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## Hardest taking donations for Floyd victims

The local Hardest Restaurant is trying to help some of the North Carolina victims of Hurricane Floyd, who lost everything in last week's devastating floods.

Becky Smith, local store manager, said that Hardest is accepting canned food, soap, washing powders, clothes and money to be sent to the victims in North Carolina.

Ms. Smith said that anyone wishing to donate items can do so inside the restaurant during regular hours.

Hardest opens at 5 a.m. everyday and closes at midnight. The local Hardest is located just north of the

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## Bittersweet Festival is this weekend

The annual Mt. Vernon Bittersweet Festival is set for this weekend and promises to have something for everyone.

Pumpkins, foder shocks, food, rides and running will all be a part of the festival which kicks off Friday

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Miss Tara Abney, center, daughter of Johnny and Freddy Abney, a junior at Rockcastle County High School, was crowned 1999 football homecoming queen during half-time festivities Friday night. Sophomore Tammy Peyton, left, daughter of Phyllis Renner of Mt. Vernon, and Senior Brandy Reynolds, right, daughter of Regina Jett of Mt. Vernon and Gary Reynolds of Brodhead, were finalists.

## Loretta Lynn to attend Hall of Fame groundbreaking at Renfro Valley

The public is invited to participate in the official groundbreaking ceremony for the new Kentucky Country Music Hall of Fame Museum on Saturday, October 9, at 2 p.m. at Renfro Valley.

Country Music legend Loretta Lynn will be among the VIP guests taking part in the event.

"I am honored to be asked to be a part of the new Kentucky Country Music Hall of Fame project," said Lynn in a telephone interview. "This

museum has been a long time coming to preserve the country music heritage in Kentucky and honor all of the legends of country music who have roots in our state. We're all very excited about it," she said.

The family of the late John Lair, Renfro Valley Barn Dance founder, has donated over four acres and the Lair Stables building, which is on the National Register of Historic Places, as the location for the museum. This is the just east of the Renfro Valley

Entertainment Center.

The stable building is envisioned to be the portal to the new museum and Hall of Fame, which will be added to the rear of the property, according to the director of the hall of fame, Rob Rumpke.

The groundbreaking will take place in front of the existing stable structure. There will be free refreshments for the public and a drawing for two tickets to any Renfro Valley Concert in 2000 and a drawing

The Kentucky Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, a state of the art museum and hall of honor, will highlight Kentucky music heritage, honor the contributions of Kentucky music artists to American music, and educate and entertain youth, scholars and music fans of the world.

The Hall of Fame and Museum has been in the discussion stages for nearly a decade, but the commitment for its actual existence became a reality

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## Columbine survivor to speak at Bible Baptist

Rockcastle County High School and Middle School students will get a first hand account of the horrible day last April when two students at Columbine High School in Colorado, murdered 12 of their classmates and a teacher, before taking their own lives.

Michele Fox, who was a senior at Columbine last year, will be the featured speaker at Bible Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon, on Saturday night, during their annual Rockcastle event.

Miss Fox, now a student at Liberty University in Lynchburg, Virginia, will share her experiences as a survivor of America's worst school

shooting incident.

Miss Fox was in the school during the shooting and escaped serious injury despite being shot at several times.

According to Bible Baptist Youth Pastor, Scott Stayton, the loss of her friends and classmates in the shooting has deeply impacted her life and her relationship with God.

Stayton said that among the friends Miss Fox lost in the tragedy was Cassie Bernall, the young lady whose name has become synonymous with the killings in Columbine for answering the shooters question, "Yes, I believe in God," before she

was shot to death.

Stayton said that Miss Fox will be speaking about Cassie and the impact of her friend's faith has had upon her.

Miss Fox has shared her testimony across the United States, as well as in People Magazine and various newspapers throughout the world.

Rockcastle will begin at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday night and Stayton said that the event is being held exclusively for high school and middle school students.

Miss Fox will also conduct a question and answer session the follow-

ing morning, at 10 a.m. in the Bible Baptist High School/Middle School class.

## Professional Wrestling here Saturday

Big time wrestling is coming to Rockcastle County - and with a local twist.

Saturday night the semi-main event at the Rockcastle County Middle School will feature Mareburg's own Brad Powell against the Atomic Dog.

Powell has been training for his wrestling debut in his own wrestling ring at his Mareburg home.

The special main event will feature a battle of mixed mens and ladies to crown the first ever Mt. Vernon champion.

In a special added tag team match, The Stallion Steve Marino and Bobby Blade will take on "Brutal" Bill Lewis and "Thunder" Lewis.

Dynamic Ray Christy will battle Dirty "D" and Bobby Blade will frank on American kickboxer Frank Mullins.

One ladies match will feature "Peaches" against "Terrible" Terri. The Livingston Lion's Club along with the International Championship Wrestling Academy is sponsoring the match, which begins at 7 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Middle School.

## Future of counties at stake Large crowd turns out for consolidation public hearing

It was a "Standing Room Only" crowd for Wednesday's public hearing of the Legislative Task Force and two other state committees at the Rockcastle County courthouse.

After introduction of all the dignitaries present by County Judge Executive Buzz Carlolius, Carlolius turned the meeting over to Senator Albert Robinson, Republican from London and representative for Rockcastle in the Senate, who chaired the hearing. Robinson immediately stated his opposition to the mandatory consolidation of counties and recounted a bill, passed overwhelmingly at the end of the 1998 legislative session by the House, which would have forced the number of counties to 70, from its present 120, by the year 2020. Robinson bottled the bill up in committee in the Senate and it was not passed.

However, Robinson will not battle a bill for "permissive" consolidation, which would require a petition to the Fiscal Court of an estimated 25% of the voters in the last election. The matter would only be brought to the ballot if an anti-consolidation petition was presented to the court signed by the same percentage. If brought to a ballot, a simple majority vote would determine the question. Of course, the same would be true for the county the smaller county was intending to merge with.

In support of the consolidation issue, Rep. Charles Gevedon pointed out that only Texas and Georgia have more counties than Kentucky with much greater populations. According to Gevedon, the process would involve the selection of a new county name and a new county seat, once the issue of consolidation is decided, and

county offices would be kept in the smaller county for a period of 10 years. Of course, there is also the incentive of the \$3 million dollars the first ten counties to consolidate would receive to improve services and, Gevedon said, priority for Community Development Block Grants would be given to consolidated counties.

However, Carlolius pointed out that he was against consolidation saying that consolidation would "ultimately take local government away from local people." Carlolius also said that the state had limited the counties methods of gaining more revenue, including only three ways, property taxes, an insurance tax and an occupational tax and that they imposed standards for services but accepted none of the financial burden for imposing those standards.

"You have to get government to a small area for daily contact with the people," Carlolius said.

A lot of the county's problems could be served by regional compact, Carlolius said, and this area needed to be addressed.

Bob Babbage, former secretary of state, spoke about using the \$30 million dollars to provide financial incentive prizes to counties who come up with ideas to cope with providing more and better services.

Mr. Vernon Mayor Karen King also spoke in opposition to consolidation, saying that the money could be used to improve existing facilities in the counties we now have than in building new buildings for consolidated counties. She also said that cities should be allowed to use excess revenue in one program (e.g., water

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## Rockcastle County Detention Center open for business

By: Richard Anderkin  
The new Rockcastle County Jail has been open now for about two weeks and so far, things have gone extremely smooth, according to Jailor James Miller.

The new jail is much different than the old jail, mainly because of the different security measures in place. But there is also other changes from the old days at the old jail, beginning with a name change.

The new jail is the Rockcastle County Detention Center.

And, inmates must wear black and white uniforms at all times.

They are allowed no personal items in the jail and no money.

Inmates are allowed to bring only five white t-shirts, five white pairs of socks and five white pairs of underwear.

Miller said that because the state requires that air conditioners run all the time in the jail, each inmate is allowed to bring one pair of gray or white sweat suit to wear under their uniforms so they can stay warm.

Prisoners on work release are not required to wear the uniforms. Toiletry items, food, drinks, tobacco products and other items are available at the detention center's commissary, but inmates must present a money order to the commissary which is logged into a computer.

Inmates are allowed to spend the money they have logged for whatever reason they desire and when they leave the jail, if they have money left in their account, a check is issued to them.

There are also eleven security cameras inside and outside the detention center and all visitors and inmates must pass through a locked gate before gaining entrance to the jail through another locked door.

The new detention center is also complete with a drunk tank, maximum security area and indoor and outdoor recreation area.

Work release prisoners and women prisoners are also separated

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John Clontz, left, with Kivans President Teresa Vanzant, accepting the Everett C. Brown Award for community service.

## Clontz receives Brown award

John Clontz of Mt. Vernon was given the Everett C. Brown Award for community service at the Rockcastle Kiwanis meeting on Thursday, September 23. For 16 years Clontz has been serving as chairman of the Rockcastle County Industrial Authority. He is genuinely concerned about the future of the county and has worked long hours (away from his law practice) to entice industry to our area.

He was instrumental in the expansion of Mt. Vernon Plastics and Rockcastle Manufacturing that has helped to increase the amount of employees. He has been very instrumental in getting two new firms, Image Entry and B and H Tool to settle here in the county.

In the spring of '98 Clontz's vision led to a much needed change from a six member authority board to a fourteen member board with Bige Towery as the Executive Director. He has helped to assemble a progressive thinking group that has many plans for growth in Rockcastle County.

The Rockcastle Kiwanis feels that John is very deserving of this award for the enormous amount of hours he has given to benefit our area, without pay, and even less recognition. John is an attorney with Clontz and Cox Law Firm in Mt. Vernon. He resides in Mt. Vernon with his wife, Lisa and two daughters, Lauren and Victoria.



Mt. Vernon Mayor Karen King Swore in new city council member Lou Vanhose, left, on Friday morning. Mrs. Vanhose replaces Lee Keene on the council, who resigned last month. At right, councilman Jackie Renner was sworn-in as the city's first vice-mayor.

# Sweet and Sour

By Zi Graves



**Chapter 33**  
**Problems? Or Joy?**  
 What better way is there to start ones 86th birthday than share with the younger generation some of the pitfalls and joys he/she is facing?  
 Yes, today I am celebrating another birthday. The time worn greeting of "Happy Birthday" has become old stuff to me but I still appreciate hearing it and want to thank all those who have said it in words or cards. The celebration began Saturday, Sept. 18, when Matilda Cromer and her family, with Polly's help, invited a few of my old friends from Buffalo to join them in a surprise birthday party in the rec. room at the First Baptist Church. And I was surprised for my birthday a week away. But the joy of seeing old friends and knowing they cared enough to come, soon had the expression of surprise and awe wiped off my face and I took the privilege we oldsters are granted and took the weight off my feet in the nearest chair, where I could sit and chat to my

hearts content. Since then I have had enough phone calls and cards to make today seem like a great big period to all the fuss over another day, and year, gone by in the life of Zi Graves. All these reminders of which side of the mountain of life I am on, and nearing the bottom of, brought to mind a cute little poem I kept tucked away in a remote chamber of memory. Old age is golden, or so it's been said. But sometimes I wonder, as I go to bed, My eyes on the table, my teeth in a cup, My ears in the drawer until I get up, Ere sleep close my eyes I say to myself, "Is there anything else I should lay on the shelf?" I awake the next morning, gather up my spare parts make a hot cup of coffee and reach for the tarts. Take a big sip of coffee and dust off my wits

then pick up the paper and read the obits. If my name is missing I know I'm not dead, so drink my cold coffee and go back to bed. My own thoughts: I look all around, and what do I see? Many young people much worse off than me. Some without voices, some of them blind some with diseases that's clouded their mind.

Wheel chairs and walkers, a crutch or a cane are commonly used by all ages in pain. We, who've crossed over the top of the hill can take a look backward and know that we still have good health, our family and friends far and near. And know God has blessed us and we have nothing to fear. Now the road climbing up that hill may have been rough on the hands and back, the days not long enough to get everything done and the nights too short to get all the sleep one desired, but when I look back I see things I didn't see then. I see children growing into adulthood, I see a home being built, I see neighbors visiting and games being played in the yard. I see a truck load of people going to church or on an outing. I see my kids with a book in hand studying for a test and Mat coming in with

overall's sweaty and dirty from a hard days work in the fields. I see a sick child needing a doctor's care with no doctor close by to do the caring. And I see a new baby in my arms struggling close for her nourishment while she patted my face with a chubby hand. I see children going off to college and later their wedding day. These are memories worth all the hardships we had making a home for them.

Now the autumn days of life, stumbling and falling down the other side of the hill are just as new and exciting as those earlier days. I still don't know what lies ahead.

One more thanks to those who attended my birthday party they were: Matilda Cromer, Ralph and Mary Cromer, Dean and Teresa Cromer, Christine and Jason Pyles, Justin and Josh Pyles, Genee and Danny Walden, Pauline Karandos, Angie Viach, Melba and granddaughter, Sallie Mize, Johnny Mize and daughter Jennifer, Becky Cromer, Susie Cromer and grandson, Donald Taylor, Sherman and Annamie Mize, Ruby and Bernard Norton, Jan Barnes, Denzil and Georgina Krabenbuhl, Sod Debord, Buck and Ina Cromer, Polly, Chuck and Chad Abney, David Taylor. If I have left anyone out I am sorry. I used the list I was given.

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# Obituaries

## Willie Niceley

Willie Niceley, 85, of near Mt. Vernon, died Tuesday, September 28, 1999 at the Bera Hospital.  
The body is at Cox Funeral Home where arrangements are incomplete.



