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Sherman Denny, 68, of Chestnut Ridge was critically injured in a single vehicle accident on Chestnut Ridge Road Sunday afternoon. Officials said Denny lost control of his pick-up about a half mile from his home, around 12:15 p.m. Denny's vehicle hit a large tree and the impact from the crash caused severe injuries to his upper chest, neck and head. Denny was taken to Rockcastle Hospital for treatment and transferred to the University of Kentucky Medical Center, where he is listed in critical but stable condition. Shown helping at the accident scene above, from left were: Mt. Vernon Fire Chief David Bales, asst. chief Jack Weaver, David Mink, rescue worker Jackie Wayne Weaver, EMT Amy Navarre and rescue worker David Derr. EMT Steve Griffin was inside the vehicle with Denny. (Photo by: Richard Anderkin)

Former Tech Center will be temporary location

Board will lease space to SourceCorp

By: Richard Anderkin

After a lengthy discussion at their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday, and two special called meetings, the Rockcastle County Board of Education approved an agreement with SourceCorp on Monday that will keep the local company in the county.

The agreement will allow the SourceCorp to temporarily locate in the former Rockcastle Area Technology Center building, while construction of their new facility in Rockcastle Industrial Park #2 takes place.

SourceCorp, along with the Rockcastle Fiscal Court and the Rockcastle Industrial Development Authority (IDA), had been seeking a temporary location for the data processing plant and the old vocational school was the last resort.

"There simply are no more options," a grateful Jim Holton, who serves as the IDA's consultant, told the board.

Holton, County Judge Executive Buzz Carloftis, Magistrate Ralph Allen and IDA Chairman Corey Craig, all

thanked the board for their help and approval of the project, saying SourceCorp's planned expansion would have failed without their action.

Board Chairman Martin Vanzant, who voiced major concerns with the agreement from the outset, made the motion to enter into the rental agreement and requested that his remarks be recorded in the minutes.

Vanzant said: "Regardless of how we got to where we are, we are now in the position of voting on whether or not to ap-

prove this agreement. I personally do not want to be responsible, as a member of this board, for being the reason this company does not stay (along with current and proposed future jobs) in Rockcastle County.

If the board approves this we are looking for the administrative team to make sure all of the specifics are carried out and that we are made aware of any problems that may arise," Vanzant said.

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Retired Signal Publisher James Anderkin, Jr. dies at age 77

James Anderkin, Jr., 77, of Mt. Vernon died Wednesday, September 10, 2008 at the St. Joseph Hospital East in Lexington. He was a retired Newspaper Publisher for the *Mount Vernon Signal*, which he and his wife, Perlina, have owned and operated since January of 1966. He was an Air Force veteran of the Korean War, where he attained the rank of Master Sgt. and a member of the First Christian Church of Mt. Vernon. Jim was instrumental in forming Rockcastle's first county fire department and served as the department's first Chief.

He was born in Rockcastle Co. on March 23, 1931, the son of James Arthur and Mary Ethel Barrett Anderkin.

He is survived by: his wife of almost 48 years, Perlina Murphy Anderkin; two sons, Richard Floyd Anderkin and wife Vonda of Mt. Vernon and William Lee Travis Anderkin and wife Laura of Lexington;

five daughters, Jamieson Ella Bryant and husband Richard, Rebecca Paige Bengé and husband Spencer, and Sara Catherine Coguer and husband Jason, all of Mt. Vernon, Jane Elizabeth Piatt and husband Doug of Nicholasville, and Allison Perlina Anderkin of Lexington; one brother, Elmo Anderkin and wife Wanda of Mt. Vernon; and four sisters, Anne Anderkin of Lexington, Jean Fish and husband Vincent and Bonnie Coffey and husband Glen, all of Mt. Vernon, and Mary Jane Amyx and husband Dock of Glendale, OH. Also surviving are nine grandchildren, Aaron Anderkin, Megan Anderkin, Alec Anderkin, Kayla Bryant, Sean Piatt, Brandon Piatt, Alaina Coguer, Caroline Coguer, and Travis Reese Coguer. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Bill and Bert Anderkin and one sister, Dorothy Bishop.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 13th at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bros. Doug Piatt and Bruce Ross. Burial was in the Cresthaven Memorial Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Aaron Anderkin, Sean Piatt, Brandon Piatt, Richard Bryant, Spencer Bengé, Jason Coguer and Vincent Fish.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Large crowd attends annual Mt. Vernon High School reunion

By David J. Griffin

Music of the past filled the Rockcastle County Middle School cafeteria last Saturday night where graduates of Mt. Vernon High School congregated to renew old acquaintances and to catch up on the status of their fellow classmates.

The annual affair, which was attended by approximately 200 people, is held for the alumnae (and their guests) who have been inducted into the MVHS Alumni Association.

Two classes are honored each year. The class of 1958 was inducted this year, indicat-

ing that they have reached the milestone of being a graduate of 50 years. This year, the class of 1968 was formally installed into the association. Several members of each class were on hand to take part in the festivities. Mt. Vernon High School operated from 1914 until 1972.

Members of various classes gathered at 4 pm to spend time visiting until it was time for dinner at 6 pm. Following dinner, each class in attendance was recognized. Earl Jackson from the class of 1938 was

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The Rockcastle County School Board voted unanimously Monday afternoon to lease the majority of the space in the former Rockcastle Area Technology Center to SourceCorp for a temporary location, while their new facility is being built in Industrial Park #2 on White Rock Road near Mt. Vernon. SourceCorp's entire local operation will be moved into the former Technology Center by February of next year.

At Mt. Vernon council meeting Several ask questions about city's proposed annexation

By: Richard Anderkin

There was a standing room only crowd at the Mt. Vernon City Council meeting on Monday night where numerous questions about the city's recent proposed annexation were asked.

The questions and comments came before the council's scheduled second reading and vote on the ordinance that will annex property southwest of the city limits.

The main question posed to the council was who was eligible to sign a petition or petitions to have the matter placed on the 2010 ballot.

Mayor Clarice Kirby told the council that there was not a complete list of the property owners effected by the proposed annexation available on Monday night but that her staff would prepare one and have it ready as soon as possible.

After Kirby's comments,

the council voted to pass the second reading of the ordinance, with the stipulation that the city wait an additional week or more to publish the ordinance, so that everyone wanting a list could get one.

City employee Jill Medley, who has worked extensively on the annexation project, said Wednesday that the list would be available at City Hall

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22 indictments returned

The Rockcastle County Grand Jury handed down 22 indictments on Friday for crimes ranging from possession of cocaine to wanton endangerment.

Gerald S. Eaton, 36, of Shady Lane, Berea was indicted on a charge of first degree wanton endangerment and first degree criminal mischief, for a August 26th on Flat Gap Road.

Eaton, who had originally been charged with attempted murder, posted a \$5,000 full cash bond on Tuesday and was released from the Rockcastle Detention Center, where he had been held since his August 27th

arrest.

According to court documents, Eaton is accused of shooting at Tiffany Alexander with a 9 millimeter hand gun after the two got into an argument. Eaton is also accused of ramming the car Alexander was driving when she tried to leave the scene of the argument.

Eaton will be arraigned on September 26th.

Also indicted on Friday were:

Jonathan L. Bradley, 31, of 149 Tyree Street, Brodhead and Richard D. York, 49, 64 Water Tank Hill, Brodhead, both named in a two count indict-

ment for burglary, third degree and theft by unlawful taking, involving property belonging to Dorothy Hasty. Bail has been set for both men at \$5,000 cash/property but they have not been arrested. Arraignment on the charges has been set for November 14, 2008.

Christopher L. Northern, 32 of 234 Johnson Road, Berea, Charles J. Northern, 56 and Angela D. Northern, both of 670 River Road, East Bernstadt and Alicia G. Stewart, 29, of 328 Kindred Road Berea, were all named in the same indictment on a charge of receiving

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Approximately 200 people attended the annual Mt. Vernon High School Reunion at Rockcastle Middle School on Saturday night. New officers for the MVHS Alumni Association for 2009 were elected and are shown above, from left with outgoing President Warren Berry, far left.

President Roland Mullins, Vice President Shirley Smith, Treasurer Glen VanWinkle, Secretary Brenda Hayes, Historian Joan Spurlock, and Coordinator Bernice McHargue. At right, newly elected MVHS Alumni Association President Roland Mullins (right) presented a print of Mt. Vernon High School to the earliest graduate in attendance Earl Jackson, class of 38. (Other photos appear inside this week's Signal).



Editor's Notes

By Richard Anderkin



This past week our family lost my dad and words can't describe the loss that we are all feeling.

I know mom has written a thank you to all those who have shown so much kindness during this trying time, but I too wanted to add my thanks to everyone for everything.

The following is a short tribute to Dad that I attempted to read at Dad's funeral on Saturday afternoon.

I read --Mom, myself, my little brother and my five sisters want to thank everyone for coming today to help us celebrate the life of a special man.

Dad was the ultimate example of a husband, father, grandfather and brother.

Of course I'm going to be a little biased when speaking of Dad but the word Special doesn't go far enough to describe him.

In public view, it was obvious Dad had a large family but those of us who knew him best, knew he had even a larger heart.

Dad loved his family, especially his bride of nearly 48 years, with whom he raised this large family.

Many of us know of the great responsibilities that come with being a husband and father and at no time did Dad ever falter in fulfilling those responsibilities to us.

Anyone that knew Dad, especially us, knew he was a man of few words. Dad didn't have to say a lot because he lived by example and when he did speak, you were much better off if you listened and listened

carefully.

We all knew where Dad stood on most every subject - that was on the side of right and doing it right. Foolishness was not a trait Dad admired - but talking ill of his fellow man was not something that he would do either.

There was nothing complicated about Dad - With Dad it was - take what you've got - do the best you can do and always do it with the best of intentions.

There is not one single time during his 40 years at this newspaper that Dad and Mom ever allowed something to be printed that there was the slightest possibility that it was biased or wrong.

I can't count the number of times in the 30+ years that I was fortunate enough to work with Dad and Mom that I've said "Dad what do you think? How should we handle this?"

"Just do everything you can to make sure it's right," Dad would say, "and be fair. That is all you have to do."

Simple, straight forward, honest answers - no foolishness.

Although Dad was a quiet man, we all knew it was in our best interest to stay on the right side of Dad. Many times when Mom would be worried that we might not be doing things just the way they should be, she would simply say, "Your Daddy," followed by "would, is not or said," was, in most cases, enough to put us back in line. Those remarks have proven successful even in our

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Prostate Cancer is Common

Presented by Dr. George W. Griffith

Cancer of the prostate is one of the most common cancers-one in eleven men will eventually develop it.

Its incidence increases with age and it is more common in men of Northern European descent and African Americans. It is also more common in men who have diets high in fat.

Prostate cancer causes few symptoms and when it does, they are similar to the symptoms of other prostate disease. There may be difficulty starting or stopping a stream of urine, frequency of urination (especially during the night), bloody urine, pain with voiding, and pain in the back or thighs.

These symptoms are the same as those caused by infections or benign enlargement of the prostate. The best way to find the cancer early is to see your doctor annually for an exam. Of course, a man should see his doctor sooner if there is any change in urination or other symptoms.

Every man over 40 should have a rectal exam when he has his annual physical.

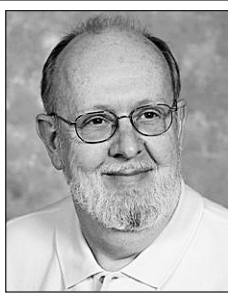
When a lump is felt in the prostate, a biopsy should be done to determine if the lump contains cancer cells. If there are cancer cells, further studies may need to be done to determine the extent of the cancer. One test your doctor may order is an ultrasound of the prostate. Also a blood test, called the PSA, may provide helpful information as well as a baseline value.

If the cancer is in an early stage, surgery and radiation will cure it in many men. At other times hormone therapy is used. The outlook is generally quite good, especially when the cancer is found early in a routine exam; deaths from prostate cancer are declining.



Rockcastle Memories

By David J. Griffin



My spiritual roots - First Baptist Church

A few weeks ago I read about a ministry center located in Powell County near Natural Bridge State Park, just off the Bert T. Combs Mountain Parkway. Its official name is the Wendell Belew Appalachian Ministry Center, named after Dr. Wendell Belew, who was a pioneer in mountain missions in Eastern Kentucky.

Reading the name Wendell Belew took me back to my early boyhood days at the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon, Ky. Brother Belew became my pastor when I was about four years old. In those days, my entire family attended church services every time the doors were open.

My family's life was intertwined with church. My grandparents, Eugene (Pop) and Katie (Katie) Stokes married and resided in Hopewell in Rockcastle County, where they were active members of the Hopewell Baptist Church. In the early '20's, their church decided to form a mission in Mt. Vernon because the railroad had created a need for a Baptist church in the county seat. That mission became the First Baptist Church. My grandparents had moved to Mt. Vernon in 1927. The church had its first service on September 15, 1929.

I can distinctly remember the pastors of the First Baptist Church while I was living in Mt. Vernon. The first was W. C. Younce, who became the pastor in 1938 and remained until 1947. I was only three years old when he left, but I can remember him coming to our home for Sunday dinner.

Brother Belew came in 1948. He was known around the state for his mission work and for his ability to capture an audience with "chalk talks." He placed a large easel near the front of the church, and when it was time for him to preach, he used pastel-colored chalk to create some awesome scene as he taught the Word.

Occasionally, he used fluorescent chalk. When the image was complete, he turned off the sanctuary lights and illuminated it with a black light, giving the image an eerie presentation. When finished, he awarded the chalk drawing to someone in the service.

When he taught the Word using his artistic skills, not a

peep was heard from any of the young people in the sanctuary. He captured our attention in a way that no other preacher had.

When I was eight years old, Brother Belew held a revival in our church. It was there that I gave my heart to the Lord as the choir sang "Just As I Am." That song became etched into my mind and has remained through the rest of my life.

Just as I am, without one plea But that thy blood was shed for me And that thou bidd'st me come to thee

O Lamb of God, I come, I come That particular verse fills my heart with joy and great love for that little church in Mt. Vernon.

Several of the deacons there were heroes in my young mind. Pop was friends with many of them and they spent lots of time in each other's homes. I can still remember many of their names: Charles Machel, Grant Banks, Asher Cummins, George Parrett, Charles Noe, J.T. Meadows, Kenneth Cummins, and Preston Nunnelley.

Preston Nunnelley was the father of two of my best friends, Jim Barton and Penny. I spent countless days and nights in their home and yard playing every sport known to boys in those days. Mr. Nunnelley was always the perfect parent and mentor for all the boys in the community. I felt his influence throughout my life.

Another of the deacons also made a huge impression on me as a young man. I was about 13 and the church was holding a Father & Son Banquet. Aware that my father did not attend church, Kenneth Cummins asked me to accompany him as his guest. I cannot explain how grateful I was. He was my hero that night.

It was the custom on Sunday for the pastor to go home with one of the church families, and on many occasions Brother Belew came to our house. Pop and Mommie would rush out of the service and drive home quickly in order to put dinner on the table for the pastor and his family. Usually he would try to get Mommie's goat and ask for lemon meringue pie, which he knew she would not be serving. He always teased her like that. She loved the attention.

The church was the center

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Floyd County man has come a long way without going far

Greg Hall's entire life flashes before his eyes every time he steps outside his home.

He can't help it. The present, the past, it's all there; even the end.

At age 59, he is the lone resident of a beautiful, two-story home, about midway between Pikeville and Prestonsburg. From the front porch, he can see where more than a dozen neighbors somehow survived when a natural gas line erupted in 2004, leveling their homes. Among the injured was his only brother, 51-year-old Terry, whom he helped pull from the rubble on a cool November morning.

He can see where his childhood home sat, right next to the full-service Gulf station his dad built in 1951 when the family was young and struggling.

Both structures are gone now, torn down to make way for expansion of U.S. 23.

Still intact next door to the old home place and service station sites is the mobile home park his parents started.

The brothers continue to operate this business while maintaining other rental property in the area.

Across the busy roadway sits one of Kentucky's most interesting lodging facilities, Alpique Inn & Suites.

It's the unique design of this structure that prompts me to stop and inquire about its origins and why it's as black all over as a good vein of eastern Kentucky coal.

Greg and Terry are more

than glad to fill me in on the rich history.

Both are divorced and spend much of their time here. Among the guests are construction workers on long-term stays and world-famous entertainers.

The Alpique became known for its rows of multi-colored entrance doors when opened as a 10-unit business by their parents in 1961.

Now, totally covered with coal-black glass and paint, it has undergone extensive remodeling, expanded to 48 units on two levels, and stands in stark contrast to the old facility.

Greg explains that the black glass and equally black paint is an effort to combat the bright sunlight streaming in from a long valley across the way. "It got so bad, it was burning up my air compressors," he says, further noting the new concept works well and guests can count on air-conditioned comfort day and night.

Each of the new upstairs rooms and suites include fireplaces, 10-foot ceilings, and furnishings designed to give visitors a sense of being at home.

Rates range from \$45 to \$65 per night.

"If we were in Pikeville or Prestonsburg, we'd have to charge more, but out here we are able to give people a lot for their money," he says.

Along the roadway in front of the motel sits another family enterprise, Hall's Used Cars.

Across the motel parking lot

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Obituaries



Barbara Watson

Barbara Watson, 82, of Brodhead, died Saturday September 13, 2008 at her home. She was born on February 19, 1926 in Brodhead the daughter of the late Hugh and Clarice Houk McBee. She was a retired beautician, a member of the Laidies Aid Missionary Society, and a member of the Brodhead Christian Church.

Survivors are: one daughter, Mrs. Deborah Newland of Brodhead; one sister, Mrs. Ruth Armstrong of Crab Orchard; one grandson, Chris Newland; and two great grandchildren, Ashley and Shelby Newland. She was preceded in death by: her husband, Frank Watson; seven brothers, Estill, Evans, Terrell, Charles, Hugh Jr., Jimmy, and Eugene; and four sisters, Mary, Martha, Eva, and Ina.

Service were held Monday, September 15, 2008 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. John McCord and Bro. Tracy Valentine officiating. Burial was in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Corky Kearns, Charlie Chandler, Mark McBee, Marion Fox, Evan McCord and Les Parsons.

Send condolences to the family online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

James "J.B." Sanders

James Bennett "J.B." Sanders, 80, of Dayton, OH and formerly of Brodhead, died Saturday, September 13, 2008 at Hospice of Dayton. He was born on Feb. 22, 1928 in Brodhead, a son of the late Thomas H. and Christine Owens Sanders. He retired from Trotwood City School System. His hobbies and interests included going to the park and feeding the geese and birds, flea markets, loved the outdoors, and sitting under the shade tree and fellowshiping with family and friends. He was a member of the Baptist faith. On December 27, 1953 he was united in holy matrimony to Elsie Moore, who precedes him, and from that union came four children.

Those left to cherish his memory include: his children, Shirley (Rick) Freeders of Dayton, OH; and Donnie (Nancy) Sanders of New Lebanon, OH; five grandchildren, Vickie, Jamie, Amber, Crystal and Rondel; one great grandchild, Lucas; two brothers, Charles (Jean) Sanders of West Chester, OH and Thomas (Shirley) Sanders of Pennington Gap, VA; three sisters, Loretta (Everett) Woodall of Brodhead; Joyce (Kenneth) Leece of Copper Creek; and Juanita (Harold) Jackson of West Chester, OH; a very loving and caring girl friend, Wendy Short of Miamisburg, OH; and a host of nieces/nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by: two children, Rondel Dwayne and Barbara Ann Sanders; a sister, Brenda Bradley; two brothers, Leroy Sanders and infant Billy Ray Sanders; four half sisters; and five half brothers.

