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By Sheriff's Department Substations to be opened

The Rockcastle Sheriff's Department is in the process of opening substations in the city of Brodhead and the city of Livingston, which at the current time have no police officers on staff.

Rockcastle Sheriff Darrell Doan said this week the substation at Brodhead will be located in the former senior citizens building in front of the fairgrounds and the substation for the sheriff's department at Livingston will be housed in the city hall building.

Livingston City Clerk Tina Tyree said she would take calls for the Sheriff's office while she was at work and that other times the Sheriff's office would have someone in the office or that all calls would be forwarded to 911.

Brodhead councilman Curt Brown commended the Sheriff's office on their work since Brodhead has been without an officer since last Friday.

"They have done a really good job of stepping up patrols inside the city, but we are still looking for our own officer," he said.

"It is just hard to find someone you can depend on," Brown said Tuesday.

The cities in the county have a hard time keeping officers, who receive their training at Eastern Kentucky University.

They are notorious for jumping from one agency to the next.

Former Brodhead Police Chief Joe Bussell has stepped down and former Brodhead officer Jason Kirby has moved on to employment with the Rockcastle Sheriff's office.

Willalla man hurt Tuesday in accident involving tractor

A Willalla man was injured in a tractor accident Tuesday afternoon.

Authorities say Virgil Genseler, 71, apparently turned a tractor over on himself, but was not knocked unconscious.

Genseler told rescue personnel he crawled across the ground for four hours to his home to call 911.

Genseler was taken to the Rockcastle Hospital and later flown to the University of Kentucky Medical Center, where he was listed in critical condition, according to hospital personnel.

Garage burns; house damaged

Mr. Vernon fire department members responded to a call on Hwy. 1004 Tuesday night. Firefighter Bryan Hansel said that Edward McGuire, who lives at Brush Creek was apparently rebuilding a four-wheeler and was using a kerosene heater to heat his garage, when it exploded.

The garage was completely destroyed by the fire and the siding on the end of McGuire's home melted due to the flames from the garage burning.



The Rockcastle Sheriff's Department is in the process of opening sub-stations at Brodhead and Livingston. At Brodhead the sub-station will be located in the former Senior Citizens building, shown in the top photo and in the city hall building at Livingston, in the bottom photo.

LVFD gets grant for smoke alarms

300 alarms will be installed in homes

The Livingston Volunteer Fire Department has received a grant to install smoke alarms in area homes that do not have working smoke alarms. The grant, which is overseen by the Kentucky Department for Public Health and the Kentucky Injury Prevention and Research Center at the University of Kentucky, is funded by the National Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

In addition to receiving 300 smoke alarms, the fire department will receive fire safety educational materials and funding to help cover the expense of installing the alarms.

According to Robert McCool, program manager for the Injury Prevention Center, the grant process isn't simple. "Fire departments have to apply for the project," said McCool, "and show us why they need the project in their community. Once a fire department is selected for the project, they have to collect information about the use of smoke alarms in their community, install smoke alarms in homes that don't have them, do fire safety education programs and then collect more information about how well the project worked. It's not a simple program and it's quite a bit of work for the firefighters. They're doing it for their communities, though, and they're pretty motivated."

Sam Stallworth, Chief for the Livingston Volunteer Fire Department, sees the grant as a good opportunity for the fire department. "It helps us help the community,"

Stallworth said. "Any time we can prevent fires and save lives, we want to do it."

According to Tom Haynes, the state project coordinator, the smoke alarms furnished for this project have lithium batteries designed to last about ten years. "You don't need to change the lithium batteries twice a year the way you would regular batteries," Haynes says this makes the smoke alarms especially good for residents who may have trouble changing batteries in their smoke alarms. Haynes also pointed out that people who already have smoke alarms that use regular batteries should remember to change the batteries in the alarms. He recommends that they be changed twice each year, whenever the time changes.

The fire department is already taking applications for smoke alarms. Once a person has signed up for a smoke alarm, firefighters will come to their home and install one or more smoke alarms.

McCool says that having the alarms installed by firefighters is a major part of the project. "The firefighters have to install the alarms. We don't let them just give alarms to people, because they forget to put them up, and they won't do any good unless they're installed. When the firefighters put them up, we know they're in place and working." Chief Stallworth said that the firefighters are ready to do the job. "We worked hard to get this grant and we're going to keep working to help protect the people in this community."

Anyone who lives in the area served by the Livingston Fire Department, can call city hall at 606-453-2061, Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. or go by city hall at

615 Main Street in Livingston for more information or to sign up for a smoke alarm. The alarms are available for residential use on a first-come, first-served basis.

Area residents and organizations can also call the fire department to get information about fire safety or to schedule a fire safety presentation for their group.

Fiscal Court discussed leash law; sets work week

At last week's meeting of the Rockcastle Fiscal Court, County Judge/Executive Buzz Carlotis brought up a Leash Law for dogs for discussion with the Magistrates.

Carlotis told the court that he has been receiving many complaints about dogs (strays and neighbors) running loose and destroying property and he wanted to make the court aware that they could institute a "Leash Law" to help control the problem.

A Leash Law is defined as a dog having to be under the control of their master at all times when off the owner's property, Carlotis said.

At present, dogs have free rein during daylight hours but are supposed to be kept up at night, except for hunting dogs. Of course, Carlotis

Hammond has been head of local schools for nine years

Board extends Superintendent's contract to 2007

After a three hour evaluation on Thursday night, Rockcastle County School Superintendent Larry Hammond received another extension on his contract.

Hammond, 48, has been superintendent of the local school system for the past nine years and is in his 26th year of employment by the local school system.

He began his career with the local school system when he accepted a job as an elementary teacher at the former Livingston School. From there he moved on to Rockcastle High School, as a teacher in Industrial Technology. He was then hired as transportation director and later as Director of Student Services.

"I appreciate the board's confidence in me and some of the hard decisions me and my staff have had to make," he said. "I really appreciate the efforts put forth by the people who we work with on a daily basis," he said.

The Rockcastle school system employs over 500 people and has a budget of \$23 million.

As of course, the highest paid employee of the system, Hammond will earn just under \$93,000 in the next school year.

In other business, the board approved guidelines to determine SBDM allocations for the upcoming school year. The guidelines are basically the same as those used for the current school year, with one significant change.

The board figures allocations for faculty based on the ratio of students to teachers. The guidelines for the past several years have set that ratio

at 20 to one for all schools in the district. For the upcoming year, the ratio for the high school has been changed to 22 to one.

According to Richard Bray, financial officer, the ratio was adjusted to accommodate the exceptionally large influx of students coming into the high school from the eighth grade.

Based on those guidelines, the high school will be allocated money for additional teachers. The decision of whether or not to actually hire more teachers will be left up to the SBDM Council.

The board also reviewed and approved revised plans for three projects to be sent to the state for approval. The construction of bleachers at the football stadium is estimated at \$105,000, much lower than the previous figure of \$150,000. Revisions to the other projects bring the estimated cost of the Central Office Instructional Training Center to \$58,000 and the estimated cost of the batting and pitching facility to \$58,000.

The board discussed advertising for bids to construct an outdoor classroom at Roundstone Elementary School. The school has elected to use their reward money to fund this project.



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Thursday in Frankfort Hall of Fame to induct new members

The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame and Museum will celebrate its second annual Induction Ceremony on February 19th, Thursday, (today).

The induction ceremony will take place at the Frankfort Civic Center.

The entertainment performances will begin at 7:45 p.m. and will rec-

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Roger Hasty, left, talks with Rockcastle Deputy Sheriff William Harris, after he lost control of his dump truck on Hwy. 150 Wednesday morning. Hasty's truck overturned but he was not seriously injured and was treated and released at Rockcastle Hospital. The accident happened around 11 a.m.



The original Coon Creek Girls will be among the 2004 inductees into the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame. The ceremony will be held Thursday in Frankfort. The original Coon Creek Girls played their music for the Queen of England in the 1930's and were directed by the late John Lair, who founded the Renfro Valley Barn Dance. The Coon Creek Girls were known as Lily Mae, Rosie, Susie and Daisey. Mr. Lair was one of the original inductees into the Ky. Music Hall of Fame.

Obituaries



Bernice Cummins

Bernice Cummins, 74, of Brookwood Rd., Oak Orchard, wife of Mosley Ed Cummins, died Thursday, February 12, 2004 at her residence. She was born January 12, 1930 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of Virgil and Wolly Allen McNew. She was a member of the Flat Rock Missionary Baptist Church, a retired deaf clerk at Holiday Motel in Berea, a former Rockcastle Republican chairperson and an honorary Kentucky Colonel. Her many interests included traveling and her rock garden. Besides her husband, survivors include her children, Sylvia; H Waddle (Terry) of Shepherdsville and Lewis Dale Halcomb (Nancy) of Elizabethton, TN; three brothers, Virgil McNew, Jr., Vernon McNew and Clyde McNew; three sisters, Myrtle Holcomb, Doris Myers and Edna Clark; four grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband and the father of her children, Lewis C. Holcomb and a sister, Ursula Baker.

Funeral services were held Sunday, February 15 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. C. Larry Burton and Bro. Mike Phillips officiating. Burial was in the Bivlar Field Cemetery. **Casketbearers** were: Jerry Waddle, Doug Stigall, Anthony Taylor, Stewart Cummins, Paul Baldwin and Mike Phillips. **Honorary bearers** were: Ruby Brock, Elton Burke, Gladys Minton, Nell Wanda Reynolds, Della Reams, Elsie Taylor, Dallas and Proctor Brock, Roger Ely, Billy R. Cummins and Edward Baker.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mrs. Cummins may be made to the Flat Rock Missionary Baptist Church fund or Crusade for Children. *Condolences to the family may be made by visiting her online register book at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com*



Mrs. Nettie Catherine Robbins

Mrs. Nettie Catherine Robbins, 64, of 645 Sand Springs Rd. Mt. Vernon died Friday, February 13, 2004 at the Rockcastle Hospital. She was born on December 18, 1939 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late Delbert and Elizabeth Taylor Isaacs. She was a homemaker. Survivors are: her husband, Herbert Ray Robbins of Mt. Vernon; one son, Steven Robbins (Tammy) of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Rebecca Robbins-Bowder of Mt. Vernon; three brothers, Gene, Tommy, and George "Doc" Isaacs, all of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Mrs. Arlene Mae Brumley of Mt. Vernon and three grandchildren. Services were held Monday, Feb. 16, 2004 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Zade McClure officiating. Burial followed in the Commons Cemetery. Active pallbearers were Robbie Thomas, Joe Douthange, Leo Hayes, Steven Robbins, James Deboards, and Charles Gray. Honorary pallbearers were Nathan Whitaker.



Argie S. Bentley

Argie S. Bentley, 89, of Brookwood, widow of Henry H. Bentley, died Sunday, February 15, 2004 at the Rockcastle Hospital. She was born November 5, 1914 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of John and Edna Livsey Singleton, was a cook at the Dix Point Restaurant for 13 years and of the Pentecostal Faith. Survivors include her children, Magdalene Pullock (Russell) of Mt. Vernon, Lavone Riddle (Billy), William Bentley (Debbie), Wanda Hacker (Larry) all of Brookwood; 12 grandchildren; four great grandchildren; three nieces, a host of friends and neighbors and a special friend, Betty Albright. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Glennie and Steve Singleton and one grandchild, Christina. Funeral services were held Wednesday, February 18 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. Randall Adams and Bro. Wendell Johnson officiating. Burial followed in the Livsey Cemetery. **Casketbearers** were: Ray Hensley, Ronnie Bullock, Danny Ray Lunceford, Jack Alexander, Ronnie Stevens, Johnny Ray Lunsford, Honorary bearers were: Willie Bentley and Terry Bullock. *Condolences to the family may be made by visiting her online register book at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com*

Sue Jeanne Harlan
Mrs. Sue Jeanne Harlan, 68, of Tompkinsville, sister of Sandra Dowell of Mt. Vernon, died Monday, February 16, 2004. Besides her sister, survivors are her husband, Maxie Harlan of Tompkinsville; one daughter, Greta Bentley (Gary) of Tompkinsville; three brothers, Daniel Denton Carter and Jack Douglas Carter, both of Hopkinsville and Benjamin Edd Carter of Elizabethton; two grandchildren and the great grandchild. Funeral services will be Thursday, February 19 at 1 p.m. at the Strode Funeral Home in Tompkinsville. This obituary courtesy of Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

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F. Ronald Stokes

The journey Ronald Stokes began in this world started February 17, 1937 when he was born to Floyd and Elizabeth Stokes. He was their first, one of five girls from God in the form of children that were to bless this marriage. Ronald's brother, Doug, was born next but left us early. Ronald's youngest brother is Jerry Stokes, married to Diana and his two sisters are Linda, married to Charles Newby and Rose Ann, married to Anthony Hunt. In 1955, Ronald married Patricia Sponamore and that marriage was to be a union that would span the next 48 years. Ronald and Pat had three children, Regina, David and Brian and, in the following years of their marriage, were also blessed with ten grandchildren. Their names, in order of birth, are: Donovan, Celeste, Chandra, Andrea, Brandon, Crystal, Brandy, Cassie, Dustin and Kelly. Ronald and Pat's two precious daughters-in-law are Carol, married to David, their oldest son; and Gayle, married to Brian. And loved as a grandson, is their granddaughter Celeste's husband, John Edwards. As Ronald's time here on earth was to grow shorter, he was again gifted by the birth of two beloved great-grandchildren, Jordan and Johnna. During his lifetime here, Ronald proved to be a loyal employee and retired from Perker Seal in Berea after 33 years of service. He made many friends there and he and Pat were comforted by their visits as he fought his last earthly battle. We announce joyfully that his victory was insured when he was led to Christ by Bro. Eddie Nation, last year at his home. Ronald's journey here ended February 15th, the same day his sweet mother, Elizabeth, died two years ago. He would have been 67 on the 17th. Two days before his death, he said these words, repeating them three times, "Trust in the Lord... trust in the Lord... trust in the Lord." Pallbearers were: John Edwards, Brandon Stokes, Donovan McGuire, Anthony Martin, Ralph Allen, Andy Hunt and Sonny Hollan. Honorary pallbearers were: Owen Hunt, Eric Stokes, Jordan and Dustin McGuire.