## Cecil Broughton

Cecil Broughton, 87, of Bee Lick, died Tuesday, September 28, 1999 at.

the Sowder Nursing Home in Brodhead. He was born December 17, 1913 in Piasaki County, the son of the late Moses and Elizabeth Robbins Broughton. He was a retired carpenter who enjoyed fishing, hunting and making sorghum and was a member of the Ottawa Baptist Church.

Survivors are seven sons, Kenneth of Hebron, Benjamin of Columbus, Ind., Noah of Somerset, Robert, William, Lowell and Charles, all of Brodhead; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Petrey of Lancaster; 20 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Clara Reynolds Broughton, two brothers, Ernest and Clifford, and two sisters, Pauline Carmichael and Ruth Broughton.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, September 30 (today) at the Liberty Baptist Church with Bros. Neal and Steve Broughton officiating. Burial will be in the Liberty Baptist Church Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Kenneth, Benjamin, Robert, William, Lowell and Charles Broughton.

Arrangements are by Watson Funeral Home.



## In Memory of Mildred Ann Bullock who would have been 27-years-old on Oct 3rd

Our memory of you lingers on even though you are gone. Our memories began to build in our

## In Memory of Our Son,

Marvin Smith, Jr. Along time ago on a cold and rainy day, God sent a beautiful baby our way.

It was the year of 1961 in my arms they laid a handsome son. As he began to grow and learn a lot, I tried to teach him what he should do and what he should not.

I taught him about God and his love. I knew he would not forget what he had heard.

As he grew older and became a young man, he became very sick with cancer, but he still held on to God's hand.

As the weeks passed he was in so much pain, but his love for God still remained.

hearts the day you were born. You were so beautiful all wrapped up in a pretty pink blanket. You made me think of a beautiful rose and I thank God for his bundle of love he sent us from Heaven above.

As you grew the things you would say and do were building sweet memories of you to carry us through the days when we cry over you. Memories are a gift from God above that death cannot take away.

So when we're missing you so much we think about the beautiful smile you always wore and the kind words you would say and it helps get us through another day.

We will never forget you because of the sweet memories you left behind to comfort us as we go from day to day. We love you and always will.

Greatly missed by  
Mom & Dad  
Sisters & Brothers

His body became fragile and thus weak, but the love of God he would always seek.

As I sat by his hospital bed, the pain in his face I could easily see. But not a word of complaint did he say to me.

As the days passed and turned from summer to fall, one day he looked at me, smiled and said, "Mom, God will soon call."

Then on August 3, 1981, he heard God calling, "Come home my son," He left us on that day, and I know in the arms of Jesus he will lay.

No suffering and pain he will feel any more. I know he is in Heaven on that heavenly shore.

We miss you and love you,  
Mom & Dad,  
Dora and Marvin Smith

## NOTICE

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## In Loving Memories

In Memory of Cordie Gibbons A Lovely Woman I Once Knew I once met a lady I didn't know, I didn't like her in the start,

But she grew so fond in my heart. She said things I didn't like to hear, But I learned to love her through the years.

Things she said made me blue, But within the years I found them true.

At times there was things I didn't understand, But she was always there to hold my hand.

She would try to lead me right, And always be there even at night. Anytime I would pick up the phone, I knew I was never alone.

Then a day came I could see, It was time she really needed me. With tear filled eyes, I watched her suffer.

She was unable to get up and fix her own supper. All she could do was lay in the bed, With big fat pillows under her head. Many of the days she laid and cried. As she knew her children just drove by.

She would ask the Lord to just let her die, With the biggest tear drops in her eyes.

She said she hurt so much, And wanted the Lord's special touch. On a special day he came from the skies,

And brushed those lonely tears from her eyes. Now that she is gone I can see, She only wanted the best for my family and me.

I know she hurt a lot of people with the truth, But that was because she was working God's Booth.

So now sitting home in the winter snow, Sometimes I wish I could still go. But I know now it is too late.

Because she had a very special date. To live with the Lord in the sky, Forever and ever by and by.

If I could bring her back, I wouldn't just to watch her suffer on her back. She always wanted the best, For her family and all the rest.

I will always feel blue, But the Lord will see me through. Sadly missed by her friend, Sue Chesnut

(Note: What I'm saying is don't take your friends and family for granted. When they're gone, it's too late. Time will not turn back. But we will see them in Heaven someday.)

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## In Loving Memory of Cordie Marie Gibbons Who Passed Away on September 23, 1998

She is gone but not forgotten. Her love can not be measured the love I feel for my Mother, and if her love could be measured This would be my recipe for her love.

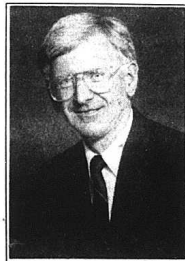
- 4 cups of love
- 2 cups of loyalty
- 3 cups of forgiveness
- 1 cup of friendship
- 1 large bunch of smiles
- 5 spoons of kindness
- 2 spoons of love and tenderness
- 4 quarts of faith and understandness

1 big barrel of laughter  
3 pints of consideration for others. Take love and loyalty, mix it thoroughly with faith. Blend with tenderness, kindness, and understanding. Add hope, friendship and abundant of laughter. Top freely with smiles and consideration for others. Bake with teardrops and sunshine and serve daily in generous helpings. For the beautiful angel and mother of mine, that now looks down from Heaven above. Now blend it all in together, that the love I feel for my mother. You may be gone but you are not forgotten.

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# Library News

By Geraldine Robbins



the public access computers put in Kentucky libraries. This is the broadest, deepest business process improvement program any state has ever undertaken. It is designed to streamline government for greater efficiency and accessibility and is making major investments in technology. State government services are being designed for rapid and easy access over the Internet, especially from public libraries.

With the new Kentucky Direct electronic Commerce facility (<http://www.kydirect.net>), remote site users will now be able to pay for products and services via the Internet. This project began with The Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources, so anyone can now purchase trapping and fishing licenses and items from their store over the Internet from their library. KDLA will soon use KyDirect to collect fees for workshops and conferences, as well as selling publications and microfilm.

Libraries are already aware of job opportunities and recruitment, state building opportunities, and many other processes offered by State Government over the Internet. There will be considerable attention given to the

new Kentucky Resource Directory, available remotely. These steps are facilitating easier delivery of many government services so these individuals won't have to come to Frankfort to conduct business with the state. There are brochures available from the Kentucky Resource Directory at all libraries and there will be some at the Bittersweet Festival.

Your public library will forever be part of a vast network of interconnected networks that deliver multiple services and resources to the desktop workstations your library. Some Kentucky libraries already have met the challenges of the new technologies as part of their service program, but those libraries that many other need to be working toward this goal. Translating all this into just what will be happening at the local level in the new Millennium, our local library can look forward to a future in which people will expect not only what they are used to getting at their library, but also expect our library to address these new issues professionally and competently.

Our library has made great strides in preparing for the technology age. Six computers are now available for public use. Training has been done and the staff is continuing to attend workshops and training with other needs. Materials are also available to assist patrons. It is our goal to make our library a place that can assist our patrons to add value to living, learning and working.

I have a special note for the ladies who like to try new recipes that are fast and easy. I accidentally got on a web site for Campbell Soup Recipes. We had been looking for the site that would let us use our soup labels in exchange for prizes for the library and this web site came up. I have been receiving a new and different recipe every day that uses Campbell soup in the recipe. The web site is [www.campbellsoup.com](http://www.campbellsoup.com). A lot of different things is available on this site.

Stephen King's newest book is now available at the library. The title is *Hearts in Atlantis*. King's newest fiction is composed of five interconnected, sequential narratives, set in the years from 1960 to 1999. Each story is deeply rooted in the sixties, and each is haunted by the Vietnam War.

Fall of danger, full of suspense, most of all full of heart, this book will take some readers to a place they have never been...and others to a place they have been able to completely leave.

We also have Oprah's new Book Club selection, *Tara Road* by Maeve Binchy...Ria lived on Tara Road in

Dublin with her dashing husband, Danny and their two children. She fully believed she was happily married, right up until the day that Danny told her he was leaving to be with his pregnant girlfriend. By a chance phone call, Ria meets Mariyam, a woman from New England unable to

come to terms with her only son's death and now separated from her husband. The two women exchange houses for the summer with extraordinary consequences, each learning that the other has a deep secret that can never be revealed.

The Bittersweet Festival is being held this weekend, October 1st and 2nd. The library will have a booth, as usual, to promote library services in the county. We have a better selection of books for sale this year than in the past. When we were upgrading our shelves in preparation for the automation, we pulled a lot of like new books that were extra copies and had not been read for a while. We want to share these with visitors at the Bittersweet Festival. Also, a large number of children's books will be available. Book marks and book bags are free for those who purchase books. The adult books will be 50 cents, the

children's books 25 cents and some paperback for 10 cents.

Another feature of the Festival, sponsored by the library, is the Storybook Parade at 5:45 p.m.

We hope you will come by and visit with us at the library's booth. I have just received a Kentucky Library newsletter and I would like to share some of the information in the newsletter with our readers. This information that is pertinent for our patrons and others who could be benefited by being a patron of the library.

The EMPOWER Kentucky initiative is, of course, much more than

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| • Drivers License                      | • Current Bill for Electric Gas   |
| • Work or School ID                    | • Telephone or Cable              |
| • Hospital Birth Record                | • Current Rental Lease            |
| • Birth Certificate                    | • Agreement or Receipt            |
| • Social Security Card                 | • Drivers License                 |
| • Voter Registration Card              |                                   |
| • Immunization Record                  |                                   |

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Saturday, October 9, 1999 • 10 a.m.

Near Mt. Vernon, Kentucky

**Location:** Turn off U.S. 150 about 1,000 feet west of the Highway 461 junction onto Freedom School Road. Follow Freedom School Road approximately one mile to the auction site. The auction is being held at the home of Mrs. Vickie Scheffler, niece of Ms. Smith. Auction signs are posted.

In order to settle the estate of the late Ms. Smith, her sister, Elaine Murphy, the executrix of the estate, has authorized our firm to sell the personal property for the absolute high dollar.

**Personal property that will be seeing includes:** oak bedroom suite • 3 piece hardwood maple bedroom suite • modern maple rollout desk • modern contemporary bedroom suite • glass china cabinet with glass front, sides slightly rounded • modern oak china cabinet with 3 glass doors • hardwood maple hall table • old china cabinet • nice china cabinet with glass front door • Early American couch • 2 miscellaneous couches • 3 chairs • large wall mirror • coffee and end table • 2 end tables with Queen Anne legs • 2 winged back chairs with Queen Anne legs • odd chair with Queen Anne legs • rocker • maple rocker • modern oak hall tree • whatnot shell table • walnut L-shaped desk • hardwood maple coffee table with 2 matching end tables • bookcase • whatnot shelves.

2 sets of china dishes like new • milk glass • several pieces • pressed glass • aluminum pressure cooker • Avon collector plates, still in boxes • maple magazine racks • spinning (flax) wheel • all kinds of figurines • lots of red & white and blue & white figurines • quilts • lots of green, pink and gold depression glass • glassware • milk glass • glass lamps • beveled glass • framed prints • boxes of silhouette frames & prints • lots of doll display cases • Elizabeth Gray doll • lots of brand new Barbie dolls still in boxes • country collector dolls • lots of dolls and new toys that have never been unboxed • porcelain figurine lamps • thimble collection • pink and Blue Boy prints • coffee pot • metal flour cabinet • utensils and cookware.

Husqvarna chainsaw • trampoline • garden tools • rods and reels • fishing equipment • hand tools • metal lawn chairs • blue cooler • garden sprays • battery charger • several electric fans plus much more.

**Auctioneer's Note:** Ms. Smith maintained two homes, one in Lexington and one in Pulaski County. Since many of the items from her home were already boxed, we were unable to see all of the items. There is much more than what is listed so be sure to attend this auction, there is something for everyone.

**Terms:** Cash or check day of sale

Announcements day of sale take precedence over printed matter.

