



Points East

By: Ike Adams

I was off last week. Monday night rolled around and I was sick and tired of being sick and tired and mad at the medical profession because nothing it has to offer gives me slightest relief for the allergies to mold and pollen that beset me this time of year.

I counted up the number of columns I have written consecutively without missing a week and they numbered 103 and I thought to myself that the time may come, later in my life, when I need to break a record, and that seems to be good one to shoot for. It beats my previous record for consecutive columns by at least 90 and I've been doing this for well over 22 years.

So call this column number 1 and let's all start counting all over. Next time we'll shoot for 104--two complete years--but that's a precedent I'd rather not set right now. Next thing you know we'll be shooting for five years without missing a beat and that's not a burden I'm willing to carry.

I spent an hour on the phone last Sunday with my big city (Louisville) buddy, Byron Crawford, who makes oodles and oodles of money writing for the Courier-Journal three days a week. Byron is absolutely the best story finder/writer in this state and maybe the entire nation as far as I'm concerned. We spent the hour trying to figure out whether or not white woolly worms portend bad tidings for the coming winter.

(For the record, I'm not yet sure but I've seen them myself and I think it's a bad sign. I'm not yet sure to what extent this winter but I'm sure it will be different but more on that later.)

Most mornings when the Courier-Journal comes into my office, I take out the state page and look for Byron or Bob Hill and if neither of them is on it, I toss the whole thing into the recycle heap and grieve over the ink and pulp that the Gannett Company has wasted in getting its bulk of bull on my desk.

I do not believe much of what I read in the big city papers.

There was a time when, not long ago, when I believed that writing for a big city paper to be a reasonable and honorable aspiration.

Then the Lexington Herald-Leader fired Don Edwards, Dick Bardette and Billy Reed in one fell swoop and suddenly I'm not so sure anymore. The Herald-Leader lied and lied and lied and lied that these guys had "retired" because of those of us who know them know the truth. The firing was bitter and the paper's publisher is a bar-faced liar. There went 99% of the honest writing talent at the paper so why should you buy it anymore? Unless you are hooked on those full color sex-thriller pamy and jock underwear ads from the big city papers.

I currently subscribe to the Lexington Herald-Leader (which could be better named Herald I) because it is cheap compost for my garden and I rarely read anything seriously except the comics and then the obits so to who may have died recently in my hometown. Whitesburg, 150 miles away. The Sunday paper weighs at least five pounds and that's basically a pile of pictures of high heels, panties and hot cars but it rots good in the garden and I hope the ink doesn't soak into the ground and get into my veggies and cause me cancer.

What a sad, sad comment to make on journalism. If the good writers don't get the big papers fire them so they can send you incompetent, incoherent, hog-wash dictated by corporate headquarters. I defy the bysoters at Knight Ridder and Gannett to prove me wrong.

There is no real news gathering anymore evidenced in your big daily papers. Not that it's a lost art; the papers simply will not see-up that they want nobody on the news crew with an IQ higher than 50. And they certainly aren't going to pay good money to any sensible, diligent, in-search-

of-the-truth reporters who might unweild whatever scams their board members might be involved in.

You don't (if you are on the corporate board of Knight Ridder or Gannett) talk about Dubya Bush, for example, if both you and he are invested in an oil rig in a National Park. And you sure don't hire an intelligent investigator/writer to dig up any dirt. And if you think the big oil and the big news companies are not

in bed together you need a head ex-

aminate. If you are young and you want to get into real journalism my advice is start a newspaper.

God only knows where you will get the advertising to support it if truth is important to you. Don't even think about going to work for a big-name newspaper if you want to be honest. Those days are dead and gone.

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor,

I have been a resident about all my life in Madison County. I am a tax paying citizen. I sure hope you will publish this for me. This is concerning a trial we had here in Madison County around the first week of August, 2001. A 14-year-old boy was on trial. I am very concern, there are knots in my stomach. I'm just trying to figure out where is justice in this county. I sure haven't found any. This is just bugging me to death. I can't get it off my mind.

This 14-year-old boy was on trial, he had stolen a pistol from his neighbor. I know what he did with it was very wrong. Just taking the pistol he got 10 years.

My home was robbed in 1991, my strong building was robbed in 1990. I had thousands of dollars stolen from me. I found my 30-year-old guitar in my neighbor's home. I called the Sheriff's office, they came out and made an arrest. I had three shot guns stolen, plus thousands of dollars in other items. Too many to mention. The man was taken to jail in Madison County, he spent under the 12 months.

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As I sat and listened to the conversations and I thought how lucky these people were to renew old acquaintances, yes I felt like a fifth wheel when I was born and raised in the Eastern part of Kentucky, more in the mountain section, as different one's talked of the theater and how they enjoyed going, where I came from there was no movie theaters! Still I wouldn't

Madison County to help, no body would. The man went free.

After he got out of jail he was up and down the road in front of my house laughing and hollering at me. That's a very weird feeling knowing you have to leave your home and the same thing could happen again. I've lived in so much fear all these years. Where is the system and justice at? I get worried this on no body, what I have been through. Nothing was ever done about what happen to me. I am a good person.

Rose Marie Peters
Madison County

Dear Editor,

My husband, Clayton Durham, was born and raised at Livingston. For sometime I understand there's been a Homecoming the first of September. Well this is the first time my husband attended, was he in for some 'pleasent surprises as he got to see several he had not seen for 40-45 years.

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ramblings...

by perlina m. anderkin

My question to Rick Wednesday morning was "are you going to write anything about this?" His being the terrorist attacks on New York and the Pentagon building. I know there's no way we can serve as a news source for a story of this magnitude but I didn't feel we could not record something of this tragic event in our nation's history.

Rick's answer was "you should write a column." So here goes. It will probably be mostly incoherent since I spent the greatest part of the last 24 hours glued to the television screen and an hour Wednesday morning reading the Herald-Leader. Allison's volleyball game wasn't called off, as I had expected it would be, and it was a good respite from the somber cast the day had taken on.

I imagine we, as a nation, will have many somber days in our future. After an initial reaction of horror and disbelief, I became sporting mad. Mad that a nation, group of terrorists, whatever would so callously kill thousands of innocent people primarily because of ideological differences. But that is oversimplifying.

Sweet and Sour

By Zi Graves



War?

Today has been another day that will be etched on my memory like the one on December 7, 1941 when Japan misjudged the ability and strength of boys made into men by fighting for a country they loved.

The U.S.A. was only 150 years old when Japan, with her well-trained army, navy and air force, slipped into Pearl Harbor, Hawaii and blew up the ships belonging to the U.S. Navy anchored there. "That Day of Infamy" has been remembered as one of the worst in American history. Now we have another.

It must have surprised the Japanese navy and army when these "boys" turned out to be full grown men whose teeth had been cut on "do it well or not at all." Some of them had been raised on farms where work was a necessity to eat or go hungry. Their forebears had settled in a new country and developed it into a nation they were proud to call America. Many were raised in towns or cities where kids played on the streets and had to either fight for what they got or do without. Either method taught these defenders of their country how to think, outwit and fight for what they knew was right and do it if necessary. They had been taught since infancy to honor the American

Flag and never let dishonor come to it. One of the hardest fought battles, perhaps the last one fought in the war Japan started, was when a regiment of the Marine Corp, finally, through bloodshed and determination, reached the top of a hill on Iwo Jima and placed the American Flag on a strangely pole and saluted it. That was a bloody war and many of our own boys were left behind. I will heartily agree with the one who said "War is Hell." The very thought of it makes my blood run cold. But, so does the dastardly deeds committed by terrorists. Their methods of attacking are even worse than that of Japan. These murderers of humanity and attempted destruction of two cities is the work of a legion of devils. They did not face an enemy, or weapon held by an enemy, they used hijacked American jets as weapons to destroy everything but the evidence left behind.

Is this an open challenge to another generation of young American men to match wits, strength, loyalty and love of country, to rid the world of animals that call themselves humans? I am afraid so.

Really I was not going to write this week. Didn't feel up to it. Then this horrible thing happened so I figured I might as well write as sit and watch the horrors on the screen. It is even worse than the TV horror shows. What's next is anyone's guess.

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Crossroads Assembly of God holds dedication services

The Crossroads Assembly of God Church, located on Hwy. 150 in Brodhead, held dedication services, Sunday, September 2nd. Those being dedicated were Sydney Elizabeth Hines, daughter of Julie and Stephen Hines of Brodhead and Dylan Bishop and Brooklyn Bishop, children of Jacquelyn and Bobby Bishop, Jr. also of Brodhead. The dedication ceremony was performed by Rev. Troy Boggs of London.

The congregation of the Crossroads Assembly of God has been in their new location since April of 1999. "We held our first service in the new building on Easter morning with a sunrise service, it was so special," recalls Janet Bishop, Teen Sunday School teacher and grandmother of Sydney Elizabeth Hines, as well as one of the charter members of the new church.