Harold M. Barnes
Harold M. Barnes, 74, of Berea, son of the late Theodosia Lewis Barnes Cunningham and William Howard Barnes, died at his residence Friday, February 13, 2004 after a short illness. He is survived by his wife, Sylvia; a daughter, Cheryl Barnes-Jackson (Gary) and three sisters, Helen Connelly, Aloma Earles, Betty Card and a step-father, Thomas Cunningham preceded him in death. A memorial is planned for February 22 at 2 p.m. at Cowan Chapel Union Church. Family and friends are invited to attend.

Lillie McKinney
Mrs. Lillie McKinney, 57, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and formerly of Rockcastle County, died Monday, February 9, 2004. She was the daughter of the late Otto and Jewell Bulock Renner. Survivors are her husband, Jack McKinney of Cincinnati, Ohio; one son, Jeff McKinney (Shelley); one daughter, Paula Nicely (Scott); five brothers, Lloyd, Coy, Arles, Carter and Bobby Renner; her father and mother-in-law, C.S. and Marie McKinney and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one sister, Minnie Mink. Funeral services were held Wednesday, February 11 at the Faith Community Church in Arlington Heights, Ohio. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cincinnati, P.O. Box 633597, Cincinnati, Ohio 45263-3597. This obituary courtesy of Cox Funeral Home.

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Today we begin a series of articles on the plan of salvation. As we study the N.T. we shall find that there are 5 steps in God's plan to become a Christian as seen in the gospel. Men must hear, believe, repent, confess, and be baptized. Hearing the gospel is the first step in the plan of salvation. "So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." Rom 10:17. Men cannot believe in what he has not heard about. Some folk in our religious world, talk about the direct working of the Holy Spirit on the hearts of men to enlighten, such is a false doctrine! God has ordained that the gospel is to be preached to every creature. "And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." Mark 16:15. Men and women must hear, learn, be taught the word of God, then they can choose to believe or reject. In the parable of the sower, the seed is sown in the hearts of men. The seed is the word of God, Lk 8:15. A plant cannot grow unless the seed is first planted in the ground. One cannot be saved and become a Christian, unless first, the word of God is heard and learned. "For after that in the wisdom of God, the word of wisdom have we hid, it pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe." 1 Cor 1:21. Yes, we must hear the good news of Jesus!
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First Christian youth fighting World Hunger

Submitted by Lisa Ross
First Christian Church teens are asking people to sponsor them to go without food for 30 hours and get a taste of hunger.

They are raising money for World Vision and participating in a 30 Hour Famine.

According to World Vision, 29,000 children die every day of hunger or hunger-related diseases. Founded in 1950, World Vision is a Christian humanitarian organization, serving the world's poorest children and families in nearly 100 countries.

During the weekend of February 27th and 28th, First Christian youth

will learn more about the work of World Vision, participate in Bible study and see the movie, *The Passion of the Christ*. They will donate some of their time to service projects and there will be other activities. Sunday, February 29th is Youth Sunday and each teen will have the opportunity to give a testimony of what the 30 Hour Famine weekend meant to them.

We hope to bring our young people closer to each other and to Christ. We also desire to raise a personal awareness of hunger, as well as an appreciation for how blessed we are in this country.



This month, Brothhead Queen Ashley Cottrell has declared Marsha's 'Flourish Brothhead's' Business of the Month. Marsha's 'Flourish' is located on Main Street Brothhead. According to Queen Ashley, Marsha's has a history of excellence. Cottrell also reminds everyone to mark their calendars for the Brothhead Homecoming Festival which will be held on Memorial Day weekend.

Garden Club is sponsoring April 9-10 Spring Retreat

The Rockcastle Garden Club is sponsoring a trip to the Biltmore Estate in Asheville, North Carolina and the Knoxville Dogwood Festival during Spring Break week April 9 and 10.

On Saturday morning, the group will leave from Mt. Vernon on Blue Grass Tours for the historic Biltmore Estate in Asheville, North Carolina. Upon arrival, the afternoon will be spent enjoying the historic home. Admission ticket to the home includes a self-guided visit of Biltmore House, the Gardens, Conservatory, Wintry and a wine-tasting or grape juice served at the conclusion of the visit.

Afterwards, dinner on your own can be enjoyed at one of three restaurants on the property and you can visit any of the eight gift shops on the property that offer merchandise sold exclusively at Biltmore Estate.

After spending the day at the Biltmore Estate, the group will travel to The Grove Park Inn Resort and Spa to enjoy the night and enjoy the amenities offered. During the visit, you will have the opportunity to enjoy a number of special offerings designed to compliment the spring season. Among those is their fifth annual birdhouse competition, numerous floral decorations throughout the hotel and music by Maddy and Masterpiece from 7 to 11 p.m. in the Great Hall.

On Sunday morning, the day will begin with a full hot buffet style breakfast at the Grove Park Inn. While enjoying your meal, you can

look out over the scenic mountainous landscapes that have made the area famous.

At the conclusion of breakfast, the group will travel to Knoxville, Tennessee where the Dogwood Festival is scheduled to be in bloom. The motor coach will travel a number of the famous Dogwood trails before heading back to Mt. Vernon Sunday evening.

The trip includes transportation on a deluxe 47 passenger motor coach, as well as a driver gratuity; Biltmore Estate admission; lodging at The Grove Park Inn; full hot buffet style breakfast overlooking scenic

Asheville, NC and baggage handling at The Grove Park Inn, housekeeping facilities and service charges.

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In and Around Mt. Vernon

By Vallic' Burton

Mrs. Jessie Riley of California and son, Scott, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Pat Holland.

Bro. and Mrs. Ryan Lewis of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Petrey of Somerset visited Vallie Burton recently.

Little Rebecca Hurley spent a few days in the Rockcastle Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Linda Eaton, Patricia Holland, Jessie Riley and Scott were in Lexington last Friday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson of Ohio visited her mother, Mrs. Ora York Thursday and Friday.

Mildred Hunt celebrated her birth-

day February 14th. We wish her many returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houston visited her father, Oscar Saylor, at Crab Orchard recently.

Mildred Hunt visited her mother, Mrs. Dixie Blanton, a while Saturday night.

John David Hurley spent Saturday night with his grandfather, Bobby Anglin.

Shirley Burton of Brothhead and Mrs. Sheila Zenni of Ohio visited Vallie Burton a while Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Blanton visited his mother, Mrs. Dixie Blanton, Sunday.

John David Hurley will celebrate his birthday February 20th. We wish him many returns of the day.

Annual Kiwanis Radio Auction is March 5 & 6

The annual Kiwanis Radio Auction will be held Friday, March 5 from 3 to 6 p.m. and Saturday, March 6 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

The auction will be broadcast live over WRVK 1460 from the Technology Center on the third floor of the Rockcastle County Courthouse.

Thousands of dollars in merchandise will be available to bidders this year, including:

A weekend getaway to Gatlinburg, TN; autographed boys

and girls Rocket basketballs; television with DVD player; power vacuum; boom box; heavy duty extension cords; Case knives; numerous tools and other accessories.

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Thank You from the family of Gladys Morris

Throughout time, there are people who change the world forever. Some climb mountains, others win wars. But, more important, are the ones who inspire others to be better individuals. Who set higher standards of kindness, not just through words but by example.

An inspiration to everyone who knew her, Gladys Morris, will be dearly missed. A piece of our hearts will never be mended. Our comfort

lies in the reunion of her and her late husband, Leroy.

The family of Gladys Morris wishes to send heartfelt thanks to all the wonderful people who were so thoughtful and caring during the loss of our Loved One. Our hearts are filled with special thoughts of each one of you that called, visited, brought food, sent flowers, sent cards or offered encouraging words. A special thank to those who lifted us up in prayer, for we know the Lord has been, and is, the source of our strength.

Again, THANK YOU to all our family and friends for your thoughtfulness and support during our time of grief. May God bless each and everyone of you.
 Anna Mae and Johnny (Buddy), Emma Lee and Robert, Tarina and Donnie, Jeff, Dewey, Nickki, Nease, Nannia, Marie and Tim, Melissa, Megan, Jenna, Stephanie, Ryan, Brook, Katelyn, Kiyah, Kramer and Elijah

Thank You

Isabell (Bond) Marler and Theresa Marler extend their thanks to everyone that prayed, sent money, food and flowers during the loss of their beloved husband and father, John Lewis Marler. Especially to Victor Bond and Millie for opening up their home to family and friends during this time: to Rev. Don Helton and Rev. Tommy Hooper for their kind words, to Don Warburton brother from church, for his help with our traveling and to Dowell-Martin Funeral Home for easing the burdens of this difficult time.

Acknowledgement

The family of Cora Williams acknowledges with grateful appreciation the courtesies and condolences extended them during the illness and passing of their loved one.

Words of Hope

Isn't it so easy to find the mistakes or flaws of other people? Too often we look at people in a negative way because of their past mistakes. Although it may be easy to condemn someone for their mistakes, it is not the attitude that God wants us to hold. Jesus declared unto a group who were accusing a woman of adultery.

"Whoever is without sin cast the first stone" (John 8:7).

Try to be compassionate instead of condemning.

A message of hope from your friends at Mt. Vernon Pentecostal Church

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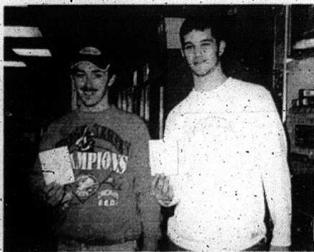
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 There is perfect joy and beauty in this everlasting light.
 All the pain and grief is over, Every restless tossing passed, I am now at peace forever, You shall rest in God's own land.
 There is work still waiting for you. So you must not idly stand, Do it now, while life remaineth- You shall rest in God's own land!
 When that work is all completed, He will gently call you Home, Oh, the rapture of that meeting, Oh, the joy to see you come!

Church News

Valley Baptist Church
 Valley Baptist Church, at 4482 Copper Creek Road, has Sunday School each week at 10 a.m., worship service at 11 a.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. In addition, Wednesday night service is at 7 p.m. with a radio broadcast over WRVK each Sunday at 5:05 p.m. Greg Lakes is pastor.

Revival at Mt. Vernon Church of God
 Revival services will be held Feb. 22-27 at the Mt. Vernon Church of God with Rev. Billy Bryant as evangelist. Services Sunday night will begin at 6 p.m. and Monday through Friday at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Bobby Owens is pastor.

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Minds In the Middle

We have much to talk about and be proud of this week at RCMS! RCMS students raised \$3,140.20 for the Make-A-Wish Foundation! Special congratulations to Mrs. Logan's homeroom. They brought in \$653.39 and won the trip to Pizza Hut. It is great to know that we have such caring kids!

The school-wide spelling bee took place last Monday morning with winners from each of the six teams competing. Winning from the Challengers team was Amy Poynter, Brandon Bussell from the Shooting Stars, Tim Harding from the Comets, Tanya Sparks from the Voyagers, John Lam-

bert from the Adventurers, and Brandon Jones from the Enterprisers team. John Lambert came out as the winner in a great competition. He competed Thursday morning at the district spelling bee and placed second.

Congratulations to Jessica Renner, Jessica is the Enterprisers' Student of the Week. Bethany Clonitz and Katy Howard were students of the week for the previous two weeks.

Congratulations also to our Academic team. They placed second overall in the District Governor's Cup and earned the Hume Sportsman award for the 7th year in a row. This award was received after

voting by all students at the competition. We wish them the best of luck in regional competition at Estill County.

In more good news, the RCMS Y-Club has once again been recognized as the #1 Y-Club in the state. They also received a "Club of Excellence" award. Only four middle schools in the state receive this award.

This week the Voyager team estimation problem was "What is the area of our math class if measured with M&M's?" Aaron Brown came up with the closest estimate of 64,631 M&M's. The actual answer was 65,604.

The 21st Century Community Learning Center will be offering a Hunters Education Course beginning on February 19th at 6:00 p.m. For more information contact Mr. Anthony Coffey at 256-5118.

Mid-term at RCMS was Wednesday, February 10th. Mid-term reports will be mailed home.

The Builders Club is holding an open membership drive. Anyone interested in signing up should stop by Mr. Mattingly's room during break for an application. Baseball tryouts for 7th and 8th graders began on Tuesday and will continue throughout this week. This will be in the gym after school until 4:30.

The RCMS Track Team competed in the Falcon Indoor Challenge this past weekend at Indiana University in Bloomington. Sixth grader Samantha Smith had many great performances in the 12 and under division. She finished fifth in the 55-meter dash, second in the long jump, and established a new RCMS indoor record in the 200 while finishing third. Eighth grader Morgan Thacker dominated the competition in the 14 and under division. She won the 200-meter dash and finished second in the 55-meter dash and the long jump. Her 800-meter relay team, which also featured Katie Burdette, Nicole Locklear, and Tamara Blanton, easily placed first. Other outstanding performances came from Brooke Martinez, Brooke Bowlin, Courtney Bullock, Casey Thompson, Sarah McKinney, Kristen Baker, Courtney Thomas, and Leslie Burdette. Sixth grader Blake Parsons ran an awesome race in the 1600, finishing first. He also placed third in the 800 and fifth in the long jump. The teams will next compete in the Mason-Dixon Games Indoor State Championships on March 5-6 in Louisville.

This week Mrs. Vanessa Bullock's Language Arts classes participated in poetry crossfire. During poetry crossfire, one student sits in the middle of the room and listens as two students read tongue twisters simultaneously. The student joins after words that he/she hears. After all

(Cont. to A-7)



RCMS held their school Spelling Bee last week with the winners from each of the six teams competing. The winner from the Comets team was Tim Harding; Brandon Jones from the Enterprisers team; Brandon Bussell from the Shooting Stars; John Lambert from the Adventurers; Tanya Sparks from the Voyagers; and Amy Poynter from the Challengers team. Congratulations to these students for out-spelling the others on their teams. A special congratulations to John Lambert who won the Spelling Bee and competed at the district Spelling Bee on Thursday.