For additional information, contact the auctioneers:

## FORD BROTHERS, INC.

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## 1999 Bittersweet Festival

October 1st and 2nd

Main St. Mt. Vernon

### Schedule of Events

Friday, October 1st

4:00 p.m. Festival Opens to the Public

Bluegrass Band

(Featuring Arts and Crafts Booths, Food Court, Carnival, Continuous Music and Entertainment)

6:00 p.m. Country Jamboree

7:15 p.m. Bittersweet Cloggers

8:00 p.m. Street Dance • Wild River Band

(Sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center)

11:00 p.m. Festival Closes

Saturday, October 2nd

7:00 a.m. Late Registration for Bittersweet Festival/

Health Essentials 5K Run & Health Walk

Bluegrass Band

8:00 a.m. Bittersweet Festival/Health Essentials

5K Run and Health Walk

9:00 a.m. Festival Opens to the Public

(Featuring Arts and Crafts Booths, Food Court, Carnival, Continuous Music and Entertainment, Music, Music, Music, Cloggers and Much More)

5K Awards Presentation

10:00 a.m. Car Show

(Trophies Sponsored by Rockcastle Region Rodders)

Gospel Fest

2:00 p.m. Country Jamboree

4:00 p.m. Bittersweet Cloggers

5:00 p.m. Parade

5:45 p.m. Storybook Parade

6:00 p.m. Bluegrass/Country Jamboree

8:00 p.m. Street Dance • Wild River Band

(Sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center)

11:00 p.m. Festival Closes

Items available in our booths will include:

- Books
  - Honey
  - Prints
  - Gourds
  - Toys
  - Clothing
  - Ceramics
  - Gift Items
  - Pumpkins
  - Beanie Babies
  - Handwoven Items
  - Flowering Mums
  - Button Jewelry
- Also, there will be**
- A booth from GTE to sign up customers for Caller ID
  - The National Guard will have their equipment available for children to explore
  - Dunking Booths
  - CARNIVAL

### FOOD COURT

This year's food

choices will include:

- Mexican
- Hot Dogs
- Polish Burgers
- Porkchop Sandwiches
- Fudge & Baked Goods
- and
- Amish Baked Goods

Come One, Come All

Friday and Saturday, October 1 and 2

# Harvest of Values


**Shurfine  
Fabric Softener  
Sheets**  
25 ct.  
**.79**

**Pepsi  
Products**  
  
24 pk.  
**5.99**

We are taking applications for stock/carryout position. Apply in person only

**White Lily  
Flour or  
Cornmeal**  
  
**1.69**  
5 lb.

**FREEZER  
QUEEN®**  
**Freezer Queen Entrees**  
**2/\$3**  
Reg. 2.99  
28 oz.

**Texas Garlic Toast**..... 11 oz. **1.79**  
**White Lily Gravy Mix**..... 3 oz. **89¢**  
**Grands Crescent Rolls**..... 15.5 oz. **2/\$4**  
**Shurfine Salad Dressings**  
32 oz. **1.19**  
**White Lily Muffin Mixes**  
8 oz. **79¢**  
**White Lily Brownie Mixes**  
19 oz. **1.89**  
**Hunt's  
Spaghetti Sauces**  
  
27 oz.  
**89¢**


**Green Giant Mushrooms**  
4.5 oz. **1.29**  
**Chi-Chi Salsa**..... 16 oz. **1.89**  
**Alpo Cat Food**..... 5.5 oz. **3/79**  
**Grands Biscuits**..... 17 oz. **1.19**  
**Saver's Choice Cheese Slices**  
10 oz. **89¢**  
**Saver's Choice Dog Food**..... 20 lb. **2.89**

**Pillsbury Cookie Mix**  
20 oz. **2/\$4**  
**Fischer Boy Fish  
Sticks or Portions**  
16 oz. **2/\$4**  
**DelMonte Fruit Cups**  
4 pk. **1.69**

**Indian Summer  
Apple Juice**  
64 oz. **2/\$3**  
**Three Rivers  
Corn Meal**  
5 lb. **1.69**  
**Nice-n-Fluffy  
Fabric Softener**  
128 oz. **2/\$5**  
**Savers Choice  
Paper Towels**  
**2/89**

**X-Tra Laundry Detergent**  
Gal. or 7 lb. **2/\$5**  
**Armour Treet**..... 12 oz. **89¢**  
**Chef Boy-R-D 2**..... 28 oz. **2/\$5**  
**Cheese Pizza Kits**..... 28 oz. **2/\$5**  
**Light-n-Fluffy Noodles**..... 8 oz. **2/\$1**  
**Saver's Choice Dog Food**  
20 lb. **2.89**

**Meat Specials**  
(3 lb. or more)  
**Fresh Ground Beef** lb. **89¢**  
  
**Pork Tenderloin** **1.79** lb.  
**Boston Butt Pork Roast** **79¢** lb.  
**Boston Butt Pork Steak** **99¢** lb.  
**Platter Bacon** lb. **1.29**  
**1/4 Pork Loin** lb. **1.19**

**Fresh Produce**  
**Bananas**..... Lb. **29¢**  
**Idaho Potatoes** .10 lb. bag **1.99**  
**Cabbage**..... Lb. **25¢**  
**Tenn. Homegrown Tomatoes**  
Lb. **89¢**  
**Red/White Grapes**..... Lb. **1.19**  


# Church News

Special Rocketown

## Homecoming

Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church would like to invite everyone to attend the annual homecoming on Sunday, October 3. Sunday School is scheduled at 10 a.m. with worship service at 11 a.m. with Bro. Bobby Turner preaching the message. We invite you to worship and fellowship with us.

**Fall Sunday School Drive**  
At Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene, 40 Fair Street, starting Sunday, September 26 through October 24. Every child will receive a gift each Sunday for being present. Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and Morning Worship is at 11 a.m. If you need transportation, call 256-0521 before 8 a.m. Sunday. Bro. Carl Dennis, Pastor.

## New Church

Town Hill Holiness Church now holding meetings on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 6 o'clock with Bro. Rick Sanders and Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock with Bro. Deniz Krahenbuhl.

**Supperstore**  
In a special arrangement with Family Christian Stores, there will be a unique Rocketown Superstore this Saturday at Bible Baptist Church. They will be offering merchandise from the "Yes, I Believe in God" line of T-shirts, books, cd's, notebooks, and more. The "Yes, I Believe in God" products are a tribute to the bold stand of Cassie Bernal, the Columbine High School student who answered "yes" when the killers questioned her faith. These products are a great way for teens to stand unashamedly for Christ at their schools and will be available for purchase during Rocketown.

## Revival

Roundstone Baptist Church is having their fall revival Oct. 4-8 at 7 p.m. each evening. Bro. Arnold Pingleton is pastor. Bro. Robert Moore from Somerset is evangelist. Everyone is invited to attend.

## Homecoming

Maple Grove Baptist Church Sunday Sept. 26th Dinner on the grounds. No PM service. The Singing Sands from Indiana will be singing on Sunday

and also on Saturday night at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome. Bro. Tim Hampton, pastor.

## Revival In Progress

Conway Baptist Church, Sept. 26 - Oct. 1 Sunday, 6 p.m. Mon. - Fri. 7 p.m. Special singing nightly. Youth will present a skit each night. Evangelist Bro. Richard Walden. Pastor Jack Stallworth welcomes everyone.

## Special Singing

Sat., Oct. 2nd at 7 p.m. at Thompsonsville, Ky. at the old high school with DaleAnn Bradley and Coon Creek, also Southern Express. For any info, 931-285-4185.

## HELP

HELP us establish a church—built on doctrines of Reformed Faith, sovereignty of God in all fullness found in both old and new testaments. Call 606-758-4544

## Fall Revival

Plains River Baptist Church at Lanes is having a Fall Revival Oct. 7th thru the 10th at 7 p.m. each evening. Special singing nightly. Evangelist: Jack Durham, Pastor Steve Weaver and church, invite everyone to attend.

**ROCKETOWN Returns**  
ROCKETOWN will return to Rockcastle County with *Bulletproof: Faith without Fear* on Saturday, October 2nd at 7:30 p.m. at Bible Baptist Church! This impacting event will feature special guest speaker Michele Fox, a survivor of the Columbine High School shooting in Littleton, Colorado! *ROCKETOWN* will include lots of high energy music, skits, videos, contests and more for all RCHS and RCMS students. Don't miss one of the most impacting *ROCKETOWN's* ever with *Bulletproof* as we take a look at school violence, bold witness, and radical faith. You don't have to feel fear when you have bulletproof faith! Michele Fox will also be staying for a special Q&A in the high school/middle school Sunday School class at 10 a.m. and sharing her testimony in our 11 a.m. service on Sunday, October 3rd. Make plans to join us at Bible Baptist!

## Revival

Revival - Grace Baptist Church, Oct. 6-10. Wed. - Bro. Shirl Thomas. Thurs. - Bro. Carl Morton. Fri. - Bro. Bob Jones. Sat. - Bro. Tracy Harold. Sun. - Bro. Tracy Harold. 7 p.m. nightly. Special singing. Everyone welcome.

## Special Singing

New Hope Baptist, Orlando, Sat., Oct. 2nd, 7 p.m. Featured singers: "The Victorious" Darrell & Oma Shepherd. Joe VanWinkle and church invite everyone.

Macedons Baptist Church, located on Scaffold Cane Road, Oct. 4-8 at 7 p.m. with evangelist Mark McGuire. Special singing nightly. Pastor Denton Sears and congregation invite everyone to join them.

**Gunshots. Blaring Alarms. And five words the world will never forget:**  
**"Yes, I believe in God!"**

## ROCKETOWN

PRESENTS

## BULLETPROOF:

A Special Look at School Violence and Faith Without Fear



## FEATURING COLUMBINE SHOOTING

SURVIVOR MICHELE FOX

Saturday, October 2nd

7:30pm-11pm Bible Baptist-Mt. Vernon

EXCLUSIVELY for High School and Middle School Students!!!!

## CANDIDATE NOTICE

I, Brady Durham, am running as a write-in candidate for Livingston City Council Member. I would appreciate your support and I thank all the citizens who have supported me as a council member so far.

Paid for by candidate

**Autumn Has Arrived**

96 Nissan Pickup XE	\$6,900	95 Ford Escort Wagon LX	\$4,900
94 Ford Explorer XLT 4x4	\$8,900	95 Eagle Vision TSi	\$8,900
93 Mazda Cab Plus 4x4	\$5,900	95 Chevrolet Beretta	\$6,300
93 Dodge Grand	\$5,700	94 Pontiac Grand Am	\$4,800
Caravan LE		94 Saturn SL2	\$5,900
93 Plymouth Grand Voyager	\$4,500	93 Ford Escort LX	\$3,900
Sport SE		93 Buick Regal	\$3,200
93 Plymouth Voyager	\$3,900	92 Mercury Grand	
87 Ford Bronco II 4x4	\$3,300	Marquis LS	\$5,900
76 Dodge 1/2 ton 4x4	\$1,300	90 Ford Thunderbird LX	\$1,500

The Prices are Falling at  
**BLANTON AUTO SALES**  
Hwy. 150 Brodhead, KY  
(606)758-9500 or 1-877-758-9502

**International Wrestling**  
**NEW GENERATION**  
Saturday, Oct. 2nd at 7pm  
Mount Vernon, KY  
Rockcastle County Middle School

**SPECIAL MAIN EVENT**  
Mixed Mens AND Ladies  
**BATTLE ROYAL**  
TO CROWN FIRST EVER MT. VERNON CHAMPION  
Don't Miss This Semi-Main Event !!  
Mt. Vernon's Own  
**BRAD POWELL** ★ **ATOMIC DOGG**  
SPECIAL ADDED TAG TEAM MATCH  
The Stallion  
**STEVE MARINO** ★ **"Brutal" Bill Lewis**  
**Bobby Blade** ★ **Thunder Lewis**

Ladies Match -- Ladies Match -- Ladies Match  
"Peaches" ★ "Terrible" Terri  
**DYNAMITE** ★ **DIRTY 'D'**  
**RAY CHRISTY** ★ **FRANK MULLINS**  
**Bobby Blade** ★ **American Kickboxer**  
**Frank Mullins**

**\$7 Ringside - \$6 General - under 3 is Free**  
Sponsored by Livingston Lion's Club  
International Championship Wrestling Academy  
271 Gold Rush Road, Lexington, 606-223-5955  
Promoter reserves rite to make last minute change in card

## BITTERSWEET/

## HEALTH ESSENTIALS

## 5K RUN & HEALTH WALK

### PLACE

Start and Finish Line:  
Rockcastle County Courthouse  
Mt. Vernon, KY

### DATE & TIME

Saturday, October 2, 1999  
8:00 A.M.

### ENTRY FEE

\$12.00 (Must be postmarked before September 26, 1999)  
15.00 Late Entry Fee

### PARKING

Free in the courthouse area

### COURSE

Marked, paved course within city limits

### PACKETS

All race numbers will be available the morning of the race starting at 7:00 A.M.

Race conducted by John's Running Shop

## GROUP CLASSIFICATIONS

Wheelchairs	30-39
14 and under	40-49
15-19	50-59
20-29	60 +

## AWARDS

\$100.00 Cash awards to Best Overall Male & Female finishes  
\$100.00 Cash awards to Best 50+ Male & Female finishes  
\$100.00 Cash award to Best Wheelchair finish

### PLUS

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> recognition in each group

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Award Ceremony to be held on the Main Stage at 9:00 A.M.

Water will be provided on the course

Snacks will be available at the finish area

Proceeds to benefit area track teams and Kiwanis Club

## ENTRY FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Age on Race Day \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Long sleeved T-Shirt  
Adult Size preference (circle one)  
M L XL XXL

**Race Participation Agreement:** I understand that my consent to these provisions is given in consideration for being permitted to participate in this event. I am in adequate physical condition to participate in this event. The race administrators may remove me from the race if they believe that my health may be endangered. I am aware of the voluntarily assume the risks of competing in this event. If I am injured, I agree that I will not sue, or otherwise try to hold responsible any race sponsor or its employees. If I do not follow all the rules of this event, I understand that I may be removed from the competition. I give my permission to use any photographs, videotapes or other recording of me that are made during the course of this event.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parents signature if under 18)

Send check and this form to:  
HealthEssentials, Inc.  
9721 Ormsby Station Rd. Ste. 101  
Louisville, KY 40223

We've changed our name to

# FOOD WORLD

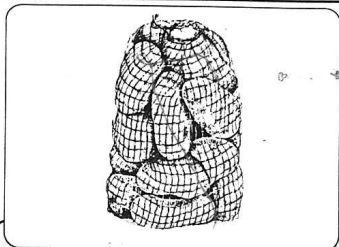
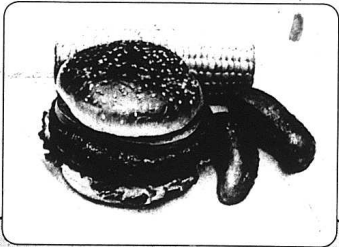
OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK  
Monday thru Sunday  
8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

PHONE  
**256-2514**

Food Stamps & Wic  
Gladly Accepted  
Manufacturers' Coupons  
Redeemed

AD PRICES VALID Tuesday, Sept. 28 thru Monday, Oct. 4, 1999

We reserve the right to limit quantities and to correct typographical and/or pictorial errors. None sold to dealers



Fresh  
**Ground Beef**  
Fresh Pork Steaks  
or Western Style  
Spare Ribs  
**1<sup>29</sup>**  
Lb.

