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The limestone rock, which is at the center of criminal charges being filed against Mayor Clarice Kirby, are shown above on the bank of Lake Linville. The limestone rock was dumped in the same place that a lot of other construction waste, including asphalt, concrete, metal cable, plastic pipe, wiring and 2x4s have been dumped. The debris is the waste from the Richmond Street sidewalk project. EPA officials were at the lake on Wednesday. No notices of violation have been issued.

In City of Mt. Vernon

Mayor arrested for official misconduct

By: Richard Anderkin
Mt. Vernon assistant police chief Eddie Delaney arrested Mayor Clarice Kirby on Tuesday morning on a charge of official misconduct, first degree, a Class A misdemeanor.

Delaney escorted the 56-year-old Mayor to Circuit Clerk Teresa Vanzant's office where she filled a \$500 cash bond.

The Mayor will be arraigned in Rockcastle District Court on October 20th.

Kirby was charged with official misconduct after Rockcastle School Superintendent Larry Hammond sought a warrant for her on Monday morning.

Hammond said he requested the warrant from County Attorney Billy Reynolds after the Mayor instructed city employees to do away with limestone rocks that belonged to him.

Hammond said the rock were in a wall in front of Henry and Phyllis Hines' home, which is located next to his home on Richmond Street. Hammond said the rock were going to be removed to make room for a new poured concrete wall, which was part of the sidewalk project now underway on that

street.

Hammond said he asked Phyllis Hines if he could have the rock and she told him he could.

The Superintendent was in Mississippi last week at a continuing education meeting when the rock wall was torn down to make room for the new wall.

Hammond said that when he returned from Mississippi, he inquired as to the whereabouts of the rock and was told they had been taken to property owned by Mayor Kirby.

Hammond said he went to City Hall on Thursday to tell the Mayor he wanted the rock back and that, after a short conversation, the Mayor agreed to have city employees take the rock to his property.

The superintendent said that on Friday afternoon he was told the rock had been dumped in Lake Linville.

The superintendent said he called city superintendent Dennis McClure to confirm that the rock had indeed been taken to the lake. He said McClure told him that the rock, which made two truck loads, was dumped at the lake.

A portion of the criminal

complaint written by Reynolds, for Hammond against Kirby, reads: "Mayor ordered the stone rock pulled, then poured or dumped into the lake. City equipment was used to move the rock to her home then to the lake, which constitutes an unauthorized exercise of official functions."

Mayor Kirby issued a statement through her husband Paul on Tuesday evening, saying "I'm innocent and it will be proved in a trial."

Hammond said that he did not understand why the Mayor would do what she did and that he did not think he had any other course of action.

The Mayor faces a penalty of not more than 12 months in prison and/or not more than a \$500 fine, if she is found guilty of the charge against her.



Mt. Vernon Mayor Clarice Kirby says her innocence will be proven at trial.

City of Mt. Vernon publishing annexation ordinance this week

By: Richard Anderkin
The City of Mt. Vernon is publishing an ordinance this week they passed on Septem-

ber 15th, which will annex property southwest of the city limits.

The ordinance is being pub-

lished, although the council voted the same night, to give interested citizens a list of the property owners being annexed, a week before the ordinance was published.

A city employee said last week that the list of property owners would be available at city hall on Thursday, (today), which is the same day the ordinance is being published. That means the interested persons did not get the extra week as promised by the council and Mayor Clarice Kirby.

Many of those interested persons, who were at the council meeting on September 15th, met on Wednesday to form a grass roots organization that will circulate petitions which, if successful, will require the issue to be placed on the 2010 election ballot.

Lawrence Bullock, who lives in Countryside Estates one the areas to be annexed,

erally Bureau of Investigation jointly announced last Wednesday that two Mount Vernon men were sentenced on Monday to a combined 165 months in prison for distributing more than 475 kilograms of marijuana.

Gerald Lee Miller, 48, of Cove Branch, received 87 months while his 29-year-old son, Rocky Lee Miller, received 78 months.

The Millers admitted that from January 2004 until Janu-

For distribution of marijuana

Father, son receive federal prison time

The United States Attorney's Office, United States Forest Service and Fed-



Gerald Miller

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No notices of violation issued

EPA officials examine dump sites at Linville

Officials with the state's Environmental Protection Agency were at Lake Linville on Wednesday to look at several areas where construction waste has been dumped along the banks of lake on Rose Hill Road.

The debris is waste from the Richmond Street sidewalk project, which has been underway in the city for the past several weeks.

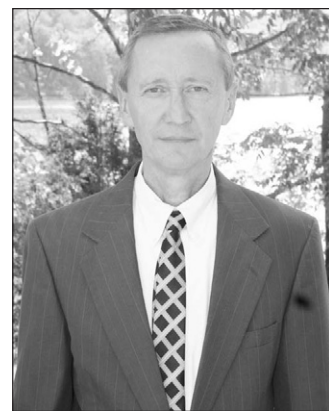
The agency was called in after residents complained that the waste contained asphalt, wiring, metal cable, plastic pipe

and 2x4s.

Bill Belcher, an Environmental Control Supervisor for the EPA, said his agency would not be issuing any citations at this time, because the city was going to work with them in avoiding any problems of possible contamination of the lake.

"They are going to remove some of the materials that have been dumped, such as the asphalt, rebar and incidental waste, but we are going to allow them to continue to utilize the concrete dumped alongside

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Rockcastle School Superintendent Larry Hammond got a warrant for Mt. Vernon Mayor Clarice Kirby on Monday.



The 2008 football Homecoming King and Queen at Rockcastle County High School will be crowned on Friday night at 7 p.m. before the Knox Central game. This year's homecoming queen and court candidates are shown above, front row, from left: Emily Clark, Alexandra Martin, Nicole Locklear and Morgan Campbell. Second row, from left: Rachel Smith, Ashley Lewis and Allyson Washburn. Back row, from left: Regina Rice, Kara Canterbury and Katie Cope. Absent was Brooke Bowlin and Ellie Bryant. Only seniors are eligible to be Homecoming Queen.