Funeral Services were conducted Tuesday, September 16, 2008 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Rick Reynolds officiating. Burial followed in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

Casket bearers were: Donnie Sanders, James Sanders, Barry Jackson, Ronnie Jackson, Donnie Jackson and Rick Freeders.

Condolences may be made at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

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Lydia Janice Rogers

Lydia Janice Powers Rogers, 81, of Mt. Vernon, widow of Clarence Rogers, died Thursday, September 11th, 2008. She was born on February 25th, 1927 in Wise, VA, a daughter of the late William Emery Powers, Sr. and Dorothy Celeste Lane Powers. She was a member of the Providence Church of Christ. Her hobbies and interests were quilting, gardening, farming and reading. On August 14, 1943 she was united in holy matrimony to Clarence Rogers and from that union came seven children.

Those left to cherish her memory include: her children, Donald E. (Sylvia Diann) Rogers of Hebron, KY, Lawrence Wayne (Joyce H.) Rogers of Independence, KY, Charles Ray (Lee-Ann) Rogers of Erlanger, KY, Janice Darlene Carr of Mt. Vernon, Cathy Ann (Bobby Michael) Rogers of Mt. Vernon; 13 Grandchildren, Timothy, Darryl, Tina, Lisa, Karen, Larry, Jennifer, Elizabeth, Robert, Chris, Jamie, Brandon and Peyton; 23 special great grandchildren; her little greats; two brothers, James Ishmael (Barbara) Powers of Mason, OH and John Brownlow (Linda) Powers of Lockland, OH; three sisters, Juanita Godbey of Stanford, Annette (Jack) Bussell of Brodhead and Dorothy Rowe of New Vienna, OH; and many nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

She was preceded in death by: her husband; her parents; two sons, Clarence Dale Rogers, and infant Gary Bruce Rogers; a great grandchild infant Kevin Donald Harris; five brothers, her twin brother Harold, Lilburn, Carvis, Carlos, and William E.; three sisters, Lurlene, Clarice, Nellie; and three infant siblings.

Funeral services were Sunday, September 14th, 2008 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Charles Carter and Bro. Chad Burdette officiating. Burial was in the Providence Cemetery.

Casket bearers were: Christopher Thompson, Tim Rogers, Darryl Rogers, Lawrence W. Rogers, Jr., James I. Wheat and Brandon Rogers.

Contributions and donations may be made to the Hospice Care of Berea, KY and Literacy Society.

Condolences may be made at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Willard Whitaker

James Willard Whitaker, 82, of Livingston, husband of Olive Whitaker, and father of Dale Whitaker, died Sunday, September 14, 2008 at the Rockcastle Hospital.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, September 18th at 1 p.m. at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Eddie Nation and Barbara Castleberry. Burial will follow in the Elmwood Cemetery.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Signal.

In Loving Memory Carsel Blanton

In Memory of my daddy, Carsel Blanton who passed away on September 18, 1997 *If You Could See Me Now...*
Your prayers have been answered
You have arrived
Though you had your sorrows
Nothing can compare
To what Jesus has in store for Us
at that place up on High
If you could see me now
I'm walking streets of gold
and I'm standing tall and whole
If you could see me now
You'd know I've seen His face
and all the pain has been erased
If you could see me now
You couldn't wait to join me
In this most wonderful place!
(Remembered by youngest daughter, Irene Blanton Watson)



Charles Marlow, Sr.

Charles Marlow, Sr., 74, husband of Lucette Pierrepont Marlow, died September 9th, 2008. He was born on July 4th, 1934 in Sand Springs, KY, a son of the late Charles Milton Marlow and Lola Stephens Marlow. He was a member of the Sand Springs Baptist Church. He was an Army Veteran, a 20 year retired welder at Nacco in Berea. His hobbies and interests included fishing, hunting, and gardening.

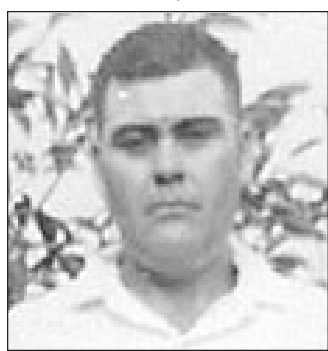
Those left to cherish his memories include: his wife, Lucette Pierrepont Marlow, which he married on June 14th, 1958 and from that union came six children, Charles Marlow, Jr., Jeffery (Debra) Marlow, Michael Marlow, and Christine (Wayne) McClure, all of Mt. Vernon, Sherry (Chris) McWilliams of Matthews, NC and Vicky (Steve) Adams of Brodhead; two brothers, Johnny F. (Alta) Marlowe of Mt. Sterling and Benny Ray (Lorene) Marler of Morehead; nine grandchildren, Jessica, Jennifer, Jeremy, Matthew, Jonas, Brianna, Kyle, Julie, Little Joe; two great grandchildren, Dylan and Lauren; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors, as well as friends Ashley and Wesley.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by four sisters, Sylvia Evans, Ella Moore, Evelyn McCreary and Pearl Wilson.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, September 12th, 2008 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. Chad Burdette officiating. Burial followed in the McKinney Cemetery.

Casket bearers were: Jeremy Adams, Matt McClure, Jonas Adams, Lee Deatherage, Jeff Marlow, Kyle Marlow and Gary Coffey. Honorary casket bearer was Wayne McClure.

Condolences may be made at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Walter Bradley

Walter "Kenneth" Bradley, 79, died Sunday, September 14th, 2008. He was born on June 7th, 1929, in Mt. Vernon, a son of the late Walter P. Bradley and Delia Noe Bradley. He was a member of the Providence Church of Christ, his hobbies and interests included fox hunting, horseback riding, cattle and farming.

Those left to mourn his passing include: a brother, James Bradley of Mt. Vernon; a step-brother, James (Kathy) Rowe of Somerset; two sisters, Nancy (Joseph) Brinegar of Somerset and Judy VanZant of McKee; a half-sister, Louise (Thomas) Winkler of Mt. Vernon; special cousins, Otis Noe and Nancy Trexler; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, September 18th, 2008 at 2 p.m. at the Providence Church of Christ with Danny McKibben officiating. Burial will follow in the Providence Cemetery.

Casket bearers will be: Herbert Ray Lawrence, Gene Lawrence, Bobby Lawrence, Jackie Lawrence, Charles Lawrence and Dennis Lawrence.

Condolences may be made at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Bonnie Parks

Bonnie (Reynolds) Parks, 76, of the Bandy Community, died Friday, September 12, 2008 at Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital. She was born in Pulaski County on October 20, 1931, daughter of the late James Logan and Hallie Mae Brown Reynolds. She was retired from General Electric and a member of Bandy Church of Christ.

She is survived by: one step-son, Darrell Parks of Frankfort; one brother, Carl Reynolds of Eubank; and a host of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, Arthur M. Parks; her parents; six brothers, Ed, Clyde, Lloyd, Hershel, William and Oscar Reynolds; and two sisters, Verna Brittain and Jenny Miller.

Funeral services were held Monday, September 15, 2008 at Morris & Hislope Funeral Home with Bro. Phillip Scott and Bro. Robby Barron officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Condolences may be expressed at www.morrisandhislope.com

Cards of Thanks

Eveneus Bullock

The family of Eveneus Bullock would like to thank Cox Funeral Home, Flat Rock Baptist Church for allowing the use of their church and fellowship hall and Blue Springs Church of Christ for their generous donation during the recent loss of our loved one. Also to the health and rehab center, Dr. Saylor and Dr. Bullock, Matt and Levi Northern for the backhoe and digging the grave and everyone who called and paid their respects.

Thanks to everyone for all their prayers and the love shown our family.

God bless everyone.

The Bullock Family

James Anderkin, Jr.

The family of James Anderkin, Jr. would like to express our deepest appreciation to everyone for the kindness, caring and love shown during the recent loss of our loved one.

To Dowell and Martin Funeral Home for their excellent, professional, caring service, to those who visited, remembered us in prayer, for the cards, food, flowers and calls, we say thank you.

It is always hard to give up a loved one but it is some comfort to know that others realized what a good man our husband, father and grandfather was.

The Anderkin Family

NOTICE

The Rockcastle County Local Planning Committee (LPC) will conduct a Public Forum on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. This forum will take place at the Rockcastle County Teaching and Learning Center, 250 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky across from the Rockcastle County Board of Education office.

The purpose of this meeting is for the development of a new four (4) year district facility plan for the Rockcastle County School System.

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Book brings back memories...

Dear Editor,

I just recently read the book, "Letters From Wildie." It was interesting how some of the

names and pictures brought back memories of growing up in the Wildie area. I, myself, have always been fascinated with the history of Rockcastle County and the people who carved a home out of the wilderness. While doing research about the county, I discovered there had been many different kinds of "Mills." "Mills" that seemed to spring up overnight, such as sawmills, grist mills and water mills. But, as the time changed, the wave of the future brought in new, advanced equipment. These changes caused doors to be shut and buildings torn down, piece by piece.

But, there seems to be one "mill" that is still up and running strong, say to say. This "mill" seems to have been operating since the beginning of time. It seems that the "gossip mill," is still running strong. When I read the "letter" entitled, "Dear Widow Lady," I felt compelled (among other things...) to write "this letter."

Due to the fact that *no one*

talked with any family members of Bell Northern and Bob Northern, or tried to sort out "plain ole gossip," to get to the truth, (hum...what a nasty little word) before publication, since they are my family, I think there are several matters that need to be clarified about them.

For instance, people that really knew him, called him, Uncle Bob, whether they were related to him or not. Why would Uncle bob, and I quote, "Go across the ridge and down by the Fish Cave to visit you." (Hum...). Why would he go visit his mother when he lived with her? Sorry to disappoint you but everyone called Bell Northern, "Mammie" whether they were related to her or not. (The people that knew and loved her, that is).

As for Aunt Bess, I do believe Bob Northern would have known his own sister and I think he would have remember that his other sister married the Morgan man.

As for Uncle Bob's wedding day. (Hum...) My grandmother always said that Mammie had an ole saying for just about everything. One that comes to my mind was, "Seek and Ye Shall Find"... I also heard the "gossip" about his wedding day when I was growing up. One day years ago, I saw Uncle Bob standing in the store at Wildie. When I walked in, several of the people were talking about his "wedding day." The buzzing of voices was like bees after honey. When the drone moved toward the back of the store, I looked at him and asked him if what they were saying was true. He just looked at me for a moment and then smiled and said, "You can't help the ignorant if they don't try to help themselves." (Hum...well now...)

Needless to say, the next time I saw my grandmother I asked her if what they were saying about Uncle Bob's wedding day was true. She laughed so hard I thought for a minute she would fall out of her chair. She said, "Why No." She then proceeded to tell me that when Uncle Bob was a young scrapper, he met a girl that he wanted to marry. But, before the wedding day she got very ill with Typhoid Fever and ended up dying. He said that he loved her so much that no other woman could ever take her place. My grandmother said that she had tried, over the years, to get him to "set them straight" but he just looked at her everytime and would always quote Mammie.

I am sure that Uncle Bob probably did talk about the hard times that Mammie had raising her children, after her husband died. For instance, Mammie used to take in sewing and she took in people's laundry that had to be washed l-- she packed water from a nearby creek then heated it in an old washtub on an open fire. Then the clothes were scrubbed clean on a wash board. She used to make apple pies, not only for her family, but sold them as well. Mammie would also trade and sell eggs and milk for other food to help feed her children. Plus she raised a huge garden, selling some of the items and canning the rest for her family.

I even asked my grandmother, "why did Mammie never remarry?" That if she had, things might not have been so hard on her. My grandmother told me that Mammie believed that when you spoke your vows, they were for life. That it did not matter if one passed away. She told me more than once over the years that Mammie had stayed "faithful" to her dead husband until the day she died.

So "Dear Readers," as you can see the "truth," (there's that

nasty little word again), the "truth" may not seem as "interesting" or "delectable") and probably not help sell as many books) as "enticing" the unassuming reader with the "decadent," "Delicious," "assumption," which travels down the road veering on the path toward "slander" of a "widow lady" being a "kept" "lady-friend" of a "preacher."

As for "tapping her foot," I am sure that if Mammie were still alive today, she would no doubt tap something on a certain some's person.

And I quote, even though all your family is gone from this place, you are still remembered." While that is certainly the "truth" (wow...actually hit a bull's-eye on that one) if anyone were to stand on the outskirts of Wildie and look in any direction, any number of Bell Northern's descendants can be found because there are many, many, many, in Rockcastle County alone.

I do have to say thank you though, dear author. Because of these recent events I have come to realize that I have inherited more traits from Mammie than I had previous been aware of. Such as "Not willing to sit back and take people's "plain ole !*##!!*##!"

A proud descendant of
Bell Northern (Mammie)
Jenny Pigg
Mt. Vernon

"Ken & Tucky"

(Cont. from A2)

is a modern BP station designed by Greg and operated by him and his brother before leasing it out.

On up the road a bit, Betsy Layne High School holds a special place in Greg's heart. He was a fixture there, teaching Career Education before retiring in 2001.

Impossible to miss, directly in front of his home is a hillside cemetery that must be one of the biggest and steepest in the state.

He has a clear view of the grave markers of his parents, Cecil and Lona "Pet" Hall, and his beloved dog Cody, a bearded Collie who was his faithful friend for 12 years. Greg's own gravesite is next to Cody's.

Not as visible to the eye, but just as vivid, are the memories.

"More than anything else, we appreciate the values and life lessons passed on to us by our parents," said the man whose thick black hair blends perfectly with the motel exterior.

Cecil was a coal miner and also worked for the railroad when he and Lona wed in 1945.

Their first venture into the world of business came with the opening of a small restaurant and beauty shop in Allen.

When they added the motel and mobile home park in Ivel, the name Alpique was chosen because of the community's location between Allen and Pikeville.

"I think they may have gotten the idea from the Almar Drive-In," says Greg. "It was located between Allen and Martin."

Greg's first introduction to the family business came at the service station. The hours were long and the work hard, but he says he treasures the time spent with his Dad.

"That service station is where I was working when I decided to become a teacher," says the Floyd County native. "I changed tires, pumped gas, changed oil, and was dirty all the time with grease under my fingernails. I decided I wanted to do something where I could be clean."

"I wanted to work when I was little, but not so much as a teenager. I'd rather have been out running around with my buddies."

Life may have been mostly work and little play in those days, but the Pikeville College grad got to meet some interesting people.

"I pumped gas for Hubert Humphrey when he was here campaigning with Rep. Carl Perkins. Also, Dwight Yocum's grandfather, Luther Tibbs, was a regular at the service station."

At the motel, the list of notables who have spent the night include Loretta Lynn, George Jones, Conway Twitty, Lester Flatt and Earl Scruggs, Ralph Stanley, and the group Exile when their hits were climbing the charts.

"One time when they were playing at Martin, girls were here all night long, nearly beating the doors down."

He also says he'll never forget the dark blue, GTO convertible with white leather interior that was carrying the band members.

A fan of vintage automobiles, Greg occasionally gets away to attend car shows in the area.

But he doesn't have to.

He can step inside the oversized garage attached to his home and view his collection of Corvettes, a beautiful bright orange '69 Camaro, and other

classics.

Without going very far, he has come a long way.

"Notes"

(Cont. from A2)

adult years.

Again, I'm probably a little biased, but Dad was the most honest, level headed, sensible, intelligent and strong man I've ever known.

There was actually nothing our Father couldn't do or, as mom says sometimes, wouldn't attempt to do.

Whether it was building a house, cutting and loading a load of logs, overhauling that truck engine that he would haul those logs on, writing an occasional editorial, taking and making the best black and white photos anywhere and running the printing press that would print the newspaper those news items ran in. There was simply no task too big or too small for Dad.

I'm going to wrap this up, because Dad didn't like long, drawn out events. He did like long trips to watch and support his children and grandchildren in whatever event they were involved in at that particular time.

He loved to watch Allison dominate in the swimming pool, Travis lay down that perfect bunt and Paige and Jane take the same college basketball floor on the same college team.

Dad's support in everything that Allison, Jamie, Sara, Jane, Paige, Travis and myself ever tried to do was never ending, because that is what real Dad's do.

Time and again, while Dad was fighting for his life last week, the comment was made by his loved ones, "He's a man's man."

That was certainly true, but Dad was a compassionate man, and he was a man who each of us loved, admired and deeply respected. Even in his final days he proved to us once again - You do it the best you can possibly do it and you do it right.

Dad fought the good fight and he will be rewarded for that good fight.

I have no doubt that he is picking out his new fishing boat right now and asking "where are the crappie biting."

Thank you....

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Rockcastle Hospital Diabetes Program
The Rockcastle County Hospital will present a diabetes program "My life with Diabetes -- Health, Stress and Coping" with Lora Beth McKee, BSW, on Thursday, September 25th at 6 p.m. For more information, call 606-256-7714. Check the Community Bulletin Board weekly for class schedule.

Annual Meeting
The Rockcastle County Farm Bureau Federation Annual Meeting will be held at Roundstone Elementary School on Friday, September 19, 2008 starting at 6 p.m. Meal and entertainment for all members. Meeting will be at 7 p.m. All members are encouraged to come.

Bookmobile Schedule
Mon., Sept. 22: Calloway, Red Hill, Livingston, Lamero, Pine Hill. **Tues., Sept. 23:** Maple Grove, Orlando, Climax, Three Links. **Wed., Sept. 24:** PJ's and Lisa's Little People.

Bittersweet Festival
City of Mt. Vernon's Bittersweet Festival on Main Street begins Friday, October 3rd. Set-ups begin at 1 p.m. Festival runs from 4 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Friday and on Saturday, October 4th from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. Vendor applications can be picked up at City Hall or email at pbullock@mtvernonky.org. For more information call 606-256-3437

1988 Class Reunion
The Class of 1988 Reunion is presently being organized. Addresses of classmates need to be sent to: Celena Lear Bullock, 4047 Willailla Road, Brodhead or email to goffexc@aol.com.

Livingston School Reunion
The annual Livingston School Reunion will be held on October 25, 2008 at the Preston Parrett Gym in Livingston. All former students, teachers, family and friends are invited to attend. This year we will be specially recognizing the graduates of the classes of 1958 and 1968. Registration information will be mailed to previous attendees in mid-September. If you have not previously attended and need information, call Barbara Castleberry at 256-9188 or Barbara Fain at 453-4061.

Historical Society Hours
Rockcastle Historical Society is open Mondays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the RTEC garage building. **Regular meeting** of the society is on the 4th Thursday at 5:30 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building in Mt. Vernon.

NA Women's Meeting
The Women's NA Serenity Group of Mt. Vernon meets each Monday at 8 p.m. at the Christian Appalachian Project Community Center, 64 Beiting Lane, Mt. Vernon. Open meeting - non-smoking.

Kiwanis Club Meetings
The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at Renfro Valley Lodge.

Women's Narcotics Meeting
There will be a Women's Narcotics Anonymous Meeting every Monday evening at 8 p.m. at the Community Center, sponsored by Christian Appalachian Center. For more information, contact the Healing Rain Center at 256-5810.

Alcoholics Anonymous
Alcoholics Anonymous meets Tuesday nights at 8 p.m. behind Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon.

Narcotics Anonymous
Narcotics Anonymous meets Thursday nights at 8 o'clock behind Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon.

SWAT Team Meetings
SWAT (Servants with a testimony) group support meeting for anyone dealing with addiction or alcoholism on Thursdays at 7 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church, Mt. Vernon. Meetings are also held Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays at noon at the church.

H.O.P.E. Meetings
H.O.P.E. Support Group Meetings are held Thursdays at 7 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church. HOPE is a support group for anyone who has a friend or family member dealing with addiction or alcoholism. Please come join others who are or have gone through the agony and frustration you are experiencing. Do not suffer alone. It helps to talk with others who understand. Any discussion is kept confidential. Call 256-5577 for more information.

