle celebrated his 91st birthday Wednesday. We wish him many returns of the day.

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

Mrs. Dorothy Rideout of Henderson spend a few days with her mother, Lillian Anglin last week. While here they visited Mrs. Lara Clark and daughter Kaye and Mr. and Mrs. Armos Anglin.

Mrs. Virgie Reynolds of Ohio spent a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Burton were in London last Thursday.

Mattie Newton of Somerset and mother Yallie Burton have returned home after spending a few days with

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Roberts of Rutledge, Tenn.

Deepest sympathy is extended to all who have lost loved ones recently. Recent visitors of Mr. Ora York were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson of Ohio, Mrs. Lucy Renner and son Michael of Ohio, Eliza York and Rachel, Mr. and Mrs. John H. York and son Carl Lee and Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor of Broadhead.

Chad Burdette was in Danville last week to consult his doctor. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houston visited her father Oscar Saylor of Crab Orchard Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bonnie Parsons is on the sick list. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.S. McKinney were their daughter, Mrs. Sharon Lovins and Sharon's sister-in-law, Mrs. Carolea Drew of Ohio and great grandson Dalton Blake Lovins and grandson Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lovins and great granddaughter Samara Jacyln.

Friday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Brown were their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and grandson Michael.

Mrs. Lavada Graves and Mrs. Marie McKinney visited Mrs. Bessie Kirby awhile Wednesday.

Mr. Lloyd Burdette has been dismissed from the Rockcastle Hospital.

We are glad to report Mrs. Marie McKinney has taken all her treatments and is doing fine.

Toddlers & Juice

By: Hazel Jackson
County Extension Agent
for Home Economics



Pure fruit juice is natural, free of artificial colors and flavors and full of nutrients. Juices made from fruits such as mango, papaya, peach, apricot, strawberry, orange, and grapefruit are some of the most nutrient-dense. But toddlers can easily get too much of a good thing. Toddlers should drink no more than four to eight ounces of juice a day with the higher limit being for larger toddlers who are active and eating plenty of other foods. Drinking an excess of juice can ruin a child's appetite, allowing them to fill up on juice and not eat other nutritious foods. Because juice is high in calories, children who drink a lot may gain weight too quickly. Excessive amounts can also cause chronic diarrhea. Juice that is sipped from the bottle day and night can damage the enamel on a child's teeth.

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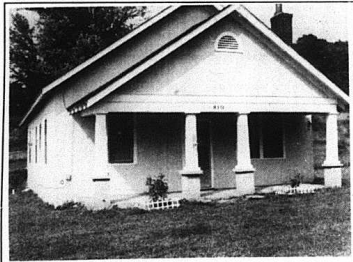
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| Date Posted: | 09-09-1998 |
| Closing Date: | 10-09-1998 |
| Class Title: | WATER AND SEWAGE PLANT OPR SR |
| Agency: | 43-670 TOUR-PARKS |
| Pay Grade & Salary Range: | 08 \$1355 - \$2607 MONTHLY |
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For Sale: 1997 28x52 doublewide from Clayton Mobile Homes. Equity and take up payments. Call Mondays thru Thursday 606-256-4443. 38mf.

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

For Sale: 1997 1/2 acre to 40 acres Paved street. 1/2 mile off US 105/269 (old 146). 100% Financing available. \$5000 and up. Call 256-2339, 4mf.

For Sale: Franchise Electronic Business. Call 256-4000, ask for Charles, 22mf.

For Sale: 1995 Dutch Doublewide 3 BR, 2 BA, central air/heat, partially finished in 1/2 acre lot in Bullock's subdivision. Reduced to \$40,000. (606)254-8184, 38mf.

For Sale: Brick home, approximately 4 miles from Livingston on Highway 1955. Three bedrooms, bath, utility room, kitchen/dining, living room, 5 acres more or less. \$65,000. Serious inquiries only 606-256-9781, 43mf.

kitchen, living room, carpet. Located on Old Burr, \$30,000. Call 256-4799 after 4:00 p.m. or 256-2033 during the day, 45mf.

Building Lots For Sale: Qual View Subdivision off Hwy. 618. Restricted. 1 acre to 2 3/4 acres. \$9,000 per acre. Owner financing available with 20% down. Call 256-4799 after 4:00 p.m. or 256-2033 during the day, 45mf.

For Sale: 1/2 acre to 1 acre lots on Freedom School Road. About 1 1/2 mile from Mt. Vernon. City water available. 256-4689, 50x8.

For Sale: 2 new homes, one 3 bedroom and one 4 bedroom. Each with 1 1/2 bathrooms, central heat and air, oak cabinets, located on Hwy. 1505 Brindle Ridge. 758-0103 or 256-5364, 50 in.

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For Sale: Brick home, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, dining room, family room, and den. 2 car garage on 1.16 acres. 256-4839-5242.

For Sale: Home 7 rooms and bath, full basement, large lot, fuel-oil furnace on Ferguson Street, 14,000 ft. Call 256-4754 or 256-5364, 49mf.

Farm For Sale: 350+ acres water supply, young timber, Chestnut Ridge Rd., call 362-4669 for more info, 51x4.

MOTOR VEHICLES FOR SALE
For Sale: 1977 Cadillac Coupe Deville, engine has only 40,000 miles, mechanically good body work nearly completed, basically one owner. \$25,000 obo. Serious inquiries only. Call 758-8088, 43mf.

For Sale: 1995 Grand Prix Limited Edition. Gray, a/c, s, loaded! 20,000 actual miles. Still under warranty. Call 986-1885, 43mf.

For Sale: 1990 Toyota Camry, 4 cyl., auto, w/OD, new tires, tinted glass. \$4,200. 758-8068, 51x2.

For Sale: 1988 Buick Wildcat, high miles but good solid car, good tires, front wheel drive locks, 4 dr., brown. \$2,200. 256-4132 after 5 p.m., 51x2.

For Sale: 1979 C-20 Chevy work van, paint rough but no dents. Lots of new parts, new tires. \$1,250. 256-4132 after 5 p.m., 51x2.

For Sale: 1991 Ford Bronco (full size) 302, air, 4wd, 8000 Bl. winch, \$5,900. Fireplace mantle, \$45. 3 each 31x10 Goodyear Wrangler mud tires, 80% tread left. \$80. 758-9230, 51x2.

For Sale: '89 Ford Festiva, 102,000 miles, auto, w/a/c, \$1,200. '85 Escort Wagon, \$500. 72 short-bid Chevrolet pickup, real good condition, re-built motor, 4000 miles on it. \$2,200. 453-9035, 52x2.