RCMS students did a great job raising money for the Make-A-Wish Foundation bring in \$3,140.20. Mrs. Pam Logan's homeroom won a trip to Pizza Hut by raising the most funds. The group brought in \$653.39. We are so proud of them for caring about other kids!

Cumberland College announces President's and Dean's List

The Cumberland College Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs announces that the following students have been named to the President's List for the Fall 2003 semester.

Gretchen Rose Phillips, of Mt. Vernon.

Cumberland would also like to announce that the following students have been named to the Dean's List for the Fall 2003 semester:

Amber Camille Thacker, of Crab Orchard.

Full-time students who have obtained a cumulative scholastic standing of 4.0 and have no grade of "I" are eligible for the President's List. Students with a cumulative scholastic standing of 3.5 are eligible for the Dean's List. Cumberland College, located in Williamsburg, Kentucky, is a private liberal-arts college in its 115th year of operation. Cumberland offers four undergraduate degrees in 37 major fields of study, 30 minors and nine pre-professional programs.

RCMS Youth Yak

Our Creative Writing Club is attempting to develop a school Literary Magazine for competition. We are asking all students to submit their best writing, especially short stories, poetry, personal writing and artwork to their English teacher by March 10.

Students who have taken up candle orders for Project Graduation need to have their money in to Youth Services before this Friday, February 20. Seniors, we also have the raffle tickets for the Big-Screen TV. Other plans for Project Graduation are a Chili Supper this Thursday, February 19 5:00-7:00 in the Caf. This will coincide with our Parent-Teacher Conference which will be going on at that time, 3:00 until 6:00.

You may have received a phone call from someone at RCMS last week regarding your child's progress report. We called all parents whose children had at least one failing grade. We feel that by making contact with parents now we might prevent the student from failing the "whole semester. There is plenty time to make up a failing grade now if the student puts forth the effort. We offer after-school tutoring every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with transportation provided. This begins right after school and concludes at 4:30.

As mentioned, our Parent-Teacher Conference is this Thursday. If you have a child enrolled in RCMS you would benefit greatly by attending

the conference. You will receive a copy of your child's progress report as you enter the school. Then you will have the opportunity to visit each teacher individually. Also, you will receive a free ticket to the girls' basketball game with Estill Co. which will begin at 6:00. You can also eat supper because Project Graduation is having a Chili Supper. What else could you ask for?

Thanks to the FCLLA Club for our Valentine's Day cards and sweets. Also, thanks to Ms. Benavides' Spanish Class, they also handed out cards. They were written in Spanish and several of us had to have interpreters.

Future Farmers of America Alumni will be having their annual fund-raising auction this Friday, February 20. A Chili Supper will begin at 5:30 with the auction beginning at 7:00. All monies received will go toward scholarships, trip costs etc. Some items available to bid on are: a Tubby Smith signed basketball; a Rich Brooks signed football; tanning bed visors; oil changes; dog food; and various farm supplies. Cost for the Chili Supper is only \$3.00 per person.

Hey, Seniors!!! Please turn in your picture for the slide show to be played at graduation to Ms. Nancy Bussell ASAP. Deadline for all photos to be in to Ms. Bussell will be March 31. Limit to five pictures. Do this or at graduation time, you will wish you had.

District Governor's Cup Competition was held Saturday, February 14 here at RCMS. We placed third as a team defeating both Garrard and Boyle counties. Anna Guilford placed second in composition and fourth in social studies. Beth Coleman placed fourth in language arts as well as arts and humanities. Both ladies will advance to regional competition. RCMS also received the Home Sportsmanship Award. Congratulations to our Academic Team and Good Luck in Regional competition on February 26.

From the Counselors Office: February 27-April ACT deadline February 28-EKU Spotlight Day and Farm Bureau Scholarship

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Tiger Pause

BES PTA thanks everyone who helped with the festival last week. We had 27 wonderful volunteers. Without them, the festival would not be possible. Thanks again for giving your time and energy to BES.

Spring pictures will be taken on February 26th. If you plan to bring a child in pictures that is not a student, please have them at school between 9 and 10 a.m. if possible. This will help to keep classes together and uninterrupted.

A GED class is still being offered at BES every Friday. Stop in anytime between 8 a.m. and noon to check it out. It's never too late to get your diploma.

BES students recently participated in the Coach Smith Wildcat Shootout and raised \$755 for Easter Seals. Tyler Mobley was the boy that collected the most money and Alivia Bullock was the winner for the girls. Reservations for the next EXCEL computer class, given by Jennifer Brock, are now being taken. If you are interested in participating, please call Ms. Saicua Morgan at 758-8512 to pre-register. Classes will be held on Monday, March 8, 15 and 22 from 5 to 6:30 p.m. The course is free.

Mrs. Jenise's Counselor's Corner recognizes children who share well with others and are helpful. These kids' smile often and offer encouragement to those around them. In the Corner this week are David Hering, Carter Blanton, Katie Swinney, Amberlee Woodall, Zashara Loudermilk, Vadenia Byrd, Alivia Bullock, Matt Fields and Dylan Coomer.

Friday, February 20th is the last day to order yearbooks. The cost is \$10 and the book will be in full color this year.

EKU Fall Dean's List

Eastern Kentucky University has announced that 1,966 students earned Dean's List honors for the Fall 2003 semester.

From Rockcastle County, the list includes:

Stephanie Boswell, Rt. 3, Brodhead; Derrick Bussell, Brodhead; Tracy Hissman, Brodhead; Stephanie Hurst, Rt. 1, Brodhead; Courtney Alexander, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Jennifer Alsip, Mt. Vernon; Angela Boring, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon; John Bray, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; James Bullock, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Jason Bullock, Mt. Vernon; Anne Cox, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Joann Lake, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; April Martin, Mt. Vernon; Lindsey Parsons, Mt. Vernon; Kerry Phelps, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon; Cassandra Spawder, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Warren Whitaker, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Miranda Bullock, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Tasha Vanzant, Rt. 1, Orlando and Jessica Carmack, Renfro Valley.

EKU President's List

Eastern Kentucky University has announced that 718 students earned President's List honors for the Fall 2003 semester.

From Rockcastle County, they include:

Tracy Hissman, Stephanie Hurst, James Bullock, Jason Bullock, Joann Lake, Lindsey Parsons, Warren Whitaker, Miranda Bullock, Tasha Vanzant and Jessica Carmack.

EKU December Graduates

Eastern Kentucky University recognized 843 graduates at the conclusion of the Fall 2003 semester.

Six were from Rockcastle County. They were: Bobby Coffey, Rt. 3, Brodhead, Career and Tec Ed.; Meloye Day, Brodhead, Nursing Associate; Dejana Kirby, Rt. 3, Brodhead, Child Care; Gina Masters, Rt. 1, Brodhead, Nursing (Post-RN); Kalpan Patel, Mt. Vernon, Political Science and Emily Mullins, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon, Criminal Justice.



Savannah Faye Wilkerson, daughter of Cathy Wilkerson and granddaughter of Earl and Mary Hook of Brodhead, was recently named Student of the Month at the Kentucky School for the Deaf.

Mt. Vernon Message

For the week of 2/19/04

Upcoming Events

The PTO dance has been rescheduled for Thursday, February 26. Entry Level P1 and P2 students will attend the dance from 3:15 until 4:15. P3, 4th and 5th grade students will attend from 4:30 until 5:30. All proceeds go to MVEV PTO.

Special Projects

Congratulations to Sarah Woodall, fourth grade student. Sarah was our school spelling bee winner. Sarah went on to compete at our Central Office and won the district spelling bee. We are very proud of you Sarah and wish you lots of luck at the state spelling bee.

Students who are participating in the Six Flags reading program need to turn in their hours by Friday, February 20th.

Project Wisdom readers for last week:

Chris Moore, Brianna Hansel; Lyndsey Abel and Bethany Robbins, students. Paula Clark, 4th grade teacher, was our mystery reader.

Our quote for this week is: "All can be successful on smooth seas; it is the one who conquers the storm who gains real honor."

MSU Dean's List

Jessica Cobb of Mt. Vernon was named to the Morehead State University Dean's List for the 2003 Fall Semester.

To be named to the list, a student must be enrolled on a full-time basis and achieve at least a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale for the current semester.

"Minds in the Middle" (Cont. From A6)

three students have had a chance to sit in the middle, the class uses the word list to create a poem. Mrs. Bullock's first period class had fun coming up with this poem.

Get a call to come.

To the Gold Rush state.

Ran around madly

To get some money.

R-A-C-E-D

Through the red light

Zipped past nine dogs,

And entered a cool state that was

Wildly warm.

On Friday, the sixth graders turned

our library into a coffee house complete

with poetry readings. Many

students shared some of their own

work and some shared favorites by

other authors. Many of our staff

members also stopped by to share

their favorites. A big thank you to

Mrs. Vanessa Bullock, Miss

Gretchen Roland, and all who assisted

with preparing this wonderful

celebration of poetry.

News deadline is Noon Tuesday

Make Time For Reading

When the summer season arrives, most children are out of the door in a flash. After several months cooped up in classrooms with more study time reserved for homework, is it any wonder that kids are ready to shake off their cabin fever and head outdoors.

While fun in the sun is something that every parent should encourage, it is also important to encourage children to pick up a good book now and again.

Not only does reading reinforce skills learned during the school year, it will make the child a more involved individual.

Big Radio Auction

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March 5 -- 3 to 6 p.m.

Mar. 6 -- 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Live from the Technology Center on the third floor of the Rockcastle County Courthouse.

Items to be auctioned include:

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- Autographed Boys & Girls Rocket basketballs
- Television with DVD player
- Power Vacuum •Boom Box •Case Knives
- Heavy Duty Extension Cords
- Numerous other tools and accessories.

Anyone interested in donating money or an item to be auctioned, may contact any Kiwanis member or come to the Technology Center during the auction. All proceeds will be used to fund various projects throughout Rockcastle County.

School Menu

Feb. 23-27

Breakfast
Mon, Feb. 23: Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.

Tues, Feb. 24: Egg/sausage biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.

Wed, Feb. 25: Manager's Choice.

Thurs, Feb. 26: Gravy 'n Biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.

Fri, Feb. 27: Scrambled eggs and hash browns or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.

Lunch
Mon, Feb. 23: Pizza or sandwich, corn, garden salad, fruit dessert, milk.

Tues, Feb. 24: Chicken party on bun or corn dog, fries, pickle spear, brownie, milk.

Wed, Feb. 25: Spaghetti w/meat sauce, garden salad, California vegetables, Italian bread, cookie, milk.

Thurs, Feb. 26: Hot dog on bun or sandwich, potato rounds, carrot sticks, fruit dessert, milk.

Fri, Feb. 27: Hamburger on bun or sandwich, french fries, lettuce/pickle, fruit dessert, milk.

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Local resident exhibits handcrafted brooms at Kentucky Crafted

The Kentucky Craft Marketing (KCMF) staff is busy preparing for the 23rd year of the Kentucky Handcrafted Gift Market, Kentucky Crafted: The Market 2004. Christopher Robbins, lifelong resident of Rockcastle County, will be exhibiting at The Market selling his handcrafted brooms in South Wing A, Booth 635, of the Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center in Louisville, February 28 and 29, 2004. Christopher has owned his craft business for five years and is participating in this exciting Market for the second time.

The Market will feature 300 Kentucky exhibitors of contemporary and traditional crafts, two-dimensional visual art, books, musical recordings and food products, along with children's craft activities and cultural entertainment.

The Product Showcase area will feature, "The Nature of Kentucky," and focus on newly-oriented work-related to garden art plus the Kentucky Collection, a kiosk display of crafts, visual art, music, food and books, found in select stores throughout the state. The Kentucky Collection is a pilot project of the Kentucky Craft Marketing Program (KCMF). Products are selected through an application process from the participants of the partner groups, which include the Kentucky Department of Agriculture, Kentucky Arts Council, Kentucky Folk Life Program, Kentucky Book Fair and the Kentucky Woods Products Competitiveness Corporation.

Back for 2004 is a specialized gallery section featuring one-of-a-kind and limited production items, ideal for museums, collectors and

commissions.

Hours for The Market are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday. Admission is \$8 for adults; children (ages 6-12), \$4. For children under 6, admission is free. For a \$1 off coupon on adult admission, visit the Kentucky Craft Marketing Program website www.kycraft.ky.gov.

Christopher said, "After visiting The Market as a visitor for many years, it's a very rewarding experience to become a participant and meet so many interesting and supportive people." Beginning his fifth year as a broom maker, Christopher has helped develop a steady wholesale and retail business that includes many customers in Kentucky and several additional states. He is also looking forward to meeting new customers and receiving re-orders, plus offering one-of-a-kind decorative brooms that will be new for The Market 2004. Christopher is sure everyone will have a great time and looks forward to seeing you at The Market.

For the ninth year, the southeast Tourism Society has selected The Market as one of the "Top Twenty" events in the southeast. Kentucky still holds the distinction of being one of the few states in the country to sponsor a wholesale retail show for its craft businesses. "As the primary activity of the Craft Marketing Program, it serves as a major sales outlet for Kentucky businesses and generates 2 to 3 million dollars in sales, annually," says Fran Redmon, Kentucky Craft marketing program director.

The Kentucky Craft Marketing Program, a state agency in the Kentucky Arts Council, Education, Arts & Humanities Cabinet and Commonwealth of Kentucky, produces The Market. For more information, call 588 KY CRAFT (592-7238), ext. 4801. A copy of the Official Market Program, including floor plan, exhibitors and schedule of events will be available on the web by going to www.kycraft.ky.gov. For more information about Christopher and his broom items, call 606-758-9229.



Christopher Robbins, of Brodhead, will be exhibiting and selling his handcrafted brooms at the Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center in Louisville February 28th and 29th.