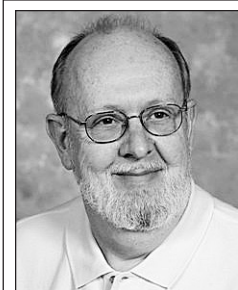


King and court candidates for 2008 are shown above, front row, from left: Devin Davidson, Shawn King, Dylan Bell, Travis Brock and Tanner Bray. Second row, from left: Keifer Goff, Zack McCracken and Zack McClure. Back row, from left: Jordan Kelley and Matt Marlow. Not present: Dalton Hutton and Jeff Renner. (Photos by: Richard Anderkin)



Former Cleveland Brown and U.K. quarterback Tim Couch was in Rockcastle on Friday night to help promote the UNITE Bowl game between Rockcastle and Bell County. Couch, shown above, far right, took the field for the coin toss with Rocket captains #61 Devon Mason, #31 Steve Trimble, #4 Dustin Bullock, and #22 Casey Hayes, along with head coach Scott Parkey. The bowl game culminated an entire day of events in the county and was sponsored by Operation UNITE and the local coalition. RCHS won the 'Traveling Toilet Paper Trophy' for collecting more toilet paper than Bell County, but the Bobcats won the football game 38-0. The Rockets host Knox Central this Friday night, which is homecoming at RCHS.





Rockcastle Memories

By David J. Griffin

Daddy's Fallout Shelter

In 1950, I was in the first grade at Mt. Vernon Elementary School. In those days, the underlying fear of communism and the Soviet Union's ability to deliver atomic and hydrogen bombs to the shores of the United States caused almost everyone to believe that an attack could come at any moment.

The news media routinely ran stories about the impending threat. They readily convinced school children of that day that families must be prepared.

In school, we were taught to "duck and cover" in order to protect ourselves. We practiced getting down on our knees, under our desks. Occasionally, we had to move to a location in the school near the basement - the idea being to protect us as much as possible if a nuclear attack took place while school was in session.

Some kids did not think too much about what we were practicing, but many of us did. And we were taught just the right combination of preparation and fear that we took the issue up with our parents. My wife remembers well that she begged her father to build and equip a shelter. Like most, he dismissed her pleadings without much thought.

But there were a number of families that did construct bomb shelters in order to provide protection from the enemy. During that time in our history, more than 100,000 fallout shelters were built in basements or backyards.

My family did not have to construct such a shelter because we always had a storm cellar. It was mostly underground and

offered just as much protection from such an attack as it did in sheltering us during the frequent storms in our section of Rockcastle County. My father, Hobe Griffin, had a strong fear of storms caused by the frequent lightning strikes on our hill. It was not uncommon for a storm to strike one of the tall poplar trees in our yard and split it into several pieces.

Daddy had already made sure that our cellar was sturdy and equipped with the necessary items for us to be comfortable if we had to spend time inside during a storm. The cellar also stored two walls of canned vegetables, fruit, grape juice, bags of potatoes and onions, and several kinds of jams and jelly.

The only items that we had to take into the storm cellar were the kerosene lantern to provide light inside and a sufficient amount of water to drink. The door was very large and thick, just like it was supposed to be for a bomb shelter. Daddy's only concern was that the cellar was secure. He was always the first one to enter the small room when a storm approached and the last to leave when it had passed.

The fear of fallout was not limited to ordinary families in the United States. Even President John Kennedy had a shelter built by the Navy Seabees at his vacation home on Peanut Island, near Palm Beach.

Following the Cuban crisis of 1961, Kennedy recommended "a fallout shelter for everybody, as rapidly as possible." Although his was a well-kept secret in Washington, residents of Palm Beach knew all

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Owen County farmer no longer dealing with bad apples

Larry Ayres has seen a lot of bad apples in his day, but they weren't all of the fruity variety.

The Owen County native spent more than half of his 61 years at the Kentucky State Police Crime Lab in Frankfort, working in forensic science.

He performed DNA analysis and used his expertise in the field to testify in more than 300 criminal cases.

Ayres retired from police work in 2001, but is still giving testimony as he sits on the back of his apple-laden pickup truck outside the Owen County Courthouse. He lauds this year's fruit crop as one of the best ever.

The owner of Ayres Family Orchard has some solid evidence to back up his claim. Nearly all the more than 2,000 trees on his picturesque, 40-acre hillside farm south of Owenton are loaded with fruit.

"Ideal weather conditions, no freezes, and ample rain this summer are the major reasons this year's crop is so good," says the man who holds a degree in microbiology from UK, but has "always loved horticulture."

A love of farm life comes naturally to the son of a farmer who can trace his family heritage in Owen County back to 1794.

The first in his family to attend college, he was guided by parents who did not finish high school and understood the value of getting a good education.

"Due to their own hard times, they encouraged me greatly and made sure I experienced life beyond Owen County," he says.

He recalls the time he was five and his Dad sent him off to Louisville, alone, to visit his grandparents. "He took me to the depot in Sparta and turned me over to the train conductor. I had a note pinned on my shirt saying where I was going," he says.

There were also visits with his grandparents in Florida, including one trip at age nine when he was allowed to fly home alone.

"I was never afraid and never felt abandoned," he says. Worldly awareness and

overcoming obstacles would serve him well in later years, when upon entering UK, he was told that 40 percent of his class would fail.

"I was bound and determined to stay focused, so that wouldn't happen to me," he says.

After graduation, he returned to Owen County, married, and purchased 10 acres from his wife's uncle. In 1973, he and Sherry built the brick, ranch-style home on Wilson Lane where they would raise a son and daughter.

"The land here wasn't suitable for row crops like corn or tobacco, but I wanted to make it productive in some way," he says.

After a decade of studying how to properly establish an orchard, consulting with the UK Extension Service, and experimenting with a variety of trees, the Ayres Family Orchard was established in 1983.

"Our goal was to make the business something financially feasible to do in retirement, and that's pretty much the way it's worked out," he says.

With peaches, plums, blackberries, cider, and jams added to the mix, Ayres peddles his wares at farmers markets in Owenton, Frankfort, and Boone County, often with help from his son, who also does his webpage, ayresapples.com.

Sherry does the bookkeeping, and their daughter prepares baked goods, making the business truly fit the name.

"It's a lot of hard, physical work, and certainly a year-round job, but I get a lot out of it. I even enjoy the management part and facing up to the challenges.

One of the main obstacles is finding enough markets for the bountiful supply of apples. "That's certainly the biggest challenge of the moment," he says.

Although running a small operation, Ayres has gained the respect of his peers. He is the current president of the Kentucky Horticulture Society.

A self-described people person, Ayres says talking with his customers is always a highlight when he sets up at farmers' markets.

It's already over an hour past

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Points East

By Ike Adams

Catalpa worms, as fish bait, are no secret to those of us prone to wet a line now and then and especially if we have catfish in mind.

However, if you ask where anyone who uses said worms for bait actually found them, you will get an elusive answer such as "over in Casey County" or "somewhere up on a hill on 75 between London and Cincinnati."

At least that is what truthful people will tell you and it's not likely that you will convince them to be more specific.