For Sale: 1993 Mercury Topaz. Red 2 door, sport wheels, luggage rack, automatic, a/c, cruise, tint, am/fm cass., original owner. 45,000 miles. \$5,900. Serious inquiries only. 256-1903, 52x1.

For Sale: Parting out two 1981 505 Peugeot Diesels, good motors and parts, also access. Call 256-4000, no answer, leave message.

For Sale: '93 Cavalier, 2 door, 33,000 miles, a/c, AM/FM, auto, \$3,400. '92 Chev. S-10, 5 speed, AM/FM Cass., a/c, 87,000 miles, \$4,500. '92 Toyota Camry LE, AM/FM Cass., auto, power windows, door locks, 82,000 miles. \$6,800. 758-4127, 52x2.

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

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Robert Burke Roofing: Free estimates. Satisfaction guaranteed. Home phone 758-8211, 52x10mf.

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Child Care Service: Experienced mother state enrolled child care worker, has opening for 2 children, newborn to age 4 yrs. old. CLEAN, HEALTHY COUNTRY AT-MOSPHERE, FENCED PLAY-GROUND, SAFETY FIRST, LOTS OF TLC! Located on Old Orchard School District. References available. 256-4267, 49x4.

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Experienced Childcare Provider has openings in Berea city limits. Excellent references. 985-7222, 51x3.

Godfrey Electric. Prices you can't refuse. Small jobs welcome. 20 years exp. Call 453-4641, 51x1.

Custom Dozing and Rock Hauling. Call 256-9020 anytime or mobile 872-5820, 52x4.

NOTICES
More \$\$\$\$: For White Oak Store. Located in Berkeley 3170 Commercial, Eubank. (606)379-2311, 3x52mf.

Hembree Lambert, PO Box 1094, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before March 9, 1999, 50x3

Notice: No hunting or trespassing on property owned by Franklin D. Bond at Orlando. Violators will be prosecuted. 51x2.

Notice: I will not be responsible for any debts other than my own. Lewis Vanwinkle, 51x2.

Notice is hereby given that Martha Frances Rigby, Rt. 3 Box 161, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Cornelius Rigby, Rt. 3 Box 161, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on the 22 day of Sept. 1998. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Martha Frances Rigby, or to Clontz and Cox, PO Box 1150, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before March 22, 1999, 52x3.

Notice is hereby given that Patricia J. Cheadam-Crabtree, 106 S.W. 5th, Somerset, Kentucky, 42501 has been appointed Administrator of the estate of Richard D. Cheadam on the 21st day of September 1999. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Patricia J. Cheadam-Crabtree or to Hon. D. Bruce Orwin, PO Box 557, Somerset, Kentucky 42505-0557 on or before March 21, 1999, 52x3.

Notice is hereby given that Lonnie Brunett, 15480 Brodhead Road, Crab Orchard, KY 40419 has been appointed Executor of the estate of Gertrude Brunett on this the 18th day of September, 1998. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Lonnie Brunett or to Hon. Jeffrey T. Brummett, PO Box 200, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456, on or before March 18, 1999, 52x3.

Notice is given that Della Rose Smith has filed a Final Statement of her accounts as guardian of the estate of Melissa Smith. A hearing on said settlement was held on October 26, 1998. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said estate. 52x2.

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to Thomas H. Bushnell, located on Old Orchard School Rd. (former Abney property, near old school house). 52x2.

Legal Notice: Civil Action No. 98-83, styled: The United States vs. the Estate of Dennis Amyx, et al., has been set for trial on March 23, 1999 at the District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky to foreclose a mortgage on certain real estate

previously owned by Dennis Amyx, deceased, located in Rockcastle County, Kentucky. A copy of the complaint has been lodged with the United States District Court at Clay City Federal Building, London, Kentucky, for all of the heirs and spouses of heirs of Dennis Amyx, known and unknown, and all other persons or entities claiming an interest in the real property which is described in the complaint. Any heir or spouse of her, known or unknown, or other person or entity claiming an interest in the property must file an answer or other pleading with the court within the time allowed by law, or be forever barred from so doing. If no pleading is filed, a Default Judgment will be entered against all such defendants, known or unknown, and their heirs and assigns. The subject real property will be terminated. 52x6.

Wanted: Barnet's Auto Salvage located on Cove Branch Road buys junk cars and trucks and has used auto parts for sale. Call 256-9018, 37mf.

Land: Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets, Inc. has 25 acres of land, located near a main road in Rockcastle County, on which to build an animal shelter. All donations tax-deductible. Terry Luncie 758-9202, Vickie Myers 256-4384, 49mf.

Wanted: To rent a 3 or 4 bedroom home in city limits with washer/dryer hookup. Call 256-3823, 45mf.

Craft Items Needed: Help R.A.A.P. Inc. raise animal shelter money by donating items. 25 before Sept. 30th. Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets, Inc. will have a craft booth at the Appalachian Harvest Festival Oct. 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Call Terry 758-9202, Valerie 758-9202 or Vickie 256-5183 for info. 49mf.

Volunteers Needed: Help R.A.A.P. Inc., raise funds to build a local animal shelter. For more information on how you can help, call Terry 758-9202 or Vickie 256-5183, 49mf.

Wanted: Will do babysitting in my home for any shift. Have references. Judy Bowman, Rt. 2 Box 447, Mt. Vernon, 256-9199.

Needed: 78 people to lose 30 lbs. in 30 days. 100% natural and doctor recommended. Call 901-235-4690, 52x1.

YARD SALES
Yard Sale: Thurs., Fri., Sat., Sun. 9-5. Work pants, shirts and jackets, peach lunch, marble top occasional tables, gossip bench, small appliances, cords, alterations, jewelry, neckties, new shoes, steel toed shoes, cowboy boots and straw hats, bedding, bird houses, plant stands, antique tools, ceramic greenware, Nippon, plus sized clothing, oil lamp chimney. Midway Flea Market, between Bard and Richmond. Also: Outdoor Flea Garage. Depending on weather. 28mf.

Yard Sale: 5 families at Taylor's Produce in Brodhead. Friday and Saturday, 1 to 6 p.m., blue warehouse.

Yard Sale: At the corner of Hwy. 150 and Wallin St. in Brodhead. Barbie dolls, Nascar's, cameo jewelry, neckties, new shoes, steel toed shoes, cowboy boots and straw hats, bedding, bird houses, plant stands, antique tools, ceramic greenware, Nippon, plus sized clothing, oil lamp chimney. Midway Flea Market, between Bard and Richmond. Also: Outdoor Flea Garage. Depending on weather. 28mf.

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Yard Sale: Saturday, October 3rd, lots of nice women and children's clothes, and misc. items. In Brodhead on Hwy. 150 beside Country Peddler Florist.