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Revival

Climax Holiness Church will hold revival September 25th - 28th. Bro. Don King will preach Sept. 25th and 27th and Bro. David Ballard will preach Sept. 26th and 28th. Pastor Darrin Sloan and congregation welcome everyone.

Homecoming

Homecoming will be held at Pleasant Run Baptist Church in Livingston Sunday, September 21st starting at 11 a.m. Special singing and dinner. Bro. Gary Bowling and church invite all to attend.

Revival

Wildie Christian Church will be in revival services September 21st - 24th with Doug Parkey, minister of First Christian Church in Staunton, Indiana. Services are 7:00 each evening. Special singing each night. Homecoming is September 21st. Everyone is invited.

Singing, Homecoming and Revival at McNew Chapel

McNew Chapel Baptist Church will hold a Saturday night singing at 7 p.m. with the Kevin Wilson Band from Corbin. Homecoming will be on Sunday with special singing on Sunday by the Doan Family and, on Monday, revival begins with Bro. Rick Holt, evangelist. Services will be at 7 o'clock nightly.

Homecoming

Homecoming at Flat Rock Baptist Church will be Sunday, Sept. 21st, beginning at 11 a.m. The Barrett Family will be singing and dinner will be served after the singing.

Pastor Burton and congregation welcome all.

Revival

Third Saturday service September 20th at Climax Holiness Church beginning with a potluck supper at 5:30. Service with Bro. Alex Miller preaching and Heavens Harvest singing at 7 p.m. Pastor Darrin Sloan and congregation invite all.

Revival

Revival services will be held at Union Chapel Pentecostal Church, on Hwy. 1505 about 3 miles east of Brodhead, Sept. 21-25. Services will be at 7 o'clock nightly. Pastor Ralph Reynolds and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Soup Bean/Chili

There will be a soup bean/chili supper at Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church on Fri., Sept. 26th, beginning at 6 p.m. The church is located on U.S. Hwy. 25 South. There will be no charge for the supper but donations will be accepted for the church.

Everyone is welcome. Come and enjoy some good food and fellowship. Pastor Virgil Bustle and congregation welcome everyone.

Homecoming and Old Fashioned Days

Homecoming and Old Fashioned Days will be held at Scaffold Cane Baptist Church on Sun., Sept. 21. Church services will begin at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday. Bro. Josh Chasteen will preach and the Redemed will be the special singers. Dinner on the ground will be held after the service.

Pastor Chris Cobb and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Homecoming & Revival

Maple Grove Baptist Church will be having their Fall Homecoming Services on Sun., Sept. 28, following the morning worship service, with plenty of food and fellowship. There will be no evening services.

Revival services will begin Monday, Sept. 29 and continue through Fri., Oct. 3, beginning at 7 o'clock nightly, featuring Bro. Chris Cobb from the Scaffold Cane Baptist Church. There will be special singing nightly: Monday, Roy and KayHimes; Tuesday, Vicky Robinson; Wednesday, Scaffold Cane Baptist Church Singers; Thursday, The Duncan Family and Friday, Gift of Grace.

Bro. Jerry Owens, pastor and congregation cordially invite everyone to attend. For more information, contact Bro. Owens at 606-256-3075.

Homecoming

Valley Baptist Church will be having their homecoming September 21, 2008. Sunday School will be 10:00-10:45. Morning Worship Service will be 11:00-12:00. Pastor: Bro. Tony Shelton. Guest Speaker: Bro. David Sargent. Special Music: The Sears Family & The Firm Believers Quartet. Fellowship meal following the morning worship service with an afternoon filled with music & praise. Bro. Shelton and congregation invites everyone to come join us for a day filled with praise & worship music, fellowship and food as we celebrate our annual homecoming services. As a special tribute to Bro. Carl Denton Sears we will be receiving a special love offering that will be donated to: The Sears Scholarship Fund at Clear Creek Baptist Bible College

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Points East

By Ike Adams

Actually catching or even treeing a coon when I was growing up there in the head of Blair Branch back in the sixties was sort of like hitting a hole-in-one off a short par three with a flat and level green with the flag right in the middle. It still didn't happen all that often but it could be done if you stayed at it long enough and it was still some reason to brag about, however relatively easy it might seem to regular players.

I once hit a hole-in-one at the Berea Country Club's second hole only to be told later in the day that it had already been done that morning but I still qualified for a free beer. I'd been playing every weekend for a couple of years and usually saved my Mulligan for #2 if I'd had anything less than a double boggie on the first hole so I got it on the second shot.

But this column is not about golf. It's about coons and the dogs that chase them. And you can take my word for it or not, but a few decades back, it was pretty hard to tree a raccoon even if you had a high dollar dog. And I've seen red-bone, black and tan, blue-tick- and treeing-walker coon hounds change hands for well over \$1,000 on numerous occasions.

There was a time, not long ago, when coons were scarce critters in the woods of southeastern and central Kentucky and tracking them down with dogs was high sport among those of us who still don't understand why football is supposed to be interesting and entertaining.

Just this morning, between Paint Lick and Richmond, there were four dead coons on 52. All of em killed trying to cross the road in the dead of night. So you have to wonder, if four got killed, how many more actually made it? Crossing 52, in the dead of night, is not like running a gauntlet. Oh sure, you have a car every minute or so, but an attentive blind person on crutches could safely cross the road without getting hit. And coons, are pretty fast, and from my experience, pretty attentive critters.

As recently as 20 years ago, a coon-hunter would have flagged down traffic, called a constable, and put up road blocks to recover the carcass, if he'd seen one dead on the road, so he could use it to train his dog. But that almost never happened.

Twenty years ago, you simply did not see dead coons on the road in central and eastern Kentucky. And forty years ago you didn't see coons, period, unless you had a good light and one helluva dog.

I grew up with such dogs. I never actually owned one until the early eighties but I had a hound or two in my early years that didn't know a coon from a ground squirrel. But Lovell Blair, there in the head of the holler had twin black and tans named Ted and Joe and Lovell, ten years older, who as like everybody's big brother would lead a pack of adolescent boys through the woods and across the ridges that separated Blair Branch from all the other hollers and all night long those

two worthies chased coons.

And when the coon was worn to a frazzle and the dogs were viciously trying to climb and barking up the tree, Lovell would turn on his flashlight and search the limbs until we'd see the coon out there on a limb with it's eyes glowing amber in the reflection and he'd tell us that it was time to call off the dogs and let that coon rest for another chase.

Sometimes we'd drop off into another holler and the dogs would pick up another trail and we listen to them for hours until they finally wore out and came straggling back to us for hugs and "you done goods" and then we'd all come home in the wee hours especially happy if we'd treed a coon.

I can't imagine how Ted and Joe would react if they were turned loose on Silver Creek this day and time but I can tell you for sure that they wouldn't run a hundred yards until they were barking treed.

I'm just wondering what on earth they would do with a coon if they actually caught one?

Or if one caught them? I suspect that it's just a matter of time before we are breeding dogs that we turn loose after dark and we set time trials to see if they can outrun the coons that are chasing them. The last dog chased back to the fire would be the winner.

That would have to be at least as entertaining as foot ball on Friday and Saturday nights. In the meantime, what would you do if half a dozen coons ganged up on your dog instead of the other way around.

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

of our lives in those days. It was a warm feeling to know everyone sitting in the pews at each service. The First Baptist Church was the "rock" of my spiritual beginnings, and the teaching I received there followed me throughout my life. I still love that church.

(You can reach me at mtman@mis.net or you can drop me a line at P.O. Box 927 - Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate your comments and suggestions.)

T.J.'s Journal

by: Tonya J. Cook



Dear Journal,

Here I am in Oklahoma. I've traveled about a thousand miles so far just one way. I traveled by way of Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, and finally on to Oklahoma. I've seen a lot of things I've never seen before and may never see again. This is the farthest west I've been since the mid-1970s when I was in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Oklahoma isn't what I expected at all. I had imagined a much hotter and drier climate with almost flat land. Instead, it's hot and tropically humid with rolling hills. There aren't very many pine trees, though; they're mostly oaks, maples, and such.

The people are very nice and friendly. They remind me of the people in the South. I saw a gentleman yesterday at my church headquarters from the Carolinas who lives here, and he commented on his accent. He said that after all these years living in Oklahoma, he still had it. I asked him, "What accent?"

I've seen my first armadillo, unfortunately they were run over. They are like the little opossums back home. I've seen Texas longhorn cattle grazing,

and acres and acres of corn and soybeans, especially in Illinois and Indiana. They've gotten the right idea here; every little bit, I've seen oil wells.

I've not seen a lot of factories. People must make their living from ranching, farming, or working in offices in the city.

What is a trip if you don't get lost somewhere along the way? In our case (Pat, Martha, and I), it was in St. Louis during the 5 o'clock rush hour. To make matters worse, the Cardinals were preparing to play the Cubs. We passed right by Busch Stadium. We finally got on track and got out of town. It must have been way over twenty miles from one end of town to the other.

Today we went to downtown Oklahoma City and saw the memorial for the Murrah Building bombing. We saw 168 empty marble chairs as individual memorials to the men, women, and children who died that day of the Oklahoma City bombing in 1995. It was a sobering experience.

We are at the midway point in our trip. So far, I've had a good time, but as ever, I'll be glad to get home.

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Absolute Auction

of Mr. and Mrs. John Clontz's

Commercial Lot

Saturday, September 20, 2008 • 11:00 a.m.

Just Off Highway 461 Bypass, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Location: Just off Highway 461 Bypass, across from the Rockcastle County High School and in the Industrial Park. An auction sign is posted.

Since Mr. and Mrs. Clontz no longer live in the area, they have contracted our firm to sell this highly desirable lot for the absolute high dollar.

This commercial lot contains 1.869 Acres (by survey) in the Rockcastle Industrial Park and has 164.75 feet of frontage along the Highway 461 Bypass. Access is available in front of the Source Corp. building. The traffic count on Highway 461 is 10,800 per day. City water, sewer and electric are available.

Auctioneer's Note: Being strategically located in front of the Rockcastle Co High School and on the main thoroughfare to Lake Cumberland, this property offers unlimited potential for most any type commercial venture. The lot has great visibility in both directions with easy entrance and exit. So don't miss this absolute auction on Saturday, September 20th at 11:00 a.m.

Terms: 20% down day of sale, balance in 30 days.

Announcements day of sale take precedence over printed matter.

For additional information or an appointment, contact the selling agents:



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Davidson Reunion held

The 54th Annual Davidson Reunion was once again held at "The Old Home Place" in Morris Valley (near Poplar Gap) SUNDAY AUGUST 31, 2008. Folks came from California, Colorado, South Carolina, Tennessee, Ohio, Indiana, and all over Kentucky. Approximately 100 people were present.

Those present this year were: Linda and Marvin Kamer, Oakdale, TN; Myrtle Carpenter, Tipp City, OH; Oneida Carpenter Music, Tipp City, OH; Debbie and Bill Borden, Huntington Beach, CA; Doris Jones and Steven

Milby, Dayton, OH; Rick Davidson, Oakdale, TN; Logan Davidson, Oakdale, TN; Jordon Redmon, Oakdale, TN; Jerry and Naomi Williams, Bellbrook, OH; Roy, Cynthia and Hunter Summer, Oakdale, TN; Lafa and Betty Pheanis, Mt. Vernon; Ralph Allen, Livingston; Todd, Meagan, Corbin and Holden Moore, Rockwood, TN; Brian Kamer, Spring City, TN; James and Becky Ladd, Kingston, TN; Orbin Davidson, Dayton, OH; Whitney Gilmore, Haley and Caitlin, Harriman, TN; Terry and Lori (Pierson) Wood, Tyler, Anthony, Steven and Adam, Dayton, OH; Leola (Allen) Huffman, Kettering, OH; Wilma and Bob McGuire, West Chester, OH; Gary L. Davidson, New Carlisle, OH; Dr. Sam and Mary Isaacs, Lexington; John and Kathy Isaacs, Louisville; Mike McGuire and children, Orlando; Dora Layne Pigg, Mt. Vernon; David Thompson, Mt. Vernon; Bobby and Darlene Carpenter, Livingston; Jeri Kiser, Blake and Jean, Bishopville, SC; Sammy Tallen, Bishopville, SC; David and Walker McGuire, Bishopville, SC; Julie and Jacob Noelker, Webster, IN; Jim and Cindy Bennett, Williamsburg, IN; Gary Davidson II and Abigale Sweigart, Miamisburg, OH; Jim Bennett, Goshen, IN; Lonnie McGuire, Brodhead; Anthony Davidson, Lexington; Bob McGuire, Fountain City, IN; Rick McGuire and Sonja, Richmond, IN; Duke Davidson, Mason, OH; Lou Ann Isaacs Petzold and Franz Petzold, Louisville; Mike Davidson and Lauren Tucker, New Carlisle, OH; Bill and Mildred Reynolds, Mt. Vernon; Dewey and Sharon McGuire, West Chester, OH; Brian Kamer, Spring City, TN; Jim, Donna, Nick Davidson and Jaylynn Greece, Dayton, OH; Scot Garrett Davidson, Wesley and Maddy, Hamilton, OH; Opie Taylor Barnett, Hamilton, OH; Jessie Loeber, Dayton, OH; Danny Davidson, Hamilton, OH; Casey Pierson, Vandalia, OH; Ruth Pierson, Dayton, OH; Kraig Wood, Kettering, OH; Darren and Ben Allen, Mt. Vernon; Sharon Mayabb, Arvada, CO; Armel & Mabel Davidson, Mt. Vernon; and Jamie Davidson and children, Dayton, OH.

Dennison graduates

Army Pvt. Joshua J. Dennison has graduated from basic infantry training at Fort Benning, Columbus, GA.

During the nine weeks of training, the soldier received training in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history, core values and traditions. Additional training included development of basic combat skills and battlefield operations and tactics, and experiencing use of various weapons and weapons defenses available to the infantry crewman.

Dennison is the son of Peggy Dennison of Brodhead.

At KY Music Hall of Fame Poker Run and Wildriver Concert this Saturday

Sponsored by Rockcastle Co. Kiwanis Club The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Poker Run on Saturday, September 20, 2008 sign-ups will start at 10 a.m. at the Hall of Fame located at 2590 Richmond Road, Renfro Valley, KY just one mile off Exit 62 I-75 and the ride will start at 12 p.m.

The ride will be approximately a 100 mile scenic ride ending back at the KY Music Hall of Fame with a concert and cookout. The cost of the event is \$15 per rider

All paid riders will receive admission to the concert, cookout, and free tours of the Hall of Fame. The first 100 paid riders will also receive a Poker Run T-Shirt. A rain date of September 21, 2008 is set with all times remaining the same.

Library News



Pam Chaliff

A new selection of children's books can be seen at the library on display beginning this Friday September 19. All of the books were purchased through a grant known as the Brownstone Foundation. A lady whose hobby is to read children's books picks Appalachian libraries such as Rockcastle County Public Library to receive one hundred award winning books. We are very thankful to have received such a grant and we hope everyone in the community enjoys the new books.

Next Tuesday September 23 at story hour Ms. Carla will be reading to the children "Where the Wild Things Are" and then we will be watching a 25 minute movie on the book. At crafts next Tuesday September 23 the kids will be making whatever they wish out of modeling clay. Remember that story hour is every Tuesday at 1:00pm for children ages birth-4 and crafts for kids ages 4-10 is every Tuesday at 5:00pm. If you have any questions you can contact Ms. Carla Rowe the Children's Coordinator at 606-256-2388.

Roadside PRIDE

Plan now to win in October

You can help your hometown win big in October, which is Roadside PRIDE Month in southern and eastern Kentucky. With a team effort, your community can share the rewards of clean roads, satisfied tourists and even a trophy. Now is the time to make your game plan.

Throughout October, volunteers will pick up the roadside litter, local governments will collect the trash, and PRIDE will provide the garbage bags and pay trash disposal fees.

If we all do our part, then we will make a big difference in the appearance of our roads by the end of October — just in time to enjoy drives through beautiful fall scenery.

Your hometown will be in a friendly competition during Roadside PRIDE Month. Cities and counties will earn points for the number of volunteers who clean roadsides, road miles cleaned, bags of trash collected, and tires and appliances collected. The cities and counties with the highest scores will win trophies.

Your competitors are cities and counties with similar populations to your own. For a list, visit the PRIDE web site at www.kypride.org.

Sign up now for the home team. The local PRIDE Coordinators are planning cleanup events for October. If you work with them to plan a cleanup event, they will give you PRIDE trash bags, pick up your filled bags, and add your contribution to your home team's score.

To volunteer in Rockcastle County, please call PRIDE Co-

ordinator James Renner at 606-256-1902. In Livingston, please call Mayor J.C. Griffin at 606-453-2061. In Mt. Vernon, please call PRIDE Coordinator Wayne Bullock at 606-256-0344 or PRIDE Coordinator Jill Medley at 606-256-3437. The toll-free number for the PRIDE office is 888-577-4339.

The PRIDE Initiative promotes Personal Responsibility In a Desirable Environment in 38 counties.



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To schedule a clean-up event, call:
James Renner, Rockcastle County PRIDE Coordinator,
@ 606-256-1902
(If possible, call us before September 12th, so our scheduling form can be in by that date.)

Supplies and pick-up furnished on day of clean-up!



It's your county! It's your state! It's your
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An Appreciation Dinner will be given for all 2008 Rockcastle PRIDE Volunteers on November 3, 2008 in the Telecommunications Room, 3rd Floor Rockcastle County Courthouse. 6:00 PM
Refreshments: Tea or Soda, Pizza, Sub Sandwiches, Cake & Ice Cream--Door Prizes and Appreciation Certificates!
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WILD TURKEY FEDERATION
9:00a.m.-1:00a.m.

Saturday, September 27, 2008 the Rockcastle County Long Beards Chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation is holding a WOMAN in the OUTDOORS field day.

The location is at the Pulaski Outdoorsman Club in Somerset, KY. Bring your own gun or you can use one of ours. Range fees and ammunition will be furnished.

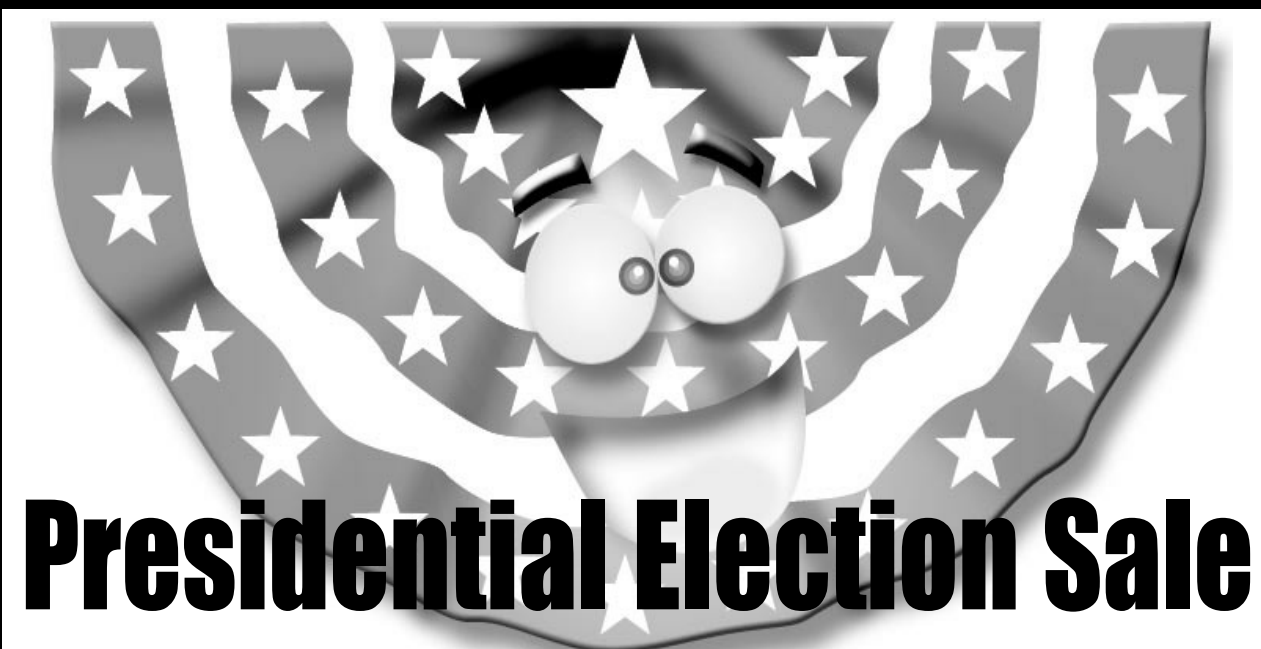
There will be introduction to shooting as well as clay target practice for others. There is also a pistol and rifle range.