More arrogant people will tell you that they drove around for two days looking at catalpa trees and finally found some with a worm infestation and that if you want some, they will suggest that you start hunting because they are not about to let you in on the results of their hard work.

And finally, some people will send you on a wild goose chase. They will come up with an imaginary mile marker on an obscure road at least 100 miles away and give you a vivid description of the locale and the trees on which they found their bait. If you follow up on this advice you will eventually discover that neither the mile marker, the locale nor the trees actually exist. And you will know not to ask this person about his catalpa worm bonanza again, which is precisely what he had 20 in mind when he caused you to waste a day.

Brother Keeter and Tim Mitchell were recently visiting Paint Lick and we'd been fishing the better part of two days without any luck to speak of. They had to run some errands in Lexington and when they

returned, he told me they'd found a couple of catalpa trees loaded down with big fat worms. Trouble was, said trees were on private property but close to the road.

Keeter figured that, since they were in plain view from the road, the owner was sitting somewhere nearby with a shotgun guarding the trees because he could not imagine why somebody hadn't already harvested the worms if they were not under armed guard.

He described the location and, as it turned out, I happened to know the landowner so I called him up.

"Help yourself. Get em all if you can. I'll loan you ladder if you need one," he said.

To make a long story short we did not need a ladder because I have a 25-foot bamboo pole that I keep precisely for the purpose of dislodging catalpa worms from the leaves they cling to.

We manage to harvest over a hundred and later in the day, on the way to a favorite fishing hole I made the mistake of muttering that I had forgotten to stop by the bait store to get some night crawlers. I thought Keeter was going to fall out of the truck he was laughing so hard.

"If there any fish in that place and they won't hit a catalpa worm, I can tell you for sure that night crawlers aren't going to do you any good," he exclaimed!

Fifty-one huge blue gill and 5 blue catfish, each in the 15 pound range later,

I was once again a true believer.

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Screening for Ovarian Cancer

It's always good to do screening tests for cancers or illnesses. For example, pap smears have greatly reduced cancer of the cervix because they pick up early tumors and also pre-cancerous changes. In comparison, ovarian cancer is one of the more difficult cancers to screen for.

Who should be tested and what tests are worthwhile in screening for ovarian cancer? Both these questions are still being debated by the experts. The main tests available are a blood test for a tumor protein, called CA 125, and an ultrasound. Both of these tests are fairly expensive.

Since ovarian cancer is fairly uncommon, the screening tests are not recommended for every woman. At this time, the women who should receive these studies are those who have two close relatives with ovarian cancer. Also, having one relative with ovarian cancer and one with breast or colon cancer is also an indication.

An exam and a discussion with your doctor about any symptoms is the first step in diagnosing this, or any, illness. A routine exam will pick up tumors that have become quite large but may miss smaller tumors.

The CA 125 blood test may pick up changes earlier than an exam, but still not early enough to change the course of the tumor for some women.

High-tech ultrasounds done with a probe in the vagina are the most reliable test and they can find small tumors and even determine changes in blood flow to the ovary which may indicate a tumor. These tests are often not covered by one's insurance unless the woman has adequate criteria for being at increased risk of ovarian cancer.

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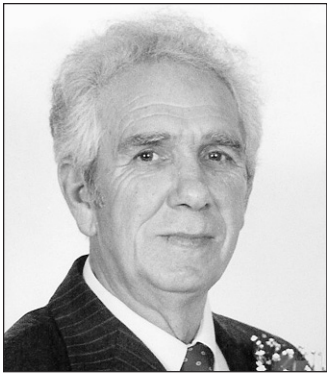
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Obituaries



James Willard Whitaker

James Willard Whitaker, 82, of Livingston, died Sunday, September 14, 2008 at the Rockcastle Hospital. He was born in Livingston on April 30, 1926 the first of four children of James and Pearl Arnold Whitaker. He served in the US Army during World War II where he earned the rank of Sergeant. He fought in the battle of Luzon and earned several medals including the Pacific Theater Ribbon, Victory Medal, Good Conduct Medal, Philippine Liberation Ribbon and a Bronze Star. He held bachelors and masters degrees from Eastern Kentucky University and was a teacher and administrator in the Rockcastle County School System for more than 38 years. Following his retirement in 1985 he spent time farming, hunting, and fishing. He was a member of the Livingston Lions Club for more than 40 years and served on the Rockcastle Industrial Development Board for more than 25 years. He was also a member of the Retired Teachers Association and was of the Baptist Faith.

He is survived by: his wife of 52 years, Olive Mink Whitaker; his son, Dale (Sandra) Whitaker of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Thelma Hale of Batavia, OH; and two grandchildren, Jordan and Hannah Whitaker. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Fred and Shirley Whitaker. Funeral services were con-

ducted Thursday, September 18 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Eddie Nation and Barbara Castleberry. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Tony Arvin, Rick Barnett, Jerry Fain, Eddie Hammond, Jeff Laswell, Bill Reynolds, Roger Reynolds, and Jim Ward.

Honorary pallbearers were: Ralph Allen, Dale Bray, Charles T. Baker, Gatliff Craig, Garland Cummins, Robert French, John Hale, Larry Hammond, Coy Kirby, Gary W. Mink, Tommy H. Mink, Buford Parkerson, Charles Parsons, Cleston Saylor, and Bige Towery.

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



Chassie Sargent

Chassie Thacker Sargent, 82, widow of the late Raymond Estle Sargent died Thursday, September 18th, 2008. She was born July 10th, 1926 in Clay County, a daughter of the late James T. Thacker and Lucinda Philpot Thacker. She was a member of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church. She had a wonderful Sunday school record with perfect attendance for 18 years. She was a loving and devoted mother and grandmother who had been a cook and custodian at Brodhead High school. Her hobbies and interests were Church and family. On June 9th, 1945 she was united in holy matrimony to Raymond Estle Sargent and from that union came five children, Barbara Joyce, Norma Lois, Thelma Lou, Carolyn

Gale and Raymond Carl.

Those left to cherish her memories include: four daughters, Barbara Joyce (Ronnie) Sowder of Shelbyville, KY, Norma Lois (Russell) Houk of Brodhead, Thelma Lou (Randall) Adams of Brodhead, and Carolyn Gale (Terry) Osborne Brodhead; one son, Raymond Carl (Madaline) Sargent of Brodhead; 10 grandchildren, Timothy, Beverly, Sonya, Bryan, Scott, Jonathon, David, Adrienne, Amanda and Rebecca; 15 great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; one brother, George Thacker of Richmond; one sister, Beulah Lear of Mt. Vernon; and a host of nieces/nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides her parents, and husband she was preceded in death by: three sisters, Minnie Cain, Lizzie Johnson and Ada Tallant; and three brothers, Gilbert Thacker, Bert Thacker and Clarence Thacker.