Yard Sale: Freedom School Rd., Friday and Saturday, little bit of everything, 52x1.

Yard Sale: 1st annual community yard sale Saturday, October 3rd from 9 to 10. Ottawa section of Brodhead on Gentry Lawwell Rd. Follow signs. In case of rain, will be following weekend.

Yard Sale: 3 families across from Brodhead. Friday and Saturday. clothes, dresses size 12, changing table, high-chair, bassinet, all size clothes.

Yard Sale: 3 families at 50 Perciful St., Friday and Saturday. Oct. 2 and 3 from 9 to 6. Baby clothes, dresses size 12, changing table, high-chair, bassinet, all size clothes.

Yard Sale: Home of Bobby and June Taylor, junction of 1505 Hwy. 150 and Hwy. 2, 6. Baby clothes, glassware, dishes and many other items. Saturday, Oct. 3rd from 9 to 9.

Yard Sale: 16 families, at new Shell gas station in Renfro. Saturday, October 3 at 8 a.m. All proceeds benefit R.A.A.P. Inc.

Yard Sale: 3 families, Friday, 9 to 3 on Purry Ridge Rd. Just off old Brodhead Road. Signs will be posted. Lots of everything.

Yard Sale: Saturday, October 3rd 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Brick house behind Maretburg Church. Children's, men and women clothing, microwave oven, misc. furn. and lots more. Rain cancels.

Yard Sale: Saturday, 9 to 2? Two families at Evergreen Estates in Marchburg. Women clothes size 7 and up, mens clothes size 32 and up, boys clothes 6 mos. to 5, household items, lots more. Rain cancels.

Garage Sale: Oct. 1 and 2! Rain or shine, 9 to 7! Lots of items! Take route 1505 at Conway, first farm on right.

Yard Sale - Sat., Oct. 3, 9 to 4 10 families at Wall. Roy Wiggins at Ottawa. You'll find treasures galore! Household items, dishes, dolls, books, jewelry, clothing, lawn and garden, modern and vintage toys, toys, some furniture. We hope you'll come and visit with us! Plants available. (You'll take time to special take 150 to 1229. Dug Hill Rd. to Lasswell Rd. Follow Orange Signs. Some new families involved.

blanket, afghans, man's leather coat, if raining will be held in garage.

Yard Sale: 3 families. Friday, Oct. 3 on Snowden School Rd. at the home of Lorene Fisher. Many items cheap.

Yard Sale: Saturday only beside Cox Florist.

Yard Sale: Garage Sale: Variety of things, thru of Hwy. 461 onto LeBoards Rd. 1249, first house on left, 8 to 2 Saturday.

Yard Sale: Thursday, Friday and Saturday. We will have good buy on everything. Come and look. Cancellations on Thursday but will have the other two days. Past Pine Hill Church, house on right.

Yard/Moving Sale: Oct. 1, 2, and 3rd. Curtis Mathis console color TV, microwave, 3 bar stools, wash and dryer, 1500 beside household and misc. items. Hwy. 150 toward Crab Orchard to Copper Creek Rd. 1/2 mile out. 9 to 7. No early birds please.

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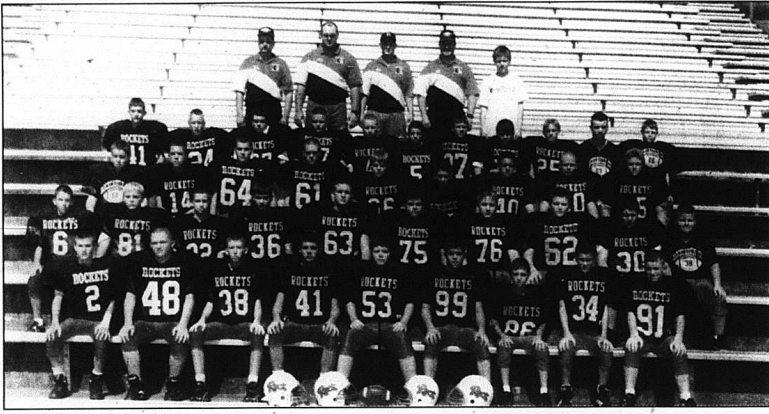
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RCMS 8th grade team beats Lexington Catholic 30-12

Both 7th and 8th grade teams still undefeated
 The Rockcastle County Middle School football program has enjoyed great success in the past two seasons and this year is no exception. The 8th grade team upped their record to 7-0 on Saturday when they defeated Lexington Catholic 30-12 in the Fort Harrod Bowl in Harrodsburg. The seventh grade team is also undefeated at 5-0. Both teams have perfect records in middle school competition the past two seasons, with the 8th grade team winning the Conference Championship as 7th graders. As sixth graders, both teams were also undefeated against teams their own age. Members of both teams are pictured at left, front row, left to right, Devin Taylor, Brandon Campbell, Steven Coffey, Brandon Fain, Matt Miller, Rick Sloan, John Kerns, Josh Hayes and Brandon Browning. Second row, from left, Joe Husband, Steven Haley, Cody Alexander, Steven Borring, Tanner Abrey, Dougie French, Ross McClure, Mike Brummett, David Miller and John Ehrdrige. Third row, from left, Jeremiah Johnson, Aaron Anderkin, Ronald Wiley, Brad Wesley, Benny Northem, Jarrod Burdette, Shannon Roberts, Jason Leger and Dale Barnett. Fourth row, from left, Michael Hayes, Marty Reagan, Brian Mullins, Clell Swinney, Chris Settles, Austin Miller, Mark Miller, Dan Christian, Brian Alcorn, Matt Walls and Johnathon Bullock. Back row, from left, head coach Chad Burdette, assistant coaches, Burley Burkhardt, Scott Parsley, Anthony Coffey and statistician Jordan Stratton. Not shown, assistant coach Lee Earl Adams. Both teams play at home Thursday night against Northern Pulaski. First game is 6 p.m.

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Coleman honored; receives state award

by Jimmy Payne

Energy, excitement, entertainment, and education are qualities that every great teacher brings to their classroom. Last year, many students at RCHS who were lucky enough to end up in Ms. Debbie Coleman's classes were able to experience the qualities of a great teacher who is finally getting some recognition. Ms. Debbie Coleman, social studies teacher at RCHS, has been recognized by the Kentucky Council for Social Studies as one of their teachers of the year.

"It makes me feel like a lot of hard work has paid off. I feel like my work is now being recognized as good," said Coleman, when asked how it felt to receive this award. She also expressed the feelings she has toward her profession by saying, "I work really hard, I love what I do. I love it when a student asks me a question and I can see the wheels turn in their head."