Refreshments will be furnished.

Directions: From 80 turn on 914 bypass in Somerset
At first light turn left onto 192
Proceed 1 mile turn right on Cherry Grove Road
Proceed 1 mile turn right on Rattlesnake Road
Turn left on 2nd drive to right (there's a gate)
Shooting range is at the top of the hill.

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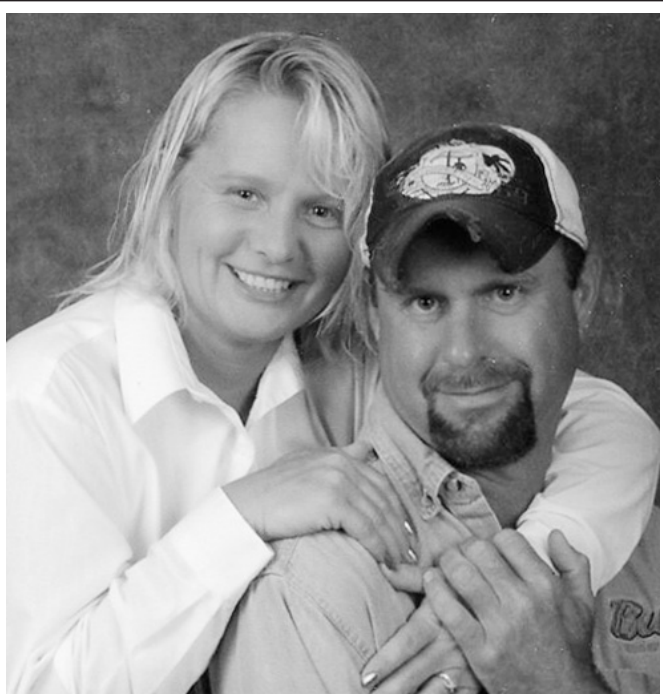


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Four Generations

Mary E (Wright) Gentry, Linda (Gentry) Gowin, Ezekiel Gowin and Avery Layne Gowin are shown above. Mary lives in Somerset. The rest live in Burnet, Texas. Linda's husband Gary was killed on his way home from Austin, Texas June 21, 2008. Avery Layne was born February 11, 2008 to Olivia and Ezekiel. She was Linda and Gary's first grandchildren. Avery has been a blessing for Linda and she's precious to all. Linda's daughter, Jessica, is expecting a son due in November. Jessica and her husband Mike Brown are stationed in Hawaii. He spent one year in Baghdad. Linda is the daughter of Mary and the late Joe Gentry.



Randall Martin Hering and Brenda Hering were married on September 4, 2008. Congratulations - we love you both! Love - Olivia, Elizabeth, David and Douglas.

Several pets ready for adoption at local Animal Shelter



Several animals are up for adoption at the Rockcastle Animal Shelter located on Deep Hollow Road, off Old Sigmon Road, at Roundstone. Above, Animal Shelter Director James Kidwell shows off an Alaskan Husky, which is approximately 18-months-old. Below, he holds a part Pugg, which is approximately a year old. Adoption fee is \$20 and the shelter is open 8 to 4 Monday thru Friday. For more information call the Animal Shelter at (606) 256-1833.

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Happy Birthday September 18th to Pam Chaliff from all the girls at the library - Carla, Jenni, Melissa, Kim, Jessica

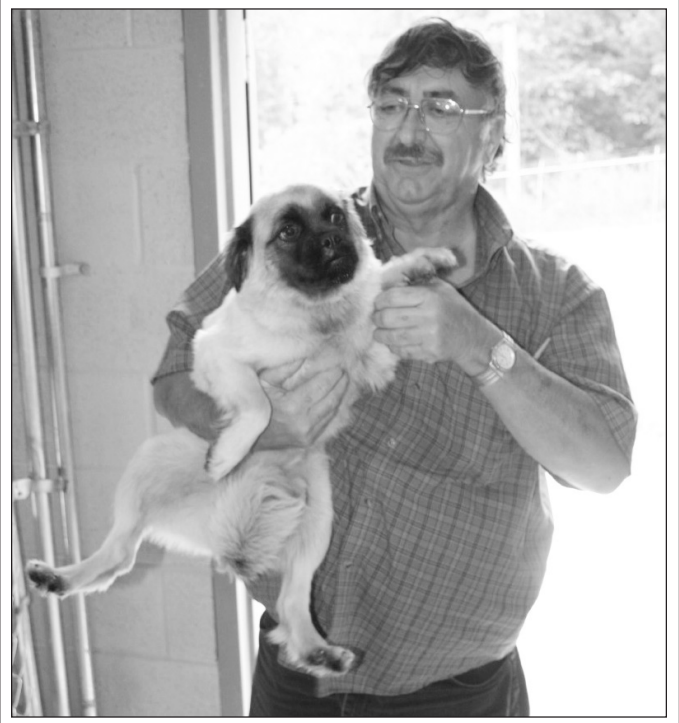


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Mt. Vernon Personals

By: Marie McKinney
Those visiting C.S. and Marie McKinney recently were their son, Jack and girlfriend, Martha and great grandson, Matt Nicely; their daughter, Sharon Lovins; great grandchildren, Samarah Lovins, Chance Lovins, Chase Lovins, Chesney Lovins and Chaden Lovins. Also Samarah's little sister, Sierra Hansel; grandson, Jeff McKinney and wife, Shelly of Ohio; Joe Lovins, Jr. and wife, Caroline and great grandson, Dalton Lovins of Eubank. Granddaughters, Teresa Herbst and husband, John of Florida, Jamie Graves and great grandson, Silas of Richmond. C.S.'s brother, Ivan McKinney and Marie's nephew, Clinton Graves had breakfast with Marie and C.S. at Hardee's recently. Marie's daughter, Sharon Lovins and granddaughter, Jamie Graves and great grandson, Silas, visited Marie's other daughter, Lillian Renner in Ohio last Sunday and had a great time. Our deepest sympathy is extended to all who have lost loved ones recently. May the good Lord bless each and everyone.



Twilight Absolute Estate Auction
of the late Mr. James Owens'
Mobile Home Workshop and Lot Storage Building
Friday, September 26, 2008
6:00 p.m.
90 Lower Drive, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

LOCATION: From Mt. Vernon, follow Highway 1249 (Sand Springs Road) approx. 1/10 of a mile to Lower Drive. Turn right onto Lower Drive. Auction Signs are posted.

In order to settle the estate of the late Mr. Owens, our firm has been authorized to conduct this absolute auction.

This 1964 10x55 singlewide mobile home is situated on a lot measuring 130 x 112.5 x 95 x 120 and offers a floor plan of eat-in kitchen, living/bedroom combination and utility room (which could be converted to a bedroom). Other amenities include: two window unit air conditioners, wood stove, front deck, city water, city sewer. There is also a detached storage/workshop building.

In addition, there is a small 8 x 10 metal storage building which will be sold separately from the real estate.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: If you are in the market for a rental investment or a handy man's dream, bid last, buy, and this property will be yours on Friday, September 26th at 6:00 p.m. There are no minimums and no reserves.

TERMS: 20% down day of sale, balance in 30 days. Announcements day of sale take precedence over printed matter.

For additional information, contact the selling agents:

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PRIORITY RESOLUTION FOR HB 410 COAL SEVERANCE LINE-ITEM PROJECTS
RESOLUTION
COUNTY OF ROCKCASTLE

ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION OF THE ROCKCASTLE COUNTY FISCAL COURT AUTHORIZING THE FOLLOWING PROJECTS TO BE FUNDED IN THE PRIORITY ORDER LISTED BELOW VIA RELEASE OF SINGLE COUNTY COAL SEVERANCE FUNDS ESTABLISHED IN HOUSE BILL 410 AND ENACTED BY THE 2008 GENERAL ASSEMBLY;

WHEREAS, the Kentucky General Assembly, in 2008 House Bill (HB) 410, appropriated funds from the Local Government Economic Development Fund to the County for specific line-item projects; and

WHEREAS, because the General Assembly did not assign prioritization among the line-item projects authorized for the County, it is necessary for the County to assign such priority in order for the funds to be disbursed in an orderly fashion; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly has, in some counties, appropriated single county coal severance funds directly to other local government entities within those counties; and

WHEREAS, the County has, where applicable, consulted with those local government entities as to the most effective prioritization of all line-item projects from the County's single county coal severance funds;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved this 9th day of September, 2008, by the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court:

The Fiscal Court hereby assigns, for administrative purposes, priority among all 2008 HB 410 line-item projects authorized for Rockcastle County in the following manner:

FY 2009 ('08-'09)

1. Rockcastle County Courthouse Renovations and Upgrades Project	\$57,624
2. Mt. Vernon Fire Department	\$10,000
3. Livingston Fire Department	\$10,000
4. Brodhead Fire Department	\$10,000
5. Brindle Ridge Fire Department Equipment Project Phase I	\$10,000
6. Western Rockcastle (Quail) Fire Dept. Bldg. Renovations and Equipment Phase I	\$10,000
7. Pongo Fire Department Equipment Project Phase I	\$10,000
8. Rockcastle County Fire Department	\$10,000
9. (City of Mt. Vernon) City Park Construct Restrooms and Replace Sand	\$50,000
10. (City of Mt. Vernon) Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Operations and Promotion	\$100,000

FY 2010 ('09-'10)

1. Mt. Vernon Fire Department Phase II	\$8,000
2. Brodhead Fire Department Phase II	\$8,000
3. Livingston Fire Department Phase II	\$8,000
4. Brindle Ridge Fire Department Equipment Project Phase II	\$8,000
5. Western Rockcastle (Quail) Fire Dept. Bldg. Renovations and Equipment Phase II	\$8,000
6. Pongo Fire Department Equipment Project Phase II	\$8,000
7. Rockcastle County Fire Department	\$8,000
8. (City of Mt. Vernon) Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Operations and Promotion	\$95,363

Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue Activity Report September, 9 -15

Tuesday September 9th
Rockcastle EMS requested assistance from one fire unit in loading patient in ambulance. One firefighter responded.

Wednesday September 10th
Dispatched to fire alarm at Mount Vernon Plastics. Six firefighters responded with two trucks and were advised by plant manager, no fire before their arrival.

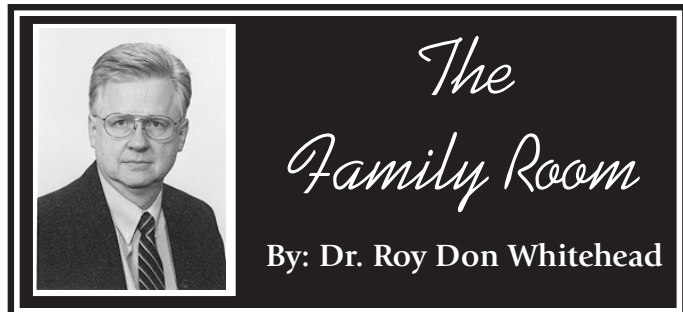
Saturday September 13th
Responded to vehicle smoking on I-75 around 65 mile marker. Upon arrival in the area, observed a van with the hood up at 66 mile marker. Spoke with driver, noticed van had transmission problems and lost all of its fluid. Called

assistance for the driver. No actual fire. Five firefighters responded.

Sunday September 14th
Received report of single vehicle accident on Chestnut Ridge Road over an embankment. Six firefighters responded. Upon arrival observed vehicle over embankment, driver still inside. Assisted EMS with removing and loading patient.

Sunday September 14
Dispatched to vehicle accident on I-75 at 68 mile marker. Upon arrival, observed no entrapment, no fire, no injuries. Seven firefighters responded.

Sunday September 14th
Received report of single vehicle accident on Big Cave Road (HWY 1004). Reported that one vehicle was over embankment on Brush Creek Hill and that driver was still inside vehicle. Eight firefighters were responding when 911 received another call saying that everyone was out of the vehicle and no one was injured.



Would you step in to stop violence? The following is an account from one Bethany House staff member concerning her recent experience:

"I was driving to work and saw a car pulled over with a woman trying to get out while the car was still rolling. A man was driving. I drove by and knew this wasn't right so I turned around, went back and found the man with the car pulled over in the grass and the woman standing in the ditch crying. I stopped and asked if she needed help or a ride. She said, 'Yes, please!' All the time the man is standing by the car cussing and ranting. He was, however, rather small and I thought I could take him.

The lady got in my car. I explained to her where I worked and asked if she would like to come to the shelter. She said she just wanted to go home. (He didn't live with her.) She said she had come to Bethany House once many years ago before it was remodeled. I dropped her off at her house and came on to work."

(I am not suggesting that everyone do what this Bethany House staff member did. Calling 911 and monitoring the situation from afar until police arrive are other ways to help the woman who was being abused.)

While not everyone would intervene in the same way, this courageous act speaks volumes. It said to one woman and one man that family violence is not acceptable. It challenges the rest of us to do what we can to stop family violence.

How can we let the world know that child abuse, domestic violence and sexual assault will no longer be tolerated in Kentucky? We can do it one person at a time. We can do it by changing the way we react when we see or hear about violence in the family.

Concerned citizens from all

over Kentucky recently gathered in Lexington for the Green Dot Summit. We were there to learn about a new way of stopping violence in families. (Wynona Padgett from Clear Channel Radio in Somerset and I attended.)

Picture the state of Kentucky covered in red dots. Each red dot stands for one act of family violence or one action that tolerates or encourages violence. Green Dot Kentucky proposes that each of us take action to stop family violence, in effect covering all those red dots with Green Dots.

The Bethany House staff member who stopped to help the woman who was being abused added a big Green Dot to the state map. If enough of us add our own green dots, we can cover and/or eliminate the red dots of family violence. What does it take to put a Green Dot on the map? You do not have to intervene in a violent situation in order to add a Green Dot. You add a Green Dot when you: explain to your children that violence in the family is wrong; tell your Sunday School class or Scout troop that violence will not be tolerated; offer encouragement to a co-worker you suspect is a victim of violence; put up a poster at work that says No to violence; tell a friend about a domestic violence shelter; or refuse to listen to jokes that put down women or others who are often victims of violence.

America is too great a nation to tolerate violence in families. Kentuckians are too caring and law-abiding to allow this epidemic of child abuse, domestic violence and sexual assault to continue.

What can you do this week to put a Green Dot on the Kentucky state map? Stand up and shout it from the hilltops: we will not tolerate violence!

[If you or someone you know needs help because of domestic violence, call Family Life Abuse Center at 800-755-5348.]

NOTICE

The Rockcastle County Local Planning Committee (LPC) will conduct a Public Forum on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. This forum will take place at the Rockcastle County Teaching and Learning Center, 250 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky across from the Rockcastle County Board of Education office.

The purpose of this meeting is for the development of a new four (4) year district facility plan for the Rockcastle County School System.



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2008

Where: Kentucky Music Hall of Fame & Museum
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Time: 10:00 a.m. (sign up)
12:00 p.m. (ride)
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Rockcastle County Fiscal Court Projects

Court House Façade Update – Project No. 08-11
Livingston Gym Roof Replacement – Project No. 08-12

The Rockcastle County Fiscal Court requests general construction bids for the following two projects:

Bid 08-11 - Courthouse Façade Update
This project is located in Mt. Vernon, KY at the Rockcastle County Courthouse and generally is described as work to include the demolition of some concrete walks, steps, ramp and canopy. Work also includes removal of a pair of doors, miscellaneous exterior wall trim and other items to accommodate new work. The new work includes new concrete walks, steps and handicapped ramp with stainless steel rails. Other work includes precast columns with concrete foundations and beams and roof areas. Portions of the exterior masonry wall will require tuck pointing and as sealer applied to walls. The plans and specifications prepared by Kenar Architectural, 100 Consumer Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601, Telephone 502-352-2874 further describe the work to be performed.

Bid 08-12 - Livingston Gym Roof Replacement
This project involves the old Livingston Gymnasium/Community Center in Rockcastle County off of US 25. This will involve installing a new steel framed support system for an architectural standing seam pre-finished metal roof added to the building. The plans and specifications prepared by Kenar Architectural 100 Consumer Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601, Telephone 502-352-2874 further describe the work to be performed.

The Rockcastle County Fiscal Court (owner) will receive bids to furnish all materials and labor to complete the above described projects. Work is to be performed in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Kenar Architectural.

The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bid openings will be public and Contracts will be with the Owner. Drawings, specifications and the project manual may be obtained by contacting Lynn Imaging, 328 Vine Street, Lexington, KY, telephone 859-255-1021, www.lynnimaging.com/distribution. Questions should be directed in writing to the project architect, Kenar Architectural, 100 Consumer Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601, 502-352-2874 or hfletcher@kenararchitect.com.

A complete set of Drawings, Specifications, and the project manual requires a non-refundable deposit of \$25.00 payable to Kenar Architectural. If Drawings and Specifications are to be mailed, arrangements must be made with Architect. Cost of mailing is to be paid for by the Bidder.

Bid documents will be on file at:
Owner: Rockcastle County Courthouse, Mt. Vernon, KY and
with the Architect: Kenar Architectural, 100 Consumer Lane, Frankfort, Ky.

Separate sealed bids for Projects 08-11 and 08-12 will be received until 1:00 PM, October 14, 2008 at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud at the Rockcastle County Courthouse, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Each bid must be accompanied by a 5% Bid Bond. The bid shall be submitted on copies of the Form of Proposal located in the Volume I of Project Specifications. Both copies of the Form of Proposal and Bid Bond shall be placed in a manila envelope and have the Project No. 08-11 and/or Project No. 08-12, and Name affixed. No bidder may withdraw a bid submitted for a period of ninety (90) days after the date set for the opening.

If a bidder wishes to mail in a bid, it should be mailed to: the Honorable Buzz Carloftis, Rockcastle Judge Executive, P.O. Box 755, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. If a bid is mailed, it must be received prior to October 14, 2008 at 1:00 PM. Facsimile bids will NOT be allowed. Bids received after the deadline will not be opened.

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Saturday, September 27, 2008 - 1:30 p.m.

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LOCATION: In Brodhead, turn off Highway 150 onto Ky 1505 by the Brodhead Fire Station. Follow Ky 1505 approx. 200 ft across the bridge and turn right onto Water Tank Hill. Auction signs are posted.

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Rockets beat Madison Southern again, 28-6

By: Richard Anderkin
The Rockcastle County Rockets ran their 2008 foot-

ball record to 3-0 on Friday night, with an easy 28-6 win over Madison Southern.

Friday night's victory in Berea was the 17th straight for the Rockets over the Eagles, who have never defeated the Rockets on the football field.

The Rocket defense held the Eagles to minus 11 yards and caused five turnovers.