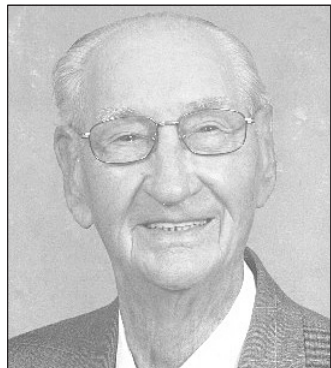
Funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 21st, 2008 at Mt. Zion Baptist Church with Bro. Darren Cupp, Bro. Scott Adams and Bro. David Sargent officiating. Burial followed in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Casket bearers were: Tim Sowder, Scott Adams, Jon Adams, Bryan Houk, David Sargent and Jason Brown.

Honorary casket bearers were: Beverly Burba, Sonya McGuire, Adrienne Sargent, Rebecca Richards and Amanda Brown.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

Condolences to the family may be made to her online registry at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Owen Dillingham

Owen Dillingham, 93, of Mt. Vernon died Monday, September 22, 2008 at the Rockcastle Hospital. He was born on September 16, 1915 in Rockcastle County the son of the late Thomas and Lillie Dillingham. He was a retired metal finisher for the Chrysler Corporation, enjoyed playing the banjo, former deacon for 16 years at Warren Woods Baptist Church in Detroit, MI and was a member of the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon.

Survivors are: two sisters, Mrs. Yvonne Griffin of Louisville and Mrs. Elaine Davidson of Richmond. A host of nieces and nephews also survive. He was preceded in death by: his wife, Merica Abney Dillingham; two brothers, Lance and Paul Dillingham; and two sisters, Sophie Brown, and Reva Hiatt.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, September 24, 2008 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Eddie Nation officiating. Burial was in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were his nephews.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

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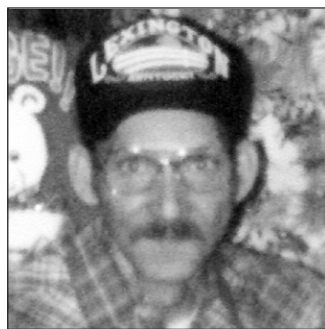
Tony Michael Sutton

The family of Tony M. (Mike) Sutton would like to express their sincere appreciation for the prayers, food, flowers and friendship shown to us during our time of sorrow.

A special thanks to Bro. Joe Mobley and Bro. Darren Cupp, U.K. Medical Center and staff and to Hospice at Richmond Care Center.

God bless you all.
The Sutton Family

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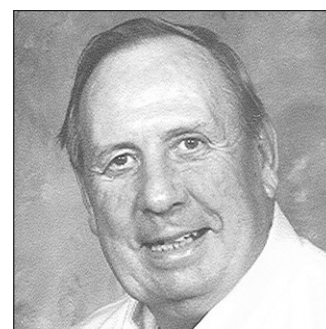
Shannon Ray Barnett, 61, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, September 18, 2008 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. He was born in Rockcastle County on September 22, 1946 the son of Jesse and Hazel Alcorn Barnett. He was of the Pentecostal Faith.

He is survived by: his son, Bobby Ray (Shana) Barnett of Berea; three brothers, Joe Barnett, Kenneth Barnett, and Phillip Barnett, all of Mt. Vernon; and three sisters, Carolyn Sue Evans of Mt. Vernon, Barbara Patterson of London, and Pauline Bryant of Livingston. Also surviving is one grandchild, Cheyenne Barnett. He was preceded in death by: a son, Brian Edward Barnett; two brothers, Edward Barnett and Lee Barnett; and one sister, Glenna Barnett.

Graveside services were conducted Saturday, September 20th in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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



Walker Jack Blanton

Walker Jack Blanton, 65, of Mt. Vernon died Saturday, September 20, 2008 at the Rockcastle Hospital after a long illness. He was born on September 10, 1943 in Rockcastle County the son of the late Carter and Sallye Hensley Blanton. He was a retired heavy equipment operator for the Kentucky State Highway Dept., enjoyed farming, and was a member of the Ottawa Baptist Church.

Survivors are: his wife, Betty Chaney Blanton of Mt. Vernon; three sons, David (Tanagene) Blanton of Brodhead, Barry (Tammy) Blanton of Brodhead and Bruce (Michele) Blanton of Bagdad, KY; one brother, Donald Lee Blanton of Mt. Vernon; and one sister, Dayne Baldwin of Crab Orchard. 11 grandchildren and three great grandchildren also survive. He was preceded in death by one brother, Dale Blanton.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, September 23, 2008

at the Ottawa Baptist Church with Bro. Darren Cupp officiating. Burial was in Ottawa Cemetery.

Arrangements were made by Cox Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: Paul Mason, Tim Albright, Gary Hurst, Kevin Adams, Donnie Alexander and Steve Jones.

Honorary pallbearers were: Arnold Thomas, Cory Craig, Arville Cope, Billy Joe Shafer and Daryl Dillingham.

Send condolences online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

Card of Thanks

John T. Fowler

The family of John T. Fowler would like to express their sincere thanks and gratitude to the Rockcastle Hospital, Dr. Karen Saylor and Dr. David Bullock for the excellent care my dad received.

To Lakes Funeral Home for their professional, caring service, to the Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation Center, especially the east wing for the truly unselfish care, and love my dad received. Thanks to a special friend Bro. R. C. Flynn, who checked on my dad daily, Bro. Ralph Baker for conducting a special service, Greg Bullock, and Caroline Graves for the beautiful music.

A special thank you to everyone who visited, remembered us in prayer, for the cards, food, Gideon Bibles, flowers, and calls.

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

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Our Readers Write

Student has lunch problems at BES...

Dear Editor,

I have two children in Brodhead Elementary this year, and I have decided it shouldn't be this hard to send your kids

to school. I have already dealt with several problems, none of which anyone in the "system" has tried to reconcile.

However, this morning, my daughter, informed me that today's lunch being one of her favorites, Taco Salad, she had

asked for doubles yesterday, they apparently have to know a day ahead of time if they want extra. She also told me that the last time this lunch was served she had asked for doubles. I know this because I had to send an extra dollar for the extras, even though there is money in her lunch account. She also informed me that her extra dollar managed to get her 4 extra chips.

So, with that info, I called the school cafeteria, and was told that she would only get extra chips and meat for her extra dollar, because the lettuce and tomato was considered a vegetable, not part of the entree. I was told that this info comes from Jeanine Parsons, which she apparently gets from the State Dept., in which they will also receive a phone call.