Beef producers meeting

Agriculture and Natural Resources

By Tom Mills
Rockcastle County Extension Office

Electronic identification for livestock being marketed will be the topic for beef producers attending the meeting on Thursday, February 19 at 6:30 p.m. at the Extension Office.

County of Origin Labeling (COOL) has been working toward new meat labeling. However, the recent BSE case in Washington State has pushed up the timetable. Diseases like BSE or hoof and mouth have the potential to destroy farmer's animals, their markets, and consumer confidence. The need to identify animals, and their farm of origin is key to state

and federal veterinarians containing and eradicating potential problems. A good record system and plan of action assures the public that farmers are willing to do all they can to make the US meet supply as safe as possible.

Producers are encouraged to attend, Thursday, February 19th so they can see how their market animals will be identified.

Educational programs of the Co-operative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

Extension Office News

Livestock Producers are invited to a Producer Meeting on the new electronic identification system on Thursday, Feb. 19, 6:30 p.m. at the Extension Office.

Embroidery will be taught during the Mt. Vernon Homemakers Club meeting in the Extension Office. Everyone is welcome.

Home Gardeners may place an order for strawberry plants at the Extension Office through March 12. Varieties include All Star, Red Chief and Sure Crop at the cost of \$12 per 100 plants. Call 256-2403 for more information.

February 24 at 10 a.m., a class on growing annual flowers will be offered free of charge at the Extension Office. Call 256-2403 for details.

February 23 at 10 a.m. Silk Ribbon

A Quilted Fabric Hobo Purse will be taught at the Extension Office on February 27, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Participants will provide their own materials. Call 256-2403 to register and for a list of supplies.

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Lady Rockets remain in top five

Submitted by Eddie Hammond

Among statistical leaders in state

The Rockcastle County Lady Rockets rebounded from a disappointing loss to district rival Jackson County with two impressive wins over North Laurel and South Laurel. The South Laurel victory was particularly sweet since both Rockcastle and South Laurel are bolstered by a junior class that has played each other since 6th grade.

All of the games have been close ones, except for the last which Rockcastle won 85-64 and led by as many as 29. These wins helped keep the Lady Rockets among the top five in several state polls. They are ranked 5th in Dave Cantrell's rating of the state and 4th in both the AP and Courier-Journal's Litenhouse poll.

The team can also boast of being among the leaders in several statisti-

cal categories. As a team, the Rockets rank among the top 20 in scoring, scoring margin, field goal percentage, 3 point field goal percentage and free throw percentage.

Several players also rank among the top 25 in the state: Senior Lauren Clontz is jinked tenth in field goal percentage at 61% (through 17 games); junior Heather Hammond is close behind at 59%; junior guard, Johanna Abney is ranked among the state's best free throw shooters, hitting on 80% of her free throws and junior guard Tara Rowe is ranked among the state's top three point field goalers per game and three point percentage at 43%.

The Lady Rockets only have two more regular season games - Thursday, February 19th, they will host Estill County and on Friday, February 27th will travel to Wayne County.

District play gets underway March 1st at Onida Baptist Institute and 13th region game will be March 8-13 at Middleboro.



The Rockcastle Rockets maintained their top five rating in the state, in Dave Cantrell's poll, and fourth in the AP poll and Litenhouse ratings, despite their recent loss to Jackson County Junior Johanna Abney is the team's point guard and has been a big factor in the team's success. Abney and junior Tara Rowe both achieved membership in the elite 1,000 point club this season and Abney now has over 1400 career points.

Boys take down number one team in region 59-54

Behind a balanced scoring attack and with the help of five three point baskets by senior Devin Taylor, the Rockcastle Rockets beat the number one team in the region, Barbourville, Tuesday night 59-54.

Taylor got the first basket of the game, a three pointer and Aaron Cash added two buckets to put the Rockets up 7-0. However, Barbourville came back and went ahead 8-7 and were up 18-14 at the end of the first quarter.

Taylor added three more three point baskets in the second quarter and, at the half, the score was knotted 25 all.

The score was tied three times in the third quarter but the Tigers came back to go up 39-36 at the third quarter stop.

In the fourth, the score was tied three times, the last at 46 all when

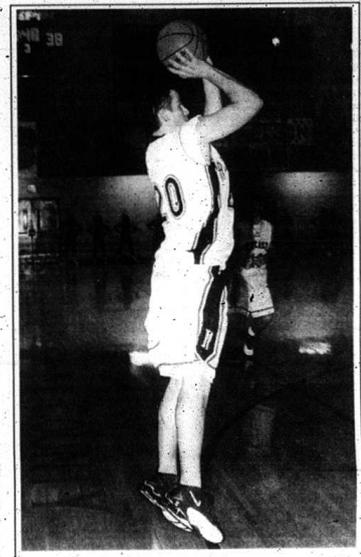
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The boys are now 11-10 in the season and will next play in Lincoln County on Friday night, will host West Carter on Saturday night and play at Somerset next Tuesday night before finishing out the regular season at McCreary Central on the 27th.

Rockcastle lost their 10th game of the season to a good North Laurel team last Friday night, 73-57.

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Sophomore Cathy Brown contributed 13 points Tuesday night in his team's big win over Barbourville, 59-54. The Barbourville Tigers are ranked #1 in the region.

Lady Rockets final home game this Thursday against Estill County

RCMS Track Team competes at Indiana University

The RCMS track and field teams competed in the Falcon Indoor Challenge Meet held at Indiana University this past weekend. The meet included many outstanding 14 and under teams from Indiana, Tennessee, and Kentucky.

RCMS 6th grader Samantha Smith continued her outstanding indoor season with many great performances at the meet in the 12 and under division. This season, Samantha has established herself as one of the top young prospects to ever wear a Rockcastle uniform. In the 55-meter dash, Samantha placed 5th overall with a time of 8.84 seconds out of a stellar field of competitors, despite the fact that she didn't get to use starting blocks and she had to compete against athletes who were a year older. 5th grader Kristen Bullock also ran amazing race without the aid of blocks and finished 9th overall in an impressive 9.28. Even more amazing is the fact that Kristen is only 10. She had to run in the 11 and 12 year old division due to the date in which her birthday fell.

In the 200-meter dash, Samantha and Kristen were even more impressive. Samantha ran an unbelievable race and finished 3rd overall in 31.2 seconds, a new RCMS indoor record for a 6th grader. Kristen also sprinted her way to a great 9th place finish in an amazing 36.75 seconds.

Both girls also competed in the long jump competition. Once again, Samantha led the way for RCMS with a 2nd place finish and an incredible leap of 23.26 meters. 6th grader Kristen Baker also jumped really well and finished 6th overall with an effort of 23.5 meters. Kristen Bullock led all 5th graders in the competition with an awesome jump of 2.46 meters and a 7th place finish.

3rd grader Michaela Hunter was the top jumper in the 9 and 10 year old division. Michaela finished with a very impressive jump of 3.32 meters. Michaela also ran well in the 800-meter run, finishing in 2nd place overall with a time of 3:15.88. Michaela's best performance came in the 1600-meter run. Despite being only 9, she battled a 12 year old competitor to the wire. She finished a close 2nd in the race with an incredible mile time of 6:19.62.

6th grader Kristen Baker also ran the 800 and the 1600-meter runs against some much older competition. In the 800, Kristen ran an exceptional race and finished 5th overall in 3:23.9. In the 1600, Kristen also ran a terrific race, finishing 6th overall in 6:52.99.

The 800-meter relay team of Samantha Smith, Kristen Bullock, Michaela Hunter, and Kristen Baker ran an awesome race and finished 2nd overall with a time of 2:27.2.

6th grader Blake Parsons was the sole male competitor for RCMS. Blake competed in the 11 and 12 year-old division and finished the competition with many outstanding performances. Blake competed first in the 1600-meter run. He easily led from start to finish and won the race with a very impressive effort of 5:55.22. Blake next competed in the long jump competition, an event that is new to many of the RCMS competitors that participated in it at the meet. Blake finished 5th overall with an impressive leap of 3.58 meters. Next for Blake came the 800-meter run. Despite the lack of recovery time from his other competitions, Blake ran very well and finished 3rd overall in an impressive 2:53.6.

The 14 and under division gave Rockcastle a chance to compete against many of the best young athletes that Indiana and Tennessee have to offer. Despite the talent level at the meet, RCMS 8th grader Morgan Thacker proved to be the most dominant athlete that competed in the entire competition, scoring more points than any other 14 and under competitor.

Morgan began the meet with an impressive performance in the 55-meter dash. She blazed her way to an impressive 2nd place finish in an amazing 8.11 seconds, missing first by less than two-tenths of a second. Morgan came back even stronger in the 200-meter dash. She ran a nearly flawless race, easily defeating all competitors for the 1st place win in a personal best 28.89 seconds. In the

long jump competition, Morgan also performed exceptionally well. She finished a great series of leaps with a best effort of 4.39 meters on her final attempt placing her 2nd overall.

Morgan also ran anchor leg on the 1st place 800-meter relay team that totally dominated the competition winning with an awesome time of 2:03.27. Team members included Nicole Locklear, Katie Burdette, and Tamara Blanton. Each girl ran an awesome 200-meter dash and had great baton exchanges.

RCMS also had another team place 3rd in the 14 and under 800-meter relay with an impressive performance. The team comprised of Courtney Bullock, Sarah McKinney, Brooke Martinez, and Brooke Bowlin finished with an impressive team race and an exceptional time of 2:13.7.

In the 55-meter dash, 8th grader Katie Burdette placed 5th in the 14 and under division with an exceptional time of 8.64. 7th grader Tamara Blanton finished in 7th place overall with an impressive effort of 8.80. 7th grader Nicole Locklear finished 8th overall in an impressive race. 7th grader Brooke Martinez ran very well and finished 9th overall in 9:15. 7th grader Courtney Thomas placed 10th with an impressive 9:77. 8th grader Leslie Burdette, despite coming off an injury from a fall sustained in another sport, ran well and finished 11th in 9:84.

In the 200-meter dash, 8th grader Katie Burdette ran an incredible race and finished 4th overall in a very impressive 31.58. 8th grader Courtney Bullock also ran a superb race and finished 6th overall in an impressive 33.05. 7th grader Sarah McKinney ran well and finished 8th in a stellar 33.54. 8th grader Leslie Burdette ran very well in her first-ever 200 and finished 10th in 37.51. 7th grader Casey Thompson, also running her first 200, finished a great race in 11th place overall with a time of 38.19.

Katie Burdette, Courtney Bullock, and 7th grader Brooke Bowlin ran impressive races in the 400-meter dash. Katie and Courtney ran very close to each other the entire race and had an exciting photo finish. Katie finished an impressive 3rd overall in 1:32.11. Courtney also ran an equally impressive time of 1:12.11, but was edged by Katie at the wire. She finished 4th overall. Brooke continued her improvement in the 400, finishing a great race in 6th place overall with a time of 1:21.35.

7th grader Sarah McKinney was the only RCMS competitor in the 55-meter hurdles. Sarah ran an awesome race and finished 2nd overall in an amazing 1:12.6.

In the long jump competition, several RCMS girls had great jumps and placed high. Besides Morgan Thacker, Tamara Blanton also jumped incredibly well. Tamara finished 4th overall with a leap of 3.58 meters. Courtney Bullock was close behind, finishing 6th overall with an exceptional effort of 3.43 meters. Brooke Martinez also jumped very well and finished 8th with a leap of 3.30 meters. Sarah McKinney was

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RCMS 7th grader Tamara Blanton runs the 3rd leg on the winning 800-meter relay team at the Falcon Indoor Challenge Meet. Tamara also placed 4th in the long jump competition.



MVES 3rd grader Michaela Hunter runs the last lap of the 1600-meter run at the Falcon Indoor Challenge Meet. Michaela placed 2nd in the 1600, as well as the 800-meter run and the 800-meter relay in the 12 and under division. She placed 1st in long jump in the 10 and under division.



RCMS 8th grader Courtney Bullock prepares to run the 400-meter dash at the Falcon Indoor Challenge Meet. Courtney finished 4th in the event. She also placed 6th in the 200-meter dash and ran anchor leg on the 3rd place 800-meter relay team.



RCMS 8th grader Morgan Thacker runs the final stretch of the 200-meter dash at the Falcon Indoor Challenge Meet held at Indiana University. Morgan easily won the 200 with a personal best time. She also placed 2nd in long jump and the 55-meter dash and anchored the 1st place 800-meter relay team. She led all 14 and under competitors with 28.5 points scored in the meet.



RCMS 6th grader Samantha Smith takes her final jump in the long jump competition at the Falcon Indoor Challenge. Samantha placed 2nd in the event. She also placed 5th in the 55-meter dash and 3rd in the 200-meter dash while establishing a new RCMS indoor record for a 6th grader in the event. Samantha also ran the anchor leg on the 2nd place 12 and under 800-meter relay team.



RCMS 8th grader Katie Burdette runs the second leg of the winning 800-meter relay team from RCMS. Katie also placed 3rd in the 400-meter dash, 4th in the 200-meter dash, and 5th in the 55-meter dash.



RCMS 7th grader Nicole Locklear clears the high jump bar at the Falcon Indoor Challenge Meet held at Indiana University. Nicole placed 4th in the event and also ran lead leg on the winning 800-meter relay team.

Earnhardt, Jr. wins 46th Daytona 500

By Gerald Hodges/The Racing Reporter
"This is the most awesome event in my life," said Dale Earnhardt Jr. after winning the season opening Daytona 500, Sunday, Feb. 15.

Earnhardt was clearly the fans' choice. As he took the lead from Tony Stewart for the last time during lap 181, almost the entire 200,000 fans in attendance stood and cheered.

"The 8 car was the class of the field," said second-place finisher Tony Stewart.

Stewart led the most laps (97), but it was Earnhardt's No. 8 that moved to the front of the field as the laps began to wind down in the 200-lap race. Stewart tried, but he was never able to get close enough to make a run and finished three car-lengths back.

His father, Dale Sr. won his only Daytona 500 in 1998 after 20 tries. Dale Jr. got his first win the fifth time.