The offense rolled up 348 yards of total offense, although field conditions were poor because of a hard rain in the first half.

The Rockets scored the first touchdown of the game with 7:32 remaining on the clock in the first quarter when senior Casey Hayes went in from nine yards out.

Three minutes later, junior quarterback Dustin Bishop hit senior Dustin Bullock on a 10 yard pass and the Rockets led 14-0.

But when the Rockets kicked off to Southern, the Eagles outstanding running back, Rico Brown, picked the ball up on his own 10 and ran it 90 yards for the score.

The Rockets added another score in the second period on an 18 yard run by Hayes which gave them a 21-6 lead at half-time.

Hayes, who scored three touchdowns in the game for

the Rockets, added the final score of the game on a 53 yard run in the first series of the second half.

Hayes had one of his best games ever as a Rocket, picking up 218 yards on 33 carries and three touchdowns.

Sophomore fullback John L. Saylor had 49 yards on 8 carries; freshman Clark Rowe got 15 yards on 2 carries; senior Steve Trimble 18 yards on 3 carries; freshman Perry Mason 5 yards on 3 carries and Bullock had 7 yards on one carry and also caught a 10 yard touchdown pass.

Bishop had 24 yards on 8 carries and was 3 for 8 through the air for 26 yards. He threw one interception. He was also four for four in extra point kicks.

Besides Bullock's touchdown reception, junior Jamie Todd caught one pass for 12 yards and Rowe caught one for 4.

"I was very pleased with

the way our offense adjusted after the rain - we showed that we are able to line up and run right at a team when we have to," said Rocket head coach Scott Parkey.

"We were going to open it up a lot more against Southern than we had in the first two games but that wasn't possible because of the wet conditions," Parkey said.

But Parkey, who still has the distinction of being the only Rocket head coach to never lose a game, said the defensive unit was responsible for the outcome of the game.

"They totally dominated Southern. Coach (Josh) Martin had his team ready and they played better than they did the first two games of the year," Parkey said.

Defensive lineman Cole Abney led the Rocket defense with 5 tackles and assists, including a sack.

Besides a great game offensively, Hayes had four

tackles and assists, two of which were sacks and he recovered a fumble.

Junior Matt Bullens had four tackles and assists and junior Dalton Dillingham had three tackles and also recovered a fumble.

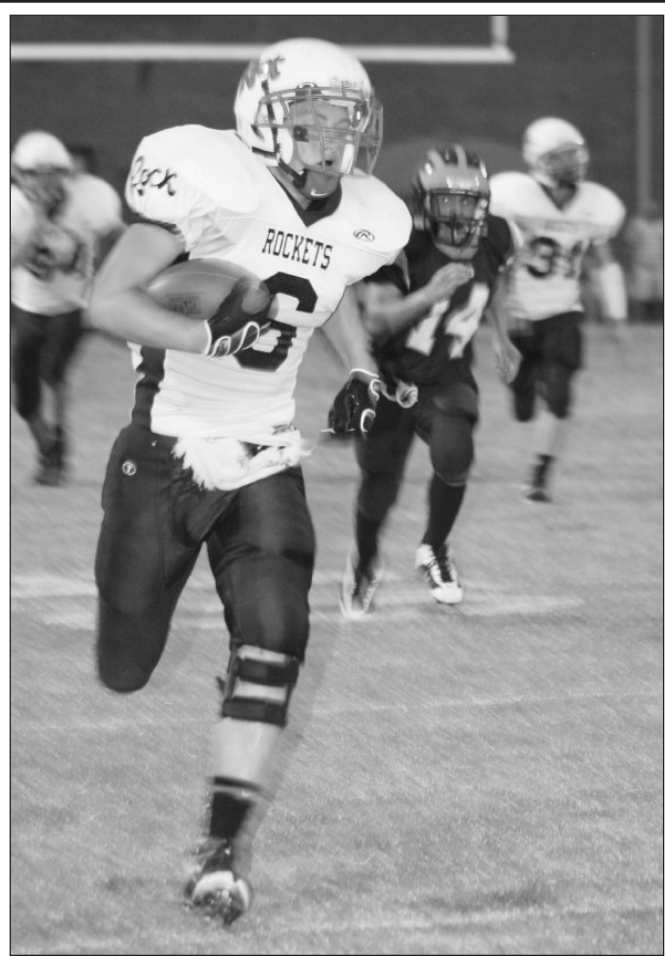
Seniors Devon Mason and Steve Trimble had 3 tackles each. Junior Derek Thacker, senior Jared Smith, Bullock and Saylor each had 2 tackles and junior Jamie Todd added 1. Bullock and Smith both had interceptions.

Friday night the Rockets take on district rival Bell County in their second home game of the season.

Like the Rockets, the Bobcats are 3-0 and defeated Knox Central 21-0 last Friday night.

Bell County is ranked number 1 in class 4A and the Rockets are ranked 9th.

The Rockets will be healthy when they head into the UNITE Bowl game, which kicks off at 7:30 p.m.



Senior Jared Smith returned a kick-off over 70 yards on Friday night after Madison Southern posted their only score. Smith also intercepted a pass in the contest which the Rockets won 28-6.



Rocket quarterback Dustin Bishop takes off on one of his eight carries on Friday night. Bishop picked up 24 yards on the night and completed three passes for 26 yards. One of those completions was for a touchdown to senior Dustin Bullock. Bishop was also four for four on extra point kicks. (Staff photos by Kevin Canterbury)



RCHS sophomore fullback John L. Saylor is shown picking up some of the 49 yards he gained against Madison Southern on Friday night. The Rockets won 28-6 and will host Bell County this Friday night.

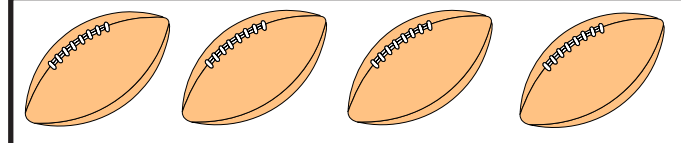


Rocket senior tailback Casey Hayes had one of the best games of his career on Friday night against Madison Southern when he rushed for 218 yards and scored three touchdowns. The Rockets won 28-6. (Photo by: John McQueary)



Longtime RCHS head assistant coach Tony Saylor gave the Rockets a pep talk during his pregame speech on Friday night. The Rockets defeated Madison Southern 28-6 and are 3-0 on the season. The Rockets host Bell County on Friday night in the UNITE Bowl, which kicks off at 7:30 p.m. Former UK quarterback Tim Couch will be on hand for the game.

UNITE Bowl
Friday at 7:30

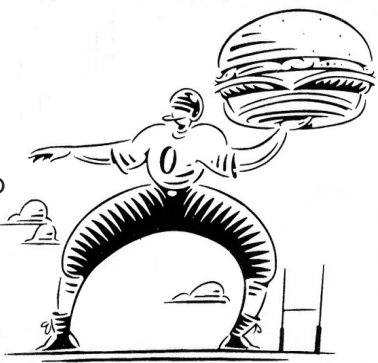


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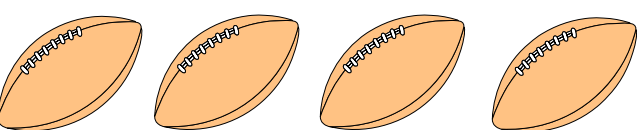


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Marching Rockets win big at Hazard

Submitted by A. B. Sharpe

The trip to Hazard is always long and uphill and this last Saturday was no exception. The Marching Rockets arrived at Hazard High for the Band of Gold Invitational, ready to climb up more hills to reach the performance field. What a surprise it was to see a bright, shining new Astroturf field which, we're told, had just been completed at midnight Friday! The field was brilliant with its vivid markings and it made the mountain setting even more beautiful than usual.

For those of you who could not attend, the day was dripping with high humidity and was blazing hot with temperatures well into the nineties. It was the hottest I've ever seen

at a competition. The Marching Rockets performed at 5PM in the sweltering heat and stinging sun. Their skin was well protected from sun exposure because it was fully encased in a heavy polyester uniform, complete with gloves and vinyl gauntlets. The shako (hat) also provided excellent coverage. Only the small portion of their faces that was exposed showed the cascading sweat and deep red flush that comes from the exertion necessary to march up steep hills carrying awkward and heavy instruments and props and then to perform an intense show on a synthetic turf field that had been laying there all day, soaking up the rays, so that by late afternoon it was an additional

source of radiating heat under their black leather shoes.

Saturday's performance was not without difficulties, not the least of which was a last minute change in pit percussion placement due to the new Astroturf and the not yet completed track surrounding the field. The Pit Crew had to improvise on the spot to get them into place. But, the show went on as planned with two students marching despite significant injury and illness earlier in the week. The Marching Rockets were in fine form and when directed to "Take the field" they ROCKED it! And, despite all the difficulties the performance was indomitable!

The Marching Rockets took 1st Place in class 4A and received awards for Best Auxiliary (Colorguard) in Class 4A and Best Percussion in Class 4A. The Rockets scored a Proficient Plus rating overall with a Distinguished rating in the Visual Effect category. Their score placed them 4th overall out of the 21 bands competing from class 1A to 5A. The overall rating was an 11 point improvement over last week.

The celebrating began immediately with a parking lot pizza party sponsored by the

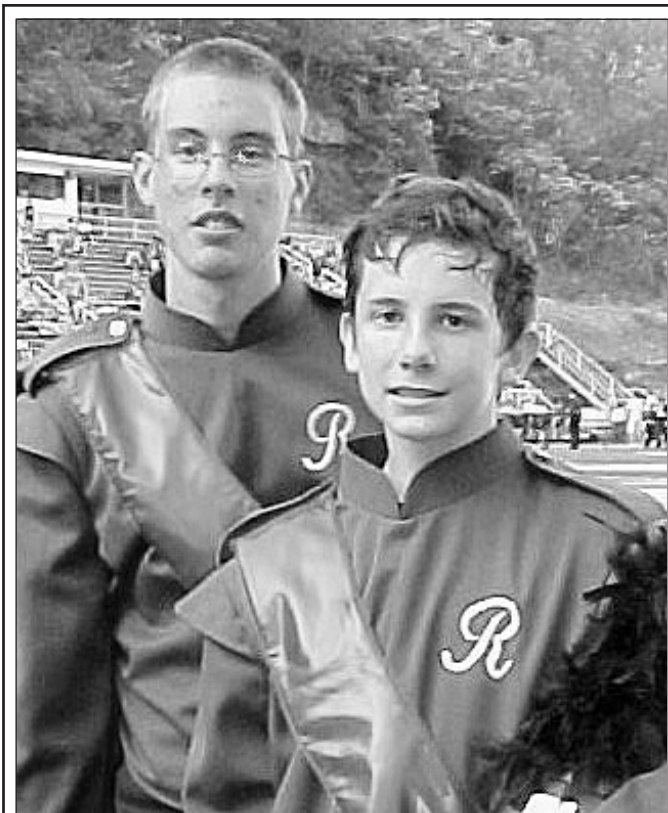
band boosters. The long ride back from Hazard was euphoric. At the interstate exit they were met by 2 fire trucks, an ambulance and a police car, all with lights and sirens. As the victory parade wound through the streets of Mount Vernon, you could hear the boisterous sound of 50 voices singing "Hey Baby" over the sirens (a favorite song introduced to them by former student teacher, Mr. Walker). Special thanks go to the Mount Vernon Fire Department, Brodhead Fire Department, Mount Vernon Police and Rescue Squad for the victory cavalcade that was a fitting end to an exhilarating day.

The Marching Rockets are gearing up for their third competition of the season this coming Saturday as they travel to London for the North Laurel Invitational. This will be the closest competition that the Marching Rockets will compete in and it is a great opportunity for the local community to come out and support the Rockets! Several former state championship bands will also be performing and it promises to be an exciting day. The competition begins at 1 PM with

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Adam Alcorn, Richard Barron and Ethan Miller.



Mark Berry and Will Walker

RCMS Basketball Update Sept. 9 & 11

The Rockcastle County Middle School Lady Rocket basketball teams hosted Danville last Tuesday night, September 9th.

6th grade 19 - Danville 6

Individual scoring: Tanika Chasteen, 4, Alaina Coguer, 4, Ashley Newland, 4, Ameila Eversole, 4, Abby Chasteen, 3, Record 5-5.

7th grade 9 - Danville 35

Individual scoring: Kayla Reynolds, 4, Kelsey Mattingly, 3, Jackie White, 2, Record 4-6.

8th grade 54 - Danville 35

Individual scoring: Alexis Chasteen, 15, Emily Miller, 10, Michaela Hunter, 10, Sam

Payne, 9, Bree Keating, 6, Sara Adams, 4, Record 9-4.

Last Thursday night the Lady Rockets hosted Lincoln County, and were defeated in all three games.

6th grade 14 - Lincoln 27

Individual scoring: Kira Deatherage 5, Eversole, 3, Newland, 2, Abby Chasteen, 2, Bishop, 2.

7th grade 13 - Lincoln 25

Individual scoring: Reynolds, 4, Bree Burdette, 2, Mattingly 2, Lauren Burton, 2, Hannah Sowder, 1, Record 4-7.

8th grade 12 - Lincoln 27

Individual scoring: Chasteen, 9, Adams, 2, Payne, 1, Record 9-5.



RCMS 8th grader Bree Keating drives to the basket against a Boyle County player last week. The 8th graders won that game 39-16 and are 9-6 on the season, after a Tuesday night loss to Casey County.



Field Commander Regina Rice holding one of the trophies.



The annual Rockcastle Middle School football ROCKhard Bowl was held Saturday. The RCMS 8th grade team defeated Somerset 48-20 but the 7th grade team lost to Somerset 40-0. Above, 8th graders Tommy Johnson and John Curtis Wilson combine to make a tackle.



Rockcastle 6th grade football tailback Tyler McCormick looks for running room in his team's game against North Laurel on Monday night. The 6th graders won 34-6 and are 2-1 on the season. (Photos by Richard Anderkin)



Section Leader Reanna Hasty



7th grader Jacob Bussell makes a tackle in the 8th grade game Saturday in the ROCKhard Bowl against Somerset. Also in the photo is #4 Tyler Smith. The 8th grade team is 5-2 on the season. Both the 8th grade and 7th grade teams will host Mercer County next Tuesday night. (Photos by: John McQueary)



Rockcastle 6th grade football quarterback Kyle Denny calls the signal for his team on Monday night's game against North Laurel. The Rockets were on their second scoring drive of the game, which they won, 34-6.



The RCMS boys' golf team took first place out of 16 teams in a tournament held at Old Bridge Country Club last Saturday. Members of the squad are shown above, from left: Jordan Whitaker, Andrew Pensol, Jordan Cash, Bryan Clontz and Brandon Young. Coach Jesse Mahaffey is shown in the back. Whitaker shot an 87, Pensol and Cash both shot 78, Clontz scored 76 and Young fired a 75 to lead the Rockets.

“Marching”

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bands in class 1A. The Marching Rockets perform at 5:45 PM. Don't miss this opportunity to witness the Rockcastle Spirit as it radiates from each Marching Rocket as they perform on the field.

The Rockets will also be performing in the UNITE parade this Friday morning and they will perform their competition show, “NIGHTSCAPES,” during halftime of the UNITE bowl in the evening. And, as always, they will be in the stands supporting their fellow Rockets. GO ROCK!

You can support the Marching Rockets and your local business owners by purchasing a Spirit Card—cards will be on sale in the concession stand at every home football game, at RCHS and at area businesses.

Trumpets are this week's featured instrument

Trumpets are old instruments, the earliest dating back to before 1500 BC. They were signaling instruments used for military or religious purposes. Today the trumpet is used in symphony orchestras as well as in jazz, dance and military bands. Trumpets are constructed of brass tubing bent twice into an oblong shape, and are played by blowing air through closed lips, producing a “buzzing” sound which starts a standing wave vibration in the air column inside the trumpet. Some notable trumpet players include Louis Armstrong, Miles Davis, and Dizzy Gillespie.

There are six trumpeters in the Marching Rockets this season. Reanna Hasty, a senior at RCHS is Section Leader for the trumpets. “Being a section leader is hard sometimes because they don't always want to listen.” She has been marching with the Rockets for the past five years and also plays a little bit of guitar for enjoyment. Her favorite part of band is “hanging out with my friends.” Her favorite trumpet song is “Sugar We're Going Down” by Fall Out Boy. Reanna is not fond of one aspect of band, however, and that is running PT at Camp Crescendo first thing every morning. “NIGHTSCAPES” is her second favorite show ever—Cirque du Soleil, which she marched in her first year, is still her favorite. She found it “so challenging and the props were really interesting. It was really “cool,” she said. She is planning to become a Psychiatrist, hoping to go to WKU and looking forward to participating in some band ensemble work while there.

Richard Barron is a junior and this is his 4th year marching. He likes band because “I get to see my friends. Mostly all my friends are in the band.” He likes to play marching music more than concert pieces and is not fond of all the practices after school in the heat. As for this season he said, “If we practice enough and all work together, than I think we can go far this year.” His future plans are to possibly become a surgeon and he feels that being in the band has helped developed his leadership skills. He has a routine before every perform-

mance—right before going on, he cuffs everyone in his section on the hat and wishes them good luck. It does seem to be working!

Ethan Miller is a sophomore and this is his 3rd year marching. He prefers playing the trumpet but is also proficient on the tuba. The best parts of being in the band are “going to all the competitions and being with my friends.” He likes all the songs they play on the trumpet and the after school practices are “most definitely” his least favorite activity. He thinks “NIGHTSCAPES” is “an interesting idea for a show and it seems to be doing well this year.” He plans to be in a college band and also likes “playing for the fun of it.”

Will Walker, currently a freshman, is in his 2nd season marching with the Rockets. He is just starting to play the guitar and trombone and hopes to be skilled in them some day. His favorite part of being in the band is “all the different places we go.” He particularly enjoys playing (and singing) “Hey Baby”. He finds the after school rehearsals “tough and tedious.” He definitely likes the show “NIGHTSCAPES” better than last year's show. In preparation for each performance, right before marching out, Will says, “I wait to get my head thumped by Richie. It's for good luck.” He is planning on a future in engineering but is also interested in “pursuing proficiency on other instruments. I really enjoy making music.”

Mark Berry is also a freshman and this is his first year as a Marching Rocket. Besides the trumpet, he also plays “a little bit of keyboard”. The best part of band for Mark is “being around my friends. It feels great to be alongside everyone in the band, marching in the competitions.” His favorite song to play is Bon Jovi's “You Give Love a Bad Name.” He is not fond of being “out in the heat” for rehearsals. About this year's show he said, “We have a lot of potential in “NIGHTSCAPES” to make it all the way to the finals in Louisville. “It's been a great beginning year for me,” says Mark. Before performing, he High-Five's all his fellow section members. He is looking for the possibility of a band scholarship to help him in his dream of becoming a video game and computer programmer.

Adam Alcorn is an eighth grader and this is his first year marching with the Rockets. In addition to playing the trumpet in the band, he enjoys playing guitar and drums at home. He likes band and “hanging out with my friends.” He loves playing any “music with a fast pace—something challenging,” he says. The “late, constant practices” he doesn't love so much. In talking about “NIGHTSCAPES” he said, “I think it's a real good show. I think we'll go to State with it.” He always takes his camouflage hat with him to competitions for good luck. In addition to the hectic band schedule, he is also a member of the RCMS Academic Team. He is planning to become a physician and hopes that a band scholarship will help him reach that goal.