Well, anyway, I then called Ms. Parsons, and was told that in order to not be charged another \$1.35 to \$1.50 that my daughter should ask for a double lunch for \$1.25. This didn't really make sense to me, so when I then had to read the menu saying the entree was Taco Salad, she seemed to think that would include the lettuce and tomato. But, I then stated, again, that I had called the school and was told that, well you know, the thing about the chips and meat. So, what it comes down to is there seems to be a miscommunication, somewhere. But Ms. Parsons, however, thought that it all sounded better for my daughter to buy another meal for \$1.25, or possible \$1.50 for just the entree. She however, did inform me that lunch prices are better here than other surrounding counties, but my concern is the county that I reside in, not the surrounding ones.

When I stated that I would write this letter, and maybe others would feel the same, that maybe people would do something (I plan to take the money out of my child's account and pack the lunch of their choice), but she said that would be fine. You must realize that all of my frustration, doesn't just come from lunch issues, that there have been several questions and concerns that I have had for the present school year. I know that there are many good people in our school system, but, it seems, that the bad tend to outweigh the good. But, when the people teaching our children don't seem to be held accountable for their actions, it all seems to be hopeless. But I have also realized when questions and problems arise, that we, as parents, need to voice our concerns, not to just one another, but to the people leading our school system. There are more concerns that I plan to voice when the time presents itself. I hope others will do the same.

Sincerely,
Angel Thompson

Annexation proposal questioned...

Dear Editor,

First I'd like to express my sincere condolences to the Anderkin family for their loss. Reading Rick's column reflected that Mr. Anderkin was a man that was loved deeply by his family.

Last week I attended the city council meeting concerning the "proposed" annexation of 1500 acres of property into the city. It reminded me of when I was a child and my father would say no to something and when I asked why, he'd reply "because I said so".

Trying to get the council to

"table" the ordinance and provide a certified list of property owners was a waste of time. They passed the ordinance and agreed to provide the list as soon as possible. I did receive a phone call telling me that the list would be made available this Thursday. They will publish the 2nd reading in the newspaper when the list of owners is made available. Then "IF" more than 50% of the owner's sign a petition or more than 55% of the affected residents (who are registered voters) sign a petition to stop the annexation, it can be stopped. If not then it will automatically happen in 60 days after the publication in the newspaper. If the ordinance is stopped then it will debut on the ballot for 2010.

The mayor stated that this annexation had been in the process for six YEARS. This makes it hard to understand why the Bullock subdivision was dropped after the first reading. Because "they" finally deemed that area to need too many upgrades. It took them six YEARS to figure this out? I wonder if they will let the people know BEFORE the next proposal. According to law the mayor will make the final decision after reviewing the petition.

Since the mayor is the one pushing for the annexation wouldn't that be like putting the fox in charge of the hen house?

Once again I don't live in the city limits or in the area being annexed but I have been asked by several people to speak on their behalf. I just believe that the process is not fair to all of the people that will be affected.

Sincerely, Rick Courtney

Some things just don't add up...

Dear Editor,

I certainly don't want to take up the entire section of the paper but somehow this skateboard park still bothers me. This situation bothers me because I worked for IBM for years doing multi-million dollar budgets and some things don't add up. I reviewed the budget (free to the public) and it seems that you don't spend half of your budget on a skateboard park while spending a large sum on the sidewalk to nowhere.

All I ask is for people to get involved. ASK THE QUESTIONS. The decent, hardworking people want to know. Please don't let the

mayor or city council intimidate you. Just remember that your tax money pays their salaries.

And until next time signing off.

Rick Courtney

Thank you for making Rockcastle County look better than ever...

Dear Citizens of Rockcastle County,

I would like to take this opportunity (late as usual) to thank everyone that participated in the 2008 Commonwealth Cleanup Week and the 2008 Pride Spring Cleanup. I regret to say that I do not have photographs to publish due to a computer crash a while back. Due to you, the volunteers, efforts; Rockcastle County is looking better than ever before. I have recently heard several comments made by people that do not live in the county to the affect that Rockcastle County is in so much better shape than lots of other counties. Together we are making a difference and it shows!

During the 2008 Commonwealth Cleanup Week 55 volunteers put in a total of 170.25 hours picking up 14.8 miles of roadside (plus 26.829 miles picked up by work release). A total of 208 bags of trash (plus 648 bags picked up by work release), 13 tires (plus 16 tires picked up by work release), and four gas tanks were picked up.

The names of those participating in the 2008 Commonwealth Cleanup are as follows: Pongo Volunteer Fire Department (Kevin Blevins, Jessica Blevins, Marina Blevins, Jeremiah Blevins, Denver Phelps, Derik McClure, Michelle McClure, Randy McClure, Ethan McClure, Robin Botkin, Tony Bullock, Donald Bullock, Jerry Bullock, Sandra K. Bullock), Buffalo Baptist Church Youth Group (Jerry Bullock, Kay Bullock, Donald Bullock, Ellen Maria Zambrano), Community Caregivers (Peggy Snyder, Alyssa Snyder, Mickel McDaniel, Aaron Fleming), Little Country Church (Jack B. Weaver, Kathy Weaver, Keaton McClure, Martina Alcorn, Bobby French, Bobby Phelps), Conway Baptist Church (Charlie King, Elvin Bowman, Joe McIntosh, Jim Ritchey, Anna C. Brandenburg, April D.

Johnson, Cathy Silmon, Eugene Brandenburg, Crystal Stewart, Brenda Powell, Christa Clark, Sara Clark, Emily Clark, Aaron Clark, Rita McIntosh), Concerned Citizens of Pongo (Edna Renner, Crystal Stewart, Jalon Stewart, Scott Gibson, Katie Gibson, Brandon Hammond, Dixie Hammond, Chandler Bachelor), Work Release Supervisors (Lewis Coffey, Freddie Cromer, Freddie Renner). Thank you all for a job well done!

During the 2008 Pride Spring Cleanup Weeks 165 volunteers put in a total of 397 hours picking up 32.25 miles of roadside. A total of 545 bags of trash and 27 tires were picked up. Thank you all for another job well done!