She was nominated for the award by Dr. Guilfoil, a professor at Eastern Kentucky University. Coleman worked with Dr. Guilfoil over the summer on a project. After being nominated, Ms. Coleman had to complete a lengthy application which consisted of six essays, as well as submit samples of her unit and lesson plans.

Blending humor with discipline and high standards is the formula Debbie Coleman applies to her teaching. "I have an enthusiasm about teaching, and when I close my door, I don't stop [teaching] until class is over."

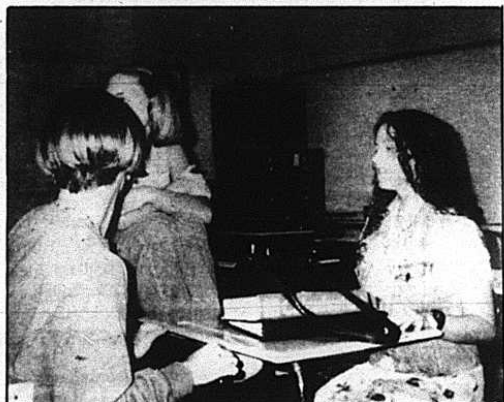
"I think this award is more reflective of my students than my success, because a teacher can only be good if their students can learn something that will last for a lifetime," said Ms. Coleman.

She was honored September 18, at the Kentucky Council for Social Studies Conference, in Lexington.



Ms. Debbie Coleman, social studies teacher at RCHS, was named a Teacher of the Year named by the Kentucky Council of Social Studies Teachers.

Beth Blanton receives DAR Citizenship Award



Beth Blanton was recently awarded the DAR Good Citizen Award. The award is earned by showing outstanding dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism. The recipient is chosen by RCHS faculty members. Beth is currently president of the Beta Club, and is active in many other activities, as well. In the above photo, she is shown directing a Beta Club meeting. Also shown are fellow officers, Jennifer Carmack and Crystal Mink.

Governor makes surprise visit

By LeeAnn Frith

Governor Paul Patton recently attended a ground breaking ceremony held at Renfro Valley. A site was marked to build the new Historical Cabins and Craft Village. The project will be a major tourist attraction, as well as a boost to Rockcastle County's economy. Other guest speakers present were State Representative Danny Ford and Congressman Hal Rogers.

In his speech, Rep. Ford stated, "What it [the project] would really mean is to see a part of our past." He went on later to say that it will mean a lot to the tourists who come to Rockcastle, and to the citizens of Rockcastle.

When Governor Paul Patton stood to speak, the silent crowd rose to their feet, excited to see the governor. As the crowd took their seats, Governor Patton began his speech. He spoke about the project at hand and the funds the county had received.



Governor Paul Patton made a surprise visit to Rockcastle County to attend a ground breaking ceremony at Renfro Valley.

Congressman Hal Rogers was the last guest speaker. According to Rogers, Rockcastle County's economy has changed a great deal in ten year's time. In fact, our economy has tripled since 1987.

In closing, Rogers said, "This

was a project worth all our attention. The cabins remind us that times aren't always easy. It's a place for us and them."

Several students from the high school attended the ceremony, as well.

Bad Mood=Bad Teacher

Mood--a fit of anger, rage, a prevailing attitude. A mood is not only something that teachers should not have to put up with from students, but students shouldn't have to put up with from teachers.

Think about it; ever since you were a little trooper, you have been taught to always respect your teachers because they are older and in charge. You knew you had to behave with some teachers from all of the threats and screaming.

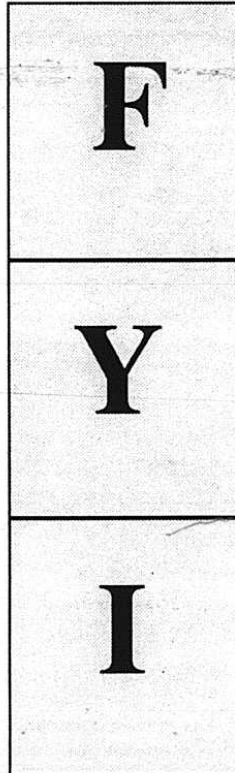
Not all teachers behave in such a manner, but the few who do are capable of ruining not only one class out of a semester, but they can effect every single class during the day.

It's understandable if a teacher has had a really bad day--they're sick, their car broke dow. They come in a little grouchy and short-tempered, but when a teacher comes in every day acting as if they don't want you to be in their class and are rude, loud, and hateful, it can make students miserable.

Teachers and anybody put in a commanding position should remember that all of us have feelings, worries, and fears, and all of us get tired and have bad moods.

It is also important that they remember that some of us have jobs that keep us out late, and sometimes we don't want to put up with them anymore than they want to put up with us.

By Jimmy Payne



Dear Editor,

As a high school football player, Friday night's Homecoming victory over the Dayton Green Devils was a great experience. I was looking forward to a great Homecoming dance at the high school, and when I arrived at the school, everything was fine until I found out I had to pay to get into the dance. I feel we should not pay after all we are the main reason for the Homecoming dance. I mean, we are out there working our tails off, and help make money for the school.

We also didn't even get to go to the whole dance, because after we rode the bus from the field to the high school, turned in our equipment, and took a shower, it was already 11:00.

Well, if that wasn't enough, I had to pay to be in prison. There was at least 4-5 police officers there. I know they're there for our protection, but come on. If a few teachers can't keep the peace, we don't need to have a dance. The police would also come up to individuals and shine a light in your face if you were lying down on the floor minding your own business, of if you hugged your boy/girl friend. The administration was more worried about that than the dress code, and the dress code bothered me more than anything.

Please give us students a chance to be trusted, because trust goes both ways.

Sincerely,
Broke--and mad

Dear Editor,

I simply have to complain about a few changes that have taken place at the school this year. In two words: DRESS CODE. Is it not ridiculous? Almost every student at this school feels that the new rules are completely pointless. The worst part is the backpacks. Why does the faculty want us to carry a clear backpack? Because they are so deathfully frightened of one of us carrying a gun to school? What I say is if they are so concerned about guns, then why haven't they installed metal detectors? I feel that I have the right to privacy and the transparent backpack rule definitely infringes on that right...I'm sick of the current dresscode. It stinks!

-Anonymous

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From the Principal's Pen



It is my pleasure to welcome all the incoming freshmen to Rockcastle County High School, as well as the returning sophmores, juniors, and seniors. RCHS is committed in offering the knowledge and skills to ensure each student's success in a global society

Students, I challenge each of you to make every day a meaningful learning experience. Think seriously about life after high school. Set goals for yourself. Ask your academic advisors for advice about career choices available to you and plan your classes in order to meet goals. Make the most of those classes by communicating with your teachers and classmates. Ask questions, participate in class -- learn all you can. Ask for help when you need it and be responsible

in completing your work. Also, have fun while you are here at "the Rock"! Make friends, get involved in the clubs and organizations, attend extra - curricular activities. May the 1998 - 99 school year be the best ever for you!