"I was taught so many lessons by this place before I ever got behind the wheel," Earnhardt said. "I'm glad I don't have to worry about winning the 500 anymore. That's awesome."

There have only been two other father/son wins in the Daytona 500. They are Lee and Richard Petty, and Bobby and Davey Allison.

"We kept working on the car, throwing combination after combinations together, and I am so proud of my team," continued Stewart. "We ran a good race, and he (Dale Jr.) and I have worked together for three years on the restrictor-plate races."

"As long as we can run one-two, that's O.K. He got his today. I'll get mine next year."

Rookie Scott Wimmer held on for a surprising third-place finish. He briefly held the lead after gambling on his final pit stop - taking only two tires - but he didn't have enough grip to hold on.

Wimmer still faces drunken-driving charges after crashing a team truck last month. NASCAR, which has a zero-tolerance policy on substance abuse, hasn't decided whether to punish the driver.

Kevin Harvick and Jimmie Johnson rounded out the top-five. A multi-car melee eliminated Michael Waltrip, Jamie McMurray

and Ryan Newman from contention on lap 71.

The accident began as Johnny Sauter, Brian Vickers and Waltrip ran three-wide coming out of turn 2. Sauter got a bit loose entering the back straightaway and slid up the track into Vickers, who then slid up into defending Daytona 500 champion Waltrip.

Waltrip slammed into the outside retaining wall, slid across the track, flipped several times and ended up on his roof in the infield grass.

"When the car stopped, I was pinned bad," Waltrip said. "I felt like I was in a box and I couldn't get out. I didn't appreciate the way the safety crews were going about it and I was trying to tell them just to turn the car over."

"I'd already flipped 10 times or five times or two times - I don't know how many times. All they had to do was flip it back over and I could

get out. They were cutting bars."

"The whole car was on top of me. I don't know what bar they thought they were going to cut that would have alleviated the hole I was in."

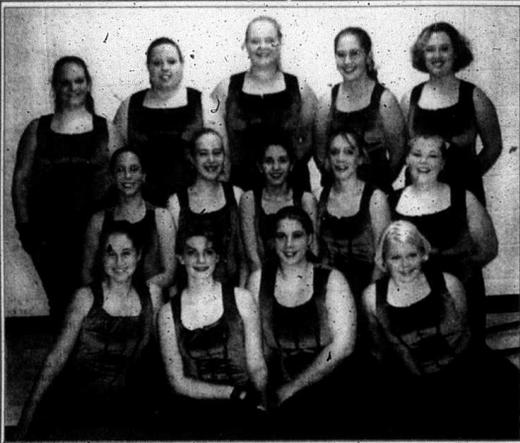
The 12 cars that were involved in the wreck, included John Andretti, Kevin Lepage, Terry Labonte, Scott Riggs, Newman, Waltrip, Vickers, Sauter, Robby Gordon, Sterling Marlin, McMurray and Kenny Schrader.

Fast qualifier Greg Biffle and team changed an engine in his No. 16 National Guard-Ford and he had to take up tail end when the race started. He finished 12th.

The Ford cars that had been so strong during practice did not make the top-five. Elliott Sadler drove the highest finishing Ford, which was seventh.

Finishing Order: 1. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 2. Tony Stewart, 3. Scott Wimmer, 4. Kevin Harvick, 5. Jimmie Johnson, 6. Joe Nemechek, 7. Elliott Sadler, 8. Jeff Gordon, 9. Matt Kenseth, 10. Dale Jarrett, 11. Bobby Labonte, 12. Greg Biffle, 13. John Andretti, 14. Casey Mears, 15. Dave-Blaney, 16. Kurt Busch, 17. Ward Burton, 18. Ricky Rudd, 19.

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The RCCHS Colorguard traveled to Warsaw, Kentucky to compete in the W.G.I. Tri-State Competitions. They placed third in their class and fifth overall, out of 25 competing. They plan to continue their success, as they travel to Hebron, Ky. on Saturday, February 21st. Pictured above, front row from left: Allison Carter, Samantha Anglin, Cassi Ramsey and Charli Felner. Second row from left: Jessica Norton, Hillary Davis, Elizabeth Bobo, Murphy Ramsey and Kasara Smith. Back row from left: Lori Miller, Krystal McFerron, Amanda Blankenship, Nikki Mullins and Courtney Rose.



All 10 seniors on the RCCHS volleyball team received all-state academic honors. The certificates were presented by head coach Larry Lee. In the photo are, front row, from left: Allison Anderkin, Krystal Parsons, Jenna Owens and Stephanie Price. Back row: Trisha Beth Lawwell, Sarah Mullins, Rachel Childress, Jenny Durham, Jessica Riddle and Coach Lee. Not present for the photo was Amanda Rogers.



The Rockcastle County High School football team recently held their awards banquet. Players receiving recognition are pictured above, from left: Jason Leger, District's Most Valuable Player and Academic All State Honorable Mention; Max Saylor, First Team All District; Graham Fay, First Team All District; Derreck Hurst, First Team All District; Chris Croucher, District's Best Linebacker; Caleb Blair, First Team All District and Academic All State Honorable Mention and Devon Bussell, First Team All District and First Team Academic All State. Not pictured were Devin Taylor who received District's Best Special Teams Player and Academic All State Honorable Mention and Nick Thomas, First Team All District.



From left: Charles Cuhagin, JV Defensive MVP; Chris Croucher, District's Best Linebacker; Max Saylor, First Team Academic All State; Dusty Miller, Freshman Offensive MVP and Shawn Childress, Freshman Defensive MVP. Not pictured were: Kenny Bartlett, JV Offensive MVP and Cody Alexander, Most Academic Senior and First Team Academic All State.



Receiving First Team Academic All State honors were, from left: Cody Lester, Gabe Gulliford, Charles Lovell (Honorable Mention), Charles Cuhagin, Donovan Pigg (Honorable Mention), Gabe Stallworth, Izak McQuary, Josh Garrison and Brad Durham. Not pictured were Josh Buslie, Josh Hayes, Justin Taylor and Brittany Perkins. Honorable Mention Academic All State winners not pictured were Jared Brown, Steven Everlope and Brandon Reams.

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In other action, the court approved the purchase of a table (seating eight) for \$1,250 as the Hall of Fame induction ceremony, to be held in Frankfort.

Accepted the settlement of County Clerk Norma Houk of \$17,180.66 in excess fees for calendar year 2003.

Approved the payment of \$200 to Perry Jones for property damage during excavation of a water line on Halcomb East Road by the county for the City of Mt. Vernon.

And, following an executive session, the court returned and made a motion to approved a \$300 per month increase for County Treasurer Joseph

Clontz which reflects an increased work load. A \$50 month increase was also granted to Kathy Robinson, in the office of the county attorney, to reflect her assistance and added work for the county.

"Hall of Fame"

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This year's inductees are Ricky Skaggs, Boots Randolph, The Coon Creek Girls, Howard and Vestal Goodman, J.D. Crowe, Billy Vaughn and Jerry Chestnut.

Kentucky Governor Ernie Fletcher will attend to present the Governor's Lifetime Achievement Award and Kentucky Music Ambassadors Award. The noted humorist Carl-Hurley will serve as Master of Ceremonies with Miss Kentucky MacKenzie Mayes to assist and also perform. A variety of entertainment

is planned for the induction ceremony.

Dwight Yoakam, Montgomery Gentry, Brian Littrell and Kevin Richardson, of the Backstreet Boys will also be honored.

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The 2004 County Spelling Bee Competition was held on Thursday, February 12, 2004, at the Rockcastle County Schools Central Office.

Representing the elementary schools and the middle school were four outstanding young people who had successfully competed in their individual schools' Spelling Bees. Broadhead Elementary's Spelling

Bee winner was Shane Winkler, a fifth grader from Mrs. Vicki Scott's room. Mt. Vernon Elementary student, Sarah Woodall, a fourth grader in Mrs. Paula Clark's room, represented her school as the Spelling Bee champ. Fifth grader Victor Coffey, a student in Mrs. Renée Burdette's class, was the Roundstone Elementary Spelling Bee representative.

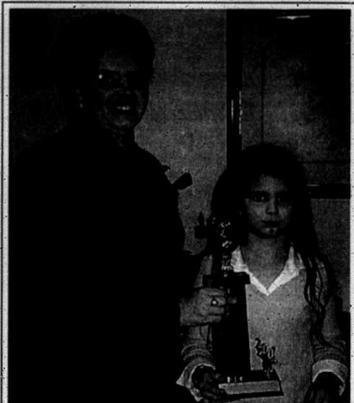
Rockcastle County Middle School's Spelling Bee Winner was John Lambert, a seventh grader on the Adventurers team.

After enduring five rounds of spelling words, Sarah Woodall from Broadhead will represent Rockcastle County as County Winner of the 2004 Kentucky Derby Festival State Spelling Bee. Second place winners were John Lambert and Shane Winkler while Victor Coffey was the third place speller.

The State Bee will take place at The Seelbach Hilton, 500 Fourth Avenue in Louisville, on Saturday, March 20, 2004. The Bee is scheduled to begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. Each state will send one winner to the Scripps Howard 76th Annual National Spelling Bee held in May in Washington, D.C.



District Spelling Bee participants from left: Victor Coffey from RES, John Lambert from RCMS, Shane Winkler from BES, and Sarah Woodall from MVES.



Mrs. Nancy Hale presents MVES student Sarah Woodall with a trophy for winning the District Spelling Bee last week.

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FFA Alumni Chili Supper & Auction

The annual FFA Alumni Chili Supper and Auction will be held Friday, February 20th at the high school. The Chili Supper will begin at 5:30 p.m. and the auction at 7 p.m. Come join us for a great time. Proceeds go toward helping FFA students with scholarships, state and annual convention expenses, camp and many other functions held throughout the year.

Bookmobile Schedule
Mon., Feb. 23: Maple Grove, Orlando, Climax and Three Links.
Tues. Feb. 24: Spino, Level Green and Willalla.
Wed., Feb. 25: No service.

Donations needed by First Baptist Mission.
First Baptist Church Mission needs monetary and food donations, as well as maternity clothes, jeans of all sizes, plus-size for females and coats of all sizes (male and female). Only accepting winter clothing. Please bring these clothing and other donations to the mission on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and on Saturdays 10:30-11:30 a.m. Thank you for helping us to help others.

Kiwanis Club
Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at Kastle Inn. All visitors welcome.

GED Classes
Christian Appalachian Project Adult Learning Center holds GED classes on Mon. and Tues., 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Wed., Thurs and Fri. from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Online GED, computer classes and tutoring are also available. The Center is located on Hwy. 25, north of Mt. Vernon on Greenfish Hill. For information, call 606-256-5307.

Extension Notes
A history education course will begin tonight, February 19, and will continue on Friday and Saturday at RCMS. The course will begin on Thursday evening, 6 to 9 p.m., continue on Friday, 6 to 9 and conclude on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call 256-2403 for additional information.

Republican Party Note
The Republican Party meets the

first Tuesday of every month at Kastle Inn Restaurant at 6 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Are you sick and tired... of being sick and tired? S.W.A.T. team for alcoholics and drug addiction will meet at Northside Baptist Church, Thursday at 7 p.m. Beginning Feb. 2nd, meeting Monday through Saturday at noon, as well as Thursday night.

Retired Teachers' Note
Rockcastle County Retired Teachers will meet Monday, Feb. 23rd at 6 p.m. at Kastle Inn.

Northside and Pizza Hut Team to fight world hunger!
Northside Baptist Youth and Pizza Hut are teaming up to fight world hunger! On February 24, from 5 to 8 p.m., the youth will be serving at Pizza Hut, or you can eat buffet from 5 to 7 p.m., and all tips will go to help fight world hunger.

DBDC Directors Meeting.
Daniel Boone Development Council will have a board of directors meeting on February 24th at 6 p.m. in Rockcastle county at the Rockcastle County Senior Citizens Center. The public is invited to attend.

WRVFD Fish Fry
Western Rockcastle Volunteer Fire Dept. will hold its monthly fish fry Sat. Feb. 21st at the Quail Fairhome on Hwy. 70. Carryouts will begin at 3 p.m. All carryouts are \$6 each. Carryout menu consists of three pieces of fish, 3 hot puppies, one slice, baked potato or french fries and a drink. Debbie's table. Drop-in begins at 5:30 p.m. All time-in discounts are \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. Proceeds go to WRVFD.

Free Return at Library
Don't forget, February is Love My Library Month. Return any books, DVDs or CDs. If you find a book you've forgotten, have you found a library book lying around the house and been embarrassed to return it? Put it in the drop box out front. We'll just be happy to get the book back. It may be one that someone else has been waiting for.

Broadhead Lodge Meeting
Broadhead Lodge #566 F&AM will meet at 7:30 p.m. the third Saturday of every month.



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News from the Rockcastle County Courthouse

District Civil Suits

Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital vs. Rhonda Barron, \$2,914.46 plus claimed due. C-00012.
 Berea Hospital vs. James E. Coffey, \$381.60 plus claimed due. C-00013.
 Cumbers Heritage FCU FKA vs. Michael L. Cummins, \$1,582.84 plus claimed due. C-00014.
 Castle Village Apts. vs. Terry Roy, forcible detainer complaint. C-00015.
 Castle Village Apts. vs. Barbara Singletad, forcible detainer complaint. C-00016.
 Castle Village Apts. vs. Jessica Day, forcible detainer complaint. C-00017.

Small Claims

Rentway, Inc. vs. Ralph Thomas, \$4,064 plus claimed due. S-00005.
 Patsy Kay Thomas vs. State Farm Mutual Auto Ins. Co., \$1,161.90.

Circuit Civil Suits

Terry Kidd vs. Oscar Gibbons, complaint for medical support. CI-00037.
 Jacqueline R. Shoffner vs. Michael K. Shoffner, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00038.
 Equity One, Inc. vs. Tim C. Cottrill, \$16,253.96 plus claimed due. CI-00039.
 Russell Collins vs. Annette H. Collins, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00040.
 Albert Easter vs. Tracy Easter, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00041.