The names of those participating in the 2008 Pride Spring Cleanup are as follow: Families of Menifee Hill Rd (also a Rockcastle County Adopt A Roadway group) (Ron Coffey, Wesley Coffey, Karina Coffey, Lamonica Coffey, Margaret Doan, Christa Doan, Megan Doan), McKinney's of Maretburg (Blake McKinney, Dana McKinney), Flames and Brodhead Volunteer Fire Department (Bryanna Mullins, Brian Bullock, Shary Barnett, Jacob Hunt, Heather Bussell, Randy Bussell, Amanda Kerns, John Kerns), Freedom Baptist Church (Doug Singleton, Norm Singleton, Jackson Cromer, Leisha Cromer, Janice K. Cloud, Pam Bullock, Andy Bullock, Sheryl J. Bullock, Ray Bullock, Nathan Bullock, Tabitha Bullock, Dustin Johnson, George Cloud, Gary Bullock, Angie Bullock, Jaydon Bullock, Jenny McKinney, Shena McKinney, Emily McKinney, Elaine Murphy, Ariel Scheffler, Trevor Scheffler), Wildie Christian Church (Matt Chaliff, Jodyne Wolfe, Sopha Hogan, Tabitha Hogan, Zach Durham, Blake Parsons, Cole Abney, Hannah Ponder, Melinda Osborne), Poplar Grove Baptist Church Youth Group (Lonnice Vanzant, Jayna Albright, Jaydon Albright, Kristina Hayes, Teresa Vanzant, Zachary House, Joanna Albright, Jim Gilbert), Grace Baptist Church (Brenda Hackubeth, Elza Debord, Linda Debord, Jerry T. Huckabeth, Dwayne McKinney, Anthony

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Parker Seal Reunion

The Parker Seal Annual Picnic will be held Saturday, Sept. 27th from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Woodman Lodge on Haiti Road in Berea. Bring a covered dish and drinks, chicken will be furnished. All former Parker Seal employees, and their families, are invited. For more information, call Ruth Holman at 606-758-8544.

Fish Fry

Woodmen of the World will host a Fish Fry for members at the Tea Cup Cafe located at 145 Main Street in Mt. Vernon on October 9, 2008 at 6 p.m. For more information contact Berea Lodge Hall at 859-986-0736, Mary Ann McNew at 606-256-4046 or Vicki Chasteen at 606-256-4817.

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. The next meeting will be held Thurs., October 2nd at 6 p.m. "Preventing Diabetes Complications" with Susan Burdine, RN. Check the Community Bulletin Board weekly for class schedule.

Renner Homecoming and Singing

You are invited to an evening with the Renners at their annual homecoming and singing. The event will be held at the home of Wendell and Virginia Renner on Sat., Sept. 27th at 7 p.m. at the end of Maple Grove Road, Orlando. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy and evening of front porch harmony.

Bus Drills - Early Dismissal

Rockcastle County Schools will be conducting Bus Drills on Wednesday, October 1, 2008. The Rockcastle County High School and Middle School will dismiss at 2:45 p.m. Buses will proceed to the elementary schools where the drills will be conducted. Please adjust your schedule for this early dismissal. **No School - Oct 2 and 3, 2008 - CKEA & Fall Break.**

Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., Sept. 29th: Spiro, Level Green, Willailla, Grandma Rainbow's, Coountry Care. **Tues., Sept. 30th:** Ottawa and Bee Lick.

MVHS Alumni Assn. Note

We trust everyone had a good time at this year's reunion. To make next year's reunion even more successful, please make sure we have your correct address. Over 100 invitations were returned this year and that means some of our alumni missed out. If you did not get an invitation, send your complete mailing address to MVHS Alumni, PO Box 396, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. Some addresses are still listed as route and, with the 911 Enhancement, these are no longer valid addresses. We also need these addresses. Hope to see you next September.

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, KY 40409 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.

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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T.J.'s Journal

by: Tonya J. Cook



Dear Journal,

A few years ago, Jerry Renner once told me that I sure could write a controversial column. He said it in a nice way, and not meaning anything by it. I thought about it later, and decided that he was probably right although I had only wanted to express my opinion, and didn't ask or expect that everyone would agree with it. I also wanted to get people to thinking. It seems that I have done the same thing again, quite unintentionally. In the days and weeks ahead, after talking with Jerry, I changed the slant of the column to be filled with a lot of personal experiences, memories, family history, and humor; what I call non-controversial "fluff."

In my Journal printed 8/28/08, there evidently was some controversial material that particularly incensed a Gary Houston of Mount Vernon, and possibly others. It was far from my intent to irritate anyone or even sway their opinion; I was simply expressing mine to what I thought was a minor degree. I was only pointing out how much the Democratic Party had changed in my lifetime, and even tried to add a little dry humor. Ronald Reagan once said, when asked why he left the Democratic Party, that it was not he who had left the Democratic Party; the Democratic Party had left him.

I had been asked to clarify my remarks regarding this article, and in the following lines, I'll attempt to do just that. Remember, you asked for it, so I'll be very clear and cut the "fluff" and humor. I'm well aware that religion and politics are two controversial subjects, but I'm going to wade on in on one of them. Hopefully, I won't offend too many this time, but I'm sure that I will a few so I might as well start out with an apology.

In defense of the Signal, just let me say that this is a fine, little hometown paper, and this county should be thankful to have it. It's a high-quality publication, and I'm sure that there are hundreds of little towns that don't even have a local paper. The Signal has a dedicated staff, and the paper in and of itself is not responsible for the thoughts and self-expression of its columnists. Thank God we're still yet living in a country that guarantees free speech and freedom of the press.

In the column in question of 8/28, Mr. Houston alluded to the idea that I was a racist. The charge of racism has always been a reliable and time-honored excuse, whether the subject is valid or not. I suppose the best way to truly answer that accusation is simply to ask any one of my black friends; there are at least twenty or more that I can think of just off-hand who live over in London alone. I can produce names, numbers, and addresses if anyone is really interested. I've known most of them for several years, and have been a guest in their homes many times, and they in mine. I've enjoyed parties, barbecues, and a variety of social events with these people, as well as visits just to chat. I've even spent the night in their homes on a few occasions. One black friend of mine would come and care for my bedfast mother, when I had to be out on business. Let me assure you, I didn't leave her with just anybody. This one particular black woman took outstanding care of my mother, and even stayed all night on a few occasions. She never charged me anything, as my white friends did for the same service, when needed. She did it as a favor to me and my mother.

Stanley and I saw a black friend of ours about two years ago at the London Wal-Mart that we had known for many years when we all worked together. We invited him to a barbecue that we were having in a few days at our house. He replied, "H**l, no! Not in Mount Vernon. I'll be the only "black spot" in town." It made us feel sad that because of where we lived, our friend and his fam-

ily felt unwelcome.

I have nothing personally against Barack Obama. I'm sure, had I the opportunity to meet him and get acquainted, I'd find that he's probably a nice man and that we would have some things in common. I would welcome him to our home at any time; I just don't think he'd be a good president, and I'll explain that, too.