Sincerely,
RuthAllen
Interim Administrator

The Rocket

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High school or prison?

by Sahlena Sebastian

High school or prison? This is the question that runs through the students' minds as they enter RCHS every morning. They suddenly find themselves caught between the new dress code and the latest fashion trend.

For example, the baggy jeans, baby-Ts, and tank tops which are all the rage this year are considered a disgrace not only to the school, but also to the individual.

The school brought up the issue that these rules were developed to prevent crimes. For instance, baggy clothes can easily hide a weapon, as can backpacks. With more form-fitting clothes, and the clear backpacks/satchels, there is less chance of that happening.

Personally, I believe the dress code is out of hand. We should be able to go to school to get an education; instead, kids go to school worried about whether they are going to get ISS for wearing clothes they feel are suitable--and feel comfortable in.

Which leads me to ask, "Do the new rules at RCHS make it a safer school, or just create a bigger problem?"

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Why do we worry so much?

by Christina Mahaffey

Why do people worry? Is it because they are obsessed with causing themselves misery or just because they have the primitive need instilled in them at birth? Or is it because we are always seeking the approval of our peers? But have you ever thought of what we really worry about?

Some things we tend to worry about are trivial, petty things, especially when compared to the world's bigger problems. For example, complete and total strangers seem to care more about whether Sally broke up with John than they do about ozone layer depletion.

Recently one hundred and seventy students were polled about nine subjects that plague teenagers today. Students were asked to number from most important to least what worries them the most.

Here are the results:

1. Family- 116
2. Death- 22
3. Love life- 15
4. Friends-9
5. Drugs/Alcohol-9
6. Appearance-5
7. School-4
8. Popularity-1
9. Peer Pressure-0

Based on our unscientific poll, over 74% of the student body worry about their family more than any other thing on the list combined.

I know the one thing I worry about a lot is whether I am going to fail Chemistry or not. (Ms. Rose, if you are reading this do not feel offended!)

If you are worrying about something, just lie back and relax--and don't take it so seriously because more than likely it is either something not so serious or none of your business.

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"It's unfair, mainly backpacks, because it's stupid for it to have to be clear."
--Tara Thompson
freshman



"I can't wear my Marilyn Manson clothes."
--Robert Clark, junior

Down the Hall

What do you think of the new dress code?



"It stinks! It's a little too strict, and it's hard to find clothes that fit the dress code."
--Tami Taylor,
sophomore

"It don't matter."
--Stewart Abney, junior



"I like it, because nasty people can't wear cut-off shirts."
--Cody Cox, senior



"It's good, especially about the short tops, and the safety of not having baggy clothes."
--Mr. Lawrence Bullock, faculty



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RCHS welcomes foreign exchange student

By Billy Hackworth

RCHS has a new foreign exchange student. Her name is Swantje Koismeyer, a 17 year-old senior from Oelkassa, Germany. When asked what she thought about Kentucky and her new school, she had a lot to say.

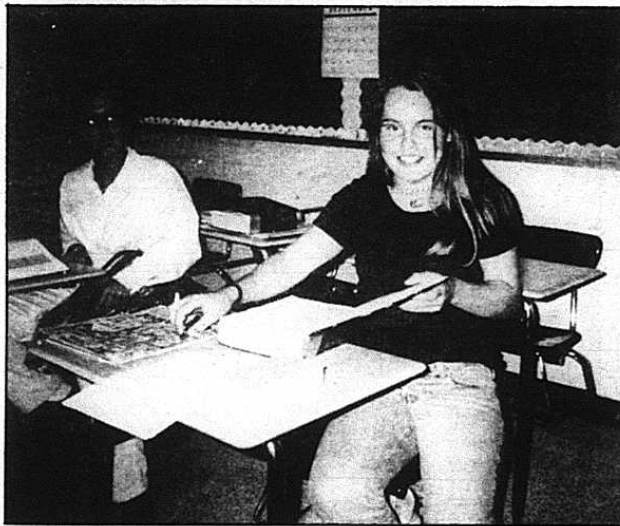
In Oelkassa, she went to school from 8:00 a.m. to 1:30. She was limited to a small amount of choices in the classes she took. In fact, at Swantje's old school, students had no electives; they were required to take the same classes as all the other students.

Coming to RCHS, she has enjoyed the opportunity to pick what classes she can take and when in each semester to take them. Overall, she loves the way we arrange our day, and believes she has a lot more freedom here at RCHS.

This sense of freedom does not necessarily apply to the dress code. In Oelkassa, her school had no shirt or skirt/short length, and no restrictions on baggy clothes.

For now, Swantje is having a great time while living with Amy and Newell Jones, and she was recently nominated for Homecoming Queen.

She has one sister and a brother back in Germany. The next time she will get to see them will be next June or July, when she returns home. Until then, we hope she has a good time here in Rockcastle County.



Swantje Koismeyer is an exchange student from Oelkassa, Germany. She is a 17 year-old senior, and will be attending Rockcastle County High School for the remainder of her senior year.

Senior English teacher returns

by Sahlena Sebastian

Senior English teacher Jennifer Mattingly left RCHS unexpectedly to accept a position at Rockcastle County Middle School as a writing consultant. On September 25, she returned just as suddenly to replace departing English teacher, Ms. Julie Cruse.

"I'm excited to be back at the high school and working with such great students. I'm especially looking forward to Open House and letting our students' work shine. I truly appreciate the opportunity to come back and help the school," said Ms. Mattingly.

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Rockettown blasts full speed into third year

by Jessica Lowery

The school year has officially begun and Rockettown has launched off. For those of you who are saying, "Rocket-what?" Rockettown is a place where high-school and middle school students get together and worship the Lord through music, skits, and games.

The most recent Rockettown was August 29, 1998 at Bible Baptist Church. The theme for this Rockettown was "Sold Out" and included skits, singing, and lots of audience participation. Also, special guest at Rockettown was Gavin Duerson, mascot for the Kentucky Wildcats. Gavin told stories about his experiences as UK mascot, danced with the audience, and gave an inspirational speech.

Scott Stayton, Youth Director at Bible Baptist Church, first started the idea of Rockettown back in 1996 and it involved the Youth Group at Bible Baptist, plus a few others. Rockettown now involves several teenagers across the county, plus a few out of town guests. Scott never expected Rockettown to evolve into something that involved so many people. Approximately 250 people attended the last Rockettown.