10 Lb. Bag U.S. No. 1 New Crop  
**Idaho Potatoes**  
Tender Sweet  
Yellow Corn  
**3/\$1**

Quarter  
**Pork Loin**  
Boneless Pork  
Sirloin Chops or  
Cubed  
Pork Cutlets  
**1<sup>79</sup>**  
Lb. Sliced for Chops

13 oz. Post  
**Golden Crisp**  
Selected Varieties  
**1<sup>89</sup>**



12 oz. Armour  
**TREET**  
Regular or Low Salt  
**8<sup>9</sup>¢**

11 to 15.25 oz.  
**Green Giant Vegetables**  
**3/99**  
Sel. Var.  
L-1 (3 cans) w/\$10 Add. Purchase



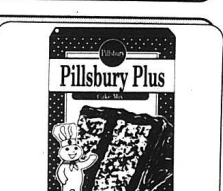
46 oz.  
Selected Varieties  
**Juicy Juice**  
**1<sup>29</sup>**

5 lb. bag  
White Lily and  
Three Rivers  
**Corn Meal**  
**1<sup>69</sup>**  
Self-Rising or  
Buttermilk



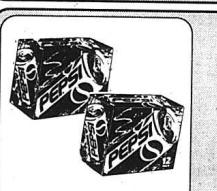
5 lb. bag  
**White Lily Flour**  
Plain, Self-Rising,  
Bread or Unbleached  
**1<sup>19</sup>**

18 to 19.2 oz.  
Pillsbury  
**Cake Mixes**  
Selected Varieties  
**2/\$1**



128 oz.  
Nice 'N' Fluffy Softener  
128 oz. Xtra Liquid  
Laundry Detergent  
7 lb. Xtra Laundry  
Detergent Powder  
**1<sup>99</sup>**  
L-1 w/\$10 Add. Purchase

1/2 Gal.  
**Old Recipe Ice Cream**  
Sel. Var.  
**2<sup>98</sup>**



12 Pack  
**Pepsi Products**  
**2<sup>99</sup>**

26 to 27.5 oz.  
**Hunt's Spaghetti Sauce**  
**8<sup>9</sup>¢**  
Selected Varieties



Sel. Var.  
Saver's Choice  
Paper Towels  
**2/89**



USDA Heavy Western Grain Fed Beef  
Semi-Boneless  
**Ribeye Steaks**  
**3<sup>99</sup>**  
Lb.



Fresh Boston Butt  
**Pork Roast**  
**9<sup>9</sup>¢**  
Lb.

Medium  
**Yellow Onions** 3 lbs./**1<sup>19</sup>**  
Jumbo New Crop Washington State  
Extra Fancy Red or Golden Delicious  
**Apples**  
Lb. **8<sup>9</sup>¢**  
Firm Green  
**Cabbage** 3 lbs./**1<sup>1</sup>**  
1/2 Gallon Fresh  
**Apple Cider** **1<sup>99</sup>**  
3.2 oz. Sweet, Cinn. or Caramel Taste  
**Apple Chips** **9<sup>9</sup>¢**

10 lb. bag  
**Chicken Leg Quarters**  
**3<sup>9</sup>¢**  
Lb.



**Armour Franks** ..... 12 oz. **8<sup>9</sup>¢**

**Saver's Choice Dog Food** ..... 18 lb. bag 14.1oz. or Chunk **2<sup>89</sup>**

**Pillsbury Grands Crescent Rolls** ..... 15.5 oz. **2/\$4**

**Grands Biscuits** ..... 16.3 to 17.3 oz. Selected Varieties **8<sup>9</sup>¢**

## Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

**Phase II Tobacco Settlement**  
 For producers who missed the first two meetings concerning the Phase II Tobacco Settlement we will have a meeting Tuesday, October 5, 1999 at 5:00 p.m. at the Rockcastle Co. FSA Center, Mt. Vernon on the committee room. This will be an excellent time for producers who have questions to come and seek advice. Once again we may remind you - FARM OPERATORS ARE RESPONSIBLE to complete these forms as completed correctly.

Beginning September 17th, Phase II Applications were mailed from the National Tobacco Growers' Settlement Trust to the operators of the farms with a basic tobacco quota. Applications MUST be prepared in BLACK INK ONLY and returned to the Kentucky Tobacco Settlement Trust Corporation, PO Box 2125, Frankfort, KY 40602-2025, postmarked NO LATER THAN October 8, 1999.

It is CRITICAL that you read the step by step instructions that come with this application before you start with the application before you start with the application. These forms CANNOT be photocopied. Applications must be signed by all eligible parties involved with the farm in the 1998 crop year. You must submit the blocks when listing the information requested. If a producer needs a continuation sheet these will be available in the County Extension Office and the FSA Office. An application that does not include the signature and social security number of an eligible party will be considered incomplete and payments will not be made. The FSA office has an informational pamphlet concerning the settlement and 1998 FARM RECORD DETAIL LISTING available for you for verification of the

preprinted information on your application. This is available to you by way of mail, fax or by your personally picking the information up from the FSA office. FSA employees CANNOT fill out the form for producers, however, the County Extension Office or the FSA office will assist by answering your questions. Also, you may visit the web site at [www.kybactobacco.com](http://www.kybactobacco.com) or by calling 1-888-366-8698. REMEMBER: It is the operators responsibility to make sure the form is completed correctly!

**Hay Hotline**  
 Producers who have hay for sale or for donation should notify the local FSA office at 606-256-2255. We are collecting this information to list on the hot line for producers who are seeking hay.

Producers who are seeking hay may stop by the local FSA office and receive a copy of the hay list available from Kentucky and other states.

**1999 Burley Tobacco Assessment Rate**  
 The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation has announced the new assessment rate for burley tobacco, effective Oct. 1, 1999, on unmanufactured burley tobacco imported from consumption. The assessment rate is the same as for domestically-produced burley tobacco and will remain in effect through Sept. 30, 2000.

Assessment Rate	Dual Cents Per Kilogram
Effective Oct. 1, 1999 - Sept. 30, 2000	13.2272
2000	6.0000

The total amount of assessment is due within 10 business days after imported tobacco is released by the

U.S. Customs Service for entry for consumption into the commerce of the United States. Failure to pay or timely pay the amount of assessment

# \$15,190 raised in 'CF Bike-A-Thon

**By Clara Proctor**  
 I hardly know where to begin. I have sent Cystic Fibrosis \$15,190.00. This event involves so many people, and we certainly appreciate all of you. I can just see Suzanne flash her radiant smile.

There were 87 participants in the bike-a-thon, 80 of them rode or walked and seven turned in donations. Also worked the road block and 30 worked at the bike-a-thon. An even much greater number donated money, not only from Rockcastle County. We have checks from all around Kentucky and Cincinnati, Chicago, Florida, and Las Vegas. I realize that parents and children spent lots of time to. So, thanks, thanks, thanks everyone.

The walkers and riders: Derek Adams, Jeffrey Albright, Jessica Albright, Brian Alcorn, Kyle Alcorn, Tanner Allen, Kristen Baker, Tyler Barnes, Carlisa Bond, Casey Bottoms, Carter Lee Bowling, Aleasha Bullock, Regina N. Bullock, Sasha Bullock, Caitlin N. Burke, Tyler Burris, Derek Cameron, Ashley Cash, Adrienne Childress, Tandy Childress, Derek Clark, Annie Hasty, Sara Hutton, John Mark Davis, Zachary Dixon, Chris Frederick, Hannah Gordon, Rebekah Godwin, Ben Graves, Edson Graves, Jodi Griffin, Brandon Graves, Cheyenne Hensley, Evanna Holman, Jennifer Horn, Carolyn Hunt, Cark Hunt, Casey Hunt, Danny Jones, Johnny Jones, Travis G. Lane, Brock Lawrence, Jillisa Lay, Brady Lear, Kayla B. Lear, Kyle Clear, Jacob Lovell, Joshua Lovell, Katelyne McClure, Matthew C. Mink, Megan Randolph, Benjamin Mink, Nathan Mink, Randy Mink, Jessica L. Northern, Josh Out, Ryan Owens, Samantha Payne, Logan Ponder, Hillary Proctor, Shari Proctor, Dusan Reynolds, Jason Reynolds, Kayla Reynolds, Keri Reynolds, Loren Reynolds, Kayla Rice, David Richardson, Kyle Riddle, Jenika Robbins, Eric Roberts, Courtney Rose, Amanda Shaffer, Matthew Silcox, Christopher Simmons, Tiffany Smith, Seth Taylor, Katelyn Thatcher, Casey Thompson, Benjamin Whitaker, William Whitaker, and those who turned in a collection:

Heather Allen, Elizabeth Dodd, Joshua Lee Cromer, Kenton Adams, Derrell Proctor, Rachelle R. Riddle, Roberta Taylor

The group that worked the bike-a-thon: Preston and Allene Parrett, Steve and Tonya Clark, Bobby Proctor, Jeff Dodd, Derrell Proctor, Doug Proctor, Linda Proctor, Mark Proctor, Janice Proctor, Murphy and Nina Cash, Clo Graves, Lena Melcher, Arlos and Martha Proctor, Johnny and Deborah Newland, Charlie

due will result in a marketing penalty of \$3.15 per kilogram for the amount of burley tobacco on which such failure occurred.

Fletcher, Roberta Taylor, Margie Brock, Rachelle Riddle, Corney Alexander, Shirley Martz, Celena Bullock and her crew, Jean and Shanna Albright and Brenda Renner, LaJoy and Nelson Graves for spreading the news about the bike-a-thon at the schools and passing out sponsor signs.

Louise Bengle and her crew at the road block, Angie Tracy, Stacie Green, Elizabeth Dodd, Paula and Heather Allen, Amy French, Courtney Alexander, Sheena Miller, Jessica Jones, Daphne Adams, Leann Arnold, Sandy Payne, Jackie Kildwell, Connie Hurdy and Cheryl Miller.

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There are no words to express the gratitude we feel.

I have several stories I could tell about people through this 16 days of organizing this bike-a-thon. I will relate some that happened this year. A few days before the event, I saw Seth Taylor, he said, "I'm gonna ride in the bike-a-thon." When I answered, "Good, we have a lot of nice gifts this year." He said, "I'm not riding for the gifts. I saw Seth again Sunday night and he asked how much money the bike-a-thon made, when I told him, he said, "Will that buy the medicine?" Of course I assured him that would sure help, he seemed happy. Seth is ten years old.

Saturday, after the bike-a-thon, we were home and Joshua Lee Cromer came by with his pledge sheet and money explaining he had a football

game and didn't get to ride but wanted to turn in his money. When he handed it to me he said, "I'm sorry, I tore the paper as I rode my bike up here." Then Sunday, Kenton Adams turned his in, he couldn't be there because his sister was cheering at a football game.

I'm impressed with a host of young

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**Fish Fry**  
 Broedhead Fish Dept., Sat., Oct. 2, 1999. Fish, hushpuppies, cole slaw, baked potatoes, drink, dessert. Adults \$5, children under \$2.50. Ends in 6:00 p.m. Cystic \$3.00 to 5:30 p.m. You may get carryouts anytime but you may have to wait in line. All proceeds go to BFVD.

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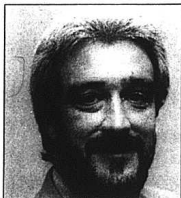
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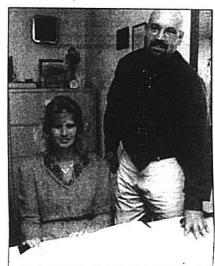
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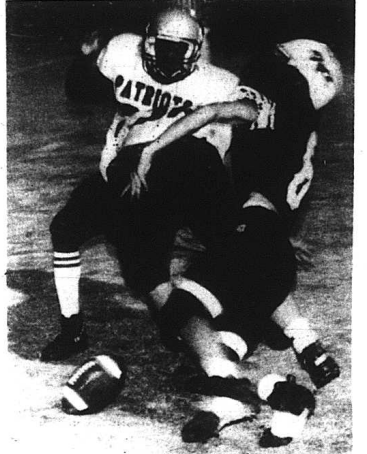


# Rock rolls over winless Patriots

**By: Richard Anderkin**  
 The Rockcastle County Rockets wasted very little time Friday night in putting away the Patriots from Knott County Central.  
 How little? With 9-4 left in the first quarter the Rockets were ahead 21-0.  
 The Rockets scored three times, twice on offense and once on defense, before the Patriots knew what had hit them. The final score was a 55-0 homecoming blowout.  
 The Rockets scored on their second play from scrimmage when junior tailback Derrick Bussell scored on a 45 yard run from scrimmage.  
 They scored again after Travis Ingram recovered a Patriot fumble on the 43 when Quarterback Christopher Parsons hit a wide-open Bussell.  
 And the Rockets scored again when junior defensive lineman Sean Smith picked up a Patriot fumble and ran it in from the 18.

The Rockets would score three more times in the second quarter, before taking a 42-0 lead into halftime.  
 The fourth score came on a 71 yard pass from Parsons to his favorite target this season, receiver Greg Harper.  
 Senior Josh Dooley got into the scoring column with an eight yard run for the Rockets fifth score of the half and Bussell ended the half just like he started it with a 40 yard run from scrimmage for the sixth of the half.  
 The Rocket coaching staff began making substitutions in the second half, but not before Parsons found Harper alone again in the end zone on a 27 yard touchdown pass.  
 The Rockets rounded out the scoring in the fourth quarter when freshman quarterback Aaron Anderkin hit wide receiver Chaz Cable in the end zone on a 16 yard pass.