The reason why I wouldn't want Barack Obama as president goes much deeper than a skin color, or a name. I'd be glad to support a Colin Powell or a Condoleezza Rice. I feel that they are loyal Americans and are true to this country. As far as the odd name issue goes, my maiden name is Oxendine, and my first husband was an Olivastro. I've carried these names much longer than Cook. In the column in question, I was trying to spell out in an understated hint that I believe Obama was a Muslim, and is a Muslim at heart to some degree, therefore being a Muslim sympathizer, which is the last thing this country needs. (Not that all Muslims are bad or are even terrorists) Remember the Muslim terrorists? Apparently people have forgotten the 9/11 tragedy, and all of the spilling of the innocent blood of hundreds of innocent men, women, and children that day. They're the same bunch that are killing America's young men and women in the Middle East, even as I speak.

In an editorial from the Investor's Business Daily dated September the fifth, 2008, there is insight to Obama's past. The article states that there was a gentleman by the name of Percy Sutton, who apparently had a little bit of pull at Harvard, and was encouraged to write a letter of recommendation for Obama to gain admission. This letter was encouraged by Dr. Khalid Abdullah Tariq al-Mansour, born Donald Warden, who was representing members of the Saudi royal family. Why did the Saudi royal family want to encourage Obama's entrance to Harvard? Prince Alwaleed bin Talal, member of the Saudi royal family and a nephew of Saudi King Abdullah publicly suggested that US policy brought on the 9/11 attacks. Khalid Abdullah Tariq al-Mansour wrote a book in 1995, "The Lost Book of Africa Rediscovered", alleging that America was plotting genocide against black Americans. He is also associated with the Black Panthers, and is said to be a clone of the "Reverend" Jeremiah Wright, Obama's long-time pastor, who asked God to damn America from his pulpit. With the background of being raised a Muslim, (and remembering not all of them are bad or terrorists--I've had a few Muslim friends, too) and following the thinking of "Reverend" Wright, it makes me wonder what kind of hidden hatred Obama has for Americans. After all said, I'll give him the benefit of the doubt.

According to a Presidential Candidate Comparison chart referencing quotes from CNN, FoxNews, AARP, and the Washington Post, Obama lacks experience compared to McCain. Obama has served in the Senate for 173 days, compared to McCain's 22 years as of September the second. During that time, here are some of the issues that Obama has supported: no offshore drilling (let's not forget his Saudi friends have a lot of oil to sell), support of abortion throughout the pregnancy up to full term, pulling the troops out of Iraq immediately (we all know how terrorists respect someone who tucks their tail between their legs and runs), no private gun ownership, supports gay and lesbian "marriage", proposed huge tax increases, giving social security to illegal aliens, and supporting legislation that allows children to have abortions without their parent's knowledge.

Obama must be an unusually cruel man. Barbara Lyons, executive director of the Wisconsin Right-to-Life, said that

he not only wants to support abortions funded with your tax dollars, he has voted three separate times to deny any life-saving treatment to babies who survive any abortion attempts. Almost anyone would render aid to a helpless, injured, or sick animal; but the same mercy wouldn't be shown to an innocent, mutilated, child. What kind of sick and depraved mind would support this?

Earlier this year, I hadn't decided which of the candidates I would support. Notice, I didn't say, vote for. Originally, it was John Edwards. Then, gradually I would hear this and that and decided that there was no way I would support Obama, and I guess the following article from the Times of India dated June 24, 2008 was the deciding factor. It reads: "...a group of well-wishers in the capitol (New Delhi, I assume) have decided to send him (Obama) a symbol of his lucky charm, Lord Hanuman to help him emerge victorious." Obama representative, Carolyn Sauvage-Mar, on Tuesday at the date of printing, received a gold-plated, two-foot high idol, which she will pass on to Obama after it is sanctified. It is being presented as he is reported to be a Lord Hanuman devotee, and carries a locket of the monkey god, along with other charms. An hour-long prayer meeting was held to sanctify the idol. The idol will be kept in a temple for eleven more days to complete the sanctification, and then sent to the United States. Congress leader, Brijmohan Bhama, said "Obama has deep faith in Lord Hanuman and that is why we are presenting an idol of Lord Hanuman to him." Carolyn Sauvage-Mar, who is chairperson of Democrats Abroad-India, said, "Obama has extended his thanks for the support." When questioned about Obama's beliefs, she only smiled, apparently to avoid controversy back home.

Switching parties seems to be popular this race. September the sixteenth, Lynn Forester de Rothschilds, member of the Democratic National Convention, told CNN that she was endorsing McCain. Rothschilds has holding companies and businesses around the world, and is married to international banker, Sir Evelyn de Rothschilds. In reference to Obama, she said, "...frankly, I don't like him. I feel like he is an elitist. I feel like he has not given a reason to trust him."

So there it is. In short, I'm not supporting an inexperienced, Muslim terrorist sympathizing, God-d**ning America attitude, monkey-god worshipping, illegal alien supporting, high-tax raising, gay marriage endorsing, baby-murderer regardless of his name or color or party affiliation.

Even with all of its faults and teetering on the edge of a major depression, this is a great nation, one built on decades of morals an honor, and tradition with the sweat and blood of everything from patriots to Iraqi-Freedom veterans that is yet free, and has made it possible for people like Barack Obama to be president. This country deserves a true diplomat with true courage and conviction that can lead this country from the miry pit with the same self-evident liberty, truths, and morals that founded this great land.

Again, I'm sorry if I've offended anyone as it is certainly not my intent. This will be my closing remarks on political subjects now and in the future. These opinions are solely mine, and I am solely responsible for the content of this column.

"Ken & Tucky"

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his normal closing time at the Owenton market when an elderly lady driving a van summons him over to her vehicle. She says her husband, who is a homebound invalid, wanted her to come tell him that the peach she brought home from the market earlier in the day is the best he's ever had.

"That", says Larry, "is what it's all about."

Columnist Don White has served as editor at several Kentucky newspapers. His Kentucky Traveler features are published throughout the state. Contact him at www.thekytraveler.com

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Cupps Chapel Pentecostal Church on Copper Creek Road was built during 1935 and 1936 by the Cupps Family and their friends.

The land where the church sits was donated by James and Hester Cupps.

The first known pastor of the church was Simon Cupps.

In the 73 year history of the church several others followed Bro. Cupps to the pulpit.

They included: Tinsley Rector, Donald King, Holbart Pearson, Bud Vanhook, Henry Montgomery, Gary Tussy, Amos Gabbard and Donnie Pingleton.

The current pastor is Dwayne Carpenter, who has served at Cupps Chapel since 1995.