Bible Baptist Church hosts Rockettown periodically throughout the year. It is free of charge and everyone is welcome to participate in the excitement. The next Rockettown will be held in October.



Rockettown got off to a rousing start on August 29 at Bible Baptsit Church. Rockettown gives many area high school and middle school students the opportunity to gather and worship the Lord through music, improvisational skits, and games. From left to right, Ladonya Mink, Courtney Hansel, Natasha Bishop, and Angie Ford sing before the crowd.

What's in at the Rock?

by Christina Cadena

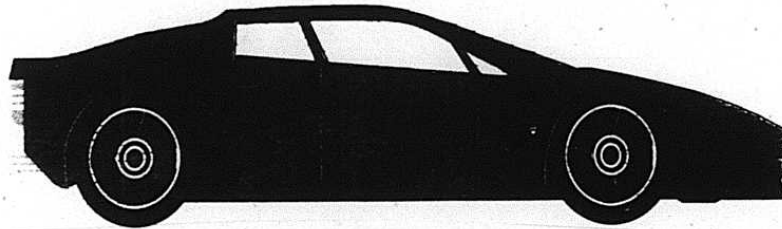
Walking down the hallway, you most likely won't see people wearing bell bottoms, hip huggers, or tie-dyed shirts. Those clothes are definitely not "in style".

There are three basic styles: the legendary styles, like bell bottoms and tie-dye; the "here today, gone tomorrow" style; and, of course, the "latest style".

Our latest styles seem to consist of Tommy Hilfiger and Ralph Lauren pants and shirts. Khakis also seem to be popular again this year. Abercrombie and Fitch seems to be gaining in popularity, as well.

Out of 20 students surveyed, twelve said they wear clothes they think are in style. The other eight students said they work clothes that they liked and felt comfortable in.

No matter what other people think is "in style" or the cool thing to wear, the best advice is to wear whatever makes you feel comfortable, and not what you think will make you cool.



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FHA (Future Homemakers of America) is directed by Ms. Robyn Johnson and dues are \$10. The club focuses on the development of leadership skills. It is also involved in various school and community service projects.

FFA (Future Farmers of America) focuses on developing speaking skills in public that are related to agricultural topics. It is directed by Mr. Jeff Hayes and Mr. Roy Reynolds. Dues are \$12 and you must be enrolled in an agriculture course to join.

Spanish Honorary is for students currently enrolled in a Spanish course who have a B average or higher. It is directed by Pam Powell. Members will attend theater productions each semester.

FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) is for anyone who wants to join and dues are \$2. Students hear about the importance of God's presence in their lives while

associating with other Christian students. It is directed by Mr. Jason Wilson.

Y-Club is directed by Mr. Adam Coleman and Ms. Debbie Coleman. Dues are \$15 and anyone can join. It is a branch of the YMCA and focuses on community and school service. It is dedicated to making RCHS and Rockcastle County better.

FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) exposes students to the opportunities available in the world of business. Members must be enrolled in a vocational business course to join and dues are \$10. It is directed by Ms. Patty Himes.

VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America) is for students enrolled in a vocational industrial course and dues are \$12. It is directed by Mr. Ralph Baker. It helps students realize the various career opportunities in the industrial world.

ETS (Educational Talent Search) provides educational and career counseling, plus financial aid information to students interested in earning a post-secondary education. Darla Phillips of Berea College is the director. Students interested must contact Ms. Miller in the guidance office for more information.

Upward Bound is also a Berea College-based organization. It is directed by Sarah White, and is for students who have the potential to succeed in college, but whose performance in education may not reflect that potential. Also, it helps students improve their academic skills and motivation. Students must contact Ms. Miller or Mr. Whitaker for more information.

National Beta Club is an academic club that is directed by Ms. Susan Norton and Ms. Trina Bustle. Underclassmen must have a 3.5 GPA and seniors must have

a 3.0 to be able to join. It is involved in community service. Dues are \$10 for previous members and \$15 for new.

National Honors Society requires students to have a 3.5 GPA or higher, and participate in school and community service. Also, members are chosen based on character, leadership, service, and scholastic principles. Dues are \$5.

Key Club is sponsored by the local Kiwanis Club and directed by Mr. Gary Tillery. It is a service organization that develops initiative, leadership ability, and good citizenship practices. Dues are \$15.

TLC (Teen Leadership Council) helps its members promote positive choices, anti-drugs and alcohol, child abuse prevention awareness and more. Ms. Jill Ponder, of Youth Services, directs this club. The members are peer

helpers chosen by faculty and student body.

Creative Writing is directed by Ms. Wanda Gonzalez. It provides a real audience for student's writings. Instead of paying dues, students are required to bring one new piece of writing to each monthly meeting.

Soldiers of Christ is a new club directed by Mr. Scott Adams. It is designed to train and equip people to impact the world for Christ. It also makes Jesus known around the community and school.

French Club is also new this year, and is directed by Ms. Angie Hendrickson. It is for current, previous, or upcoming French students. Students will be working on French language enrichment and will be able to attend a trip to Paris (still in planning stage).

--compiled by Rachel Ott

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Information from the U.S. Bureau of the Census shows that lifetime earnings and median

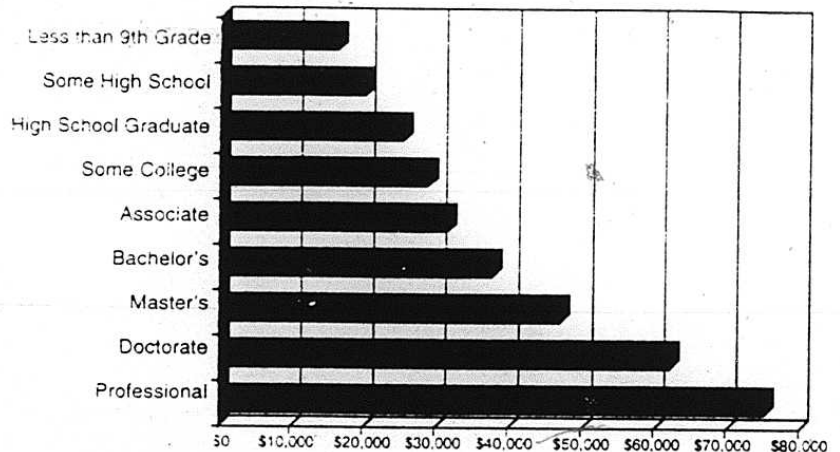
family income increase with higher education. Specifically:

*Estimated lifetime earnings of individuals with an associate degree were 29% higher than those with only a high school diploma.