Other charter members of the new church watched as their grandchildren were dedicated Sunday morning, Margie and Bobby Bishop, also of Brodhead, wiped tears and uttered praises to God as the Rev. Boggs prayed over their grandchildren, Dylan and Brooklyn Bishop.

"Our mission has been clear from the start," quotes Doug Bishop, Adult Sunday School teacher and charter member, "that is to win the lost." "We don't want to see any of our neighbors, friends and families miss heaven. We want to reach out to the people of Brodhead and the surround-

ing communities and tell them they have hope in Jesus."

The Crossroads Assembly of God Church has services on Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. with Sunday school classes for all ages. Worship service is at 11:00 a.m. Sunday night worship is at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday night service at 7:00 p.m.

The Crossroads Assembly of God is a small church with a small congregation (less than 100), but who have big plans for the future. Talk is already circulating about a gym being built behind the church for youth events and just last year the parking lot was black topped, and outdoor shelter was erected, and a church van was purchased. Special events for the youth and for those who are not so young are almost as common as their regular services. This church may be a small congregation, but they won't be for long.

Future Events that are coming up are:

September 22nd - an outing to Cumberland Falls for a picnic and horseback riding.

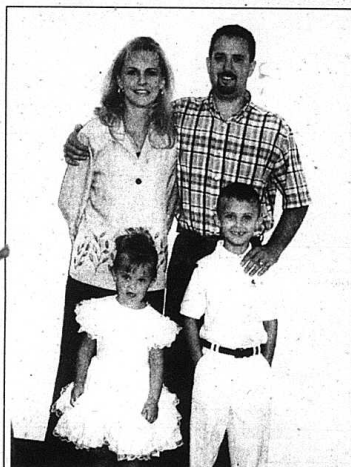
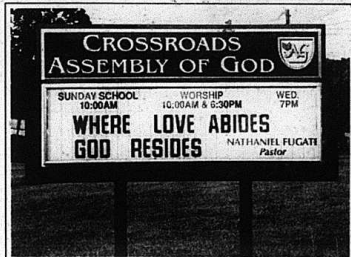
October 13th - Fish Fry and Gospel Singing - Fish Fry starting at 4:00 p.m. and singing at 7:00 p.m.

October 27th - Fall Festival - games, prizes, venison roast, hay ride and benefit auction. Games start at 2:00 p.m. with the auction starting at 6:00 p.m.

November 11th - Special Veteran's Service - this service is to honor all the men and women who sacrificed their time and for those who gave even more, their life, for the freedom that we all enjoy today. All Veterans are invited to attend. An honorary dinner will be served after the service.

Events for November and December are still in the planning stages, but we'll keep you updated.

The Pastor of The Crossroads Assembly of God Church is Rev. Nathaniel Fugate and wife, Anna Fugate of Mt. Vernon. Pastor Fugate, as well as all the congregation, would like to extend an invitation to all to come and worship and be a part of The Crossroads Assembly of God Church.



Brooklyn and Dylan Bishop with their parents, Bobby and Jacqueline. Grandparents are Bobby and Margie Bishop and Jerry and Carolyn Nicely.



Julie and Steven Hines with their daughter, Sydney Elizabeth.



A birthday party will be held at Country Steel Connection (next door to Renfro Valley Barn Dance) Saturday, September 15th. Everyone is welcome to help celebrate (no gifts please). Coke and Ice Cream will be served in honor of the following birthdays: John D. Bullen, pictured above far right, who will celebrate his 72nd birthday. Larry D. Ham, Elwood Walker (singer/songwriter) from Nashville, Tennessee and the Grand National Championship Yodeler from Nashville Bonnie Lou Bishop. Come and celebrate these birthdays. This photo was taken December 1951 during the Christmas Parade in Nanheim, Germany.

Fairview News

By Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

Hello to all you good readers. Hope you enjoyed a nice weekend and Labor Day. But most of all I hope you are well.

Bro. Albert Griffin filled his regular appointment at the Fairview Baptist Church over the weekend with good attendance. And thank the good Lord for the 150 attendance in Sunday School. It is so good to be able to attend church and Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Cope and Mrs. Mary Cope visited Mr. and Mrs.

Sylvester Cope in Berea on Sunday. Sylvester is on the sick list and needs our prayers. He is a good friend and we hope he feels better soon.

All the Cope family means to us around Fairview.

Mrs. Hallie Alexander celebrated her birthday August 28th. To help her celebrate the event her daughter Jewell Davidson and husband Rex took her to the Appalachian Museum in Tennessee. Her son, Gerald

Alexander, wife, Irene and family brought supper to her home and ate with her. Also good friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Isaacs and sons visited in the evening and gave her a nice gift. Hallie has many friends who love and respect her.

A Cope Family Reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Cope Saturday, honoring Mrs. Cope's birthday which will be Sept. 12th. A great time was had by all. Best wishes Mary we love you.

Some of our most recent guests have been Mr. Paris Swinford and Linda, Robert Chasteen, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Chasteen, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Chasteen and Mr. and Mrs. James Seale. Also Darrin Chasteen. Stopping by to say we love Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hunsucker.

Our daughter and families who live close visit often. Mrs. Alice Shupe of Waverly, Ohio and daughter, Mrs. Nioka Harr of Cleveland, Ohio visited Mrs. Mary Cope over the weekend.

Visiting Mrs. Delta Barnett Sunday evening was Mrs. Hallie Alexander. Scott Abney and little daughter of Berea visited Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Abney recently.

Mrs. Hallie Alexander and granddaughter, Courtney Alexander spent last weekend with Ms. Ann Jett of Jackson.

Please remember church and Sunday School and pray much for each other. We never out grow our need for prayer. God bless each of you.

Pine Hill School Reunion held

The Sixth Annual Pine Hill School Reunion was held September 1st at the Pine Hill Baptist Church Shelter House with 68 students and family attending.

Those attending were: Billy Renner, Carl Kirby, Junior and Naomi Gibson, James Kirby, Julie Kirby, Fred and Sallie Morris, Kenneth and Ellen Parrett, Junior and Bernice Smith, Estil and Ann Clifford, Paul Kirby, Juanita Kirby Davis, Bennett and Lorene Ponder, Patricia Wolfe and Paige Ponder, Bob and Betty French, Robert and Connie Barnes, Betty Ramsey, Billy Ray and Betty Barnes, Denver McHargue, Florence McHargue, Donald McHargue, Elva Jean Singleton, Billy and Sadie McHargue, Blaine and Bernice McHargue, Benton and Wanda Miller, Jordan Kelley, Curtis McHargue, Russell McHargue, Helen

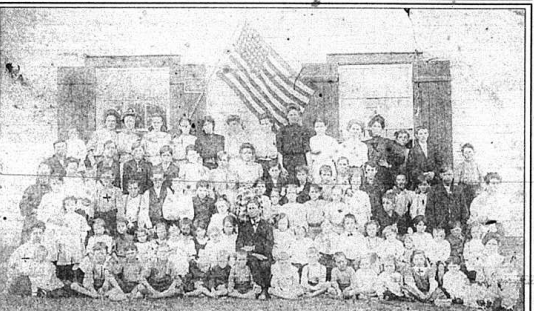
McHargue, Teresa Parrett, Sadie Parrett, Bud and Lucy Cottengim, Sandra and Emily Deubel, Loyd McHargue, Nora McHargue, Billy and Gladys Kirby, Charlie French, Jimmy Fain, Betty Sowder, Mac Renner, Tommie and Alwanda Fain, Dave Stewart and grandson, Dannie Smith, Oscar and Helen Fain, Ott and Martha Bond, Clifton Bond, Bobby Hurd and Wiletta Owens.

Those receiving prizes were: Oldest Student, Sadie Parrett; Oldest Teacher, Alwanda Fain; Youngest Student, Teresa Parrett; Most Family, Juanita Davis; Door Prize, Connie Barnes and Traveled Farthest, Loyd McHargue.

A great time was had by all. We will have the seventh reunion August 31, 2002 at the same location. Make plans to attend.



The Sixth Annual Pine Hill School Reunion was held September 1st at the Pine Hill Baptist Church shelter house.



Pine Hill School around 1900s?

If anyone is familiar with this photo please contact Lorene Ponder, 314 Jessica Circle, Richmond, KY 40475. The small sign on the window shutter reads Carmical No. 70.



Rev. Troy Boggs as he prays over Sydney Elizabeth Hines. At left are Grandparents Doug and Janet Bishop. Other grandparents are Russell and Dorothy Hines. At right are Sydney's parents, Julie and Steven Hines.