Rockcastle County High School Academic Honor Roll



Rockcastle County High School Senior Rachael Cash has a grade point average of 4.16 and is tied for the third highest ranking of the 207 seniors in the 2009 graduating class at RCHS. Rachael is the daughter of Ronnie and Katreka Cash of Brodhead and plans to attend the University of Kentucky next year. Rachael is seriously considering majoring in Fashion Merchandising and Textiles when attending U.K. Following graduation, Rachael plans to join the Peace Corps. She is the current President of the National Honor Society at RCHS and a member of the Beta and French Clubs. Rachael also served as President of the Young Democrat Club. She is currently taking advanced placement classes in Calculus, English and Chemistry and as a junior she had an advanced placement class in History. Rachael has been a member of the RCHS golf team for three years and is an avid U.K. football fan.

Kentucky Ambassadors of Music tour Europe

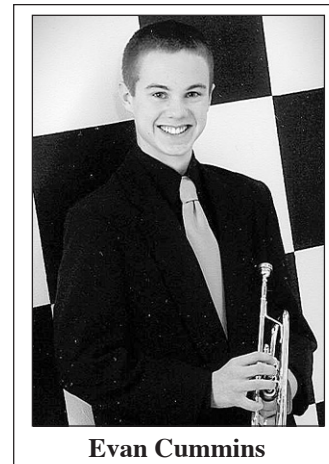
This summer 200 outstanding student musicians gathered from across the state at the University of Louisville for three days of rehearsal and a performance prior to departing to seven European countries for a 16-day tour. Students were nominated for the 2008 Kentucky Ambassadors of Music Tour based on their musicianship, leadership, and character, and were selected to participate by invitation.

Evan Cummins, of Richmond, was selected for this honor. Evan, 17, is the son of Donald and Jamie (Payne) Cummins. He is the grandson of Jackie and Jennie Payne of Brodhead, Don and Jewel Cummins of Mt Vernon, and

Nina Bishop Cummins of Somerset. Evan, a Senior, attends Madison Central High School. He has been a member of the MCHS Band, directed by Mr. H. Brent Barton, for four years, and he plays trumpet in the Band.

Prior to departing for Europe, student participants gathered for an intensive, three day rehearsal and orientation camp at the University of Louisville. A pre-tour concert was held at the Comstock Concert Hall at the School of Music on the campus of the University of Louisville so families could enjoy the music that would be played for the European audiences.

The Kentucky Ambassadors of Music Honor Band shared their music with European audiences in seven different countries and in a variety of performance settings. The tour included stops in England, France, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Austria, Italy, and Germany. The Kentucky Ambassadors of Music Tour is an educational program designed as an opportunity for musical honor students to perform and share their musical talents, while gaining cultural enrichment abroad.



Evan Cummins

Tiger Pause

On September 11, 2008 the 4th grade students at Brodhead Elementary remembered the victims of the attacks of 9/11 with a remembrance ceremony. Students studied about what the attacks meant to Americans and why we still remember them today. As a culmination of their study students gathered around the flagpole in remembrance of what happened to our nation seven

years ago. Students shared what made them proud to be Americans. Students also said the pledge to the flag as well as listened to the “Star Spangled Banner”. Students finished their remembrance ceremony by singing the chorus of “God Bless the USA” and creating a paper chain with the reasons why the students were proud to be Americans.

Intermediate parents attended Multiple Intelligence Night on Thursday, September 4th. This was an opportunity for parents to learn what type of learner their child was. Parents took a quiz in the computer lab, just like the one their children had taken in school. This quiz gave results as to what type of learner they were. Some parents were surprised to see that they were in the same category as their child. After taking the quiz parents were given information by Mrs. Breanna Adams, about what they could do at home to help their child. Parents were given tips as to how to help with homework as well as

what types of activities their child might enjoy based on their learning style. A special thank you to all the parents and students that attended this night, we hope it was beneficial to you and your child.

BES welcomes Mrs. Skylar Bradley and Ms. Destiny McDaniel as our new Americorp workers. We are happy to have them.

PTA thanks everyone that participated in the fundraiser. It was a great success! The September PTA meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 18th at 6:00. The orange pod will be performing.

If you are planning to participate in the Brodhead Family Resource Center Christmas Help Program this year continue to read the weekly newsletter that is sent home with students. The newsletter will keep you informed of updates on ways to earn points. The green or red Christmas form should be signed and turned in to the BFRC by now if you plan to participate. Please remember that help can only be received from one organization throughout the county.

Thursday, Sept. 18-SBDM meeting 4:30; PTA meeting 6:00-orange pod performs(*5 BFRC points)

Wednesday, Sept. 24-Parenting Workshop-budgeting-1:00 at BES. Call 758-8512 to make a reservation (*10 BFRC points)

Tuesday, Sept. 30-Billy Goats Gruff 1:00. Cost is \$1.50 per student.

Minds in the Middle

Congratulations to the Marching Rockets on their performance at the Hazard Band of Gold Marching Invitational this weekend. The band received an overall rating of proficient plus with one distinguished rating in visual performance. The band swept class AAAA awards by taking Best Colguard, Best Percussion, and First Place. The band will be competing in the North Laurel Marching Invitational this Saturday. Performance time is at 5:45 p.m. RCMS band members who helped take first place were Matt Gonzalez, Laiken Coffey, Brandon Bullock, Caleb Coffey, Mackenzie Craig, Lillie Beicher, Jordan Hemsley, Adam Alcorn, Brandon McFerron, and Reed Remington.

Congratulations to Mrs. Powell's 7th grade Adventurers' homeroom on winning the attendance race last week. Mrs.

Mt. Vernon Message

School News

UNITE Anti Drug Rally & March is scheduled for Friday 8:30 a.m. That night, there will be a UNITE Clubs Memorial Balloon launch at half time during the RCHS football game.

PTG is sponsoring a dance for Thursday, September 25 for grades 3-5. The dance will be from 3:15 until 4:15.

FRC News

FRC Fall Enrichment classes are each Monday from 3:10 until 4:35.

FRC Adult Computer classes are each Monday from 6:00 until 8:00.

FRC/CAP GED Classes are each Tuesday from 1:00 until 2:00.

FRC Council meeting is set for Wednesday, September 24 at 11:30 in the FRC office.

Our quote for this week is: “He who gossips to you will gossip about you.”

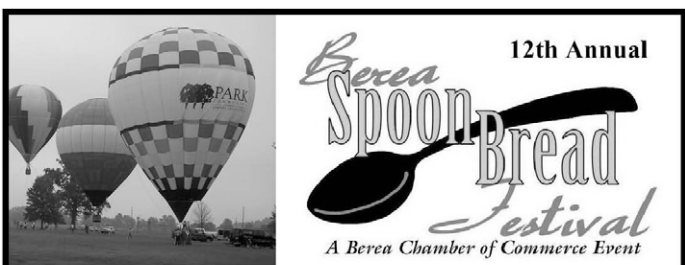
Poker Run and Wildriver Concert

Sponsored by Rockcastle Co. Kiwanis Club The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Poker Run on Saturday, September 20, 2008 sign-ups will start at 10 a.m. at the Hall of Fame located at 2590 Richmond Road, Renfro Valley, KY just one mile off Exit 62 I-75 and the ride will start at 12 p.m.

The ride will be approximately a 100 mile scenic ride ending back at the KY Music Hall of Fame with a concert and cookout. The cost of the event is \$15 per rider

All paid riders will receive admission to the concert, cookout, and free tours of the Hall of Fame. The first 100 paid riders will also receive a Poker Run T-Shirt. A rain date of September 21, 2008 is set with all times remaining the same.

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Members of the class of 1960 were well represented at the annual reunion last Saturday night. Front row, from left: Linda Gay, Joyce Parrish, Patsy Cummins, Sue Burdett, and Betty Steele. Back row, from left: Jim Lambert, Jim Cox, Bill Fain, Ruby Sigmon and Billy Ray Barnes.



Members of the honored Mt. Vernon High School class of 1968 are shown above at Saturday's night reunion. Front row, from left: Ann Stewart Abney, Ruth Miller McGuire, and Marsha Whitaker Vanwinkle. Second row: John Parsons, Barry Renner, and Dennis McGuire. Not pictured was Wayne Cameron.



Honored at the annual MVHS reunion last Saturday night at RCMS, were members of the class of 1958. Pictured from front to left are: James Fain, Shelby Jean Hackney, Barbara Lair Smith, Rosa Lee Jasper and Joan Spurlock. Back row: Bill Davis, Jerry Hansel, Gladys Hackney, Connie Smith, Shelby Poynter, and Jones Hiatt.



Several members of the MVHS class of 1962 were in attendance last Saturday night for the annual reunion. Pictured are: Sharon Owens Burton, David Joe Griffin, Johnny Renner, and Marion Whitehouse. Not pictured were: Charlotte Fain Loudermilk and Jenny Rose McBee. Approximately 200 people attended the annual reunion.



Sue French and Midge Cromer enjoyed the festivities at the annual MVHS reunion this past weekend.



Oscar Fain, Helen Fain, Dallas Mullins, Roland Mullins, Carol Pybas, Martha Cox, and Jim Cox waited to register at the annual MVHS Reunion last Saturday night. Approximately 200 people attended the annual reunion, which was held at the Rockcastle Middle School.



Former Mt. Vernon High School typing teacher Billy Hiatt, left, and student Benny Chaney discussed old times at the reunion on Saturday night at Rockcastle Middle School.



President Warren Berry presided over the festivities at the annual MVHS reunion last Saturday night.

Reunion photos by David J. Griffin

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MVHS Reunion

(Cont. from front)

awarded a collector print of Mt. Vernon High School by next year's president Roland Mullins for being the earliest graduate in attendance.

New officers for the coming year were introduced, including: outgoing president Warren

Berry, president Roland Mullins, vice president Shirley Smith, treasurer Glen VanWinkle, secretary Brenda Hayes, historian Joan Spurlock, and event coordinator Bernice McHargue.

RCMS Art teacher Debbie Bugg and her students catered dinner to the gathered crowd. After the program, a number of graduates stayed for class photos for souvenirs of their time together again.

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The Daniel Boone Development Council will again be administering the Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) for low-income people in Clay, Laurel, Jackson and Rockcastle Counties beginning November 3, 2008. Vendor packages for last year's participating vendors are being mailed. Application packages for NEW VENDORS may be picked up at each county office from September 22-October 3. The office in Rockcastle County is located at 105 Main Street.

Upcoming Reunions

Proctor Reunion
Descendants of James Proctor will hold a family reunion October 11th, beginning at noon, at the Quail Park Community Building.

The families of Wade Hampton Proctor (1892-1914), son of John Alfred Proctor (1865-1939), son of Willis Green Proctor (1825-1907), son of James Proctor (1774-1858) would like to know more about the family history. Our grandfather, Wade Hampton, died while our parents were very young. Our grandmother moved to South Bend, Indiana and remarried several years later and we never knew the Kentucky Proctor family.

Please come and let us get to know one another! Please bring a dish, drink and table service for your family. Also, if available, bring copies of your pictures, family history and interesting stories. If you have any comments or questions, please email them to BKaren6020@aol.com Thanks and hope to see you there.

Carpenter/Phillips
There will be a reunion Saturday, September 20th on Horse Lick Creek in Jackson County at Lawrence Phillips' place for descendants of Willson Carpenter and Stephen

Phillips and anyone else who would like to come. Bring covered dish and lawn chair and old photos. Everyone will come. For more information call 606-453-2181.

Todd Reunion
Descendants of the late Henry and Martha Todd will hold a family reunion at Quail Park, Saturday, Sept. 27th beginning at 11 a.m.

Norton Reunion
The Norton Family Reunion will be held Sunday, Sept. 28th at Skeggs Creek Baptist Church Shelter. Bring a covered dish and soft drinks. Lunch will be served at 1 p.m. All family and friends welcome. Hope to see you there.

Rowe Reunion
The family of Robert and Winne Price Rowe will hold a reunion Sunday, Sept. 28th at Hubble Park in Stanford, Shelter #4. Family and friends all welcome. Bring a covered dish and spend the day. Lunch will be served at noon.

Robinson & Thomas
The Robinson & Thomas family reunion will be held at Maple Grove Baptist Church Fellowship Hall on September 20th at 12:00p.m. Bring a covered dish, drink and lawn chair. All friends and relatives are invited.

Annexation questions at council

(Cont. from front)

next Thursday, September, 25th and that she would contact the citizens, who left their numbers with her after the meeting, by phone.

Individual property owners have already been notified by mail, by the city.

Rex McDonald, president of PD3, the newest company to locate in Industrial Park #1, who was at Monday night's meeting, said that while he appreciated the list, the city was not going far enough to educate local citizens on the proposed annexation and that in his opinion, the matter was being conducted in an "anti-democratic" fashion.

McDonald said the Mayor should have provided much more information to those effected by the annexation, including projected revenues and a budget as to how the additional money will be spent.

McDonald said he simply wanted the matter to be placed on the ballot so those effected would have a say as to whether they wanted to be in the city or not.

"We live in a great country with a great democratic process, if the majority of people are for annexation, that's fine and if they're not, that should also be fine," he said.

McDonald also said it was very unclear as to who was eligible to sign a petition.

McDonald said in his opinion the number could range from 250 to 700, depending on which state law you used in determining that number.

City engineer Luther Galloway, who made a presentation about the ordinance before the council's vote and tried to answer questions, also said it was unclear. "There could be as many as three or four different groups who might be eligible to sign a petition," Galloway said after the meeting.

Resident Lawrence Bullock, who lives in the proposed annexation area, echoed what McDonald had to say.

"I simply want the right to say yea or nay," Bullock said during the meeting.

Lyman Fisher told the council that no one in the Ridgeview Subdivision wanted to be in the city limits.

Robbie Carpenter, who also lives in the same subdivision commented that if he had wanted to live in the city limits, he would have moved there.

Several residents said they felt like annexation was being forced on them and that they too wanted to make sure they had all the information they needed to gather properly-signed petitions to get the matter put on the ballot.

The Mayor said nothing was being forced on residents and they had the right to ask that the matter be placed on the ballot. "That is the process," she said.

The Mayor said she thought the city needed to annex areas around the city to help "move the city forward" and that there were some residents who had asked to be annexed.

McDonald said Tuesday that, after several calls to his company, he would offer to provide space at his company (the former Rockcastle Manufacturing building) for the next meeting on the ordinance, so that more people could attend.

"We need to have an open forum with free dialogue in a setting that is respectful to everyone, where as much information as possible can be obtained," McDonald said.

The only industry in Rockcastle Industrial Park #1, now included in the city limits is Integrity Mold and Die. If the proposed annexation goes through the entire industrial park will be included.

Again, McDonald said the question remains who can sign the petition. Property owners, owners of tangible property, which is equipment and inventory, registered voters or others who may qualify.

That question remains unanswered, however when the city passed the first reading of the ordinance, County Clerk Norma Houk released these findings.

Houk said, that according to state law, within 60 days following publication of the ordinance in the *Signal* if 50 percent of the resident voters or owners of real property within the proposed territory to be annexed, petition the Mayor in opposition to the proposal, the annexation question would be placed on the ballot at the next regular election, which would not be until 2010.

Houk said that if the required petitions are received, the city's annexation could not take place until after the election. If 55% of the registered voters, who are effected by the annexation vote against it, then it will fail.

But the question remains, who is eligible to sign the petitions. And, according to state law, Mayor Kirby will decide which signatures on the petitions are valid and which are not.

Some of the areas to be taken in by the annexation are located along Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Road), Hwy. 2549 (White Rock Road), and some property lying between Freedom School Road and the current city limits.

Mayor Kirby did not say this week if the proposed ordinance will be published in the *Signal*, the week following the 25th.

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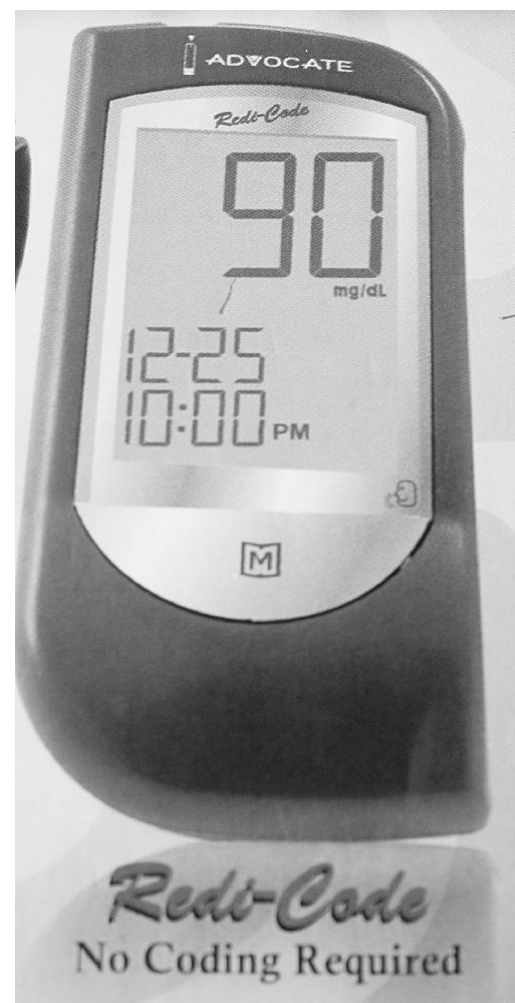
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Yards to Paradise

By Max Phelps

Sweetgum: A Sturdy Tree for Shade and Fall Color
From Columbus to Orlando, from San Antonio to the Eastern Shore you can find our native sweetgum tree

(Liquidambar styraciflua). It is to be found even in fossils, testifying to its survivability. Let's take a look at its characteristics, particularly the lovely leaves and bark.

Probably the best recommendation for the sweet gum is its fall glory. It turns from green to yellows and oranges and purples (even on the same tree) in the fall. Even in Central Florida it puts on a color show equal or superior to red maples.

The star shaped leaves of sweetgum are easy to recognize, the upright and strong trunk and tree shape make it a safe choice for a large yard, its roots do not usually become obstacles to lawn mowing (and grass will usually grow fine under these trees, despite other reports to the contrary, so long as the spacing is not too tight so that thick shade is created). It survives windstorms rather well. The rough corrugated bark is one of its attractions, especially in winter.

One predicament is its prickly seed heads. These can litter the yard for a spell when they drop. You could say they are "natural decorations" and have been collected and spraypainted for ornamental use. The spiny one inch balls provide a winter's lunch many times as gold finches and other songbirds search out the seeds.

Another drawback is that seeds scatter from a mature tree and it produces quite a few "babies", similar to maples in this regard, maybe more so.

Seldom do growers plant grafted cultivars, as the native plants are easy to grow. But, Cherokee is one that is cold hardy and has few fruits. Moraine is a heavily-fruiting variety that will survive even Chicago's cold.

Liquidambar rotundifolia is a rare non-fruiting sweetgum you could try to find at a top garden center.

A youthful sweet gum tree has a pyramidal shape rather like a Bradford Pear. In old age, it becomes more rounded. Some older trees can have roots protrude into the lawn or cause a crack in pavement.

These trees prefer rich riverbottom soil that is damp but yet drains good. However, from deserts to abandoned stip mine sites, you can find the sweetgum.

Sweetgum is a tree that developers sometimes save so they can list that their new home has "mature shade trees". A caution here is that if dozing of roots, compaction of soil, or piling of more than just a few inches of new soil around the trunks of an existing tree has occurred during the building process it will probably lead to death about the time your home warranty has expired! (I don't hate builders, but I do long for the days of custom homes and not those that all look alike and are crammed into small lots by large developers...but I digress.)

A tall hedgerow some distance from a home, or a specimen plant is probably my preference when using this tree in the landscape.

I invite you to try one of these sun-loving trees in your yard, especially if it is a hot open yard in need of some shade trees. The sweet gum will start easily and grow well, even on subdivision lots with now topsoil.