*Estimated lifetime earnings of individuals with a bachelor's degree were 73% higher than those with only a high school diploma.

*Median family income of families whose household head had attended four years of college was 67% higher than the median family income of families whose household head had only attended four years of high school.

Median Earnings by Educational Level¹



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The Rocket

4-H Land Judging advances to national competition

by Alex Tyler

After winning the state competition Rockcastle's 4-H Land Judging team is advancing to the national contest in Oklahoma, this May. At the Kentucky State Fair, Rockcastle brought home six of the top ten individual places in the senior division and one in the junior division, making this one of the most victorious years ever for Rockcastle's 4-H Land Judging.

In the individual competition, freshman Blake Arnold received a fourth place award in the junior division. Jeremy Neeley took second place in the senior division, and Warren Whitaker received the Grand Champion award in the senior division, earning 330 points out of a possible 340. All of the top four individuals received plaques. The Grand- and Reserve Grand Champions both received special ribbons, the Grand Champion received a watch, and the members of the entire winning team received soil probes.

Rockcastle took two teams to this year's fair, making this the first year that any county has ever taken more than one team to the state level. The members of the winning team are: Josh Chaliff, senior; Alex Tyler, junior; Warren Whitaker, sophomore; and Tom Mills, Jr., sophomore.

Rockcastle's second team received third place. Its members are: junior, Jonathan Bishop; and sophomores, Jeremy Neeley, Stephen Hopkins, and Chaz Cable.

Tom Mills, Sr., the teams' coach says that this will be the first time that he has taken a team with members all from one county to the nationals in Oklahoma City. He also says that he plans to take both teams to Oklahoma. From the celebration after the award ceremony, the members of the teams seemed excited about winning and being able to represent their state in Oklahoma City.

A journey never to be forgotten...

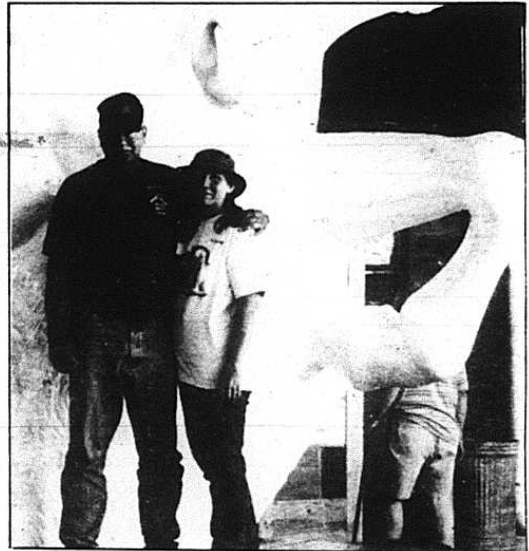
by Lee Ann Frith

This summer 18 students, two chaperones, went on a quest for knowledge, but came back with much more.

The Corps of Discovery 98' formed an invincible, unbreakable bond--a family for it's members. When asked about the trip Sergeant Major said, "All the students [returned] home safe, [with] every educational goal exceeded, it couldnt have been a better or more successful trip." But, for the students, the trip wasn't about the focus or the success, it was about the closeness they found with found with their leaders.

Miranda Seiber, member of JROTC, said, "When we left, we left as many, but returned as one. The gratitude and appreciation is immeasurable that we have for Sergeant Major and Mrs. Jenny. Our dreams and wishes has come true, and that is pure success."

None of the students had traveled so far from home before, seen such sights, or had such experiences. It was a journey that will last a lifetime.



Sgt. Major Keith Taylor and his wife, Jenny, led a group of 18 students on a camping trip that covered several states, including the Dakotas, Montana, and Wyoming. It took them two years to plan and organize Corps of Discovery "98, a trip that lasted three weeks.

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SENIOR PICTURES

They capture the best, and the worst, of us

By Nathaniel Bullock, Sahlena Sebastian, and Dackery Larkey

Remember the day that you woke up and found that you had developed a huge pimple on your nose. Or the day you crawled out of bed only to find that your hair was sticking up in every possible direction. Odds are that this was senior picture day--the day fate turned against you. This is unfortunate, because senior pictures are important. After twelve years of school lunches and potty passes, your pictures actually mean something. They act as a measuring stick. One can look back and say, "Look at me, that's before I had my car accident." Or "Hey this is when I still had hair!"

Unfortunately, senior pictures are not always flattering. They can be awkward, frustrating, and sometimes embarrassing. You want to be depicted in a certain way, but you never know how to smile, hold your head, or fix your hair. It always seems that your gross facial characteristics are captured in magnificent detail.

So what to do? For this year's seniors, advice comes too late. For those of you who still have this momentous event to look forward to, just remember to remain calm and be yourself; you want people to remember you by being yourself.



Above: Senior Amanda Osborne getting prepped for pictures.

Do you think you'll look the same in 5 years? What about in 10, 20, or even 30? Try to match these pictures with the people you see every day. You can find the answers on page 19.



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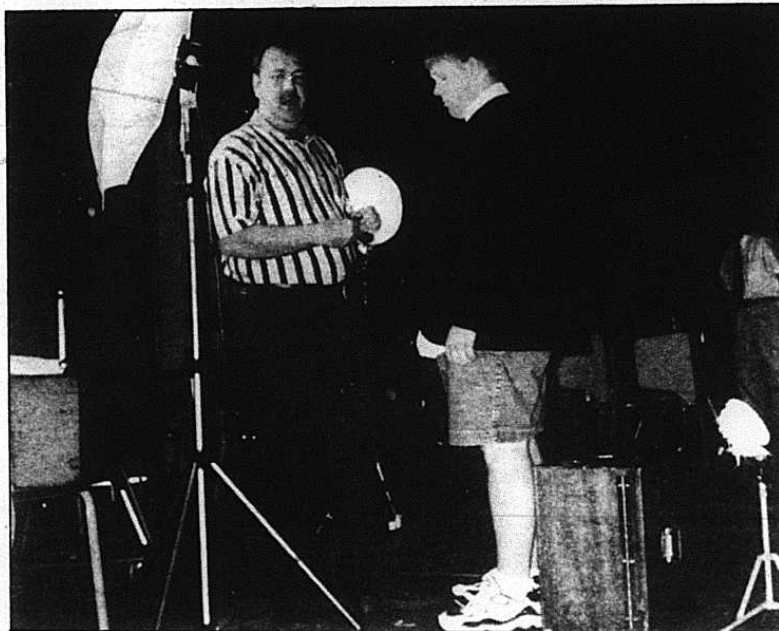


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Above: Senior Derrick Dooley preparing to have picture taken.



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Ms. Susan Norton: (English) "I hate it because whenever my mother sees it, she asks what happened."