Placekicker Greg Terry turned in another good performance hitting 7 of 8 extra point attempts.  
 All total Parsons threw only four passes, completing all of them for 153 yards and three touchdowns.  
 Anderkin was also four for four passing for 39 yards and the one touchdown.  
 Harper's two catches were for touchdowns and 97 yards.  
 Bussell's one reception was also for a TD and 43 yards.  
 Dackery Larkey, who re-injured his right leg, caught three passes for 23 yards. Cable's one catch was for a TD and 16 yards and senior tailback Derrick Bradley caught one pass for 15 yards.  
 Bussell had 60 yards on four carries. Josh Dooley had 27 yards on five carries. Marty Reagan also carried the ball 5 times for 24 yards. Josh Taylor also carried the ball 5 times for 17 yards. Clay Dooley had one carry and Parsons had 2 carries for 11 yards.  
 All total, the Rockets racked up 326 yards of offense, while the Rocket defense held the Patriots to just 93 yards.  
 Travis Ingram turned in another great performance from his middle linebacker position with 12 tackles and assists and a fumble recovery.  
 Because of the blow-out a number of Rockets saw action on defense.  
 Sean Smith had 6 tackles and assists, a fumble recovery and a quarterback sack.  
 Chris Kirby also recovered a fumble and had two tackles and assists.  
 Greg Harper had 10 tackles and assists and a quarterback sack.  
 Gary Coffey had 2 tackles and assists. Matt Smith had 6 tackles and assists. Joel Deatherage had 4. Derrick Bradley was credited with 4, Dustin Crawford, 2, Josh Hale, 5, Derrick Bussell, 2, Neil Childress, 2 and 1 sack. Adam Childress, 5 tackles and assists. Jason Bullock, 1. Dackery Larkey, 4. Steven Boring, 1 tackle, which was a sack. Steven Blair, 2, William Blair, 1, Tanner Abney, 1, Kevin Childress, 1, Josh Taylor, 1, Clay Dooley, 1 and Marty Reagan, 2.  
 The Rockets travel to North Laurel on Friday night for a 7:30 contest. The Jaguars are winless this season, but have played much better lately.



Senior Kevin Childress caused a Patriot fumble in the first half of the Rockets win over Knott County Central Friday night. It was the Rockets first game in their new 3A District which includes Cawood, Whitley County, Knox Central, Bell County, and the Patriots.

Head coach Tom Larkey said this week that his team will have to be ready and not overlook the Jaguars to win their fifth game of the season.



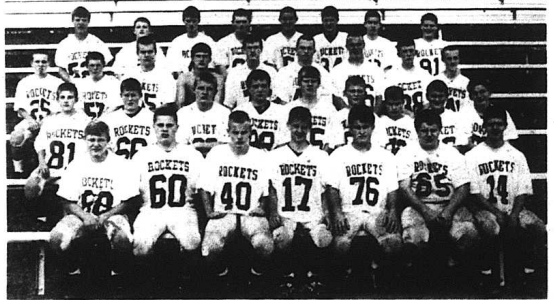
William Blair, Travis Ingram and Matt Smith prepare to stop a Patriot runner in Friday night's 55-0 massacre of the visiting team. The Rockets will try to pick up their fifth win of the season when they travel to North Laurel Friday night.

## RCMS Girls Basketball

After taking it on the chin last Thursday night against winless South Laurel 38-36, the eighth grade RCMS girls team bounced back with an impressive 50-31 win at Wayne County Tuesday night.  
 The girls were ahead 16 to 10 at the end of the first quarter, behind a balanced scoring attack by the Rockets and increased their lead to 13 at the half 29-16.  
 The Cardinals made a mini-run at the Rockets in the third quarter, cutting the lead to 12 at 36-24 at the end of the period but the Rockets came back in the fourth to outscore Wayne Co. 14-7 for the 50-31 win.  
 Stephanie Price led the Rockets in scoring with 12 points, including one three; Allison Anderkin got 10; Jessica Riddle came off the bench to score 7; Lauren Cloutz, who faced early foul trouble, got 6; Krystal Parsons and Rachel Childress scored 4 each; Amanda Rogers, Sheena Swinney, Jenny Durham and Anna Guilfoyle, 2 each and Heather Adams, 1.  
 Against South Laurel, the girls got out to an early 12-6 first quarter lead and maintained it the second half for a 20-14 margin. However, the second half was not so well maintained as the Rockets got outscored 24 to 16 for the loss, their second of the season. A total of 53 fouls were called in the game.  
 Leading the scoring for the Rockets was Lauren Cloutz with 11; Stephanie Price got 8; Amanda Rogers, 7; Krystal Parsons 4 and Sheena Swinney, Jenna Owens and Rachel Childress, 2 each.  
 The seventh graders, unbeaten thus far in conference play, added two more to their win column in their last two outings with decisions over South Laurel and Wayne.



The Rockcastle County junior varsity golf team won a recent eight team invitational tournament at McCreary Central. Members of the team are front row, from left: Jordann Cash and Robert Abney. Back row, from left: Colby Brown, Ronnie Lee McClure and Weston Riddle. Not present was Jessie McCauley. The RCHS varsity golf team participated in the regional tournament on Tuesday and finished ninth out of 23 team. Andrew Cash shot an 86, John Bray, 89, Joe Lambert, 90, Jeremy Neeley, 90 and Brian Reynolds a 96.



Members of the seventh and eighth grade football team are pictured above, front row from left: Blake Roberts, Jeff Ramey, David Richardson, Josh Ott, Blake Lovell, David Miller and Chris Tolle. Second row from left: Josh Bustle, Scotty Cromer, Matthew Allen, Gram Faye, Nick Eaton, Ben Graves, Phillip Boring, Ricky Sandusky, and Russell Wiley. Third row from left: Derrick Hurst, Brent Clinton, Tanner Allen, Josh Brewer, Devin Taylor, Brandon Campbell, Jason Leger, Stephen Coffey and Jameson Cable. Back row from left: Chris Croucher, Brandon Reams, Jarrod Burdette, Brad Wesley, Devin Bussell, Josh Hayes, Cody Alexander, Gabe Guilfoyle. The seventh grade is undefeated and the eighth grade is 2-3. The team is coached by Scott Parkey, Burley Burkhardt, Jon Burdette, Robbie Phillips, and Lee Earl Adams.



Members of the undefeated sixth grade team, coached by Richard Gibbs, are pictured above, front row from left: Jarrod Brown, Brandon Collins, Dusty Miller, Chris Miller and Corey Miller. Second row from left: Charles Cumaglin, Nathan Stewart, Robert Crawford, Travis Smith, Charles Lovell, Thomas Lovell, Kenny Gadd. Back row from left: coach Gibbs, Michael Santo, Justin Albright, Jamie Howard, Bucky Skinner, Dustin Albright, Matthew Burkhardt, Zach Hale.

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# Southern Beef Expo October 1st in Somerset

Beef Cattle Producers are invited to the second annual Southern Beef Day on Friday, October 1, 1999. This years Expo will be held at the Center for Rural Development located on South Highway 27 in Somerset, Ky. A Trade Show will open at 8:30 a.m. and run throughout the day. Short educational sessions are also scheduled throughout the day starting at 9:30 a.m. and concluding around 4:00 p.m.

This years 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 1. This day may prove to be the most profitable day you have spent as a beef producer.

Special note: Phase II tobacco application deadline is October 8. Contact Tom Mills at 256-2403 if you have questions.

## Hall of Fame Groundbreaking

(Cont. from front)

ity with the appropriation of \$2.168 million in the 1998 General Assembly from Governor Paul Patton's surplus budget.

The project is slated to be completed and open to the public on Memorial weekend of 2001.

## Consolidation Hearing

(Cont. from front)

and sewer monies) for general funds without the money having to be repaid.

The only pro comment from the crowd came from Veda Scott, former Democratic County Chairman, who said, that although she felt she was probably in the minority 99% to 1% in the county, she was in favor of consolidation because "our county is little and we could get more from government." She likened it to the merger of school systems saying if that had not happened we would probably still have our one-room schools. Rep. Danny Ford spoke briefly and asked if there was not already legislation in place that allowed for counties to merge. The answer was no from a member of the committee but, after the meeting, Ford said his research people felt that what he said was true and he would be looking into the matter further.

Another positive side of the consolidation issue was pointed out by Carroll Nicely of Glasgow, a citizen member of the committee. Nicely said that demographic experts assisting industry in locating, gave little consideration to areas without large

population centers and without consolidation, the state could be losing lots of projects.

The committee will be meeting Friday in Paducah to hammer out the specifics of the bill.

## Jail Open

(Cont. from front)

from the other inmates.

All total the detention center has 66 beds.

On Wednesday, 19 were in jail,

five of which were state prisoners, or "paying customers" as Rockcastle County Judge-Executive Buzz Carlifous refers to them. Miller said that he hopes to keep as many as 50 state and federal prisoners at the detention center, in an effort to make money for the jail and the county.

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**Brotherhood Auction for Community Missions**  
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**Saturday, October 9, 10 a.m.**  
U.S. 25, Fairview - Across from Snyder Grocery  
2 miles north of Conway  
**More donations would be greatly appreciated!!**  
**Ph. 256-4212 or 256-9838**

Rockcastle County High School Football means...  
**Rocket "Specials" at McDonald's!**  
Friday, October 1st  
Deluxe Cheeseburger  
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Offer valid at McDonald's, Mt. Vernon, KY. Not valid with any other coupons or discounts.

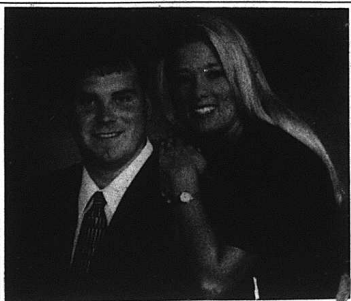
**Rocket "Specials" are back.**  
Every RCHS football game... we have Rocket "Specials" at McDonald's.  
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# Grazing END-OF-SUMMER SALE

 96 Volvo 850 Turbo Auto, air, sunroof, 21K miles Like new <b>\$22,990</b>	 99 Ford Taurus V-6, auto, air, loaded 26K miles <b>\$13,990</b> / \$26.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 96 Chrysler Town/Country V-6, 14 speakers w/ auto, sunroof, air, etc. <b>\$17,990</b>	 98 Grand Am SE Red, low miles <b>\$11,990</b> / \$168.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 99 Lumina Gold, 26K, loaded <b>\$13,990</b> / \$226.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.
 99 Cavalier Maroon, extra clean <b>\$11,500</b> / \$179.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 99 Maxima gold <b>\$16,990</b> / \$282.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 97 Corolla DX Gold, sunroof, 23K miles <b>\$12,990</b> / \$229.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 99 Plymouth Breeze Extra Clean, 14K, loaded <b>\$12,990</b> / \$207.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 97 Buick Skylark 6 cyl, air power, alloys. Was \$9,990 <b>\$8,990</b> / \$145.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.
 97 Neon Only 12K, air, was \$8,990 <b>\$7,990</b> / \$125.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 96 Grand Am Local Trade, 63K miles <b>\$7,990</b> / \$139.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 98 Escort LX 22K, 5 speed, warranty <b>\$8,990</b> / \$132.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 96 Chev. Corsica 5 to choose from <b>\$6,990</b> / \$116.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 95 Chev. Corsica 6 cyl. A., AC <b>\$6,490</b> / \$105.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.
 98 Buick Century 4 dr. auto, air, loaded, 38K miles <b>\$13,990</b> / \$226.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 99 Toyota Camry LE Auto, air, loaded, spoiler 18K miles was \$17,990 <b>\$16,990</b> / \$302.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 98 Chev. Malibu 4 dr. V-6, auto, air, loaded, 39K miles <b>\$12,990</b> / \$207.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 95 Chev. Monte Carlo 2-34 auto, air, loaded <b>\$9,990</b> / \$189.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 99 Chev. Monte Carlo V-6, auto, air, 32K miles Was \$15,990 <b>\$14,990</b> / \$245.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.
 96 GEO-Tracker 4x4, 5 speed, air, 33K miles <b>\$9,990</b> / \$166.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 99 Pontiac Grand Am 4 dr. auto, air, loaded 14K miles <b>\$14,990</b> / \$245.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 98 Buick LeSabre Loaded, 30K miles <b>\$15,990</b> / \$263.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 97 Pontiac Sunfire Loaded, 30K miles <b>\$9,990</b> / \$167.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 98 Honda Civic DX Only 9K miles, dark green <b>\$13,990</b> / \$225.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.
 97 Ford Ranger X-Cab, V-6, Auto, Air, 33K miles <b>\$12,990</b> / \$229.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 97 Ford XLT 4x4 X-Cab, V-6, Auto, Loaded <b>\$21,990</b>	 97 Ford Ranger XLT X-Cab 4x4, V-6, Auto, Loaded <b>\$17,990</b> / \$333.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 98 Chev S-10 4x4 V-6, 5 speed 20K-miles <b>\$15,990</b> / \$320.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 98 Chev S-10 4 cyl 5 speed, air factory wheels. Was \$10,990 <b>\$9,990</b> / \$151.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.
 97 Mazda B2300 4 cyl, 5 speed, air, bed cover, 20K miles <b>\$9,990</b> / \$167.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 98 Nissan Frontier XE 4 cyl, 5 speed, air, 18K Miles <b>\$10,990</b> / \$170.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 97 Toyota Tacoma 5 speed, air, 22K miles <b>\$9,990</b> / \$167.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 97 Toyota Tacoma 4 cyl, auto, air, 29K miles <b>\$11,990</b> / \$208.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.	 97 Chev S-10 Blazer LT 4x4, auto, air leather loaded <b>\$19,990</b> / \$374.7 <sup>99</sup> per mo.