Constitution Week proclaimed

Mrs. Iris Young and Mrs. Laura Durham, representing the Daughters of the American Revolution, met with County Judge-Executive Buzz Carlfortis to declare September 16-23 as Constitution Week, which coincides with the proclamation each year by the President of the United States. Carlfortis said, "The United States Constitution was the most liberal document ever written because it clearly distinguished the individual from the established state, it greatly limited the role of government, and it formed the basic concepts of the rights and dignity of man in relationship to his government. While other nations have much older common laws that define the role between the citizen and the state, no other written constitution has lasted as long as that of the United States. "While we, as Americans, admire and respect national symbols and take pride in them, it is only in the United States Constitution that we can find our last refuge when our individual rights are violated by government. Its words protect us from those who would be tyrants at home, and it is the very foundation of American society. We, as Americans, must be ever vigilant in its protection from those who would abuse their power and authority, and from those who would erode the rights of man."



Laura Durham, left, and Mrs Iris Young, right, watch as County Judge-Executive Buzz Carlfortis declare September 16-23 as Constitution Week.



The above photo of Rocky Bend School was taken around 1946 or 1947. From left: Carl Woodall, Walter Williams, Bobby Woodall, Eugene Woodall, Sherman Wilson, Dean Faulkner, Jesse Faulkner, Rolland Faulkner, Blance VanHook, Paul Williams, Everette Faulkner, Georgie Faulkner, Leora Williams, Juanita Faulkner, and Emily Wilson. In the back is teacher Wanda VanHook.

Cards of Thanks

Aleda Bond
The family of Aleda Bond would like to thank everyone for their support and prayers in our time of loss. A special thank you to Dr. Kevin Rowe at Mt. Vernon Hospital and Dowell & Martin Funeral Home for being so kind and understanding. Words can not express the thanks everyone deserves.

Thank you
Lucy Brock
The family of Lucy "Granny" Brock would like to express their heartfelt appreciation during our time of sorrow. The prayers, cards, foods, flowers, phone calls, and visitors will always be remembered.

Special thanks to the staff at Rockcastle Hospital especially Angie, Pam and Paula and Dr. Saylor. We would also like to thank the nurses from Hospice; Brother Ralph Reynolds; Brother Buford Parkerson; Union Chapel Church members; Barbara Faulkner, Phil Worrell and Holly Brown for their wonderful songs; Adam Browning for his wonderful tribute to Granny; Judy King and Angie Bishop for serving lunch after the service; the pallbearers and Dowell & Martin Funeral Home for the beautiful arrangements.

Granny was a loving, caring person who is greatly missed by her family and friends. We will always remember how much she loved us all and was always there when we needed her.

Rosetta DeBorde and Family,
Geraldine Holbrook and Family,
Patricia Brown and Family

Barnes-McFerron
Barnes (Barnon) McFerron Reunion October 7th at Quail Park on Hwy. 70. All friends and family are invited to attend. Bring old family pictures and covered dish and enjoy the food and music.

Kirby-Cromer
Kirby-Cromer Family Reunion, Sept. 15th, Family Life Center. Cecil Kirby - son of Jerry Kirby, Bessie Cromer Kirby - daughter of Jim Cromer. All relatives and friends are invited. Bring a covered dish and join in a meal about 12 noon. Hope to see a lot of you there.

Lyle Blackburn
The family of Lyle E. Blackburn would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those in the community and at Rockcastle Hospital who were there for us in our time of need. Also a special thank you to Cox Funeral Home, Mr. Carter and the many churches in the community who helped.

Parents At the Pole September 18th

"P.A.P." Brodhead Baptist Church in cooperation with the Rockcastle County Association of Kentucky Baptist is sponsoring P.A.P. - Parents At the Pole. On Wednesday, September 19th, the youth of our county will be gathering at the Flag Poles of our county school's for Prayer before school begins that day.

We would like to show our youth that we too are not ashamed and that we support their Prayer Meeting by meeting at the Flag Pole as well - the night before - Tuesday, September 18th.

We will start at the Brodhead Elementary School at 6:45 p.m. and then after Prayer Around the Flag Pole we will proceed to the Rockcastle County High School, the Rockcastle County Middle School, Mt. Vernon Elementary School and then to Roundstone Elementary School. So, please come and join in support of our youth!



State Fair Winner
Chris Robbins, of Brodhead, was Class Champion at the Kentucky State Fair at the 4-H Senior Crafts Exhibits. Chris makes his own brooms. He can be seen at many fairs and crafts shows demonstrating his craft to others. If you would like to see his brooms, contact him on his website at: www.broomsbychris.com.

Leighanne Ledford of Brodhead and Randall Lawson of Corbin have joined Bishop Armstrong Cheggah of Africa as Missionaries to help build churches in Africa.

For more information or if you would like to become a Missionary please contact **Leighanne or Randall at (606)758-9761**. Missionaries will leave August 2002 for Africa. All donations would be greatly appreciated.




The Rockcastle Co. Conservation District held a Rinse and Return Program on September 6, 2001. Several hundred chemical jugs were brought in to be recycled. Shown above are Sandy Whitaker, District Clerk and Randall Templeman, NRCS District Conservationist. Thanks to all those who participated!

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Minds in the Middle

Fall pictures will be taken this Friday morning. These are the pictures that will be used for the yearbook. Dress your best!

Our first day of the 21st Century Community Learning Center was a huge success. We began Monday with 110 students sitting for a cool-out. This Saturday morning there will be a Bicycle Safety class at RCMS. Our 21st CCLC will sponsor the session from 9:00-11:00. Four 1-hour gymnastics classes will be offered on Thursdays from 3-7:00 beginning on September 13th. Also this Thursday, we will be offering adult/student aerobics at 3:00 p.m. This past week we began our computer classes, and our circles of learning sessions. However, you may still be able to join. For more information, call Mr. Coguer at RCMS.

Our regular monthly SBDM meeting will be next Wednesday, September 18th, at 6:30 p.m. The Parent Teacher Group will meet beforehand at 5:30 p.m.

This Thursday evening, the Rockets football team will be hosting Wayne County and the Lady Rockets basketball teams will be hosting Northern Pulaski. Monday night, the girls play at Whitley County and Tuesday night, they will be at North Laurel. Tuesday, September 18th, will be the first in a series of Parent Night meetings hosted by GEAR-UP. During this meeting, the focus will be upon teaching methods used at RCMS and what parents can do to help their child develop thinking skills.



Sherry Harper



Artist of the Month - Dalton Hutton

Mt. Vernon Message

Our Family Resource Center is sponsoring a program on Thursday, September 13, 2001. Glenn Wallace

will be the presenter for the show entitled Serrated Instruments. There will be a Family Resource Center Council meeting on Tuesday, September 18 at 11:30 a.m.

Project Wisdom narrators for last week included:

- Brother Eddie Nation, Pastor at First Baptist Church.
- Mary Ann Bullock, grandmother.
- Hope Renfro, resource teacher.
- Mystery narrator was Ms. Pat Allen, school secretary.

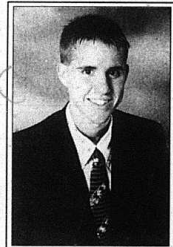
We would like to thank these speakers for participating in this worthwhile project. The quote for this week is: "Courage conquers all things."

MVES would like to welcome Ms. Sherry Harper to our school. Ms. Harper attended Cumberland College where she received both her bachelor's and master's degree. She is a Resource Teacher for fourth grade. Ms. Harper enjoys reading and spending time with her children, Morgan and Mallory. Welcome Aboard!

Last week's art prize winner was Andrew Robbins. Andrew chose modeling clay as his prize. Congratulations Andrew!

Our artist of the month for September is Dalton Hutton in Mr. Roark's P3 classroom. Dalton's picture is entitled Mountain Valley Train, based on the story The Little Engine The Could.

In this landscape, the focal point is a colorful train passing through a mountain valley. Dalton used bright colors on the train to "Catch your eye." Dalton also used "overlapping" to give the illusion of three-dimensional (3D) space. The sun is behind the mountains, and the mountains are behind the train. Things in the distance are drawn smaller, and things close are drawn larger, this also created the illusion of 3-D space.



Stephen Hopkins, a 2001 graduate of Rockcastle County High School, is one of ninety-five Kentucky 2001 Seniors receiving the Kentucky Department of Education Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship. This program rewards students who demonstrate outstanding academic achievement with a renewable, four-year scholarship to any accredited higher education institution. This year's federally funded congressional district scholarship amount is \$1,500.

Stephen is a freshman at Georgia Institute of Technology majoring in aerospace engineering. He is the son of Tony and Donna Hopkins of Mt. Vernon, the grandson of Kenneth and Reita Hopkins and the late Joyce Hopkins of Mt. Vernon and Johnnie and Martha Bernard of Russell Springs. He is the great-grandson of Mary Iva Laswell of Brodhead and the late Nancy Helton.

Program aims at making young cyclists safe cyclists

The latest annual statistics show 796 bicyclists were killed in crashes with motor vehicles. Most of the crashes involving cyclists under age 12 were probably caused by inattention.