The author is a landscaper specializing in waterfalls and ponds. Submit comments or inquiries to max@rockcastles.com

Rabies vaccination clinic scheduled for Sept. 29th

The Rockcastle County Health Department, along with Dr. James Chism DVM, is sponsoring a rabies vaccination clinic for dogs and cats. The clinic will be held Monday, September 29 at the Brodhead Fire Department from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. The cost will be \$7 per vaccination. All animals must be on a leash or other appropriate restraint. Dog and cat owners are encouraged to bring pets to have them vaccinated for the first time or to receive a booster vaccination.

Rabies have been found in domestic and wild animals in surrounding counties. A horse tested positive in Pulaski County, a skunk in Lincoln County and Madison County reports both a horse and skunk infected. In addition, rabies are manifesting in a cluster of counties just north of Rockcastle and Madison Counties. Fayette County has reported two bats and a skunk with rabies; Clark County, two dogs and two skunks; Woodford County, a bat and five skunks and Jessamine County four skunks.

As of September 9th, approximately 25 rabies cases have been identified in animals statewide in Kentucky. No animals sent to the state lab for testing from Rockcastle County have tested positive this year.

State law requires dogs, cats and ferrets at least four months of age to be vaccinated against rabies (902 KAR 2:070). Rabies is spread by wild animals such as: skunks, foxes, raccoons and bats. Any mammal can get rabies, including dogs, cats, horses, cows and humans. Animals that are not mammals, such as birds, snakes and fish do not get rabies.

Rabies is caused by a virus and is spread by contact with the saliva of an animal with the disease. Symptoms of rabies in

animals may include a change in behavior, sickness, unable to eat or swallow, increased drooling or salivation or aggression. Wild animals may appear to be tame or sick. Some rabid animals appear to be normal in the early stages of the disease. There is no cure or treatment for rabies. Usually death will occur within ten days of symptoms.

To prevent rabies, people should have their pets vaccinated and avoid contact with stray or wild animals. Stray cats and dogs may not have been vaccinated against rabies. Report stray animals to an Animal Control official. In Rockcastle County, contact the Animal Shelter at 256-1833.

If an animal bites a person, wash the wound with soap and water for at least five minutes. Then seek medical assistance for additional treatment. Report the incident to the local health department. Officials from the Health Department will quarantine the animal for ten days or order the animal to be tested for rabies. If the animal that has bitten someone cannot be found, the victim is referred to a doctor. The physician will determine if the victim should be treated to prevent rabies.

The first line of defense to prevent rabies is to have your pets vaccinated. If your dog or cat needs a rabies vaccination, bring your pet to the Rabies Clinic on September 29 at the Brodhead Fire Department. No appointment is needed. If you cannot attend the clinic, contact a veterinarian for an appointment to have your animal vaccinated.

For more information, contact Clara Patton, Sr. Environmentalist at 256-2242 ext. 129. Additional rabies information available at chfs.ky.gov/dph/epi/rabies.htm

Tips on repairing home after a disaster

Hurricane Ike made its mark on the area! If your house or business was damaged by the strong winds that made their way through the area last weekend, chances are you're on the hunt for a reputable contractor to help with the repairs. Be aware of those who may take advantage of your situation: The home repair rip-off artist, who may overcharge, perform shoddy work, or skip town without finishing your job.

BBB offers the following tips for consumers who may be facing major repairs after a disaster hits home:

- Deal only with licensed and insured contractors. Verify the track record of any roofer, builder or contractor you're thinking of hiring. Ask for a list of recent customers and call them.

- Get recommendations from friends, relatives, neighbors, co-workers, insurance agents or claims adjusters. Also check with the local Better Business Bureau and Home Builders Association to see if complaints have been lodged against any contractor you're considering.

- Take your time signing a contract. Get a written estimate that includes any oral promises the contractor made. But remember to ask if there's a charge for an estimate before allowing anyone into your home. Ask for explanations for price variations, and don't automatically choose the lowest bidder. Get a copy of the final, signed contract before the job begins.

- Resist dealing with any contractor who asks you to pay for the entire job up-front. A deposit of one-third of the total price is standard procedure. Pay only by check or credit card - and pay the final amount only after the work is completed to your satisfaction. Don't pay cash.

- Be skeptical of contractors who encourage you to spend a lot of money on temporary repairs. Make sure there's enough money for permanent repairs.

- Ask a knowledgeable friend, relative or attorney to review a home repair contract before you sign. If you get a loan to pay for the work, be cautious about using your home as security: If you don't repay the loan as agreed, you could lose your home. Consider asking an attorney to review the loan documents, as well.

For more tips, go to the Better Business Bureau website at www.bbb.org or call 1-800-388-2222.

Saturday Sept. 20th Open House 12:00 - 2:00

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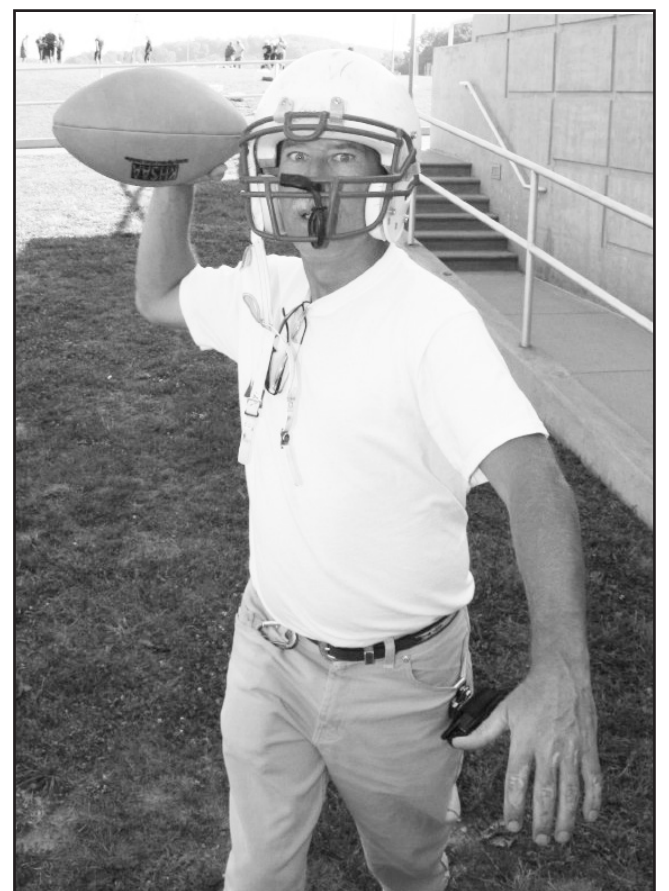
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Just as the rest of the country, Rockcastle countians got in line Friday to buy gas at most of the stations in the county. The long lines were brought on by the rumor of rising gas prices and a possible shortage caused by Hurricane Ike. At most stations in the county, including Kwik Mart in Mt. Vernon where this pictures was taken, gas reached \$3.99 by day's end. However the cost of gas in the county still did not get as high as it did in other parts of the state and there were no reported shortages. (Photo by: John McQueary)

Tim Couch to help UNITE tackle drugs

Former NFL quarterback Tim Couch will flip the coin to get things started at the third annual Rockcastle County UNITE Bowl football game Friday night at the ROCK.

The Rockets play host to the Bobcats from Bell County High School in this year's "Tackling Drugs: Saving Communities" match-up, set to kickoff at 7:30 p.m.

Coordinated by the Rockcastle County UNITE Coalition, the UNITE Bowl features a variety of activities to raise awareness about substance abuse issues and enlist support for drug education and treatment efforts.

"We are so excited to have

someone of Tim's caliber agree to participate in the UNITE Bowl program," said Nancy Hale, a coalition officer. "He has been an inspiration to football fans since his days at Leslie County High School, where he participated in the DARE program and spoke on the danger of substance abuse to younger students."

"I am glad to be back in Kentucky and able to support such a worthy cause," Couch said. "Efforts by citizens in southern and eastern Kentucky to prevent substance abuse and to help those with addictions are drawing national attention. I feel honored to be able to become a part of the UNITE team."

"I truly love this area, but hate to see what drugs are doing to families and communities. It is so important to reach out to youth, to let them know drugs are not the answer," Couch continued. "Hopefully the UNITE Bowl will encourage more people to step forward and make a difference by becoming involved with their local UNITE coalition."

The 31-year-old Hyden native, who now resides in Lexington, set a number of national high school records as a prep quarterback for the Leslie County Eagles, and received numerous accolades for his basketball prowess.

Named Kentucky's "Mr. Football" in 1995, Couch was highly recruited before deciding to play for the University of Kentucky. He piloted the Wildcats' "Air Raid" offense to national respectability as a sophomore, then led his team to a spot in the Outback Bowl in a seven-win 1998 season.

Couch's efforts resulted in his being named SEC Player of the Year and a Heisman Trophy finalist.

Foregoing his senior season, Couch was the number one overall selection in the 1999 NFL draft by the Cleveland Browns.

He made his first professional start in the second game of his rookie year and proceeded to notch rookie records for passing completions, attempts, yards and touchdowns. Couch would start 59 games during his five-year tenure with the Browns, including leading his team to a playoff appearance in 2002.

UNITE Bowl activities officially get underway at 6 p.m. with a tailgating event with Rockcastle County Churches. A special program for Little League football players will also begin at 6 p.m. in the middle school cafeteria.

Pre-game activities start at 7 p.m.

Half-time will include a Memorial Red Balloon Launch and a Moment of Silence for all the people who are, have been, or know someone who is addicted to drugs. This will be presented by UNITE Club members from both Rockcastle and Bell County high schools.

Both schools are currently competing in a "Wipe Out Drugs Toilet Paper Challenge" to see which school can collect the most rolls of toilet paper - which will be donated to the Chads Hope, WestCare, Hope in the Mountains and Healing Rain treatment facilities. The winning school will receive a "Traveling TP Trophy."

For more information about the UNITE Bowl contact Coalition Chair John Hale at 606-392-9119 or jandnhale@newwavecomm.net. For details on the TP Challenge contact Becky McNabb at Becky.McNabb@Rockcastle.kyschools.us.

For more information about Operation UNITE visit their website at www.operationunite.org

"March Against Drugs Rally" Friday morning

Rockcastle County is taking a public stand against drugs this Friday morning, when it holds a "March Against Drugs Rally."

Line up for the march will begin at 8:30 a.m. at Mt. Vernon Elementary School. From there, students, community members, churches and businesses will march together to the RCHS football field for the "Rally Against Drugs."

Grand Marshal and keynote speaker will be Bryan Rose. Rose is a native of Whitley County and was the starting quarterback for Whitley County High School for four years, graduating in 1988.

Rose attended Glenville State University on a football scholarship from 1990-92 until an injury and drug use brought an end to his career, and nearly his life.

As an addict, Rose's story which is similar -- drug abuse which led to prescription fraud and burglary which led to a prison sentence -- to many other drug abusers.

Eventually, Rose was able to start in the recovery program through WestCare Treatment Center and has turned his life around, working for three treatment facilities in eastern Kentucky (WestCare, Chad's Hope and Crossroads). He will be issuing a challenge to Rockcastle County students at the Rally on Friday to make the choice in life to remain drug free.

Other dignitaries who will be participating in the march will be: Rep. Danny Ford, Senator Ed Worley, Karen Engle - Operation UNITE Executive Director, Larry Hammond, Superintendent of Schools, school board mem-

bers and several other elected county officials.

Former UK quarterback and former pro football player, Tim Couch, will be on hand for the UNITE Bowl game between Rockcastle and Bell County Friday night.

"SourceCorp" (Cont. from front)

Vanzant had said previously that his main concern was for the safety of the students at the Alternative School, who will also be in the building at the same time as SourceCorp employees. Vanzant also had indicated that he was concerned about the possible disruption of school in the building.

As part of the rental agreement, each employee of SourceCorp, who works at the old vocational school, will be subject to a criminal background check and be required to follow the same Code of Conduct each student follows.

At the request of board member Angie Mink, vehicles driven by SourceCorp employees will be subject the same guidelines as school personnel and students when drug dogs are brought onto school grounds to try and locate illegal drugs that may be in a vehicle.

Mink, who toured SourceCorp's facility in Industrial Park #1 on Monday, said that she certainly did not want the county to lose SourceCorp and was glad everything could be worked out.

Board members Tina Hasty, Mike Burdette and Jeff Vanhook all agreed with Mink and Vanzant in approving the lease agreement.

Mink and Burdette both said they had lost sleep over the matter and were glad that it was being resolved.

"I was ready to approve it last Thursday, because I think it is the right thing to do, but it never hurts to have as much information and dialogue as you can. It's just a tough decision when you are dealing with the welfare of our students," Hasty said after the meeting.

School Superintendent Larry Hammond, who was a strong advocate of the agreement, Vanzant and school board legal counsel Jerry Cox will now draft a lease document to present to SourceCorp officials. They will then review the document and make sure it also addresses everyone's concerns regarding safety and lease costs, according to Holton.

Neal McCall, Director of Operations for SourceCorp, said about 30 employees would be moved to the old vocational school in the next couple of months and, by the end of February, the entire SourceCorp operation will be at the old vocational school.

SourceCorp is not renewing a lease on their current building in Industrial Park #1, which expires on February 28th of 2009.

SourceCorp will lease a new 25,000 square foot facility from the Rockcastle Industrial Development Authority, which will be built in Industrial Park #2 off White Rock Road.

That new facility, which will also be built to accommodate a 16,700 possible future expansion, will be ready in late Spring or early Summer. SourceCorp has agreed to lease the building for seven years.

SourceCorp currently has 91 jobs and plans to add another 100-150 over the next two years.

"Indictments" (Cont. from front)

stolen property, over \$300 in value.

All three Northerns have been arrested and their bail set at \$20,000 cash/property with arraignment set for October 10th of this year. Stewart has not been arrested. Her bail was also set at \$20,000 cash/property and arraignment was set for November 14th.

Terry W. McFerron, 26, 139 Wallin St., Brodhead, Kevin G. McFerron, 19 of 63 Hansford Road, Eubank and David P. Snyder, 25 of 1400 Sinking Valley Road, Mt. Vernon were all indicted on two counts - one of receiving stolen property and the other for being persistent felony offenders.

Bond has not been set for any of the three men. Terry McFerron and Snyder have not been served but their arraignment date has been set for Nov. 20th. Kevin McFerron has not been served but has the same arraignment date.

Linda Irene Kirby, 52 and Timmy Wayne Kirby, Jr., 29, both of 75 Floyd Street, Mt. Vernon were both indicted on two counts - one of giving a false statement to the identity or financial condition on a credit card application and the other of receipt of a credit card obtained fraudulently.

Both have been arrested and each posted a \$5,000 or 10% cash/property bond. Their arraignment has been set for October 10th.

Jonathon L. Sowder, 25, 650 Richmond St., Mt. Vernon was indicted on a charge of criminal possession of a forged instrument. A warrant has been issued for Mr. Sowder.

William T. Kirby, Jr., 28, of 1235 Freedom School Road, Mt. Vernon was indicted on six counts of criminal possession of a forged instrument. Kirby has not been arrested. His bond was set at \$10,000

cash/property and a November 14th arraignment date was set.

Steven Moore, 26, of 23 Riddle Lane, Brodhead was indicted for trafficking of a controlled substance, first degree. He has not been arrested but bail has been set at \$50,000 cash/property. His arraignment date is November 20th.

Indicted on two counts - as a Persistent Felony Offender and receiving stolen property was Mark Spoonamore, 38, 583 Poplar Grove Road, Brodhead.

Spoonamore has been arrested and his bond set at \$25,000 cash/property. Arraignment date has been set for October 10th.

As the result of a traffic stop on May 29, 2007, James David Nicholson, 40 and Mary T. Miniard, 38, both of 1097 Pine Top Road, London were indicted on nine counts - two for wanton endangerment, two for complicity to wanton endangerment, one each for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or drugs, one for possession of controlled substance, one for possession of drug paraphernalia and one for public intoxication.

Neither Nicholson or Miniard had been arrested but bond has been set for each at \$10,000 cash/property. Arraignment will be November 20th.

Indicted on flagrant non-support charges were:

Kevin G. Halcomb, 29, 90 Kirby Lane, Mt. Vernon two counts of flagrant non-support in the amounts of \$6,949.62 and \$3,018.21. Bond has been set in the same amounts;

Waylon Snow, Jr., 1317 Bastin Creek, Kings Mountain on one count in the amount of \$20,477 with a bond of \$20,000, and

Dana Moore, 29, 20 High Street, Mt. Vernon in the amount of \$4,352. A warrant has been issued for Moore and bond has been set at \$4,500 full cash.



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Second Section

Thursday, September 18, 2008



\$2,524 was raised at the 22nd Annual Cystic Fibrosis Bike-a-Thon held in Brodhead on Saturday. Above, Anna and Russell Poynter helped riders get registered for the Bike-a-Thon held at the Brodhead Elementary School.



Volunteering at Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon in Brodhead were from left: Courtney Alexander Rigsby, Rachelle Riddle, Louise Benge and Laura McFerron Parker. Saturday was the 22nd Bike-a-Thon for Mrs. Benge, who lost her daughter in June of 1999 because of the devastating disease. The Bike-a-Thon was held in Suzanne's memory.



Alecia Benge, left and Clara Proctor helped keep track of the number of laps made by riders at Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon. Mrs. Proctor was the organizer of the Bike-a-Thon for 19 years and has helped the last three. Over \$100,000 has been raised during Proctor's involvement with the fundraising event. Her granddaughter, Suzanne, lost her personal battle with CF in June of 1999.

**Over
\$2,500
raised
for CF
Saturday**

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Canterbury*



Tanya Clark, LaJoy Graves and Paula Allen helped determine who was the top fund raisers at Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon. Jerika Robbins, who suffers from CF, was the top fundraiser at this year's event, where \$2,524 was raised.



Allyson Burdette was one of the 33 riders who participated in Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon.



Jesse Wright, left and Rachel Wright, right, were two of the several volunteers who helped at Saturday's Bike-a-Thon. They are shown with Jerika Robbins, who suffers from CF. The Bike-a-Thon was held in her honor.



Doug Proctor, uncle of Suzanne Graves, was ready to lead the first lap of the Bike-a-Thon. Proctor and his family have been volunteers at the annual event for years.



Rider Matthew Hayes made the turn in front of BES on his second lap during Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon in Brodhead.



Louise Benge and Amy French at Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon.



Young Isaiah Bowles apparently had a little Dare Devil in him at Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon. Isaiah is a regular rider at the fund raising event.



Johnny Benge and father-in-law Bobby Proctor were ready to help with any bike repairs that might be needed at Saturday's CF Bike-a-Thon. Proctor is Suzanne Graves's grandfather and Benge is her step-dad.

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News from the Rockcastle Courthouse

Small Claims

Merry Poynter vs. Sylvester Kirby, Edna Creech Executive, \$1,500 claimed due.
Victor Neal Holley vs. Julie Kerby, \$171.15 claimed due. 08-S-00020.

District Civil Suits

Atlantic Credit Finance, Inc. vs. Edgar B. Albright, \$3,055.54 claimed due.
Atlantic Credit Finance, Inc. vs. Jessica D. Ratliff, \$2,354.26 claimed due.
Capital One Bank (USA), NA vs. Bobby Hunt, \$849.86 plus claimed due.
Capital Investors LLC vs. Shannon D. Eaton, \$3,115.81 claimed due.
North Star Capital Acquisition LLC vs. Lola Harrison, \$1,092.98 claimed due.
Elite Recovery Services, Inc. vs. Patricia Hobbs, \$1,164.45 claimed due. 08-C-00228.
Phillip Cromer vs. Dana

Circuit Civil Suits

Armanda Sue White vs. Billy Dewayne White, petition for dissolution of marriage.
Timothy Renner vs. Laura Renner, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Shepherd, complaint for child support and medical support.
JP Morgan Chase Bank vs. Drea Roberts, et al, \$75,604.58 claimed due.
Asset Acceptance LLC vs. Clifton Hammond, \$9,329.18 claimed due.
Tammy Michelle Hensley vs. Carl Edward Hensley, petition for dissolution of marriage.
Community Trust Bank vs. Rebecca Lynn Robinson Hamm, et al, \$75,689.91 plus claimed due.
Danny C. Hurley vs. Nancy Carol Hurley, petition for dissolution of marriage.
Calvary Portfolio Services LLC vs. Thomas Wagner, \$7,614.33 plus claimed due. 08-CI-00253.