Ms. Wanda Gonzalez: (English) "I was young, sixteen at the time. I was irritated because the picture that I wanted was not the picture they put in the annual."

Ms. Connie Riddle: (Business) "I didn't like it. It was black and white, and when I was a senior, there were no private photographers. All pictures were taken at the school or nowhere at all."

Mr. Otis Prater: (Science) "No, I didn't like it."

Ms. Allene Cornelius: (English) "I think I was incredibly ugly."

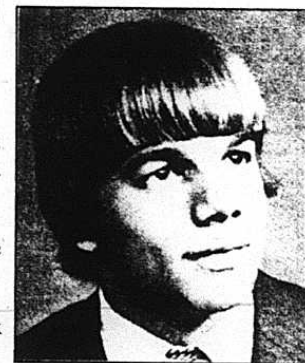
Mr. Lawrence Bullock: (Art) "The biggest problem was that it looked to much like me. They should have done a better job."

Ms. Dawn Quigley: (Math) "It's all right. I feel I still look the same. I think I probably look younger now then I did then."

Ms. Tammy Reynolds: (Chorus) "They always say the camera adds ten pounds."

Mr. Scott Adams: (Math) "I didn't like it. I always hate pictures of myself."

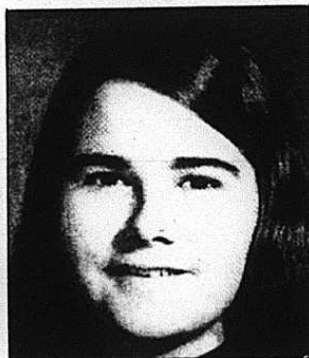
Ms. Iris Young: (English) "When my grandchildren look at they want to know who that funny looking woman is."



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WRESTLING RAMBLINGS

by Jimmy Payne

"And this is the only title in the wrestling world that makes you number one. When you are the king of the WWF, you rule the world," said 15 time World Champion Ric Flair, after winning the 1992 Royal Rumble and beginning his first reign as the World Wrestling Federation Champion.

At the time of this interview the WWF was undoubtedly the number one wrestling organization in the world. Every week the WWF dominated a World Championship Wrestling that lacked talent and leadership.

In 1995, WCW reached an all time low. They were spending millions on multi-talented wrestlers such as Hulk Hogan, Macho Man, Ric Flair, Sting, and Lex Luger--and they were still doing terrible in the ratings war and they were having some of the worst pay-per-views of all time.

Meanwhile, the WWF was doing much better business. Instead of spending millions on older superstars, they were developing young wrestlers into money makers. Wrestlers such as Diesel, Razor Ramon, and Bret Hart had taken the place of Hulk Hogan, Randy Savage, and the Ultimate Warrior. Though only successful temporarily, the WWF had proven that they could survive without the superstars they had created.

1996 was one of the biggest years in wrestling history. It looked as though WCW was finally through

with wasting trillionaire Ted Turner's millions.. They figured if we can't develop talent like the WWF we'll just buy what they have.

First they were able to lure Scott Hall (Razor Ramon) to Atlanta then Kevin Nash (Diesel). With the hiring of the two young lions, the WCW would make wrestling history and with the start of the NWO, leave the WWF behind and take over the wrestling business.

As the last couple of years have flown by the biggest names in wrestling have crawled to WCW. Bret Hart, Curt Hennig, the Ultimate Warrior, Rick Rude, and many others boosting their television ratings far beyond anyone's expectations.

However, many of WCW's plots seemed ridiculous, and they had a lot of feuds nobody cared about. The main events of their pay-per-views were usually terrible matches.. It was the superstars that the WWF had created getting up every Nitro, giving interviews, and bringing a cool persona that kept WCW going.

But, as the NWO started getting old so is WCW. The WWF continues to create new superstars such as The Rock, who is probably the best young talent in the wrestling world.

Hunter Hearst Helmsley is right behind the Rock as one of the best talents in the world. Triple H was actually in WCW for awhile in his younger days where he was defeated by Alex Wright and Eddy Guerrero before leaving.

With the WWF using it's young talent to help even up the ratings war, you can just see how much smarter and more creative they are than WCW.

Lets face it; they have never had the success with past WWF talent that the WWF has had.

Has Hulk Hogan made you feel the same way in WCW that he did when he dropped the leg on Randy Savage?

Has Randy Savage brought out a show like he put on at WrestleMania VII when he hit the Ultimate Warrior with five elbow drops?

Has the Ultimate Warrior excited you in WCW the way he did at Wrestlemania VI when he press slammed Hulk Hogan?

Or has Bret Hart or Diesel made you lose your breath like they did at their no holds barred match for the WWF title at Survivor Series 95?

Will WCW continue to spend more money to try and keep ratings high, or will the WWF retake their position as wrestling's # 1 organization?

Cross Country off to great start

by Mindy Bullock

The cross country season started off with a meet at Pulaski County on September 8. The year is starting out promisingly with the Boys' Varsity coming in fourth and the Girls' Varsity coming in third place. There were eight teams for each present at the meet.

In a field of forty-six runners, Stewart Abney came in 14; Jeremiah Myers, 18; Matthew Brown, 35; and Josh Ramsey, 43.

In the Girls' Varsity field, there were forty-nine runners with Cheyenne Carmack placing seventh; Brandy Reynolds, 18; Jessica Cobb, 19; Tara Abney, 21; Rachelle Hammond, 26; and Ashley Lawson, 35.

The members of the cross country team are: Stewart Abney, Jeremiah Myers, Josh Ramsey, Stephen Hopkins, Matthew Brown, Cheyenne Carmack, Tara Abney, Brandy Reynolds, Jessica Cobb, Rachelle Hammond, Ashley Lawson, and Mindy Bullock. The team is coached by Dawn Quigley and Mark Brummett.

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| 9/8/98 | Pulaski County | 4:30 p.m. |
| 9/12/98 | Southern Harrier Special (Somerset) | 10:00 a.m. |
| 9/15/98 | Berea Community School | 5:00 p.m. |
| 9/19/98 | Madison Southern Invitational | 11:00 a.m. |
| 9/22/98 | Danville | 5:00 p.m. |
| 9/29/98 | Clay County (Varsity Only) | 5:00 p.m. |
| 10/6/98 | Laurel County | 5:00 p.m. |
| 10/10/98 | Laurel County Invitational | 10:30 a.m. |
| 10/13/98 | Southwestern Pulaski | 4:30 p.m. |
| 10/20/98 | Somerset | 4:30 p.m. |
| 10/31/98 | Regional Meet - Green County | TBA |
| 11/7/98 | State Meet - KY Horse Park | TBA |