Walter Mortgage Co. vs. James Sparks, et al. complaint. CI-00042.

Deeds Recorded

Flora Neal, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Clinton and Lynn L. Graves. Tax \$85.00.
 Cleveland W. and Connie L. Williams, real property located on Lambert Road, to John W. Erwin, Jr. Tax \$38.50.
 Janet Velasquez, real property located in Rockcastle Co., to David and Barbara Nelson. Tax \$19.00.

Marriage Licenses

Betty Ann Bowling, 24, Mt. Vernon, teacher, to Kenneth Adam Holt, 23, Mt. Vernon, construction. 2/13/04.
 Ravin Nora King, 40, Mt. Vernon, truck driver, to Jerry Charles Cain, 40, Mt. Vernon, truck driver. 2/02/04.

District Court

January 28, 2004
 Kristin F. Wilder: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear. Richard Dean York: Alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.
 William H. Renner: No operator's required license, \$25 fine and costs; Failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine. No expired registration plates, \$25 fine.
 Howard Cameron: Theft by deception, \$10 fine and costs and 10 days in jail conditionally discharged one year plus restitution.
 Clarence Bradley: Fines/fees due. (\$185.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

failure to appear.
 Johnny Pingleton: Public intoxication, \$50 fine and costs and 30 days in jail to serve 10 balance conditionally discharged one year.
 James R. Barrett: Failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine and costs.
 Wilma Kay Boyd: Speeding and no/expired other state registration, license suspended for failure to appear.
 Scotty R. Brown: Fines/fees due (\$200.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 Scotty J. Bullens: Fines/fees due (\$120.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 Matt Buswell: No/expired registration plates, \$25 fine and costs; No insurance, \$500 fine/suspend \$450 on proof.
 Brandt Carroll: License to be in possession, \$25 fine and costs.
 Corneil Goodlow, Jr.: Operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$250 service fee, \$10 victim compensation fund, 30 day operator license suspension.
 Raymond Crabtree: No insurance, license suspended for failure to appear.

February 9, 2004
 Gloria S. Foley: Speeding, \$36 fine and costs; Possessing license when privileges are revoked/suspended, \$25 fine (suspended).
 Lucas Ryan Gibson: Entry on land to shoot/hunt/fish/trap w/o consent, \$25 fine and costs/suspend fine.
 Michael Harmon: Entry on land to shoot/hunt/fish/trap w/o consent, \$25 fine and costs.
 Jason Anthony Harris: Entry on land to shoot/hunt/fish/trap w/o consent, \$25 fine and costs/fine suspended.
 Michael L. Hobbs: Speeding, state traffic school authorized on payment of costs only.

Shawn Holsing: Public intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.
 Karen D. Jones: License not in possession, \$50 fine.
 Cynthia A. Lawson: Fines/fees due (\$373.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 Donnie L. Lunsford: Operating suspended/revoked operator's license, 30 days in jail/current; Failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine/suspended; No/expired registration plates, \$25 fine.
 Mike Marlow: Fines/fees due (\$110.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 Paul Milburn: Fines/fees due (\$140.50), 6 days in jail or payment.
 Steve Milburn: Fines/fees due (\$494.40, \$96.35, \$160.50 and \$210.50), 38 days in jail or payment.
 Korry A. Northern: Theft by deception, \$10 fine and costs, restitu-

tion, 10 days in jail/conditionally discharged one year.
 Daniel H. Novak: Reckless driving, \$100 fine and costs.
 Kelly O'Kiely: Criminal trespass, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 Charlie R. Page, Jr.: Assault, \$100 fine and costs and 30 days in jail/conditionally discharged one year.
 Jackie Rayburn: Fines/fees due (\$60.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.
 William Renner: Alcohol intoxication (two counts), \$50 fine and costs each.
 Kenneth R. Rogers, Jr.: Speeding, \$60 fine and costs.
 Sonya R. Robe: Speeding and no insurance, license suspended for failure to appear.
 David L. Rowe: Speeding, state traffic school authorized; Insurance card not in possession, \$50 fine.
 Angela Smith: Possession open alcoholic beverage container in motor vehicle, \$25 fine and costs; Alcohol intoxication, \$25 fine.

February 9, 2004
 Scotty R. Brown: Alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs; Drinking alcoholic beverage in public place, \$50 fine; Possession open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle, \$25 fine.
 Daniel L. Caden: Aggravated assault, \$100 and costs plus 90 days to serve 10 balance conditionally discharged two years.
 Jeremy Caldwell: Possession of marijuana, \$100 and costs and 10 days/conditionally discharged one year; Fines/fees due (\$210.50), 10 days/conditional; Public intoxication, \$50 fine and 10 days/conditionally discharged one year.

Ray Ann Caldwell: Contempt of court (four counts), fines/fees due, 145 days consecutive for willful failure to pay or appear.
 Darrell Edward Doan: Fines/fees due (\$618.50 and \$210.50), warrant issued.
 Christopher B. Fletcher: Contempt of court, libel/slander, 190 days for willful failure to pay or appear 6/23/04.
 William H. Renner: Menacing, \$50 and costs and 60 days to serve 10 balance/conditionally discharged one year; Terroristic Threatening, \$50 fine and 60 days/current to

serve 10/balance conditionally discharged one year.
 James C. Robbins: No operator's license in possession, \$50 and costs.
 Darleen Schoelhamer: Assault, \$50 and costs and 30 days/conditionally discharged one year.
 February 9, 2004
 Kevin L. Parks: Faulty equipment, \$25 and costs.
 Natasha Abner: Public intoxication, \$50 and costs and 10 days/conditionally discharged.
 Ronald Carosello: Failure to maintain required security, \$500 and costs/suspend \$450 on condition.
 Brenda F. Houk: Theft by unlawful taking, \$250 and costs and 60 days to serve 30 plus restitution.
 Mary B. Cain: Fines/fees due (\$55.50), warrant issued/license suspended.
 Joseph Shawn Holsing: Operator on suspended/revoked operator's license, \$50 and costs; Bail jumping, \$50 fine.
 Tamara Holyfield: Speeding, paid.

Christian W. Horton: Speeding, paid \$126.50.
 Jason Lee Lear: Operating motor vehicle under influence alcohol/drugs (under 21), \$100 and costs and \$250 service fee, \$20 victim compensation fund, license suspended 30 days, ADE and counseling ordered.
 Kristin L. Marlow: Failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine; Driving on suspended license, \$100 fine.
 Daniel W. Martin: Theft by unlawful taking and bail jumping, warrant issued.
 John Delno McClure: Criminal possession forged instrument, three counts, 12 months/concurrent.
 Kevin McCoy: Fines/fees due (\$138.50, \$600.50 and \$125.50), warrant issued/license suspended.
 Miranda Pedro Mendez: No operator's license, \$50 and costs; Improper registration, \$50 fine.
 Cassandra M. Neal: Speeding, \$88 and costs/state traffic school authorized on payment of fine and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.
 Wayne R. Owens: Fines/fees due (\$264.50), 60 days previously assessed now imposed or payment.
 Kessa Nicol Patton: Speeding, paid \$24 plus costs.

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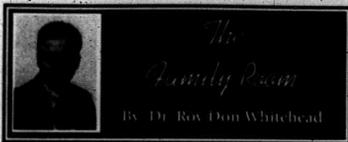
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Sat., Feb. 21, 2004 at 2:30 p.m.
 Main Street, Livingston, Ky.

LOCATION: Main Street in Livingston across from the Livingston school property. Auction signs are posted.
 In order to settle the estate of the late Mr. William Kelley, his heirs have authorized our firm to sell this property for the absolute high dollar.
 The above pictured Masonic siding house features large foyer, living room, television room, kitchen with cabinets, utility closer, two bedrooms and bath. This home also has a new heart-pump, four closets, and wall-to-wall carpet.
 There is also a breezeway to the two-car garage with automatic opener, as well as a blacktop drive and a storage building.
 This home is situated on a lot measuring approximately 1/2 acre with city water and city sewer.
AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: If you're looking for a nice home in the Livingston area, then be sure to check this property out and mark your calendar to attend this absolute auction.
NOTE: The purchaser of a single family residence, built before 1978, has a maximum of 30 days to inspect the property for the presence of lead base paint. The period for inspection begins February 11th through February 20th. The successful bidder must sign a waiver of the 10 day post sale inspection period.
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By Dr. Roy Don Whitehead

It has happened again. It happened in Lexington, Kentucky last week. A husband shot his wife. When paramedics and firefighters arrived ahead of the police, one firefighter started toward the house. Before she could get there, she was shot and killed by the husband. The wife also died.

Coming on the heels of a murder-suicide here in Somerset in January, this incident stands as a stark re-

minder that domestic violence can be fatal. In Lexington two women were killed. In Somerset the husband shot his wife and then killed himself.

Most victims of domestic abuse underestimate the danger in which they find themselves. "He would never hit me," one lady said about her verbally abusive husband. "He would never kill me," another reported. Both of the women recently killed by their spouses probably did

not see themselves as in real danger, but any abuser is capable of anything.

As regular readers of this column know, I have a more than passing interest in the subject of domestic violence. For the past ten years I have served as the counselor at Bethany House Abuse Shelter in Somerset. This shelter provides a safe place, counseling and other services for victims of domestic violence in the ten county area of the Lake Cumberland Area Development District. A shelter in Mt. Vernon provides similar services in that area.

The women who come to us at Bethany House are often the most battered. They pay nothing for their room, board and counseling. With a state budget that gets tighter and tighter, we have to look for other ways to fund the services that we provide, hence, this appeal to you. We hope to raise more than \$30,000 in our first ever reverse raffle. **FIRST ANNUAL BETHANY HOUSE REVERSE RAFFLE ONLY 400 HUNDRED TICKETS SOLD** Grand Prize - \$5,000 in cash Consolation Prize - \$1,000 Tickets are \$100

Contributors are invited to dinner on Friday, April 16, at 7:00 p.m. at the Center for Rural Development in Somerset. Prizes will be awarded then, but you do not have to be present to win. If you want to help victims of abuse, make your check for \$100 payable to Bethany House Abuse Shelter.

When we receive your check, we will send you the appropriate papers that take care of your contribution and provide details about the raffle. When you send your check, please note whether or not you and a guest will be attending the dinner.

I do not make fund raising appeals very often and would do so only for an organization in which I strongly believe. I believe in Bethany House.

If you can help, send your check to me at Bethany House Abuse Shelter, P.O. Box 864, Somerset, KY 42502. Check with your tax advisor for details, but most of this contribution should be tax deductible. (If you cannot purchase a ticket, a contribution of any amount would be appreciated.)

Thank you for any help you can give. Because domestic violence can be fatal, you may be saving someone's life.

Meeting to be held for newly forming American Legion Post

Submitted by David DeBoard
Mt. Vernon Lions Club president David DeBoard would like to share the latest news to people of Rockcastle County and the community.

Our newest member, John Horn, was recently welcomed by all members.

Horn is an Army E-2 Veteran. He has been a Veteran since 1968 in Paintsville and service officer for Post 50 for two years. He served at Veterans Hospital in Lexington as a representative for seven counties. He also served as secretary-treasurer for two years and has been a lifetime

member of the D.A.V. President DeBoard and Mt. Vernon Lions Club members are working with Horn in trying to establish an American Legion Post for Veterans in Rockcastle County. We would like to draw attention to all Veterans to attend an upcoming meeting March 1st at 6:30 p.m. at Kastle Inn Restaurant. Lion Alfred McNew, a Veteran, will also be participating in this goal for Rockcastle County.

We need charter members in order to get this service underway. DeBoard would like to strongly urge and say that kids are very important to us and our Veterans are deeply appreciated for all they have done for our country and freedom. Let's join with Lion John Horn in trying to get an American Legion Post started in Rockcastle County. You can call John Horn at 256-8730 for more information.



Lions Club president David DeBoard

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Just off Hwy. 461 - Sunnyside Estates - 3 bedrooms, 2 bath double wide. \$49,900. M1709.



Storybook Charm at 100 Silver Street, Brodhead 1-2 bedrooms, bath, family room on second floor - basement w/ additional family room - hardwood & carpet - electric heat - city water and sewer - plus a block multi-purpose building - 2 nice lots! \$59,900. M1769.



SALE PENDING! Motivated Owners Say Sell! 3 bedroom vinyl home - metal roof, city water, heat pump, central air. Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs section). M1723



Country Living & Value! 1997 model 14x70 located on Bowling Ridge Road - 3 bedrooms, bath, electric heat, central air, washer/dryer hookup. \$25,000. M1802



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Business Opportunity - Over 1 acre lot - 271 ft. frontage on Rockcastle's busiest street. City water, sewer, three phase electric on site. Rent to add other business or to operate existing car wash, or lease to build for new business. Available immediately. M1831

SALE PENDING! Maple Drive, Mt. Vernon - Commercial building and lot known as former State Highway Garage. 1.36 acres m/l - metal building - 2400+ sq. ft., concrete floor. M1800B

Along I-75 - Renfro Valley - Just off YU.S. 25, this 25 acre tract m/l has city water & sewer available. \$600,000. M1807.

NEW DEVELOPMENT - 60+ lots - panoramic views - all underground utilities - blacktop streets - restricted for your protection. Range from 0.34 acres to 1.11 acres & priced between \$15,000 and \$22,000. M1625.

Brodhead - Lot 18 - Mountain View Estates -



Country Serenity! 18 acres, m/l, lovely 4 bedroom home, gas heat, city water, 30x50 and 120x20 barns. \$95,500. M1809



Great Starter Home/Rental Investment! Convenient location of Joyce Street, Mt. Vernon. Cozy 2 bedroom home, central heat & air, some appliances, city water & sewer, KU electric. \$59,900. M1819.