Deeds Recorded

Mark A. and Susan M. Hopkins, property on Hwy. 150, to Dept. of Highways. Tax \$8.50.
Mark A. and Susan M. Hopkins, property on Hwy. 150, to Dept. of Highways. Tax \$10.
Benny and Charity Barnes, property in Ottawa, to Gerald and Charlotte Barnes. Tax \$7.50.
Ronald and Rae Jean Roberts, property on waters of Crooked Creek, to Michele M. Irwin. Tax \$526.
Edwin Jesse and Cayci Mahaffey, property in Rockcastle County, to Troy Anthony (Tony) and Jackie R.

Marriage Licenses

Ina Ruth Sheridan, 69, Mt. Vernon, caregiver to Edward Deborde, 82, Mt. Vernon, retired. 09/08/08.
Kirstie Swartz, 25, Mt. Vernon, housewife, to Gary Stephen Mink, 40, Mt. Vernon, foreman. 09/10/08.
April Mae Daley, 38, Adrian, Michigan, manager to Timothy Alan Halfmann, 45, Adrian, Michigan, food service director. 09/12/08.
Amanda Brook Stevens, 21, Brodhead, Red Wing to William Ray Hurt, Jr., 32, Brodhead, construction. 09/12/08.
Angela Susanne Clark, 32, Berea, unemployed to Jason Matthew Durham, 29, Berea, construction. 09/13/08.
Angie Carol Lewallen, 33, Mt. Vernon, acct. clerk to Ian Christopher Allman, 35, Mt. Vernon, surveyor. 09/13/08.

District Court

Sept. 3 - 10, 2008
Hon. Kathryn G. Wood
William L. Baker: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$325 service fee, 30 day operator license suspension, ADE authorized and 30 days to serve; possession of marijuana, 30 days, probated 24 months on condition; possession of marijuana, 80 days/concurrent plus

costs; 2nd degree possession of controlled substance, 30 days/concurrent.
Tom Clark, Jr.: possession of controlled substance, 2nd degree, 12 months/probated 24 months on condition; reckless driving, \$50 fine and costs; possession of marijuana, \$25 fine.
Paul G. Deatherage, Jr.: disorderly conduct, \$100 fine and costs/\$100 fine suspended on condition.
Raymond C. Huff: no/expired registration plates, and other charges, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).
Jason E. Irvine: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$325 service fee, 30 day operator license suspension, ADE authorized.
Delver Isaacs: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$325 service fee, 30 day operator license suspension plus ADE authorized.
Marilyn J. Kates: failure to maintain insurance, \$500 fine/\$400 suspended on condition.
Kyle James King: harassment, \$250 fine and costs/suspended \$200 on condition.
Billy Mason: escape, bw issued for fta/4 days or payment.
Raymon Poynter, Jr.: resisting arrest, 60 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.
Brandon L. Sparks: failure to wear seat belts, and other charges, bw issued for fta.
Tamela Callie L. Thomas: failure to maintain insurance, \$500 fine and costs/\$450 suspended on condition.
Estella Townsend: possession of controlled substance, 2nd degree, \$100 fine and costs, 20 days/probated 24 months on condition.
Tabatha Yauger: assault, 4th degree, bw issued for fta.
Speeding: Carol K. Carver, Paul T. Rucker, license suspended for fta; Kelly S. Brown, Jamila I. Menefee, paid \$30 plus costs; Candide F. Johnson, Heather M. Thomas, paid in full; Larry J. Thompson, paid \$28 fine plus \$128 costs; Freddy F. Lagos, paid \$24 fine plus \$128 costs; Christopher E. Stewart, \$20 fine and costs;
Joseph A. Borel: no operators license in possession, \$100 fine and costs.
Randy Chasteen: terroristic threatening, 30 days/probated 24 months on condition.
Daniel J. Hunsucker: fines/fees due (\$857), bw issued for fta/18 days or payment.
Timothy W. McIntosh: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 30 days operator license suspension and ADE authorized.
David S. Perry: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 30 days operator license suspension and

ADE authorized.
Heather Shaffer: fines/fees due (\$219.40), bw issued for fta/5 days or payment.
Richard W. Stanley: fines/fees due (\$230), bw issued for fta.
Michael W. Wombles: alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.
James C. Spoonamore: criminal trespass, \$250 fine/suspended on condition plus costs.
Jessica M. Day: alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.
Martin D. Wright: alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.
Jonathan C. Durham: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs and failure to or improper signal, bw issued/no bond.
Paul M. Adkins: fines/fees due, bw issued for fta/10 days or payment.
Bobbie L. Akers: failure to have license in possession, \$50 fine and costs; failure to maintain insurance, \$500 fine/suspended \$450 on condition.
Riva A. Banks: theft by deception, bw issued for fta.
Buford Pearson: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine/suspended on condition of payment of costs.
Benjamin R. Rader: no/expired Kentucky registration receipt/plates, bw issued for fta.
Patricia L. Sears: alcohol intoxication, contempt of court, alcohol intoxication, possession open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle, bw issued for fta.

James C. Spoonamore: criminal mischief, bw issued for fta.
Howard J. Cameron: alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine and costs.
Jeffrey Alan Shivel: alcohol intoxication in public place, bw issued for fta.
Derek J. Collett: D.U.I., 2nd offense, \$350 fine plus costs, \$325 service fee, 12 months operator license suspension, 7 days in jail/to serve plus ADE authorized; no registration plates, and seven other charges, 7 days/concurrent on each.
James Honeycutt: alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine plus costs.
Charles Jason Wickland: violation of Kentucky EPO/DVO, \$100 fine and costs, 30 days/probated on condition.
Phillip B. Barnett: no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, and other charges, bw issued for fta/5 days or payment.
Roger D. French: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 30 days operator license suspension and ADE authorized.
Judy S. Haight: failure to register transfer of motor vehicle and failure to maintain insurance, bench warrant issued for fta.
Joseph D. Hines: fines/fees due (\$208), bw issued for fta/4 days or payment.
Kimberly A. Kirby: DUI, 2nd offense, \$200 fine and costs, \$325 service fee, 30 days operator license suspension and ADE authorized.

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ACROSS

- Bother
- Former KY Governor Patton
- Dismissed
- Opposed
- Forearm bone
- Overhead
- Big cat
- Meat alternative
- Red Sea nation
- Garrard Co.'s only incorporated town
- Put forth
- War horse
- Money owed
- Veer suddenly
- KY county, site of Kingdom Come State Park
- Axed
- Set down
- Supply oxygen
- Largest of seven
- Go with the flow
- Word of woe
- Chip dips
- Kentuckian Christopher Carson
- Top-quality
- Home county to Eubank, Ok, and Goochtown, KY
- Big Apple inits.
- Suspend
- Hardin Co. hamlet, or not rural
- KY author of "River of Earth"
- KY horse farm, site of Secretariat's grave
- Powdered chocolate

DOWN

- Cumberland ____, home of KY's moonbow
- Church group
- Kentuckian Richard Taylor's "Eye"
- Subsequently
- Places
- "Thanks __!"
- Hungry
- Home county to Baldrock, Bush, and Hazel Patch, KY
- One of KY's three original counties named for the Alpine goat of the same name
- Daviess Co. area, or Italy's capital
- Always
- Fender blemish
- Cutting tool
- Kentuckian, actor Ned

27 KY has more miles of running streams than any state but this one

28 Former name of Thousandsticks, KY

30 Lincoln Co.'s historic "Orchard"

31 In good health

32 Terminal info

33 Take a break

34 Door fastener

35 Biblical twin

36 Legal document

37 Astronaut's insignia

39 Jabber

43 Bowling target

46 Henry Clay's Lexington home

50 Feet parts?

52 Hamlet in 68

54 Across, __ Run

56 "I read you"

57 Slow down

58 Chipped in

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60 Strike breaker

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For Rent: Large apartment, convenient location at 240 West Main St., Mt. Vernon. 606-256-3819 or 606-256-4740. 40xntf

For Rent: Office space. \$425 month/\$200 deposit, water and electric included. 606-256-3868 or 606-308-9797. 44xntf

For Rent or Sale: 2 mobile homes. One is 1/2 mile from light on 461, below fabric shop. Has 2 bedrooms, water, refrig-

erator and stove furnished. \$275 mo. \$200 deposit. Second is on old Brodhead Road, Rt. 1326. Has 2 bedrooms, water furnished. \$250 month/\$200 deposit. References required. No pets. 758-8317. 44x1p

Duplex For Rent in Brodhead. 2BR, washer/dryer, dishwasher. Call Amy Nicely at 256-8700. 44xntf

For Rent or Sale: 3 bedroom/1 bath w/basement in Scaffold Cane area. \$400 deposit/\$400 month. Available October. 606-231-6125. 41x4

For Rent: Duplex. All appliances furnished. Call Patty at 758-9666. 29xntf

For Rent: Small trailer in Brodhead. No pets. 758-4729. 40xntf

For Rent: Accepting applications at Mt. Vernon Housing Authority on Mondays 9 a.m. til 12 noon. Rent based on income. 256-4185. 14xntf

Accepting Applications: For

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For Rent: 3 bedroom 1 bath house in town. \$435 month/\$350 deposit. No pets. Call 256-8602 or 308-4509. 42x2p

For Rent: Two bedroom trailer on Lawrence Lane behind Jack's Hardware. \$300 deposit and \$300 per month plus utilities. Call 256-4683 between 5 p.m. and 9 p.m. 42x2p

For Rent: 2 and 3 bedroom trailers, starting as low as \$200 month plus \$200 deposit. Call 256-9889 or 606-308-5389. 42x5p

For Rent: House, no pets. References required. 606-256-2383. 43x2

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Doug and Judy Brock known as Brock's North Hill Farm at Maretburg consisting of the Swinney Place, Brock Place, Hensley Farm, Lakes Farm. 3tfn

Posted: No hunting, fishing, or trespassing on property belonging to Myrtle Durham near the Rockcastle River. 43x2

Posted: No trespassing, ATVs on land belonging to Billy Whitaker on Skaggs Creek.

Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on property belonging to Murrell Smith, located at 7682 South Wilderness Rd., Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. Violators will be prosecuted. Not liable for accidents. 31x12p

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Posted: No trespassing on property of Darrell and Helen Whitaker, located on East Fork of Skaggs Creek and Cut Gap. Keep out!! 32x51p

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on Ed Wilson Farm, 5320 Hummel Road, Wildie. 44(08)x52p

Posted: Land belonging to Gary Asher on Level Green Road. 43x2

Posted: No trespassing, No ATVs on property belonging to Carla Whitaker Carpenter and Warren Whitaker (formerly known as Wesley Mink property) located at High Dry, Long Branch (Pongo area). 32x25p

Posted: No hunting/trespassing on property belonging to Farmer Waddle and Clista Spivey heirs on Hwy. 490. Violators will be prosecuted. Not responsible for accidents. 42x25p

Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATV riding on properties belonging to Dennis Smith and Wayne Corona and located on Chestnut Ridge Road, Martin Ridge Road, Crooked Creek and Red Hill. Violators will be prosecuted. 38x10p

Posted: No trespassing on Crawford Place - Old Brodhead Road. Danny Smith. 47tfn

Posted: Absolutely no hunting, fishing or trespassing on property belonging to Mark and Debbie Cummins. Violators will be prosecuted. 9x52p

Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Victoria Reese at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents.

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Notice is hereby given that Judith Gayle Hansel, P.O. Box 655, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Glenna J. Coffey on the 27th day of August, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Judith Gayle Hansel or to Hon. Willis G. Coffey, 45 East Main St., P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before February 2, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. 42x3

Notice is hereby given that Jennifer Cash, 116 Sycamore St., Brodhead, KY 40409 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Jane Gentry on the 27th day of August, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Jennifer Cash or to Hon. Willis G. Coffey, 45 East Main St., P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before February 2, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. 42x3

Notice is hereby given that Earnie Barnes, 270 Shug Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 & Armilda Barnes, 270 Shug Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 have been appointed guardians of Lindsey M. Barnett on the 3rd day of September, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Earnie Barnes and Armilda Barnes or to Hon. William D. Reynolds, 140 West Main St., P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before March 4th, 2009 at 11:00a.m. 43x2

Notice is hereby given that Earnie Barnes, 270 Shug Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 & Armilda Barnes, 270 Shug Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed guardians of Dakota W. Barnett on the 3rd day of September, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Earnie Barnes & Armilda Barnes or to Hon. William D. Reynolds, 140 West Main St., P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before March 4th, 2009 at 11:00a.m. 43x2

Notice is hereby given that Margaret Owens, 7101 Quail

Road, Brodhead, KY 40409 has been appointed executrix of the estate of James Owens, Jr. on the 3rd day of September, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Margaret Owens or to Hon. William D. Reynolds, 140 West Main St., P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before March 4th, 2009 at 11:00a.m. 43x3

Notice is hereby given that Kelly Bradley, P.O. Box 128, Livingston, KY 40445 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Myrtle Bradley on the 3rd day of September, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Kelly Bradley or to Hon. William D. Gregory, 240 East Main St., P.O. Drawer 220, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before March 4th, 2009 at 11:00a.m. 43x3

Notice is hereby given that Larry D. Smith, P.O. Box 112, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed administrator of the estate of Rebecca Smith on the 27th day of August, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Larry D. Smith or to Hon. Hailey Scoville Bonham, 105 North Main St., London, KY 40741 on or before March 2nd, 2009 at 11:00a.m. 43x3

Notice is hereby given that Jimmy Ray French, 1787 CleftRock Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 and David Gene French, 1771 Cleftrock Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 have been appointed co-executors of the estate of Kermit W. French on the 15th day of September, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Jimmy Ray French and David Gene French or to Hon. Debra Hembree Lambert, P.O. Box 1094, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before March 16, 2009 at 11 a.m. 44x3

Notice is given that Charles Shepherd has filed a final settlement of his accounts as administrator of the estate of Dempsey Shepherd, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held Oct. 8, 2008 at 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 44x1

Notice is hereby given that Thomas W. Coffey, 2528 Old State Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administrator of the estate of Ona A. Coffey on the 9th day of September, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Thomas W. Coffey or to Hon. Debra Hembree Lambert, P.O. Box 1094, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456

on or before March 9, 2009 at 11 a.m. 44x3

Notice is hereby given that Darlene Reynolds, 2164 Bee Lick Road, Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419 has been appointed guardian of Jordan Lee Rowe, a minor on the 8th day of September, 2008. Any person hav-

ing claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Darlene Reynolds or to Hon. Michael S. Fore, Thompson, Simons, Dunlap and Fore, P.S.C., P.O. Box 726, Richmond, Ky. 40476-5205 on or before March 9, 2009 at 11 a.m. 44x4

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 07-CI-00279

South Point, Inc. Plaintiff
John Martin and Karen Martin Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on April 23, 2008 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of ONE HUNDRED SIXTEEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN DOLLARS AND 59/100 (\$116,237.59) 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, September 19, 2008
Beginning at the Hour of 1:00 p.m.**

Said real property being more particularly bounded & described as follows:

Rt. 2 Box 119, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Beginning at a stake in the south right of way of U.S. Highway #25 near J.D. Miller's house; thence N 66 W 121 1/2 feet to a stake; thence S 34 W 14 feet to a stake; thence N 42 1/2 W 126 1/2 feet to a stone corner to a stone corner of George Poynter; thence with his line reversed N 78 E 99 feet to a stone; thence N 40 1/2 E 165 feet to a stone in the south right of way of U.S. Highway #25; thence with said right of way S 5 W 246 feet to the beginning and containing 6/10 of an acre.
Subject to any and all easements, restrictions, conditions and legal highways of record and/or in existence.

Being the same property conveyed to John Martin and Karen Martin by deed dated July 30, 1987 and recorded in Deed Book 132, page 19 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Court 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 ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
2. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
3. Unpaid taxes 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 2008 local, county and state property taxes.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
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".

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Yard Sale: Sat., Sept. 20, 9 a.m. to ? 960 Main St., brick house in front of middle school, home of Darlene Mink. Clothes (sizes 8-12), large women's, men's boys 18 mos-2T, toys, shoes, purses, crafts, craft supplies, exercise equipment, Home Interior, bedspreads, curtains, household items, etc.

Two Family Yard Sale: 170

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Yard Sale: On Purr Rigsby Road. Thurs. and Friday, 8 to 2.

Yard Sale: House behind Citizens Bank in Brodhead. September 19-20 from 9 a.m. to ? Everything must go!

Big Yard Sale: Cleaning out building. Thurs - Sat., 8 a.m. to ? 139 Wallin St. in Brodhead. Everything cheap. Last day bag sale for \$3. All size shoes, clothes, whatnots, CDs, tapes, lots of toys, etc.

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Public Hearing

In accordance with the provisions of HB 44 enacted by the 1979 Kentucky General Assembly a public hearing has been set by the Rockcastle County Public Library Board of Trustees for September 24, 2008 at 4:00 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Public Library. The purpose of this hearing is to inform the public that the Rockcastle County Public Library Board is proposing the 3.1 cent tax rate with anticipated revenue of \$108,410. This tax rate reflects a 4% increase in anticipated revenue. The tax rate for the preceding year was 2.70 cents with anticipated revenue of \$89,992.

The compensating rate is 3 cents with anticipated revenue of \$104,913. The expected revenue from personal property is \$34,924. Increase for the 2008 budget year is needed due to the rising cost of books, library materials, technology, equipment and maintenance.

The Kentucky General Assembly has required publication of this advertisement and the information contained herein.

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 08-CI-00015 c/w 08-CI-00022

Peoples Bank & Trust of Madison County Plaintiff

William K. Blair, II, Veronica F. Blair, and Kentucky Housing Corp. Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on June 19, 2008 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of SIXTY ONE THOUSAND TWELVE DOLLARS AND 40/100 (\$61,012.40) 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, September 19, 2008
Beginning at the Hour of 1:00 p.m.**

Said real property being more particularly bounded & described as follows:

TRACT 1: Beginning at a point in fence of Raxcoe Cable and Kentucky 618 right of way; thence N 71 W 53.3 feet to steel pin in Kentucky 618 right of way and corner to Donald Cable; thence N 41 E 101.4 feet to stake in line of Roscoe Cable and Donald Cable; thence S 65 E 29 feet to fence corner of Roscoe Cable; thence S 27 W 92 feet to the beginning and containing 0.09 acres more or less.

TRACT 2: Beginning at a stake in the North right of way line of Highway No. 618 corner to Norman Keith Cable; thence with said Cable's line N 16 degrees and 45 minutes E 501 feet to a fence post in Roscoe Cable's line; thence with Roscoe Cable's line S 70 E 212 feet to a fence post in said Cable's line; thence S 21 degrees 30 minutes W 291 feet to a gate post; thence S 42 degrees 30 minutes E 218 feet to a steel pin in the Northern right of way line of said highway; thence with the North right of way line N 18 degrees 15 minutes 105.5 feet to the point of beginning containing 2.05 acres more or less.

Being the same property that William K. Blair, II and Veronica F. Blair obtained by deed dated November 12, 2002 and recorded in Deed Book 192, page 407 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Court Clerk.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

1. Tracts 1 and 2 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 ten percent (10%) 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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