The Rockcastle County Middle School 21st Century Community Learning Center is teaming up with Modern Woodmen of America to help teach young cyclists to be safe cyclists; they will represent Modern Woodmen's Bicycle Safety Program. The program, endorsed by law enforcement officers, aims at helping children meet the challenges of safe bicycle riding.

Local children are invited to participate in the program scheduled for September 15th at 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. at Rockcastle County Middle School. Bicycles will be tested on their riding skills.

Participants receive a certificate of participation, a spoke reflector and a bicycle safety booklet.

The Bicycle Safety Program reflects Modern Woodmen's concern for children's safety. Modern Woodmen of America is a fraternal life insurance society whose home office is in Rock Island, Illinois.

According to Jan Gill, local Modern Woodmen representative, the Bicycle Safety Program annually helps over 160,000 young cyclists in the United States become safe cyclists. The program is provided free of charge.

Hammond participates in community project at Transy

Rockcastle County High School graduate and Transylvania University freshman Rachelle Hammond headed to campus a week early to tackle some community service projects as part of Transylvania's First-Year Urban Program (FUP). Entering its second decade, FUP is a student-led organization sponsored by Omicron Delta Kappa, a leadership honorary. The program teaches incoming students about the needs in their new community and the group spends a full week working on various community service projects.

Hammond, along with 14 other

freshmen and 10 upper class student leaders completed 10 service projects during the week including volunteering at the Lexington Humane Society, The Rape Crisis Center and Shriners Hospital. Students also took tours of other service agencies to learn about volunteering needs in the Lexington area.

"I really enjoyed playing with the children at the Shriners Hospital and I loved washing the little puppies at the Lexington Humane Society," said the new Transy student.

Hammond is the daughter of Larry and Rebekah Hammond of Mt. Vernon.



Transylvania University freshman Rachelle Hammond prepares her new furry friend for a walk.

Rockcastle County Schools Menu

September 17-21, 2001

Breakfast: Monday: Gravy and biscuit, sausage or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

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

Wednesday: Pastry or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Thursday: Pancake or syrup or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Friday: Toasted cheese or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Lunch:

Monday: Salisbury steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert and milk.

Tuesday: Fish with bread or corn dog, macaroni and cheese, two vegetables, jello and milk.

Wednesday: Pizza or sandwich, garden salad, fruit and milk.

Thursday: Hot dog or sandwich, french fries, fruit and milk.

Friday: Italian dunkers, breadsticks, salad, applesauce and milk.

Rockcastle County Schools Menu

September 24-28, 2001

Breakfast: Monday: French toast stick with syrup or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Tuesday: Sausage biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Wednesday: Egg/cheese biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Thursday: Popart and cereal, juice and milk.

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

Lunch:

Monday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, Texas toast, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Sub sandwich, baked beans, lettuce/pickles/tomatoes, chips, pudding and milk.

Wednesday: Manager's choice.

Thursday: Hamburger, french fries, lettuce/pickles, shape-up (frozen juice bar) and milk.

Friday: Chicken nuggets, potatoes, broccoli and cheese, roll, dessert and milk.

Tiger Pause

BES would like to welcome our new staff for this school year. Mrs. Beth Jones, primary; Mrs. Carol Lykins, primary; Mrs. Chrysti Noble, collaborating teacher; Mrs. Angela Mullins, speech and Mrs. Emily Craig, Ameri-Corps. We are so glad to have such wonderful additions to our current staff. Although, not new to BES Mrs. Jenise Coffey is in a new role this year as school counselor.

If you completed a criminal records check during the 2000-01 school year you will not be required

to do another one at this time. However, if you have not completed a CRC and you plan to volunteer in anyway at BES this year you will need to do so as soon as possible. Please see Ms. Satica for the form you will need to complete.

Please remember that school starts promptly at 8:00. Students should be in their classroom by 7:55. The importance of good attendance cannot be stressed enough. Being on time to school is as important for a child as being on time for work is for an adult.



Art Prize Winner Andrew Robbins



The computer lab is a new addition for BES students.



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Rockets continue to roll: destroy Lincoln Co. 51-0

The Rockcastle County High School football team is 4-0 on the season and ranked sixth overall in the state, and second in Class 1A.

The Rockets latest victim was the Lincoln County Patriots, who the Rockets thumped 51-0 on Friday night.

The week before Lincoln County had put up 40 points against Madison Southern and they were averaging 32 points a contest so far this season.

The Rocket win came in the annual Renfro Valley Jamboree Bowl

and before a large crowd at the ROCK.

The ROCK looked a little lighthearted at first on Friday night, but as the game progressed the Rockets made it clear who was the superior team.

The Rockets scored twice in the first quarter, twice in the second, twice in the third, another touchdown in the fourth and a two point safety.

Senior Josh Taylor had 117 yards on nine carries and a touchdown and junior Aaron Anderkin threw for four touchdowns and ran for another, as the Rocket offense picked up nearly

500 yards.

In four games the Rockets have outscored their opponents 200-6. Anderkin and Taylor were named co offensive players of the game.

Senior Adam Childress picked off two Lincoln County passes, recovered a fumble and had six tackles and assists.

Childress was named defensive player of the game, as the Rocket defense held Lincoln to just 14 yards of total offense.

Senior Josh Hale turned in another great performance from his wide out spot, catching five balls for ninety yards and three touchdowns.

Junior Marty Reagan carried the ball five times for 62 yards and he caught three passes for 17 yards.

Senior Clay Dooley, who is still nursing a sore ankle, had two carries for 13 yards and he caught one ball for 16 yards.

Senior Coty Reams had two catches for 50 yards and caught a touchdown pass of 20 yards.

Junior Clet Swinney, who picked up a safety on defense in the fourth quarter, had 34 yards on four carries.

Sophomore Devin Taylor had 23 yards on three catches and five yards on two carries.

Junior J.T. Lovell had 46 yards on two carries and he also scored on a 26 yard run.

Placekicker Jens Strietzel was a perfect seven for seven in extra point attempts.

"I was really proud of the way our offense played as a unit, we were able to mix up our plays, which kept Lincoln confused most of the night," Larkey said.

"Our offensive line played extremely well again, making good holes for our back and giving Anderkin time to throw," Larkey said.

Anderkin's four touchdown passes came on throws of 36 yards to Hale, 18 yards to Hale, 15 yards to Hale and 20 yards to Reams. He was 14 for 24 passing for 196 yards.

The quarterback also had 13 yards on six carries. All total Anderkin has thrown fifteen touchdown passes in four games. Eleven of those strikes has been to Hale. He has thrown no interceptions.

Defensively, the Rockets were able to contain junior tailback Jason Smith to 61 yards. Smith had been averaging about 100 yards per game. Lincoln's starting fullback, Bowen McCaffrey, who also had been averaging about 100 yards, was injured in the first half and taken to the hospital. He had a total of seven yards.

Clet Swinney had two sacks, while P.J. Rowe and Steve Blair had one sack each.

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Larkey undergoes cancer surgery

Rockcastle County High School head football coach Tom Larkey will be sidelined for at least a couple of weeks, after under going surgery on Monday for Prostate Cancer.

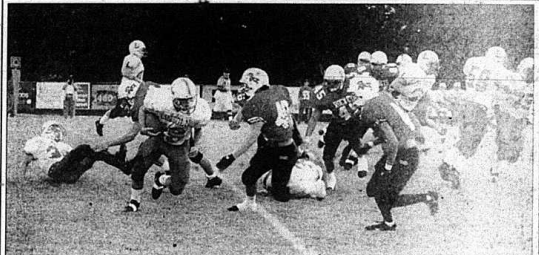
Head assistant Tony Saylor said Larkey had come the through the surgery well and was expected to be released from Pattie A. Clay on Wednesday.

Larkey had been diagnosed with cancer back in the summer, but opted to wait until after the first four weeks of the season were behind the Rockets to have surgery.

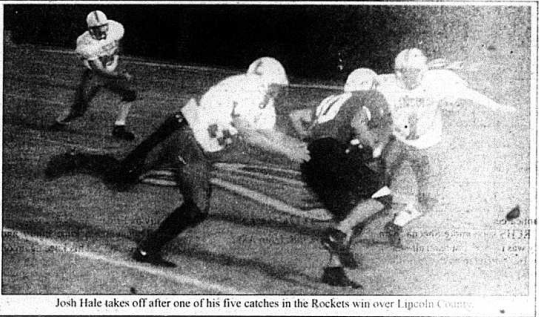
Larkey has been head coach at the ROCK for the past seventeen years and during that time he has only one losing season, that being his first when the Rockets went 4 and 6.



The Rockets defense has played well all season long pitching three out of four shutouts and allowing only 6 points all season. Above from left are: P.J. Rowe, Jason Leger, Tanner Abney, Steve Blair, Adam Childress and Stephen Boring. In the back row are Clay Dooley and William Blair.