SOLD! Recently Remodeled! Super spacious vinyl sided 4 bedroom 2 bath home, heat pump, central air, 2 car garage, storage building. Situated on 3 acres m/l, Hwy. 1505, Brodhead M1777



Quality & Value! 25 Mill Street, Mt. Vernon - 3 bedroom home with gas furnace, baseboard heat, fireplace. **REDUCED TO \$59,900.** M1793



120 Lewis Street, Mt. Vernon. 3 bedrooms, 1-1/2 bath wood siding home with basement, fuel oil heat, central air, wall to wall carpet, chain link fence, city water & sewer. \$94,900. M1800A



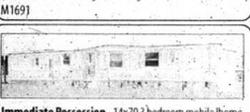
Country Cute! 3 bedroom vinyl home, electric & gas heat, central air, 2 car detached garage, 10x18 storage building on 1 acre m/l with plenty of shade trees. **Just Reduced to \$74,900.** M1806



Main Street! Livingston - vinyl sided 3 bedroom home with efficient oil-fired hot water heating system, fireplace, nice lot, 24x30 storage building. **REDUCED TO \$62,500!** M1691



Available Now! Brand new 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, city water & sewer, Trane heat pump, central air, located on Wallin Street, Brodhead. \$119,900. M1820



Immediate Possession - 14x70 3 bedroom mobile home-fuel oil heat, drapes, blinds & dryer included. 1/2 acre m/l - Bowling Ridge Road, Brodhead. \$15,000. Additional 1/2 acre available for \$5,000. M1803 -



Perfect Country Setting - Spacious vinyl/rock sided 3 bedroom, 2 bath home w/basement, family room, heat pump/central air, some marble flooring, storage building, workshop, cellar, immaculately landscaped one acre Orlando section. \$98,000. M1808

LOTS

100x175 m/l - \$12,900. M1795
Large Country Lots - Holbrook Estates - Lots range from 3/4 to 1 acre, great views, city water, cable tv, restricted. Brindle Ridge area - convenient to Mt. Vernon or Berea. \$9,900 to \$13,900. M1796
City Water/Sewer Available - 1.37 acres by survey - Dailey Ave., Mt. Vernon. \$24,900. M1742
Quail Community 2 county lots on Hwy. 70 - 97/100 acre and 1.16 acres - city water available. \$22,500 for both. M1799
Between I-75 & Hwy. 461 - Over 100 restricted lots - Rainbow Ridge Subd. Some has lake frontage & several offer lakeview - city water available. \$7,900 to \$16,900. M1798

Land

65 Acre Farm - Ottawa Section - 59.61 acres by survey plus a 5 acre tract (this tract restricted) by boundary - 32x96 barn w/ 24x96 shed, 2054 lb. tobacco base. \$144,900. M1829
72 Acres Woodland - Walnut, Oak & Poplar timber. Cove Branch Rd., Orlando section. **Reduced to \$74,900.** M1748

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Hunter Education course offered

4-H Youth Development

John McCreary
Rockcastle County Extension Office

Attention youth!! There will be a Hunter Education course offered February 19, 20, and 21, at the Rockcastle Co. Middle School. The program will begin on Thursday evening from 6:00 to 9:00 pm. Friday evening hours are also 6:00 to

9:00 pm. The test will be given in the Friday night session. The course will conclude with range work on Saturday - from 8:00 am to approximately 1:00 pm. Participants must attend all three sessions.

Anyone born after 1975, and planning to hunt this fall will need to take this course. Call a neighbor or a friend and bring them to this important course. Call the Extension Office at 256-2403 or RCMS at 256-5118 for more details.

Educational programs of the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.



Let me introduce myself. I am Kaiden Riley Doan. I was born to Ashley and Andy Doan on December 26, 2003. My grandparents are Carl and Helen Doan and Robert and Rhonda McFerron. My great grandma and grandpa, James and Doris Sowder live in Cincinnati. My other great grandma and grandpa, Andrew and Flossie McFerron live in Mt. Vernon. I have a big brother, named Cager. When I get big, we will have lots of fun times together.



Notice!
In case you missed it last week Bonnie Barron's birthday was February 15th. Happy Birthday



Golden Wedding Anniversary

Lloyd and Jean Nicely Cash will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on February 20, 2004. Samuel Miller united them in marriage on February 20, 1954. This union has blessed them with one daughter, Peggy Robbins of Brodehead, and one son, Lonnie Lynn, deceased. They also have two grandsons, Christopher and Andrew.

You can help Lloyd and Jean celebrate this special day by sending a card and any special memories to Rt. 4 Box 212, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. Wishing them many more special years. We love you Mom and Dad. *—Your daughter and her family.*

Local DAR meets

The Rockcastle Chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution met on Tuesday, February 10 at the First Christian Church. Fifteen members and one guest were present. After the opening ritual and brief committee reports a drawing was held for an Afghan made by Ms. Janice Ramsey, a charter member who is now deceased. The lucky winner of the Afghan was Mrs. Belle Huff.

Mrs. Lindsay Dowell Gabbard, speaker for the evening, presented a program on Women's Health Issues. In her presentation she emphasized the importance of a healthy diet and plenty of exercise. As she explained the food pyramid, she pointed out that recent research stresses the importance of fish, vegetables, nuts and

dairy products as a means of preventing cancer, heart disease and other ailments. She showed models of the right portion sizes, and pointed out ways to insure getting the right amount of vitamins and minerals. She even provided samples!

Lindsay and her fellow dieticians at Rockcastle Hospital have implemented a supervised diet program for adults. To enroll in the program the patient is required to have a medical examination and a referral from a doctor.

The Chapter meeting for March will also be at First Christian Church. Ann Henderson will give a program on "Preserving Family History and Heirlooms."

Library News

Even with the weather teasing us the way it does at times the Rockcastle County Library is still a very busy place! It is tax time and of course the library has those forms that you love to fill out each year. There is a small fee for copying forms-out of the tax binder, other than that the other forms are free of charge.

Don't forget that February is Love My Library Month! Bring back any items; books, videos, audios and the Time will be forgotten. Drop them in the drop box outside the library and they will want to 'lo!' it! Get the slate wiped clean.

Tuesday February 10th, the Story-hour kids, PJ's Daycare and Early Headstart had a Valentine Party. Thanks to Betty Bowling for the special treats that were brought on behalf of Early Headstart! Thanks to all of the mom's, grandmas and caregivers for bringing the children and having a wonderful time. The children were so well behaved. We had 26 children altogether and a bunch of adults. My hat is off to all of you!

So often things that seem so insignificant are what make the greatest impression! To all of you who make a special effort to bring your little ones to Story hour I salute you. It wasn't until I began working here that I realized what a very special place the public library is and can be! Having the foresight to see the importance of the public library setting and introducing the children to it is to be commended. Thanks to everyone for making that happen.

Harold Burdette will be on hand February 24th to present Andy Warhol from the Storybook Chautauqua group. ANDY WARHOL was a 20th Century American Pop Art leader who based artwork on images taken from popular culture.

March is Read Across America Month. We have some big plans in the works for that month. The very first week in March Dr. Seuss will be 100 years old March 2nd. The Rockcastle County Public Library is celebrating during Story hour at 1:00 p.m. with a play by the Middle School Touring Theatre based on a children's book by Paul Brett Johnson. That same day we will have

the Reading social for the "Books For Bikes" program at 4:00 p.m. All of the students participating in this event must have their summaries in to the library by Saturday February 28th to qualify for the drawing of the bicycles. Ten top boy, and ten top girl readers names will be put in a drawing to win a bicycle. There will be more on this event in next week's paper!

Ms. Hazel Jackson came to the library to do a charm bracelet class with some of her local crafting buddies, Ms. Betty Ann Whitaker and Ms. Joyce Mink. We want to thank Ms. Hazel for conducting this class here at the library. So far we are using the first Wednesday in the month as the day and 1:00 p.m. for the time for Hazel to come and share her talents with any and all who are interested, there is no charge. Next month Hazel will be doing photo refrigerator magnets. Bring a pair of paper cutter scissors and three or four photos you don't mind putting up to make the magnets.

If you aren't a current patron of the library why not make today the day you drive down and get a free library card! All it costs is a little of your time to fill out for a card to begin enjoying all of the many resources your public library has to offer. Make the connection, connect@your library!



Story book-Chautauqua presenter Harold Burdette portrays Andy Warhol, a 20th Century American Pop Art Leader, Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. February 24th at the Rockcastle Library!



Hazel Jackson, Betty Whitaker, and Joyce Mink enjoy making charm bracelets at the library.

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MARCH

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Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court - Division I Civil Action No. 03-CI-00240

Cuna Mutual Mortgage Corp. Plaintiff
v.
David Smith and Jessica Smith Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 26, 2004, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of SEVENTY NINE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED NINE DOLLARS AND 84/100 (\$79,909.84) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. 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, February 27, 2004
Beginning at the Hour of 12:30 p.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows: Beginning at a 20 inch cedar tree, located in the east right of way of the Brodehead-Chestnut Ridge Road and being a corner to Richard Cheatam; thence with the fence line of Chestnut N 33 deg. 23'35" E, 168.78 feet to a double oak tree; a common corner to Deathead and Dale Sowder; thence with the fence line of Sowder N 37 deg. 27'00" W, 72.26 feet to an oak tree; thence N 44 deg. 36'39" W, 189.33 feet to an oak; thence N 16 deg. 15'27" W, 67.40 feet to a fence post; thence N 08 deg. 43'27" W, 45.11 feet to a fence post; thence N 21 deg. 20'19" E, 100.19 feet to a fence post; thence with a down fence line of Sowder, N 84 deg. 17'00" E, 107.25 feet to a point, located in East right of way of the Brodehead-Chestnut Ridge Road and being a corner to Sowder; thence going with said right of way S 04 deg. 37'31" E, 102.46 feet to a point in right of way; thence S 14 deg. 35'11" E, 75.89 feet to a point in right of way; thence S 20 deg. 58'05" E, 102.23 feet to a point in right of way; thence S 15 deg. 28'25" E, 68.43 feet to the point of beginning and containing 1.28 acres.

Being the same real property which David E. Smith and Jessica M. Smith obtained by deed dated December 7, 2001, executed by Terry Harris, et ux, of record in Deed Book 187, page 406 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & 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.

- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve (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.
- Unpaid taxes or liens of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2004 local, county and state property taxes.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- 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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For Sale: Bedford stone home in Livingston - three bedrooms, two baths and three car garage. All appliances stay. Also has rental house on property with three bedrooms. For details, call 606-453-9307. 16x8p

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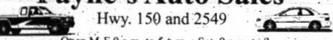
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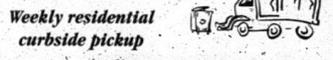
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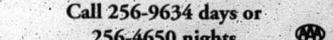
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Notice is hereby given that Eddie Nation, Rt. 4, Box 233-113, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administrator of the estate of **Pauline Nation.** Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Eddie Nation or to **Willis G. Coffey, P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** on or before August 10, 2004. 17x3

Notice: I will not be responsible for debts may by anyone other than myself. **Timmy Kirby, Sr. 14x4p**

Notice is given that Ciell Swinney, Rt. 5, Box 48, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed Administrator of the estate of **Walker Keith Swinney** on the 26th day of January, 2004. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Ciell Swinney or to **Jerry J. Cox, Clontz & Cox, P.O. Box 1350, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** on or before July 28, 2004. 16x3

Notice is hereby given that Freda Marler, P.O. Box 1193, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed executor of the estate of **Charles Denver Marler** on the 26th day of January, 2004. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Freda Marler or to **William D. Gregory, P.O. Drawer 220, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** on or before July 28, 2004. 16x3

Notice is hereby given that Lora L. Lambert Todd, Rt. 3, Box 396, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administrator of the estate of **Terence B. Todd** on the 28th day of January, 2004. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Lora L. Lambert Todd or to **Kendall Duerson, Duerson and Duerson, P.O. Box 523, Berea, Ky. 40403** on or before July 28, 2004. 17x3

16x3
Notice: No trespassing on property known as C.B. Owens Farm located on Fairgrounds in Broadhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 25x1

Posted: No trespassing on Crawford Place-Old Broadhead Road. **Danny Smith. 47th**

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property owned by Doug and Judy Brock known as Brock's North Hill Farm at Mareburg consisting of the Swinney Place, Brock Place, Hensley Farm. 31x1

Notice is hereby given that Mildred A. Broadbent, 517 Wood Lake Dr., LaGrange, Ky. 40031 and Freda F. Ferguson, 8352 Labarra Ln., Indianapolis, Ind. 46236 have been appointed co-personal representatives of the estate of **Troy Mason** on the 23rd day of January, 2004. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Mildred A. Broadbent or **Freda Faye Ferguson** or to **Steven Connolly, 438 Chestnut Street, Berea, Ky. 40403** on or before July 28, 2004. 16x3

Posted: No trespassing on property belonging to Estell and Marie Kirby on Cupps Chapel Rd. in Broadhead. 16x3

Notice is hereby given that John G. Eaton, Jr., P.O. Box 899, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 and David L. Eaton, Sr., P.O. Box 384, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 have been appointed co-executors of the estate of **Aleene B. Eaton**, Sr. or to **William D. Reynolds, P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** on or before August 11, 2004. 18x3

Notice is hereby given Betty Moore, P.O. Box 653, Broadhead, Ky. 40409 has been appointed administrator of the estate of **William Gene Phelps** on the 10th day of February, 2004. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Betty Moore or to **William D. Reynolds, P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** on or before August 11, 2004. 18x3

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to Ezekiel and Nancy Miller on Deboré Rd., Mt. Vernon. Violators will be prosecuted. 17x3

Notice is hereby given that Vivian Barton, Rt. 1, Box 436B, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administratrix of the estate of **Carroll (Carl) Barton** on the 4th day of February, 2004. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Vivian Barton or to **Clontz & Cox, P.O. Box 1350, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** on or before August 4, 2004. 17x3

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on land belonging to J.B. Baker and located in the Climax Area. 17x2p

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to Danny and Kathy Lunford at Rt. 3, Broadhead, Ky. All violators will be prosecuted. 17x2p

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Greenpoint Credit, LLC Plaintiff

V.