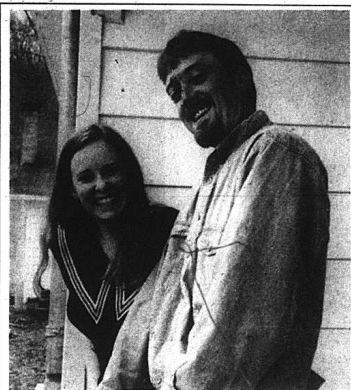
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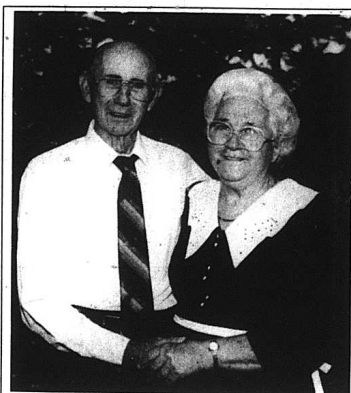
**Mullins - Elam**

Clark and Sondra Mullins of Renfro Valley are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter Cassey to Eric Elam of Celina, Ohio. Eric is the son of Larry and Sandy Elam of Celina, Ohio. Cassey is a 1996 graduate of Rockcastle County High School. Eric is a 1995 graduate of Celina Senior High School. Both are attending Morehead State University. Cassey is the granddaughter of Walter and Margie Malone of Mt. Vernon and Norma Mullins of Renfro Valley.



**Baker - Brogan**

Nerissa and John Ray Baker of Copper Creek wish to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kristin Nichole Baker to Steven Dewayne Brogan, son of Olga Curtis of Hazard. Nikki is a 1992 graduate of Rockcastle County High School. She is an RN at Garrard Co. Memorial Hospital. Stev is a graduate of Lincoln County High School and is employed at Trane Co. in Lexington. The wedding will take place at 2 p.m. Saturday October 2nd at Valley Baptist Church on Copper Creek Rd. All family and friends are invited to attend.



**60th Wedding Anniversary**

The family of Lloyd and Clearis Reynolds invite you to join in the celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary. An Open House in their honor will be held on October 9, 1999 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Reynolds' home in the Bee Lick community. Preacher Dave Gentry united the couple in marriage in Rockcastle County on October 7, 1939. All family and friends are invited to attend. Your presence is your gift.



**Riddle - McGuire**

Candace Dawn Riddle, daughter of Joe Riddle of Irvine and Shirley Riddle of Somerset and Jason A. McGuire, son of Lonnie A. and Norma J. McGuire of Mt. Vernon were married September 4, 1999 at the Maple Grove Baptist Church by Bro. Tim Hampton. They took a short trip to Tennessee and are making their home in Brodhead. Both are employed at Tokico in Berea.



**48th Wedding Anniversary**

Ernest L. and Lena R. Cope were married September 22, 1951 in Lexington. Ernest retired from the Air Force in 1968. His last assignment was Ellington Field in Houston, Texas. They have three children and one grandchild, Diane and husband Chodak who live in Georgia, Donald and son Jeff who live in Texas and Michael and Dutchess who live in Texas. They have relatives in Ohio, Kentucky, Michigan, and Indiana. Both are former residents of Mt. Vernon and Berea. They live in Texas and enjoy vegetable growing and growing flowers. They produced some bananas in their back yard this spring. *Written by Lena J. Cope.*

More Wedding and Anniversary  
Photos on Page B3

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## Mt. Vernon High School Reunion



### Class of 1949

Members of the Class of '49 attending the Mt. Vernon High School Alumni Reunion are shown above, front row from left: Evelyn Baker Meredith, James N. Purcell, Betty C. Cummins Kelly, Barbara Wrenn Rader, Sadie Ramsey Broyles. Second row from left: Dale Payne, Jewell Payne Whitson, Lois Hunt Stanley, Daisy Hunt Winston. Back row from left: Lena Payne McKinney, Betty Jones Ramsey, Beulah Demmy McLane Carter, Darla Miller Fain, Jeanie Crawford Mullins.



### Class of 1946

Members of the Class of '46 attending the Mt. Vernon High School Alumni Reunion are shown above, front row from left: Edna Bell Brock Huff, Jean Brown Towery, Margaret Smith Cummins. Back row from left: Ben Ramsey and Frank Pensol.



### Officers

Officers for Mt. Vernon High School Association for 2000 are shown above from left: Dave Griffin, president; Pat Noe Baker, treasurer; Carol Purcell Riddle, secretary; Albert (Al) Griffin, vice-president.



### Class of 1966

Members of the Class of '66 are shown above, front row from left: Brenda Kirby Stephens, Bonnie Smith Schwartz, Annabess Renner Shatto, Doris Coffey Wyatt, Jamie Mullins Worley. Back row from left: Jim Rickels, Warren Berry, Jesse Childress, Joe Lambert, Jerry Carter, Gary Cromer.



Mildred Cromer Cummins and Carol Jean Owens Hamm



Robert Wayne Cummins, Benny Chaney, Linda Chaney, Oscar Fain



Charles Shepherd, Jr. and Norman Owens

Photos By: Dave Griffin

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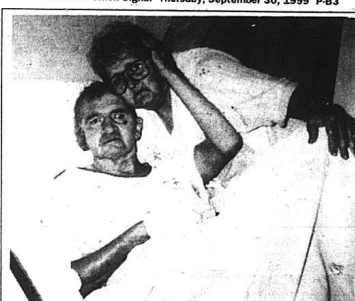
### Stewart - Wyatt

Tonya Michelle Stewart and Donald Earl Wyatt, Jr. were united in marriage September 18, 1999 at the home of the bride's parents, Corey and Joyce Stewart. Kathy Johnson and Donald Earl Wyatt are the parents of the groom. We want to thank everyone who came to share our marriage.



### Mink - Smith

Darrell Smith and Amanda Mink would like to invite everyone to attend their wedding on October 2, 1999 at 12:00 p.m. The wedding will take place at the Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church. A reception will follow. No formal invitations are being sent.



### 50th Wedding Anniversary

Joe and Pauline Spoonamore were married October 1, 1949. Happy 50th wedding anniversary mom and dad, we love you always. Mom, we miss you so much and wish you were here for this day but we know you are thinking about it. We love you both so much, from all your kids.

## The Family Room

By Dr. Don Whitehead

### Kentucky Leads the Nation in One Category

Kentucky leads the nation in one very important category. Unfortunately, having the highest rate of smokers in the United States is nothing to brag about. (This information comes from the Centers for Disease

Control in Atlanta).

Kentucky had the highest adult smoking rate in the nation in 1997 at 30.8 percent, up from 27.8 percent in 1995. Instead of the number of smokers decreasing, that number is increasing in Kentucky.

Which state had the lowest adult smoking rate? Utah, at 13.7 percent. This was probably due to its large Mormon population. The Mormon Church teaches against smoking.

Kentucky also leads the nation in the youth smoking rate. According to the CDC figures—47 percent of students in grades nine through twelve reported that they had smoked in the previous month. That is almost half of the entire high school population of the state!

It is illegal to sell tobacco products to a minor in Kentucky, but young people under 18 continue to have access to cigarettes, dip, etc. Either parents are supplying their children with tobacco or there are still some stores that ignore the law. Or both.

Almost everyone, with the possible exception of the tobacco companies, agrees that smoking is unhealthy. Even some burley growers who depend on the income from tobacco do not allow their children to smoke. The evidence keeps mounting that quitting smoking will extend a person's life.

What can be done to decrease the amount of smokers? The Centers for Disease Control suggests that the rate goes down in states that fund an active anti-smoking campaign. The oldest anti-smoking initiative began in California in 1989. The state's adult rate had hit 26 percent in 1984 but dropped to 18.4 percent in 1997. Oregon's cigarette consumption rate decreased by more than 11 percent after they began a similar program in 1996.

Anti-smoking campaigns have long been seen as a political impossibility in Kentucky where two-thirds of the farms grow tobacco. In 1996 the state produced 27 percent of the tobacco in the United States, second only to North Carolina.

But "the times they are a-changing." Recently Kentucky tobacco farmers have endorsed a plan to use state cigarette settlement money to fight youth smoking. This vote was taken by the Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative board. The resolution supports "a comprehensive plan focused on youth prevention and cessation of tobacco use," according to a statement released by the board. The time is right for tobacco growers and health groups to join forces to stop youth smoking.

Another approach that seems to lower both youth and adult smoking rates is to raise the tax on tobacco. Not everyone thinks this is a good idea, but in states where the tax has been raised and anti-smoking campaigns have been instituted, smoking rates have declined. Kentucky's 3-cent tax per pack is the second lowest in the nation. By comparison Florida leaves a 34-cent tax and Oregon a 68-cent tax.

When almost half the high school students in our state smoke, we have a problem. Some of the tobacco set-

tlement money from the tobacco companies should be used for smoking prevention and cessation. Then our children will have one less risk that their lives will end too early.

## BOYDS SPECIAL EVENT

Celebrate 20 Years of The Boyds Collection Ltd. with...  
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### Lighthouse Assembly of God Youth Groups'

## Dunking Booth

Friday and Saturday at the  
**Bittersweet Festival**

Visit our booth and give one of these folks a "bath."

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|----------------|------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Buzz Carlolis  | Sonya Houk McGuire     | Valerie                                                                |
| Karen King     | Perry & Cindy Noe      | Teresa Vanzant                                                         |
| Charles Carter | Shannon & Chris Bishop | Brian Wynn                                                             |
| Barry Adams    | Jessica Johnson        | Travis Wynn                                                            |
| Chuckie Gray   | Pam Burdette           | Bro. Gene Cassman,<br>new preacher at<br>Lighthouse Assembly<br>of God |

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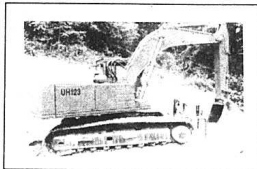
# Auction

of Karish Construction Co., Inc.'s

## Construction Equipment

Friday, October 1, 1999 at 11 a.m.

Renfro Valley, Kentucky



Location: I-75 Exit 62 at Renfro Valley. An auction sign is posted.

Karish Construction Co., Inc. has been involved with pipeline construction for several years. Mr. David King, president of Karish construction Co., Inc. has decided to focus his business in other areas and has authorized our firm to sell the equipment for the absolute high dollar.

The following is a list of equipment that will be selling: 1994 Hitachi Excavator - EX200 L.C. • 1985 Hitachi Excavator UH123 • 1995 Case Backhoe, 580 Super L 4x4 • 1983 Case Dozer 450C 6 way Blade • 1989 Case Dozer 450C 6 way blade • 1986 Joy Air Compressor 800 CFM • 1986 Joy Track Drill V260 MSM-8 • Ingersoll Rand Air Compressor 250 CFM • Two 40ft. Storage Trailers • 1986 5'x5' Blasting Magazine • 3' x 3' Blasting Magazine • Two Test Pumps (water) • Construction signs • carsonite Driver • Quicke Saws • Bushhog 8' wide • Office desks • Filing Cabinets

**Auctioneer's Note:** This equipment is all in good working order and will sell regardless of price. Terms: Cash or cashier's check day of sale. Personal check will be accepted only if purchaser is approved by auctioneers, prior to auction. Otherwise, a bank letter of credit must accompany the check.