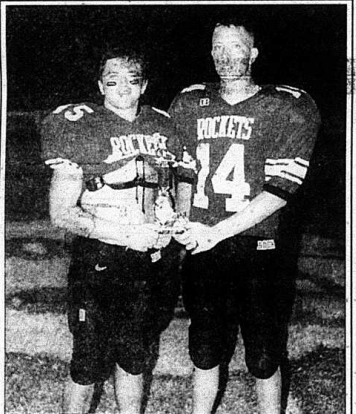
Clet Swinney, Josh Taylor and Michael Hayes close in on a Lincoln County runner during the Rockets 51-0 blowout of Lincoln County last Friday night.



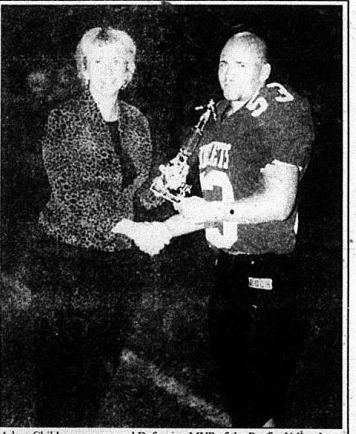
Josh Hale takes off after one of his five catches in the Rockets win over Lincoln County.



Connie Peterson, of Renfro Valley Entertainment, presents Head Coach Tom Larkey the champion's trophy after the Renfro Valley Jamboree Bowl last Friday night. The Rockets destroyed Lincoln Co. 51-0.



Josh Taylor, left, and Aaron Anderkin were named Offensive Co-MVPs of the Renfro Valley Jamboree Bowl last Friday night. Taylor had 117 yards on nine carries and one touchdown. Anderkin threw four touchdowns, was 14 for 24 passing for 196 yards and ran for a touchdown.



Adam Childress was named Defensive MVP of the Renfro Valley Jamboree Bowl last Friday night. Childress had two interceptions, recovered a fumble, and had six tackles and assists.

Five RCHS female track athletes make All-State Team; Brummett named Coach of the Year

Rockcastle County High School was well represented when the 2001 Track and Field All-State Team was announced recently. Five members of the RCHS girls' state runner-up team were selected to the all-state team in many different events and Coach Mark Brummett was named Class AA Girls Coach of the Year and the Overall Track Coach of the Year.

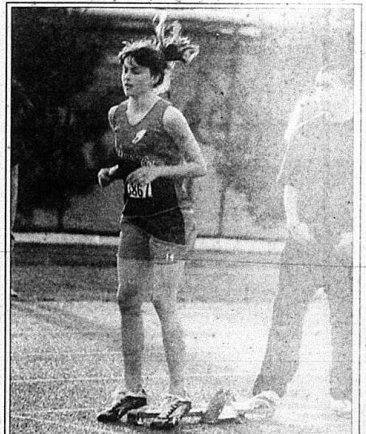
Heather Hammond, currently a freshman at RCHS, took home the most honors gaining all-state awards in an unprecedented four events. Heather was named first team all-state in the 400-meter dash and the 1600-meter relay. She was also named second team all-state in high jump and long jump. This marked the first time in RCHS history that an athlete had been named all-state in four events. Due to her tremendous season as an eighth grader, includ-

ing two individual state championships at the high school level (400 and 1600 relay) and two at the middle school level (200 and long jump). Heather was named the Kentucky Track and Cross-Country Coaches Association Female Middle School Athlete of the Year. This was an amazing honor for Heather and well-deserved. Heather finished the season as the all-time RCHS record holder in the 400-meter dash, high jump, long jump and the 1600-meter relay.

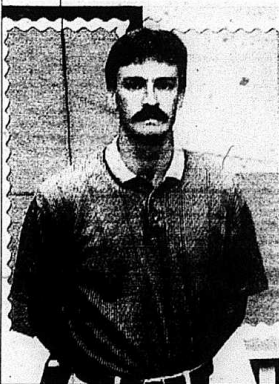
Besides earning Overall Coach of the Year, Brummett had earned Coach of the Meet at the prestigious Heart of The Bluegrass Meet at Harrodsburg in May.

Brummett has spent thousands of hours developing a girls' and highly competitive and girls' Track and Field program at Rockcastle County High School.

Cheyenne Hammond, currently a freshman track and cross-country runner for the Bluegrass Area, Louisville, gained three all-time records. Cheyenne was named to the all-state first team in the 800-meter run and the 1600-meter relay. She also made second team in the 400-meter dash, a testament of her own tenacity and dominance over the boys. Cheyenne has been named all-state coach for the past three seasons and is the world dash Cheyenne took home the world



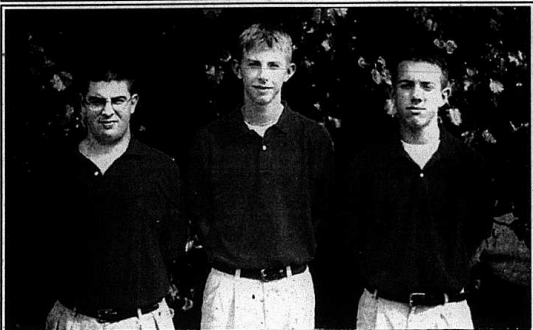
Heather Hammond was named Middle School Female Athlete of the Year in Kentucky.



Track Coach Mark Brummett was named Class AA Girls and Overall Coach of the Year recently.



Members of the Rockcastle County High School's Golf team are pictured above, front row from left: Jordan Whittaker, Brent Clontz, Brian Reynolds, Jordan Cash, and Matthew Silcox. Back row from left: head coach Barry Noble, Aaron Cash, Ronny Lee McClure, Jonathan Baker, John Bray, Colby Brown, Joseph Lambert and coach Jessie Mahaffey. Not pictured was coach Trent Clark.



Senior members of the RCHS Golf team are pictured above, from left: Brian Reynolds, John Bray and Joseph Lambert.

"Track"
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career as the all-meter relay and the 1600-meter run, an event in which she finished as state runner-up this season. She also won two individual (400 and 800) and one relay (1600) state championships during her brilliant career.

RCHS sophomore Sheena Swinney was named first team all-state in the 1600-meter relay due to her great performance in the event during the season and the team's eventual state championship. She was also named second team all-state in the 200-meter dash, an event she dominated for most of the season. Sheena narrowly missed all-state selection in the 100-meter dash. She is current RCHS record holder in numerous events, most notably the 100 and 200-meter dashes, and has won state titles at the middle school level (55 and 200) at the high school level (1600 relay).

Clarissa Hubbard, currently a senior at RCHS, was selected to the all-state team for her efforts in the discus competition. Clarissa was named second team all-state in the event after finishing third in the state championships last season. Clarissa is the all-time RCHS record holder in both discus and shot put. She is currently being recruited by many colleges and universities.

Rachelle Hammond, a freshman basketball player for Transylvania University and former RCHS track and field great, was named to the all-

state first team in the 1600-meter relay for her spectacular efforts in the event during the season and the state championships. Rachelle has held many records at RCHS and finished with all-time marks in the 800 and 1600-meter relays, as well as in triple jump.

"Rockets"
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Rowe had seven tackles and assists, Blair had six and Swinney had three.

Sophomore Jason Leger, who has played well on both sides of the ball, had seven tackles and assists.

Tanner Abney, who also starts on both sides of the ball, turned in another good performance on defense with six tackles and assists. Hale had five tackles and assists from his strong safety position and he also recovered a Patriot fumble.

Dooley picked up two tackles and assists and he also picked off one pass.

Other players picking up tackles and assists were: William Blair, 2, Stephen Boring, 3, Reagan, 4, James Michael Bussell, 4, Nathan Brummett, 1, and Nick Thomas, 1.

"Our defense played well again, holding Smith and McGuffey down like they did," head assistant Tony Saylor said.

"Smith is one of the best backs in the state, but our kids were up to the task," he said.

The Rockets will travel to Estill County this Friday night, where they will be heavily favored, although the Rockets have some injuries to be concerned about.

Anderkin has a severe bacterial infection in his right eye and missed practice on Monday and took only a few snaps on Tuesday and Wednesday. He is however expected to be ready by Friday.

Reagan has a knee injury and doctors examined his knee again on Wednesday and will determine his fate for this week.

Dooley's ankle was still very sore on Monday but he may actually be back to one hundred percent on Friday, for the first time in three games.