Garl S. Renfro and Kevin D. Renfro Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 22, 2004, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of **FORTY SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY EIGHT DOLLARS AND 97/100 (\$46,578.97)** plus interest, costs and attorney fees. 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, February 27, 2004 Beginning at the Hour of 1:00 p.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows: Beginning at a steel pin on north side of Kentucky 1229, 1931 N.E. of Kentucky 1650 at Ottawa, (corner to Harms); thence with Kentucky 1229 as follows: 5.99 deg. W 103 feet to a steel pin and 57.4 deg. 10 minutes W 20 feet to steel pin (corner to lot no. 2); thence with lot no. 2, N 25 deg. 15 minutes E 217.6 feet to steel pin (new corner to W Praxley); thence with W Praxley and Harms S 48 deg. 40 minutes E 206 feet to the beginning and containing 0.44 acres more or less.

The above described real property is improved by a 2004 Clayton Homes, Inc. Leasor 16880 mobile home, serial no. CLM05357FN.

Being the same real property which Garl S. Renfro obtained by deed dated March 24, 2000 of record in Deed Book 179, page 113 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

- The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:**
1. The mobile home and property shall be sold together as a whole.
 2. 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.
 3. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve (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 security for the payment of the purchase price.
 4. Unpaid taxes or liens of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
 5. The purchaser shall pay the 2004 local, county and state property taxes.
 6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
 7. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
 8. 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.

Willis G. Coffey, Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court

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V.

Michael P. Carrier, et al Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 26, 2004, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of **FORTY EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN DOLLARS AND 98/100 (\$48,237.98)** plus interest, costs and attorney fees. 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, February 27, 2004 Beginning at the Hour of 12:00 p.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows: All that certain parcel of land situate in the County of Rockcastle, State of Kentucky, being known and designated as Beginning at a stake in the right of way of Old Kentucky 70 (corner to Kidd); thence with Kidd S 45 deg. 45 min. E 230 feet to stake; thence with G.D. Burton as follows: N 46 deg. E 110 feet to a stake, N 45 deg. 30 min. W 230 feet to the stake in the right of way; thence with same S 46 deg. W 110 feet to the beginning, containing 0.5 acres more or less.

Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highways and easements.

Being the same real property which Michael P. Carrier and Regina J. Carrier obtained by deed dated August 9, 1993 of record in Deed Book 151, page 133 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk, Michael P. Carrier obtained the interest of Regina J. Carrier by deed dated December 26, 1998 of record in Deed Book 172, page 561 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

- The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:**
1. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of sixty (60) 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 (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 security for the payment of the purchase price.
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Willis G. Coffey, Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court

Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II
Civil Action No. 02-CI-00015

James Noe Plaintiff

V.

Patricia Kirby and Lonnie Philbeck Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on August 18, 2003, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of **SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND 00/100 26/100 (7,500.00)** plus interest, costs and attorney fees. 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, February 20, 2004 Beginning at the Hour of 12:30 p.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows: Beginning at a hickory tree in the right of way of the Chestnut Ridge Road; thence southerly 149 feet with Chestnut Ridge Road to a stone; thence easterly with drive to a stone 50 feet; thence northerly 29 feet to a locust stump; thence northerly 97 feet to a poplar tree; thence northerly 90 feet to a locust tree; thence southerly 300 feet with the line of Jim Swain to the beginning corner.

There is included from the above boundary and not herein conveyed a drive running from the second corner of this tract to the northerly direction to a poplar tree, fish corner, and being a width of twelve (12) feet.

There is further reserved an easement 12 feet in width for ingress and egress, for feet in being.

Being the same real property which Mortgages obtained by deed dated May 19, 1998, executed by the Lonnie Philbeck, et al., of record in Deed Book 170, page 272 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

- The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:**
1. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of sixty (60) 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 (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 security 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 2003 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. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
 7. 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.

Willis G. Coffey, Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court

Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II
Civil Action No. 03-CI-00027

Citizens Bank Plaintiff

V.

Martha Manning Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on November 24, 2003, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of **TEN THOUSAND SIXTY SIX DOLLARS AND 36/100 (10,066.36)** plus interest, costs and attorney fees. 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, February 20, 2004 Beginning at the Hour of 12:00 p.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded & described as follows: Lot #1 in Four Sons Subdivision. Recorded in Plat Book #3, Page #48.

Beginning at steel pin at the junction of Ky. 1326 and the West side of Cedar Street thence with Cedar Street N 34 degrees 15' 105' to steel pin (corner to Lot #2) thence with Lot #2: N 50 degrees 15' W 85' to pin in Rockcastle Villa Apt. 7th floor, thence with same S 34 degrees 15' W 105' to steel pin on N side of Ky. 1326, thence with Ky. 1326 S 50 degrees 15' E 85' to the beginning.

Martha Manning obtained title to the above described real property by Quitclaim deed along with her husband, Robert L. Manning, now deceased, dated November 24, 1986, executed by the United States Department of Agriculture, same being of record in Deed Book 130, pages 53-54 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

- The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:**
1. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of sixty (60) 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.
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Willis G. Coffey, Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court

From Long Ago

FROM LONG AGO
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The following first appeared in the Mount Vernon Signal on December 4, 1941. It was recently transcribed from microfilm of that issue of the Signal. With these submissions, I am sharing these gleanings with the Signal's present readers.

Broadhead Booster News
by Miss Lillian Wallin
DEATH: Charley Hindrickson Buried at Broadhead. Charley Hindrickson, 38, Nicholasville Barber, formerly of Mt. Vernon, Ky. died at his home on Fourth Street on Nov. 28. He is survived by his wife Mrs. Cartel Hindrickson; four daughters, Misses Patsy, Rheta, Birdiam, and Charlene of Nicholasville; his mother, Mrs. Annie McKinley of Broadhead, one brother, Robert Hindrickson and two half brothers, Cecil and Marshall McKinley of Broadhead. The body was brought to Broadhead Thursday morning and funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist Church conducted by the Rev. John T. Stallings of Nicholasville. Pallbearers were: B. S. Kurtz, Leslie Shearer, William McKinley, S. S. Purcell Jr., Marshall McKinley and Tony Laswell. Out of town people

attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Kurtz and daughter Anita, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Shearer and daughters Mary and Bettye, Mrs. Frank Thomas, Mrs. J. M. Hubbard, and Juanita and Anita Mastin all of Nicholasville; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McKinney and Vincent Kraft of Kansas City, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Owens and daughter Eva, Mr. Burdette Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Owens of Cobbin, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Owens, Mrs. B. B. Hall, Mrs. T. J. Nicely and daughter Nell Wanda, Mrs. Tip Langford, Mrs. Mary Bogges, Mrs. Minnie Felton, Mrs. D. C. Craig, Mrs. Robert Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullins and Mrs. C. C. Davis of Mt. Vernon; Mrs. Bell Taylor of Conway; Mrs. Ruth Straub of Covington; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Albright of Eubank; Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Purcell of Virginia Beach, Va.; Mrs. W. M. Shafer of Lancaster; Mrs. Joel Gatliff of Newport.

DEATH: Jessie Wallin, 66 years old, died Friday, Nov. 28. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mahan, interment in Piney Grove cemetery. The deceased was married to Miss Mary Ellen Farris who preceded him in death. To this union four children were born Raymond of Flemingsburg, Mrs. Beulah Padgett of Cincinnati, Mrs. Lena Ladmon of Kingsport, Tenn., and Willie Walling of Broadhead. Mr. Wallin married Mrs. Beatrice Ross in 1939 and she with the above children survive.

Broadhead Local News
Mrs. Arthur Hurst of Covington was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford Tuesday. Mrs. Belvin Hodge was the guest of relatives in Roundstone Sunday. Mrs. Rose McCord of Berea has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Wajid Robins, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Albright of Louisville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robins last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parsons of Louisville were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McBea. Mr. Homer Parsons of Richmond spent the weekend with his sister Mrs. C. W. Smith and Mr. Smith. Mrs. William Bicknell returned to their home in Franklin, Ohio after a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Grover Coffey and Mr. Coffey. Mrs. Willis Coffey who has been seriously ill is improving rapidly. Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Purcell of Virginia Beach, Va. are here with relatives. Mr. Sam Hoskins left Monday for Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs. John Howard, Jr. of Pineville were the guests of his sister Mrs. Henry LaFavers and Mr. LaFavers. Mr. Henry LaFavers has been quite ill. Mr. O. J. Collett and Mr. Millard Allen were in Louisville Tuesday on business. Mrs. Lily Osborne is re-

ported on the sick list. Mr. M. G. Wright had his tonsils removed at the Berea hospital Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Helms spent the day Sunday in Parksville. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Elder were in Louisville Sunday to spend the day. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Elder who attended the funeral of their Uncle Mr. Dave Elder. Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Brown have bought and moved into the Jess Miller property. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hasty have moved into the Albright property recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. William Mullins who has moved to Mt. Vernon. Mrs. H. A. Hall and son Byron Brooks returned Saturday from a three weeks visit by her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Ray Edwards at Falls Church, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Painter and Miss Ellen Painter left Monday for Florida to spend the day. Mrs. Bob Huff of Philadelphia, Penn. is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Gravelly and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gravelly and wife were here from London Sunday to spend the day with relatives. Miss Amanda Kincer is in Louisville as the guest of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kincer. Mr. Byron Owens, Jr. spent Saturday and Sunday in White Mills as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cox. Twin sons were born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown. They have been named Teddy and Eddie.

Hatt News
by Bonnie Berry
We are glad to report Uncle Whit Boyd who has been sick for some time is much better. Mrs. Nancy Truesday is with her sister, Mrs. J. Alcorn for a while. Mrs. George Frey and son Ben of Louisville spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Berry. Edgar Leece returned from Cincinnati and reports his son Harmon much better. Aunt Mollie Hiatt was at home from Berea last Thursday. Aunt Mollie is slowly improving. G. H. Berry, Sief Parkerson and Champ Crawford were in Lexington Monday with a load of tobacco. Givens Lear was in London last week on the jury. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boyd of Indianapolis, Ind. has returned home after a few days visit with his father, Whit Boyd. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and children took Thanksgiving with her brother, Emmett Crawford at Mt. Vernon. Raymond Lang and Tom Frey of Louisville spent Sunday night with G. H. Berry on their way to Tennessee with a load of pottery. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hampton of Ohio are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Frith. Rev. Williams is holding a revival at Liberty Jack. Mrs. Earl Parsons and little son are visiting her mother, Mrs. Hugh McBea and other relatives. Mr. Ben Holbrook and three small children of Whitesburg

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crawford last week. Lorene, the 19 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Singleton died at her home near Hickory Grove, on the 23rd with heart trouble. She was buried at the Saylor burying grounds on Monday.

Mt. Vernon News
WEDDING: Doris Nicely the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Nicely was quietly married to Charles Harris, son of Mrs. Myrtle Harris of Broadhead Nov. 20th by Green Carpenter. Their many friends wish them happiness and joy. All citizens are asked not to burn leaves on streets that have been oiled. The fire will burn the oil, and a hole will form in the roadbed. Also, several have been dumping ashes in the streets. This is strictly against the law. We sincerely ask for your cooperation on the above, which when enforced will mean a cleaner and better town in which to live.

32 Guests at Dessert Bridge
Mrs. Fritz Krueger and Mrs. W. L. Simpson entertained their bridge club and guests Monday evening, December 1, at the new home of the former. Dessert of fruitcake with whipped cream and coffee was served. Bridge was enjoyed at seven tables. Club members and guests present included: Mrs. L. M. Miller, Mrs. E. R. Denny, Mrs. N. M. Smock, Mrs. Nathan Fred, Mrs. Alex Milan, Mrs. C. W. Miller, Miss Nina Cox, Miss Mollie Davis, Miss Dorothy Hatf, Mrs. Russell Warren, Mrs. Harold Murphy, Mrs. B. N. Egan of Clarksville, Tenn., Mrs. E. R. Donovan of Mt. Sterling, Ky., Mrs. R. H. Miller, Mrs. Martha Griffith, Miss Ruth Mullins, Mrs. Shirley Riddle, Mrs. Ann Miller, Miss Shirley Miller, Mrs. C. C. Davis, Mrs. R. B. Bird, Mrs. W. R. Champion, Mrs. T. A. Griffith, Mrs. Kate

McKinney, Mrs. R. L. Adams, Mrs. R. B. McKemie, Mrs. John Lar, Mrs. Kearney Campbell and Mrs. W. G. McBea. Mrs. N. M. Smock was high club scorer with L. M. Miller second. Mrs. Shirley Riddle won high guest prize and Mrs. T. A. Griffith second. Mrs. Martha Griffith kept the traveling prize and Mrs. W. G. McBea drew the cut prize. Mrs. B. N. Egan and Mrs. C. E. Donovan received the guest prize.

Woman's Club to hold Banquet
The Mt. Vernon Woman's club will hold their Christmas banquet at Renfro Villa Thursday evening Dec. 11 at 6:00 p.m. This will be an open meeting and anyone who wishes to attend may get their tickets from Mrs. E. R. Denny, Mrs. John Griffin or Mrs. W. L. Simpson. Tickets will be \$7.5 and all who plan to

attend are urged to get their tickets before Monday Dec. 8 as reservations will not be accepted after that date. **Scrum Week to be observed.** A new week for a brand new cash crop for Kentucky will start Monday, and Governor Keen Johnson will make a special proclamation for the event. Merchants over the State will feature scrum this week, and A & P stores will have a special scrum fruit cake at all their markets. At present eight scrum co-ops are operating at Louisville, Harveysville, Morehead, Waynesburg, Murray, Paintsville and Mt. Vernon. The 1941 crop is estimated to be 20,000 gallons. Rockcastle County sent their crop to Waynesburg to be blended and packed, but a blending plant is expected to be built at Mt. Vernon sometime next summer.



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Charles Wayne Bullock is shown with his Outstanding Citizen certificate he received from the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Bullock received this recognition for his outstanding service to the community as Mt. Vernon Litter Coordinator, president of the All-American Club, Lake Linville Field Coordinator and a member of the Mt. Vernon City Council for the past 11 years. The motion was made by Representative Danny Ford.



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