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## 1999 Bittersweet Festival

October 1st and 2nd

Main St. Mt. Vernon

### Schedule of Events

Friday, October 1st

- 4:00 p.m. Festival Opens to the Public  
Bluegrass Band  
(Featuring Arts and Crafts Booths, Food Court, Carnival, Continuous Music and Entertainment)
- 6:00 p.m. Country Jamboree
- 7:15 p.m. Bittersweet Cloggers
- 8:00 p.m. Street Dance • Wild River Band  
(Sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center)
- 11:00 p.m. Festival Closes

Saturday, October 2nd

- 7:00 a.m. Late Registration for Bittersweet Festival/Health Essentials 5K Run & Health Walk Bluegrass Band
- 8:00 a.m. Bittersweet Festival/Health Essentials 5K Run and Health Walk
- 9:00 a.m. Festival Opens to the Public  
(Featuring Arts and Crafts Booths, Food Court, Carnival, Continuous Music and Entertainment, Music, Music, Music, Awards and Much More)  
5K Joggers Presentation
- 10:00 a.m. Car Show  
(Trophies Sponsored by Rbtckcastle Region Rodders)
- 2:00 p.m. Country Jamboree
- 4:00 p.m. Bittersweet Cloggers
- 5:00 p.m. Parade
- 5:45 p.m. Storybook Parade
- 6:00 p.m. Bluegrass/Country Jamboree
- 8:00 p.m. Street Dance • Wild River Band  
(Sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center)
- 11:00 p.m. Festival Closes

Items available in our booths will include:

- Books
- Honey
- Prints
- Gourds
- Toys
- Clothing
- Ceramics
- Gift Items
- Pumpkins
- Beanie Babies
- Handwoven Items
- Flowering Mums
- Button Jewelry
- Also, there will be**
- A booth from GTE to sign up customers for Caller ID
- The National Guard will have their equipment available for children to explore
- Dunking Booths
- **CARNIVAL**

### FOOD COURT

- This year's food choices will include:
- Mexican
  - Hot Dogs
  - Polish Burgers
  - Porkchop Sandwiches
  - Fudge & Baked Goods and
  - Amish Baked Goods

Come One, Come All  
Friday and Saturday, October 1 and 2

## County Statistics

### Deeds Recorded

Robert and Mildred K. Spreen and Lanzo and Doris J. Watson, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Sean P. Elkins and Shandale R. Philbeck. Tax 45.00.  
 Benton and Theresa Bullock, real property located in Dusky Trails Subdivision, to Alfred and Monica Widner. No tax.  
 Norma F. Norton and Joe T. Norton, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Ronnie L. and Teresa M. Mize. Tax 172.50.  
 Dora and Wayne A. Pace, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Ronnie L. and Teresa M. Mize. Tax 22.00.  
 Eddie Sturgill, real property located in Livingston, to Brady Dyer, Ham and Timothy Ray Hayes. Tax 2.00.  
 Eugene and Ruby Sparkman, real property located in Quail section, to Jim Bussell. Tax 28.00.  
 Larry and Ada Ponder, real prop-

erty located in Rockcastle County, to Ron and LaMonica Coffey. Tax 2.00.  
 David Layne and Sandra Gay Riddle, real property located in Hamm Subdivision, to Trent D. Clark. Tax 65.00.  
 John D. and Katherine Ball, and others, quit claim deed for real property located in Rockcastle County, to

Dot M. Ball. No tax.  
 Russell L. and Frances Moore, real property located on Hwy. 461, to Cynthia Bustle. Tax 4.00.  
 Wayne and Rosa Lee Jasper, real property located in Hunter Ridge Subdivision, to Ashley and Alicia Jasper. Tax 81.00.  
 Larry R. and Shelvie J. Shepherd, quit claim deed for real property located in Rockcastle County, to Elizabeth A. Shepherd. No tax.  
 Green Tree Financial Corp., Kentucky, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Ronald Scott Mitchell. Tax 27.50.  
 Clarence and Louise Carter, Elmwood Cemetery lots, to Ernest Bullock, Jr. Tax 1.00.  
 Arnel and Mary Taylor and Ray and Millie Scoggin, real property

located in Rockcastle County, to Ray and Mollie Scoggin. No tax.

### Marriage Licenses

Rebecca Burdiss, 28, Berea, unemployed, to James Allen Done, 32, Berea, factory. Sept. 18, 1999.  
 Angela Kaye Pittman, 23, Brodhead, student, to Anthony Heath Saylor, 23, Custer, Kentucky, Kentucky Mates. Sept. 20, 1999.  
 Nicole Annette Cotton, 18, Mt. Vernon, Denny's, to Paul Gene Deatherage, Jr., 27, Mt. Vernon, non-Hanson Aggregates. Sept. 20, 1999.  
 Kimberly Ann Shovel, 21, Brodhead, unemployed, to Raymond Wayne Casteel, 20, Brodhead, Oak Creek Village. Sept. 17, 1999.  
 Carol McKinney, 30, Waco, Kentucky, Bluegrass Plating, to Vernon Scott Decker, 28, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon, Bluegrass Plating. Sept. 18, 1999.  
 Tina Louise Baker, 33, Speedway, Indiana, Junior Accountant, to Chester Neal Adams, 35, Speedway, Indiana, Wal-Mart dept. manager. Sept. 18, 1999.

### The Third Annual Horse & Wagon Ride & Pig Roast

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### District Civil Suits

James Rowe vs. Hugh Brock, d/b/a Brock's, for unpaid damages claimed due to vehicle. 99-C-00124.

### Circuit Civil Suits

Jackie Durham Wass vs. Boyd Durham, \$26,212.30 claimed due for child support. 99-CI-00249.

Megan Rachelle Elza vs. Macon Trading Post, Inc., damages claimed due as result of auto accident. 99-CI-00250.

Scott Smith vs. Rebecca Smith, petition for dissolution of marriage. 99-CI-00251.

The Bank of New York as indenture Trustee for the Money Store Trust vs. Darrell Stewart, et al, \$66,365.16 claimed due on note. 99-CI-00252.

Jackie N. Dixon, et al, vs. Steven T. Dixon, et al, custody petition. 99-CI-00253.

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<b>EXTRA SAVINGS</b> Fryer Leg Quarters <b>29¢</b> Lb.	<b>EXTRA SAVINGS</b> Sirloin Tip Steaks <b>1.69</b> Lb. Family Pack	<b>EXTRA SAVINGS</b> Jimmy Dean BACON <b>1.19</b> Lb. pkg.	<b>EXTRA SAVINGS</b> Red Delicious Apples <b>2.99</b> 10 lb. bag
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<b>FROZEN</b> Lemon or Blueberry Pies 4 oz. box ONLY <b>2/\$1</b>	<b>EVERYDAY GROCERY</b> Instant Vanilla or Chocolate Pudding ONLY! <b>29¢</b> 4 oz. box	<b>EVERYDAY GROCERY</b> White or Brown Powdered Sugar 2 lb. bag ONLY! <b>89¢</b>	<b>DAIRY</b> Citrus Punch 64 oz. jug ONLY <b>99¢</b>
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<b>GROCERY</b> Snickers Milky Way Butterfinger 9 oz. bags <b>1.59</b>	<b>TNT GOOD ITEM</b> Folger's Special Roast Coffee 24 oz. can <b>3.69</b>	<b>EVERYDAY GROCERY</b> Coburn Farms Hot Cocoa Mix 10 oz. box ONLY <b>99¢</b>
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# County Taxpayer's Notice

The 1999 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 at (606) 256-2032. When mailing in 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	10-01-99 thru 11-01-99
Face Amount	11-01-99 thru 12-31-99
5% penalty	01-01-00 thru 01-31-00
21% penalty	02-01-00 until tax claim sale

### IMPORTANT NOTE:

Payments made during the 21% penalty period but prior to the sheriff's delinquent tax claim sale include the late penalty of 10% of tax and a sheriff's add-on fee of 10% of the total bill. Payments made after the sheriff's delinquent tax claim sale are subject to the 10% late penalty, a 20% county attorney's fee and 10% clerk's fee.





## District Court News

**Hon. Michael L. Henry**  
**September 20, 1999**  
**James C. Benge:** Reckless driving, \$20 and costs.  
**Bryan K. Darnell:** Speeding, state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.  
**Randy D. Linton:** Speeding, \$32 fine and costs.  
**Phillip L. Smith:** Speeding, \$36 fine and costs.  
**Jason P. Allen:** Failure to dim headlights, dismissed on payment of costs.  
**Earl Bowling:** Failure to reg. transfer, dismissed on payment of costs.  
**Jason D. Bowman:** No insurance, \$500 fine and costs, suspend \$450; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.  
**Fred G. Cassidy:** Failure to yield right of way. Paid \$67.50 total fine and costs.  
**Charles F. Clark:** Failure to produce insurance card and Failure to wear seatbelt, suspend license for failure to appear.  
**Dallas Clifford:** Terroristic Threatening, 17 days in jail/credit 12 days time served; Criminal Trespass, 17 days/concurrent; Violation of EPO, \$100 fine and costs.  
**Bural M. Coffey, Jr.:** Defective equipment, \$20 and costs.  
**James L. Coleman, III:** Speeding, \$32 and costs.  
**Nancy Couch:** No insurance, \$500 fine and costs.  
**Stacy L. Cran:** Fines due (\$85.25), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.  
**Brady R. Durham:** Speeding, state traffic school authorized on payment of costs.

**Terance E. Durham:** No Ky. Reg. Plates and other charges, suspend license for failure to appear.  
**Jackie H. England:** Possession of marijuana and Contempt of court, warrant issued for 2nd degree bail jumping.  
**Elias T. Garcia:** No operators license, suspend license for failure to appear.  
**Heather Jones:** Failure to use child restraint, \$25 fine and costs.  
**Jason K. Kates:** Fines due (\$410.25), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.  
**Tabetha Kates:** No operators license, \$25 fine and costs.  
**Johnny S. Kirby:** Carrying concealed weapon, \$100 fine and costs and forfeit and dispose of weapon; Possession of controlled substance, 90 days in jail/to serve 15; Possession of marijuana, 15 days/concurrent.  
**Harvey C. Madden:** Alcohol intoxication and other charges, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.  
**Robert Bryan May:** No Ky. Reg. Plates and No/Exp. Reg. Receipt, suspend license for failure to appear.  
**Alisa Mullins:** Fines due (\$169.50), defendant found guilty of contempt/10 days in jail.  
**Shelley E. Newcomb:** Speeding, \$36 fine and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.  
**Lloyd Smith:** Disorderly conduct, \$25 fine and costs.  
**John E. Thomas:** Speeding and other charges, suspend license for failure to appear.  
**James J. Vaughn:** Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine and costs.  
**Tammy Worley:** Alcohol intoxication and Failure to wear seatbelt, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.  
**James R. Blankenship:** Speeding, \$20 and costs.  
**Brandon S. Crowder:** Speeding, \$34 and costs.  
**Paul J. Caragher:** Speeding, \$30 and costs.  
**Melinda J. Fleck:** Speeding, \$38 fine and costs.  
**Charles Jason Holtz:** Possession of marijuana, 10 days in jail/credit 1 day time served.

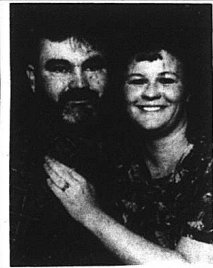
**Larry C. Hubbard:** Speeding and Failure to wear seatbelt, \$40 fine and costs.  
**HelenNicole McKinney:** Public intoxication, 5 days in jail/credit 5 days and \$25 fine and costs/suspend fine.  
**Rick A. McPherson:** Speeding, \$34 fine and costs.  
**Shelley E. Newcomb:** Improper equipment, \$20 fine and costs.  
**Roy Peters:** Alcohol intoxication, \$25 fine and costs; Possession of marijuana, 180 days/to serve 10/credit 2 days time served/balance conditionally discharged one year; Drug paraphernalia use/possession, 10 days/concurrent; Possession of controlled substance, 10 days/concurrent and \$250 fine.  
**Melvin Smith:** Disorderly conduct, \$100 fine and costs; Resisting arrest, 10 days in jail/credit 3 days time served/balance conditionally discharged one year; Carrying concealed weapon, dismissed on commonwealth motion on confiscation and forfeiture of weapon to KSP

## Free poetry contest

The International Library of Photography is pleased to announce that over \$50,000.00 in prizes will be awarded this year in the International Open Amateur Photography Contest. Photographers from the Mt. Vernon area, particularly beginners, are welcome to try to win their share of over 1,300 prizes. The deadline for the contest is December 15, 1999. The contest is open to everyone and entry is FREE.

To enter, send ONE photograph in ONLY ONE of the following categories: People, Travel, Pets, Children, Sports, Nature, Action, Humor, Portraiture, or Other. The photo must be a color or black-and-white print (unmounted), 8x10 or smaller. All entries must include the photographer's name and address on the back, as well as the category and the title of the photo. Photographs should be sent to: The International Library of Photography, Suite 101-0106, 3640 Crandall Lane, Owings Mills, MD 21117. Entries must be postmarked by December 15, 1999.

Sue  
 To the love of my life,  
 Thanks for being a  
 wonderful wife.  
 When we first met our  
 love was strong  
 and over the years our  
 love has grown.  
 Happy Birthday!  
 Love,  
 Your Husband  
 Gilbert (Spud) Chestnut



## "Court News"

(Cont. from B4)

**Kimberly Ann Renner vs. Gregory Wayne Renner,** petition for dissolution of marriage. 99-CI-00254.  
**Rose Ann Abney vs. Cecil Ray Abney,** petition for dissolution of marriage. 99-CI-00255.

**Congratulations**  
**Scott 'n' Carol**  
**on your marriage**  
**Love,**  
**Mom, Sister**  
**& Family**



**Stacy and Nacole Smith** of Mt. Vernon would like to announce the birth of their first child, **Jordan Blake Smith.** Jordan was born on June 15th at Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs. 15 1/2 oz. and was 21 1/4 inches long. Grandparents are Gary and Iris Parker of Mt. Vernon and Gordie and Marie Smith of Orlando. Great grandparent is Vivian Singleton of Mt. Vernon.



**Happy 13th Birthday**  
**Shauna Baker**  
 From: Pappy & Mamaw Smith

### Bittersweet Festival Specials



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12 oz. lamp oil



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2" x 10 yards duct tape



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- Display Classifieds—\$3.50/Inch

**Deadline for Classifieds is NOON Tuesday**

## FOR RENT

**For Rent:** 2 and 3 bedroom trailers. Call 256-0910 or 256-1373. 354in

**For Rent:** 2 bedroom trailer. Call 256-0176 or 256-0183. 314in

**For Rent:** Rocket Storage for all your storage needs, all different sizes. 256-3623. 104in

**Accepting Applications for 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments.** Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. Equal Housing Opportunity. TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 364in

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**711 Chestnut St. • Berea • 606-986-8401**  
**1-800-998-2063 fax 986-6173**

**Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9-5; Sat. 9-1; Sun. by appointment.**

**10.94 ACRES WOODED LAND FOR SALE** near Jean's Restaurant on Hwy. 1004. Some building sites. Great view. Two thirds mile road frontage. Spring and some timber. Only 1/4 mile off I-75. Development potential. Call today. Reduced to \$25,000.

**LOT FOR SALE** 1.29 acres, ideal for hunting, country home or mobile home. Backside of lot in woods. City water and sewer. **SOLD** by Blaktop road frontage. Bullock Subdivision. Priced at only \$7,400.