Best Dolphins

The Cedar Rapids Dolphins held their annual banquet and awards ceremony Sunday at the club. High point swimmer awards in each age group (boy and girl) were as follows, front row from left: Ashton Arvin, 6 and under; Christopher Mullins, 11-12; Bryan Clontz, 9-10; Sara Hammond, 7-8; Brittany Calhoun, 9-10; and Heather Clontz, Most Improved Award. Second row from left: Sarah Mullins, 110% Award; Cody Alexander, 15-16; Allison Anderkin, 15-16; Victoria Clontz, 11-12. Back row from left: Ryan Graham - 13-14; Andrew Hammond, 17-18 age group and Most Valuable Dolphin Award; Tara Burton, 17-18 and Lauren Clontz, 13-14. Not present were: Dustin Bishop, Most Improved Award; Krystal Reddington, 6 and under girl and Zach McClure, 7-8 age group boy.

RCHS Volleyball

Varsity takes two matches from Whitley Co.

In two matches with another first year high school girls volleyball team, the RCHS team came out on top.

The girls hosted the Lady Colones Tuesday night and came out on top 15-7 in the first match behind 5 points on serve by Rachel Childress; three by Jessie Hayes and Courtney Parsons (who got the last two points of the game); two by Allison Anderkin and one by Sarah Mullins and Doris Bismarck.

The second game of the first match was taken by the Lady Rockets 15-0. Laura Beth Bell led with 6 service points and Brianna Bussell got 5 and Anderkin 4.

The Rockets came back from an 8-0 deficit to take the first game of the second match 15-9. Anderkin and Mullins each had 5 points on serve; Courtney Parsons got 4 and Jessie Riddle 1.

The second game of that match was never in doubt. Bussell served the first point of the game for her team; Riddle followed with 5 points on serve; Hayes got one; Bussell added four more and Amber Denney

served out the match with four straight points on serve. Thursday night, the girls travel to

Lincoln Co. for a jayvee and varsity match. Tuesday night, the Rockets will host North Laurel.



Leslie Rigbsby, right, presents Bonnie Kirby a quilt given away by Main St. Flowers and Gifts. Main St. Flowers and Gifts is a new florist shop owned by Rigbsby. Phone 256-3934.



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Obituaries

Barbara Mink

Barbara Jean Mink, 57, wife of James W. Mink, of Harrodsburg and formerly of Rockcastle County, died Tuesday, September 4, 2001 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center in Lexington. She was born on May 26, 1944 in Pine Hill, the daughter of the late William and Julia Allen Taylor. She was an employee of KRE merchandising; a devoted cooking and gardening; was an enjoyed wife, loving mother and grandmother. She attended Clays Mills Baptist Church in Lexington. On January 26, 1963 she was united in marriage to James W. Mink and from that union came two children - Glenn and Cathy.

Survivors are: her husband, James W. Mink of Harrodsburg; a son, Glenn Stuart Mink and wife, Jennifer of Georgetown; a daughter, Cathy Lynn Crank and husband, James of Nicholasville; a brother, Jimmy Taylor and wife, Ina of Pine Hill; a sister, Betty Sue Soward and husband, Ulysis (Less) of Pine Hill; three grandchildren, Cindy Lynn, Stephanie Michelle and Emily Nicole Crank; three uncles, Ed, Hubert and Jess Taylor; six nieces and nine nephews. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Bobby Kenneth Taylor.

Services were Friday, September 7, at the Marvin E. Owens Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Billy Medley officiating. Burial was in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Casketbearers were Billy Renner, Vincil Engle, James Dean Taylor, Paul Waddle, Ben Taylor and Trevor Mink.



"Benny" Phillips

Benjamin L. "Benny" Phillips, 58, of Chestnut Ridge Road in Mt. Vernon, died Saturday, September 8 at his residence. He was born in Rockcastle County on September 15, 1942 the son of Anna Christine Ponder and the late William Earl Phillips. He was a master electrician retired from the Duriron Corporation in Dayton, Ohio and was a member of the Union Baptist Church at Red Hill.

In addition to his mother, Christine Phillips of Dayton, Ohio, survivors are three sisters, Shirley Miller of New Castle, Indiana, Juanita Rose of Centerville, Indiana and Ann Phillips of Daytona Beach, Florida; three brothers, Bradley Phillips of Centerville, Ohio and Fritz Phillips and Gary Phillips, both of Dayton,

Ohio; two daughters, Latina Ann Schweizer of Englewood, Ohio and Angela Beth Sickels of Greenville, Ohio; two sons, Benjamin Lester Phillips, Jr. of Decatur, Georgia and Brian Lester Phillips of Indianapolis, Indiana and four grandchildren, Kendra Ann, Tracy Renee, James Paul and Kaitlyn Marie. He was preceded in death by his father, William Earl Phillips; one sister, Lois Yvonne Reams and a nephew, Johnny Earl Phillips.

Services were Wednesday, September 12 at the Dowell & Marlin Funeral Home • Chapel (dowellmarlin.com) with Bro. Billy Medley officiating. Burial was in the Red Hill Cemetery.



Carol Jones

Carol Sue Jones, died August 1, 2001 at her home in Tampa, Florida. She was born in Rockcastle County on June 27, 1951, the daughter of the late Warner and Maud Hammock.

Survivors are two sons, Michael Ard and Allen Jones; seven sisters, Pam Crews of Broadhead, Sheryl Brown, Teresa Durham, Gail Litter, Rhonda Honeycutt, Denise Simmons and Lanise Lawson, all of Jackson-

ville, Florida; nine brothers, Paul, Donnie, Eddie, Terry, Daryl, Rickey, Jimmy and Charles Hammock, all of Jacksonville, Florida; 60 nieces and nephews, including Jimmy, Daryl, Chad Shafer of Broadhead and Glen, Scotty Brown and Crystal York of Broadhead.

Pallbearers were her brothers, Paul, Don, Eddie, Terry, Daryl, Rickey and Jimmy Hammock. Services were held August 3, at the Hillsboro Memorial Chapel with Fr. Laverne Freeman officiating.

Robert Rousey

Robert T. Rousey, 75, of Liberty, died Friday, September 7, 2001 at his residence. He was president of the Casey County Bank, a farmer, an elder at Liberty First Christian Church, a member of the Kiwanis Club, treasurer of the Casey County Board of Education and a United States Navy Veteran.

Survivors are his wife, June Dowell Rousey of Liberty; a son, Barry Rousey; two daughters, Barbara Jeffries and Connie Cundiff all of Liberty; six grandchildren, five brothers and four sisters.

Services were Monday, September 10, at Liberty First Christian Church, Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery at Liberty.

McKinney-Brown Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. This obituary courtesy of Dowell & Marlin Funeral Home.

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Our thoughts are always with you your place no one can fill In life we loved you dearly: in death we love you still.

There will always be a heartache and so many tears; But always a precious memory of the days when you were here:

If heartaches could make a lane and tears would make a staircase We would walk the path to Heaven and bring you home again:

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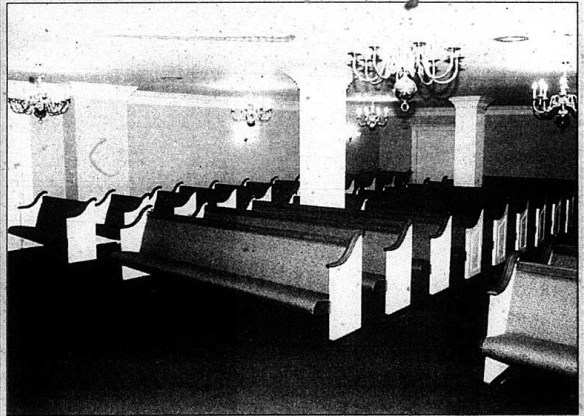
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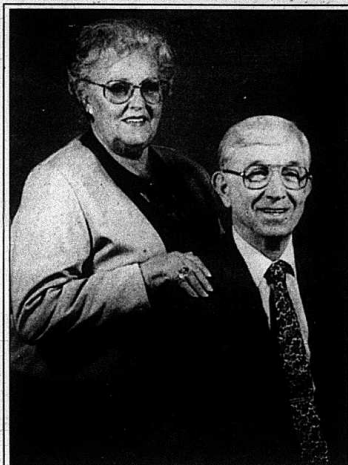
Hatmaker - Erwin

Lucy Hatmaker of Mt. Vernon and Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Erwin of Broghead would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their children, Grace Shoemaker to JW Erwin. Grace is also the daughter of the late Bill Hatmaker.
The wedding will take place at 1 p.m. Saturday, September 22, 2001 at West Broghead Church of God on Hwy. 3245. All friends and family are invited to attend. A reception will follow.



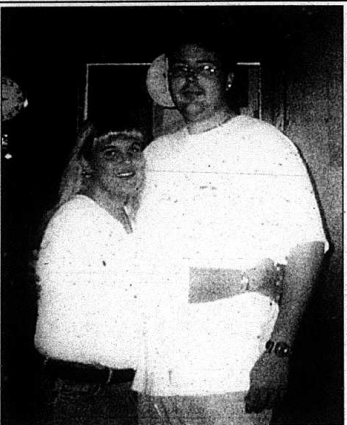
50th Wedding Anniversary

Gene and Darlene Martin were married 50 years September 11, 2001. A reception will be held in their honor on Sunday, September 16th at the Three Links Christian Church from 2 to 4 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited. No gifts please.