**BEREA.** We have several nice homes listed in Berea. Call one of the above agents for a showing.

**BUILDING LOTS** on Flat Gap Road in northern Rockcastle Co. Water, streets, electricity on property. Nice location for new home. Mobile home welcome, some restrictions. Prices start at \$6,500 per lot.

**FOR SALE: NORTHSIDE APARTMENT COMPLEX.** Located at 210 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon. Contains 18 apartments and 7 motel rooms all rented on a monthly basis. Property in good repair with a 95% occupancy rate. Owner says the rent from this complex pays for all expenses including the mortgage payment and the manager's salary and returns him a profit of \$1,000 per month. Be a wise investor and let this property pay for itself plus return you a nice income. Located on a 1 acre lot and priced at \$169,000.

**HOME FOR SALE:** Mobile home with large permanent addition. Large wooded lot, home has living room, dining room, two bedrooms, kitchen, one bath, two porches, one car detached garage, one outbuilding. Well water with city water coming. Reduced to \$25,000. RedHill Section of Rockcastle County.

**1.7 ACRES PRIME WOODED LAND.** Ideal for hunting, camping with approximately 1 mile of water along edge of property, which is very good for fishing. Also some timber. Approx. 1 mile of road and creek frontage. Price \$44,500.

**372 SURVEYED ACRES NEAR BRODHEAD.** 332 of which is level bottom land, 40 acres are wooded, hill land. Good cattle and tobacco farm. Tobacco base for 1999 was 3,896 lbs. Priced \$600 per acre. 1/4 mile backstop road frontage. Call today and make offer.

**BABY FARM WITH NICE LARGE 4 BEDROOM HOME ON 14 ACRES.** This farm has approx. 400 ft. road frontage. Home has a big living room, dining room, 2 baths, kitchen and family room. Full **SALE PENDING** big 1 1/2 tobacco barn 30x66, one workshop and garage with air and heat, donkey house, tree house, located in Rockcastle about 5 to 10 minutes from Berea. Priced at \$175,000.

**ACREAGE FOR SALE:** 42 acres off Sweet Water Rd. Rockcastle Co., near Conway. Approx. 12 acres cleared 30 acres in trees. Priced at only \$38,000.

**1 ACRE LOT** on Woodland Place, Mt. Vernon, has all utilities, ready to build on, good view. Priced at \$15,000.

**25 ACRES IN SAND HILL AREA** improved with very nice Clayton Mobile Home. Front and back deck. Several acres cleared. Marketable timber. Conveniently located near I-75. Ext. 909. Priced affordably. Call Paula Dollins 925-2341.

## PROPERTY FOR SALE

**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. 334in

**Lots For Sale:** 1/2 acre to 4+ acres. Paved street. 1/2 mile off 150 on 2549 (old 461) off Hwy. 150. 100% Financing available. \$5000 and up. Call 256-2339. 44in

**House For Sale:** 1 mile up Hwy. 70. Brick home with 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room/kitchen combo, large laundry room on 1/2 acre lot. Call 758-9013 or 758-9130. 384in

**For Sale:** Two tracts suitable for doublewide or new construction on Scaffold Cane Rd. 1 acre lot. \$12,500. Also, 5 acres with barn \$52,000. Call Susan Thomson, Realty Resources, 986-2665. 464in

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606-549-7467 Pager

**For Sale:** 3 Bedroom, 1 bath, vinyl ranch home. 7 years old. Copper Creek Road. 1 acre lot, close to Copper Creek Ministry Baptist Church. Look for signs. \$61,000. Call Susan Thomson, Realty Resources, 606-986-2665. 464in

**For Sale:** 3 Bedroom, 1 bath brick house with electric heat, city water and sewer. Smith St. Brodhead. Call 256-4000. 474in

**For Sale:** 3 BR vinyl sided house 1/4 mile off 461 on 1250. 3+ acres. 1200 lbs. tobacco, barn and garage. \$75,000. Call (513)761-6824 after 5 or leave message. 5044pd

**For Sale or Trade:** Looking for someone who would be interested in trading an older house or a mobile home and land in on a 1 year old brick home in the country. Call 758-8176 if not at home leave message. 5124pd

**For Sale:** Trailer 14x74 with 14x40 addition, and 1/2 acre lot. Trailer has 3 bedrooms, large family room, living room and bath. Central heat and air. Also small

garden, and 8x10 metal storage p.m. Mon.-Fri. Located in city building. All this for \$29,900. limits of Mt. Vernon. 5144pd  
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**For Lease**  
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Everything will be chipped into mulch, you can keep the mulch or we can haul it away  
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Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to Roger and Irene H. Burke and also land belonging to Irene Huff Burke at Roundstone. 51x4

Posted: No hunting, fishing, trespassing, trapping on land belonging to Estel and Teresa Phibbeck on 1004. Not responsible for accidents. 51x2

Posted: No hunting, fishing, trespassing, trapping on land belonging to Shendele Phibbeck and Sean P. Elkins on 1004. Not responsible for accidents. 51x2

Posted: No hunting, fishing or trespassing on property belonging to Bridget M. Young-Oliver at Happy Hollow rd. Willallia. Violators will be prosecuted. 51x2pd

Notice: Is hereby given that Eddie Paul Noe, 1630 Menelaus Rd., Berea, KY 40403, has been appointed Guardian of the estate of Jennifer Lynn Lovell, a minor child on the 22 day of September, 1999. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Eddie Paul Noe on or before March 22, 2000. 52x1

J&L Equipment Co.: 50 Williams Street, Mt. Vernon. Selling farm fuels, motor oils, heating fuel and gasolines. Your Chevron Oil Jobber for Rockcastle County. Call 256-2114, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. 402n

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Rental Equipment available at Lumber King, Call Shane at 256-1100. Also do screen repairs. 40fm

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David Spoonamore's Roofing: Free estimates. 25 yrs. exp. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call 758-0107 or 758-4443. 51fm

Will Cut Timber on Private Property: No tract too small. Call for free estimates. 758-9202 after 6:00 p.m. or leave message. 52x3pd

WANTED: Barnett's Auto Salvage located on Cove Branch Road buys junk cars and trucks and has used auto parts for sale. Call 256-9018. 37fm

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

Wanted: Would like to buy timber in or out of county. Will cut entire boundaries or selected trees only. Very fair pricing. Please call 606-453-9325 and leave message. Thank You. 41fm

Wanted: Caring lady will sit with sick and elderly. References available. 679-0253. 51fm

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

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

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Annual Drinking Water Quality Report Northern Rockcastle Water District

We're pleased to present to you this year's Annual Drinking Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality water and services we deliver to you every day. We want to keep you informed about the excellent water and services we have delivered to you over the past year.

I'm pleased to report that our drinking water is safe and meets federal and state requirements.

This year we will be publishing two separate reports. One report will be for those customers who purchased their water from Northern Rockcastle Water District during the year of 1998 and the other for those customers who purchased from Western Rockcastle Water Association during 1998.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Charles D. Burton, President, at 606/758-4311. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility.

Northern Rockcastle Water District routinely monitors for constituents in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. This table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1 through December 31, 1998 (and some data from 1997 due to lab analytical error).

In this table you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms we've provided the following definitions:

Non-Detects (ND) - laboratory analysis indicates that the constituent is not present. Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l) - one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000. Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Nephelemetric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

Action Level - the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Maximum Contaminant Level - (mandatory language) The "Maximum Allowed" (MCL) is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal - (mandatory language) The "Goal"(MCLG) is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

NORTHERN ROCKCASTLE WATER DISTRICT

No constituents were found to be in violation of the maximum contaminant level or detected above the minimum detection limit.

MT. VERNON WATER WORKS - PRIMARY SUPPLIER

Table with 5 columns: Contaminant, MCL, MCLG, Violation Y/N, and Likely Source. Row 1: Turbidity (NTU), Never more than 5 NTU, No more than 1 NTU in more than 5% of samples each month (95% meet filter), 0.5, 8.4%, N, Soil runoff.

Turbidity has no health effects. However, turbidity can interfere with disinfection and provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity is a measure of treatment performance and is regulated as a treatment technique. Turbidity is measured in nephelometric turbidity units (NTU), and is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

REGULATED CONTAMINANT TEST RESULTS

Table with 9 columns: Contaminant (level/unit), MCL, MCLG, Highest Detection, Range, Date of Sample, Violation, and Likely Source of Contamination. Rows include Microbiological Contaminants and Inorganic Contaminants.

Table with 9 columns: Contaminant (level/unit), MCL, MCLG, Highest Detection, Range, Date of Sample, Violation, and Likely Source of Contamination. Rows include Volatile Organic Contaminants.

Table with 9 columns: Contaminant (level/unit), MCL, MCLG, Highest Detection, Range, Date of Sample, Violation, and Likely Source of Contamination. Row for Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM).

\*The current MCL for total trihalomethanes (TTHM) is 100 ppb but will change to 80 ppb in the year 2001

UNREGULATED CONTAMINANTS TEST RESULTS

Table with 4 columns: Contaminant, Unit, Average, Range. Rows include Bromodichloromethane, Carbaryl, Chlordane, Mirex, and Propachlor.

Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. The purpose of unregulated contaminant monitoring is to assist EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted.

SOUTHERN MADISON WATER DISTRICT - SECONDARY SUPPLIER

REGULATED CONTAMINANT TEST RESULTS

Table with 9 columns: Contaminant (level/unit), MCL, MCLG, Highest Detection, Range, Date of Sample, Violation, and Likely Source of Contamination. Rows include Inorganic Contaminants.

Southern Madison Water District received a notice of violation for failing to submit the adequate number of bacteriological samples, only five of the required ten samples were submitted for the month of May 1998. Any potential adverse health effects to any segment(s) of the population could not be determined due to failure to comply with the monitoring requirements.

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No constituents were found to be in violation of the maximum contaminant level or detected above the minimum detection limit.

On November 24, 1998, the Division of Water issued a Notice of Violation for a monitoring violation. On March 3, 1999, the Division of Water issued a Notice of Violation for a monitoring violation. Any potential adverse health effects to any segment(s) of the population could not be determined due to failure to comply with the monitoring requirements.

Particulars:

(1) Turbidity. Turbidity has no health effects. However, turbidity can interfere with disinfection and provide a medium for microbial growth. Turbidity may indicate the presence of disease-causing organisms. These organisms include bacteria, viruses, and parasites that can cause symptoms such as nausea, cramps, diarrhea, and associated headaches.

Inorganic Contaminants: (16) Fluoride. Some people who drink water containing fluoride in excess of the MCL over many years could get bone disease, including pain and tenderness of the bones. Children may get mottled teeth.

The table shows that Mt. Vernon Water Works uncovered a violation of too much fluoride in the water this past year. This was due to a chemical feed rate malfunction and was corrected immediately. The duration of the violation was for one day while pump was being fixed, the potential adverse health effects are listed above.

All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

MCL's are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

We at Northern Rockcastle Water District work around the clock to provide top quality water to every day. We ask that all our customers help us protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life and our children's future. Please call our office if you have questions.

Although the report will not be mailed to individual water customers, a full copy of the report is available for review at the office of the Western Rockcastle Water Association, Route 1, Highway 150 & 70, Brodhack, Kentucky.

# From Our Files

35 years ago October 1, 1964... Bids were scheduled to be opened October 15 for construction of a sewer system in Mt. Vernon. Expected cost of the project was \$419,000. The Eastern Kentucky Fox Hunters Association met for four days at Brodhead for field trials. Among the local fox hunting enthusiasts were: Clyde Linville, Clyde Barnett, David McCauley, Kermit Bowling, Billy Kirby, Gene Gentry and Charley York.

Enrolling in college were: Jerry Nicely, Wendell Lawrence, Paul Ray Cox and Danny Price at Spencerian Business College in Louisville; Charlotte Robbins at Transylvania and Ronald Wilmott, Linda Chandler and Larry Howard, all at Eastern Kentucky State College.

Barnett's Grocery on Richmond Street celebrated their grand opening. Operated by Clyde and Minna Lee Barnett, the opening specials included picnic hams at 27¢ lb.; 3 lb. peanut butter 89¢; 25 lb. flour \$1.99; 1 1/2 lb. sausage for 59¢ and cake mixes for 10¢.

Officers, elected for Mt. Vernon Chapter No. 468 Order of the Eastern Star, were: Gertrude Hilton, Worthy Matron; Mr. W.I. Norton, Worthy

Patron; Juanita Scott, Associate Matron; Robert Cromer, Associate Patron; Carrie Baker, secretary; Laura McHargue, treasurer; Evelyn Mullins, Conductress and Catherine Graves, Associate Conductress. 20 years ago September 27, 1979...

The county's total assessment for all taxable property grew to over \$93 million.

Homecoming candidates at RCHS were: Joan Burton, Kelli Thomason, Tammy Hamm, Dana Clifford, Tammy Coffey, Nancy Cass, Tracy Lyons and Cheryl McClure. Albert York was re-elected president of the Berea College Chapter of Young Republicans.

5 years ago September 29, 1994... RCHS football coach Tom Larky recorded his 100th win with his team's 8-7 defeat of Madison Central.

Lindsay Dowell was crowned 1994 Football Homecoming Queen. Runners-up were Dana Reynolds and Amy Ford.

Willie and Christine Nicely of Mt. Vernon celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary September 26, 1994. Jon Cromer scored the only touchdown for the Rockets in their 8-7 win over Madison Central. Cromer also scored the 2 point conversion.

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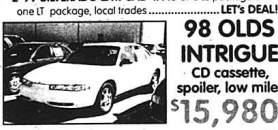
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