60th Wedding Anniversary

Jack and Betty Bruce of Mt. Vernon will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on September 14th. They were married on September 14, 1941, in Cumberland, Kentucky by the Rev. Ralph Wesley. Their marriage was witnessed by Mrs. Bruce's twin sister and her husband, Billie and Emerson Creech, who were married just two days earlier. Rev. Bruce is the son of the late James Andrew and Nancy Ann Bruce of Cumberland, Kentucky. Mrs. Bruce is the daughter of the late Samuel and Clydia Higgins of Benham, Kentucky.
The Bruce's have one son, Dick Bruce of Naples, Florida and four daughters, Peggy King of Moreland, Georgia, Alyce Morgan of Ft. Myers, Florida, Nancy Hale of Mt. Vernon, and Jack Benton of Bardstown, Kentucky. They also have four granddaughters, eight grandsons and three great granddaughters.
Rev. Bruce is the former pastor of the First Baptist Church of Mt. Vernon. Currently serving as the Director of Missions for the Rockcastle Baptist Association of Kentucky Baptists, he has served the Lord faithfully as a pastor for over fifty years in Kentucky, Ohio and Florida.



Owens - McCoy

Ashley Owens and Christopher McCoy would like to announce their forthcoming marriage. Ashley is the daughter of Danny and Kathy Owens and Christopher is the son of Walter B. and Karen McCoy.
The wedding will be September 22, 2001 at 2 p.m. at Brush Creek Holiness Church. Friends and family are welcome to attend.

"What Saith the Scriptures"

Paul in 1 Tim 6:6-8 says, *"But godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out. And having food and raiment let us be therewith content."*

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Agricultural News

By Warden Alexander, FSA Director

Saturday is September 15th. Deadline for Phase II Applications
The 2001 Phase II Compensation Plan will be based on USDA-FSA records of quota ownership as of July 1, 2000, OR the final lease and transfer date as determined by USDA-FSA and based on the number of quota pounds owned for crop year 2000.

Compensation for the growing farm and grower/tenant portion will be limited to those individuals who have a vested interest in tobacco production in 1998 and/or 1999 and/or 2000, as defined in previous compensation plans. Compensation from the Trust would be made only for the years in which an applicant had a vested interest in tobacco production, as described under previous compensation plans.

Application should be mailed to crop year 2000 farm operators on or about August 6-10 with the application deadline of September 15th.

UK College of Agriculture has a Phase II Payment Estimator software website at: <http://www.uky.edu/Ag/riculture/TobaccoEconomicSettlement.html>

Producers who need help with the completion of these forms, should contact the local County Extension Office or the Farm Service Agency.

Revised Eligibility for Crop Loss Disaster Assistance Program
Section 259 of the Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000, Restoration of Eligibility for Crop Loss Assistance, retroactively revised the eligibility requirements for the multi-year benefit. Producers that otherwise would have qualified for the 1998 CLDAP multi-year benefit in the absence of legal restructuring of their farm operation, or that may have operated under multiple entities in the years 1994 through 1998, may now be eligible. Public notice was published in the Federal Register to inform all potential applicants of the revisions to the 1998 CLDAP.

Eligible producers include those that either:
• Previously filed an application and did not meet eligibility requirements.
• Now meet the eligibility requirements, but did not previously file an application.

• Received a single year loss payment, but did not initially qualify for multi-year, but now qualify for multi-year benefits under the revised eligibility requirements.

The applicant must have either received an indemnity, 1994-adj hoc disaster assistance, or NAP payments

as individual or as a member of a joint operation or entity in at least 3 or 5 years from 1994 through 1998. Applicants will be required to provide proof of crop insurance indemnities received for each farming operation, used in the qualification process. The applicant must provide data about ad hoc disaster payments and/or NAP benefits received or the years 1994 through 1998.

Individual producers may obtain Form CCC-540 MY in person, by mail, by telephone or by facsimile from any FSA office. In addition, applicants may download a copy of the CCC-540MY through the internet at www.sc.gov.usda.gov.

Applications with supporting documentation will be accepted through September 14th. The applicant must send all required documents to the following address:
USDA/Farm Service Agency, Room 3643-5, Stop 0517, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20250-0517 (Designate "Multi-Year Revised Eligibility Determination Request.")

USDA appoints Kentucky Farm Service Agency Committee
On August 17, 2001, the U.S. Department of Agriculture announced the appointment of the five FSA state committee members for Kentucky.

FSA State Committees are responsible for the general direction and supervision of the state FSA programs. The committee keeps farmers informed of agency program activities and resolves appeals and complaints. Members maintain cooperative relationships with the agrribusiness community. The Kentucky state committee members as follows:
John S. Young, Chairperson, from Henderson, whose family has farmed locally since the 1830s, owns and operates a 2,500 acre grain and cattle operation.
Pat Robert Hornback, from Shelbyville, farms tobacco, row crops, beef cattle, alfalfa hay, and vegetables.
Loni Foé Hughes, from Franklin, is a production facilitator for TILC farms, an 850-acre grain and commercial beef cattle operation.
Williamas Jackson from Bowling Green, owns and operates Jackson's Orchard and Nursery, Inc., growing apples and peaches.
Christine Adam Pande, Jr. from Owensboro, grows vegetables and small fruits, barley and dark tobacco, soybeans, corn, hay and pasture.
FSA ensures the well-being of

American agriculture, the environment and the American public through efficient and equitable administration of farm commodity programs; farm ownership, operating and emergency loans; conservation and environmental programs; emergency and disaster assistance; domestic and international food assistance and international export credit programs.

- Dates To Remember:**
- Final date to mail Phase II applications back - September 15th.
 - Final date to issue 2001 Graze Out Payments - September 28th
 - Deadline for DMLA I, II and III activity - September 28th.
 - Deadline for WAMLAP I and II activity - September 28th.
 - Deadline to close out all Market Loss Assistant Payments - September 30th.
 - Final date to issue Market Loss Assistant Payments - September 30th.
 - Phase II payment register published - October 1st.
 - Phase II dispute period - October 1-15th.
 - COC local boundary lines for local administrative areas - October 4th.
 - Last day to receive COC nominations forms - October 29th.

"Court News"

(Cont. from B-2)
Carol A. Robinson: Operating motor vehicle under influence alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$250 service fee, \$10 victim compensation fund, 30 day operator license suspension.
John S. Young: Chairperson, from Henderson, whose family has farmed locally since the 1830s, owns and operates a 2,500 acre grain and cattle operation.

Michael Saylor: Assault, dismissed on payment of costs.

David Patrick Snyder: Assault, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

E. Galusy Wayne: Speeding, paid \$154.50 total fine and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.

Justin C. Whitt: Fines due (\$176.85), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Lauren A. Harvey: Speeding, paid \$30 fine and \$74.50 costs.

Raymond D. Mason: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs.

Alexander R. Helmer: Speeding, paid \$108.50 total fine and costs.

Douglas E. Chaney: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Marty G. Evans: Possession open alcoholic beverage container, \$35 fine and costs.

Christopher A. Hays: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Lisa R. Miller: Defective equipment, \$25 fine and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.

Thomas C. Payne: Operating contrary to law, \$50 fine and costs.

Kenneth W. Powell: Speeding, \$34 fine and costs.

Timothy D. Rener: Possession open alcoholic beverage container, \$35 fine and costs.

Cheryl A. Saylor: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Nathan L. Sloan: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

James A. Smith: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Jeffrey S. Bailey: Required flotation equipment, \$25 fine and costs.

Phillip Brandon Barnett: Possession of marijuana, 30 days in jail to serve 90 credit 9 days time served/balance conditionally discharged one year and \$100 fine and costs.

James A. Hacker: Illegal transportation of alcoholic beverage in dry territory, 30 days in jail to serve 15 credit 15 days time served/balance conditionally discharged one year; Bail jumping, 15 days/credit 15 days.

Todd S. Smith: Operating motor vehicle under influence alcohol/drugs, \$350 and costs, \$250 service fee, \$10 victim compensation fund, 30 days to serve 10 and 12 month operator license suspension; Driving, DUI Suspended License, 10 days in jail/concurrent.

Mark Spoonamore: Nonpayment of fine (3 counts), 30 days in jail to serve 6 (concurrent)/balance conditionally discharged one year.

Allen K. Stanley: Nonpayment of fine, 2 counts; 30 days in jail each count/concurrent/credit 5 days time served; Alcohol intoxication, \$25 fine and costs; Possession of marijuana, 30 days to serve 5 days/credit 5 days time served/balance conditionally discharged one year.

Linda A. Spears: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 fine and costs.

Adam G. Epling: Overweight on AAA Highway, \$100 fine and costs; Violation of International register, \$100 fine.

Michael Richmond: Driving on suspended license, 30 days in jail in lieu of fines.

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 Submitted by Randal Curry, General Manager

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 Civil Action No. 01-CI-00047
John E. Clontz
 Administrator of the Estate of John M. Bryant Plaintiff
David Bryant, John C. Bryant, Clara Ross and John Ross Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE
 Pursuant to an order of sale entered in this action on August 24, 2001, I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky
 At the Courthouse on East Main Street, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky on Friday, September 28, 2001 beginning at the hour of 2 p.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:
PARCEL A
 Beginning on a post on the East side of 20' road leading from Bryant Ridge Road and corner to Otis Alexander; thence going with the line of Alexander S 87° 01' 18" E, 370.00 feet to a post; S 86° 17' 05" E, 391.94 feet to a post corner between Alexander and Philadelphia United Baptist Church; thence going with the line of Philadelphia United Baptist Church S 87° 53' 36" E, 260.15 feet to a post corner to Philadelphia United Baptist Church and in the line of C.W. Frith; thence going with the line of Frith N 01° 37' 39" W, 294.33 feet to a sassafras; N 01° 01' 10" E, 204.85 feet to a black oak N 07° 02' 36" W, 23.77 feet to a dogwood corner to William H. Bryant, Jr.; thence going with the line of Bryant N 83° 29' 03" W, 275.58 feet to a hickory; N 88° 04' 47" W, 102.85 feet to an iron pin corner to Lewis Bryant and in the line of William H. Bryant, Jr.; thence going with the line of Lewis Bryant S 16° 54' 29" W, 533.06 feet to an iron pin; N 86° 17' 05" W, 100.00 feet to an iron pin; N 87° 01' 18" E, 75.00 feet to an iron pin corner between Lewis Bryant and John Ross; thence going with the line of John Ross S 87° 01' 18" E, 293.86 feet to an iron pin on the East side of a 20' road leading from Bryant Ridge Road and corner to John Ross; thence going with said road S 23° 32' 57" W, 20.78 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 5.87 acres, by survey of C. Douglas Mullins, Registered Land Surveyor No. 2773.

PARCEL B
Tract 1: A certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the Bryant Ridge Section of Rockcastle County, Kentucky and is more fully described as follows: Beginning on a post corner to Roxanna DeBorde and in the line of William H. Bryant, Jr.; thence going with the line of William H. Bryant, Jr. N 74° degrees 15' 07" E, 107.17 feet to a post; S 89° degrees 45' 45" E, 142.00 feet to an iron pin corner to Lewis Bryant and in the line of William Bryant, Jr.; thence going with the line of Louie Bryant S 12° degrees 05' 47" W, 392.00 feet to an iron pin corner to John Ross and in the line of Louie Bryant line; thence going with the line of John Ross line S 75° degrees 59' 45" W, 152.46 feet to an iron pin corner to Roxanna DeBorde and in the line of John Ross; thence going with the line of DeBorde line N 12° degrees 44' 04" E, 352.80 feet to a point beginning. Containing 1.290 acres, by survey of C. Douglas Mullins, Registered Land Surveyor No. 2773.

Tract 2: Beginning on an iron pin corner to Lena Toler on east side of a 20' wide roadway leading from Bryant Ridge Road; thence with East side of roadway N 23° deg. 32' 57" E, 104.00 feet to an iron pin; N 21° deg. 41' 35" E, 89.16 feet to an iron pin on the east side of road and corner to Roxanna DeBorde; thence with the line of DeBorde S 75° deg. 59' 45" E, 147.75 feet to a steel post corner of DeBorde and Lena Toler; thence with the line of Toler S 75° deg. 59' 45" E, 152.46 feet to an iron pin; thence S 33° deg. 55' 00" W, 141.40 feet to an iron pin; thence N 87° deg. 01' 18" E, 293.86 feet to a point of beginning. Containing 1.078 acres, by survey of C. Douglas Mullins, Registered Land Surveyor No. 2773.
 John M. Bryant obtained title to PARCEL A by deed dated August 3, 1992, executed by G.B. Toler, et ux, and recorded in Deed Book 147, page 132 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk. John M. Bryant obtained title to PARCEL B by deed dated January 12, 1994, executed by John Ross, et ux, and recorded in Deed Book 152, page 597 in the office of the Rockcastle County Clerk. John M. Bryant obtained title to PARCEL C by deed dated July 14, 1993, executed by Louie L. Bryant, et ux, and recorded in Deed Book 150, page 555 in the office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The Property Shall be Sold Upon the Following Terms and Conditions:
 1. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of twenty-five percent (25%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
 2. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
 3. Unpaid taxes or liens of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
 4. The purchaser shall pay the 2001 local, county and state property taxes.
 5. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
 6. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is."
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Elizabeth Leann Wilson
I was there with your mother
Thru labor that ended in birth
A treasure straight from heaven
Blessed by having you on Earth.

So tiny and really a beauty
Our world never to be the same
Our hearts loved this cutie
Now it was time to find a name.

It had to be something special
We knew right from the start
Not another Jane or even Milly
It had to come from the heart.

Elizabeth after your grandmother
A name that was given to a queen
It made her so very happy
Her pride by all was easily seen.

Lee was after your gentle Dad
An honor usually given to a son
But your beautiful niece
Our hearts you'd surely won.

It seemed to need something more
This baby made for hugs and kissing
Thinking really hard and so fast
I knew it was part of me that was missing.

Your mom smiled and did agree
Ann was added to the very end
Now it was complete, this name
More than a sister, your mom was my friend.



Elizabeth Leann Wilson



Brandon Bullock celebrated his first birthday on August 27th at his Grandma Margie's with a Mickey Mouse party. He would like to thank everyone for their nice gifts. His proud Mommy and Daddy would like for everyone to know that he won the Prettiest Baby Boy contest at the Livingston Homecoming.

Kris and Amanda Hazen of Richmond would like to announce the birth of their first child, a girl, Sadie Colette. She was born August 8, 2001 at St. Joseph Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 9 ozs. and was 21 1/4 inches long. Her grandparents are Gary and Colleen Langford of Calloway and Dean and Alma Hazen of Centralia, Missouri. Her maternal great grandfather is Loyd Griffith of Mt. Vernon and her maternal great grandmother is Elva Langford of Calloway.

Elizabeth Leann is only a name -
A beautiful one to all I suppose
The name is the root and the stem
Honey, the you inside is the rose.

God blessed you with many things
Looks, personality, so gentle and kind
Your big heart filled with love is the key.
I thank him eternally that you're a niece of mine.

Here's wishing you a Happy Birthday on October 1st,
Today and through the years to come
I love you more than these words say,
Yes in you we're blessed, then some.

Love you always,
Your loving aunt,
Beverly Ann McHone



Hi, my name is Drew Hedge. I was born July 13th at the Clark Regional Medical Center in Winchester. My Daddy and Mommy are Andy and Becky Hedge. My grandparents are Della and the late Johnny Hedge of Mt. Vernon and Oliver and Judy Warner of Ford. My Great Grandparents are Thelma Renner and the late Ray Renner of Mt. Vernon and Opal Warner and the late Charles Warner of Ford and the late Fred and Mae Ashcraft of Ford.

Happy 85th Birthday Dad

My oh my, how time flies!
Can you really be 85?
You're still so active and so strong!
The results of working all day long?
Your "Owens" pride is a hard day's labor,
Honesty and being a good neighbor,
Farming has always been your life,
Using tractors, machines, tools and your knife,
Tobacco, cattle and fields of hay,
You worked hard every day!
Hauling fertilizer, peaches and coal,
Driving many hours on the road,
It seems all this was not enough
Your helped your daughter when her times were tough.
Over the years and in so many ways
All your help I can never repay!
So much that I now have,
Is because of my Mom and Dad!!
So I write this poem to honor you
And plan more trips for us to do!
Now that the sun is going down,
And all the chores are done,
Jump in the truck and go to town
And then on to Wendy's for some fun!
Thanks for everything!
Your loving daughter,
Mava Jane Owens Stumper

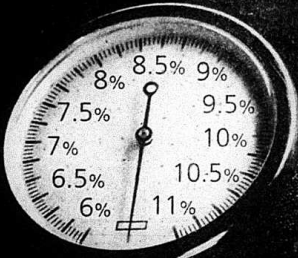
**Congratulations to
Martha on the coming
blessed event!**

Miracles still happen!!!

Happy 61st Anniversary
Owens - 09-17-40 - Broyles
Henry & Thressel



Our little buddy - Rud
who thinks he's still a stud
Tries to get his kicks
even though he's turning 46.
He likes to drink, he likes to shout,
he likes to dance, there is no doubt.
With his wick by his side through
thick and thin,
his life is just now about to begin!
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