Carpenter and his wife, the former Lisa Francisco, have two sons, Robby and Travis.

Members of the board at

Cupps Chapel are: Clyde Chasteen, Junior Chasteen and Bro. Carpenter.

Mrs. Patsy Chasteen serves as the church's secretary and treasurer.

Cupps Chapel has approximately 40 members and an average attendance of 25 to 30 for each service.

Services are held each Sunday at 6 p.m., Thursday at 7:00 p.m. and Wednesday night Bible Study at 7 p.m.



Cupps Chapel Pentecostal Church is located on Copper Creek Road and was built during 1935 and 1936.



A new outdoor shelter is under construction behind the Cupps Chapel Church building. Labor for the construction was donated by Dennis Doan's crew. Offerings for the materials were received during a recent revival at the church.



Pastor Dwayne Carpenter has been at Cupps Chapel Pentecostal Holiness Church since 1995. He is shown with Juanita Chasteen, who played the electric piano at a recent revival service. Carpenter is also a member of the church's board.



Shown above, from left, are: Kyle Willis, Kianna Harris, Jahrisa York, Judy Kidwell and Jaleigha York, before revival services at Cupps Chapel.



Loretta Napier, Alice Lunsford, Linda Roark and Nicole Lunsford sang several special songs. (Photos by Richard Anderkin)

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Tracy Valentine, Preacher
606-758-8662
Cell 606-305-8980

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

Wade Johnson, Minister

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Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
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Cornerstone Fellowship
50 Lovell Ct. - Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Terry Fletcher, Pastor
606-256-1645

Crossroads Assembly of God
Hwy. 150 • Brodhead
Nathaniel Fugate, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Dixie Park Cornerstone Baptist Church
700 N. Powell St.
Berea, Ky. 40403
859-623-8292 • 859-985-2484

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Gene Smith, Pastor

Fairview Baptist Church
520 Fairview Loop Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday Services
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Sunday Adult Choir 8 p.m.
Wednesday Services
Creative Ministry 6 p.m.
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Ministry QUEST 7 p.m.
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Mission Friends 6 p.m.
Vaughn Raser, Pastor
606-256-3722
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Fairground Hill Community Holiness Church
Sunday Worship 6 p.m.
Pastor: Benton Hurd

Faith Chapel Pentecostal
S. Wilderness Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Saturday Service 7 p.m.
Virgil Bustle, Pastor

First Baptist Church
340 West Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Ky.
606-256-2922

Bro. Eddie Nation, Pastor
website: www.fbcmtvky.org
email: fbcmtvernon@newwave.net
Sunday Services: 8:30 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m.
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Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Kenny Shubert, Youth Pastor

Flat Rock Missionary Baptist Church
504 Maple Grove Rd. Hwy. 1004
Orlando, Ky. 40460
859-925-4048
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.

Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Thursday Night Visiting 7 p.m.
Contact: Doris Brown
606-256-0188
burtonpromos@prodigy.net

Freedom Baptist Church
Freedom School Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting & Youth/Children Classes 7 p.m.

God's Church of Zion
35 McFerron St.
Mt. Vernon, KY
Wed. Night 7 p.m.
Sunday School 2 p.m.
Sunday Worship 3 p.m.
Pastor: Fred Hecker

Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church
Hwy. 1505 (6 miles from Brodhead)
Brodhead, Ky.
Randal Adams, Pastor
Youth Pastor, **Scott Adams**
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Lighthouse Assembly of God
Hwy. 1004 • Orlando, Ky.
Tim Hampton, Pastor
606-256-4884 • 606308-2342
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tues. Night Intercessory Prayer 7 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7 p.m.

Little Country Church
Jarber Rd.
Turn left off Rev. Green Loop onto Jarber Rd.
Jack Weaver, Pastor
Sunday 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.

Livingston Baptist Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Adult & Youth Classes Available
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study & Meeting 7 p.m.
Bro. Steve McKinney, Pastor
606-758-4097
email: stevemc64@alltel.net

Livingston Pentecostal Holiness Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Jim Miller, Pastor
606-256-1709

Maple Grove Baptist Church
Hwy. 1004 (Big Cave Road)
Orlando, Ky. 40460
606-256-1873

Bro. Jerry Owens, Pastor
Home Phone 606-256-3075
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
WRVK Broadcast 2 p.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Mareburg Baptist Church
2617 New Brodhead Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Wayne Harding, Pastor
Phone: 256-8844
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Sunday Youth Missions 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
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mareburgchurch@yahoo.com

McNew Chapel Baptist
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Jerry Ballinger, Pastor

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1025 W Main St.
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Bobby Owens, Pastor
859-986-1317

Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene
40 Fair Street • Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wallace Thornton, Sr., Pastor

New Hope Baptist Church
Jct. 1797 New Hope Tower Rd. Orlando
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Bro. David Carpenter, Pastor

Northside Baptist Church
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(Off 461 bypass) Mt. Vernon
606-256-5577
www.nbcnet.org

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515 Williams St.
(across from MVES)
Mount Vernon, Ky. 606-256-4170
Mass Times:
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.
Sabbath Mass: Sat., 5 p.m.
Holy Days 5 p.m.
Father Nick Pagano, Pastor

Ottawa Baptist Church
1074 Ottawa Rd. • Brodhead
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 11 a.m.
Sunday Discipleship Training/
Youth Mission Groups 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services
Youth Choir 6 p.m.
Children's & Youth Bible Study
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Jim Craig, Pastor • 758-8453
ottawabaptist@windstream.net

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Mount Vernon, Ky. 606-256-4170
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Sabbath Mass: Sat., 5 p.m.
Holy Days 5 p.m.
Father Nick Pagano, Pastor

Philadelphia United Baptist Church
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Brodhead, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Saturday Service 7 p.m.
Gordon Mink, Pastor
606-256-9724

Pine Hill Holiness Church
5216 S. Wilderness Rd.
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Allen Hensley, Pastor
859-4801
www.pinehillholinesschurch.com
email: pinehillhc@aol.com
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Thursday Night Worship 7:30 p.m.
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Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church
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Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Contact: **Casey McClure**
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email: jcmclure@aol.com
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting and Youth Service at 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Partners Ladies Meeting monthly every second Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

Poplar Grove Baptist
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
email: dan.mckibben@juno.com
www.WhatSaithTheScriptures.com

Rose Hill Church
Pastor: **Bobby Barnett**
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Sand Springs Baptist Church
Directions: Take Hwy 1249, go exactly 5 miles, church on right
Bob Bradley, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

Scaffold Cane Baptist
Chris Cobb, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Wildie Christian Church
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606-256-4494

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Wednesday Nite Cafe 5:15 p.m.
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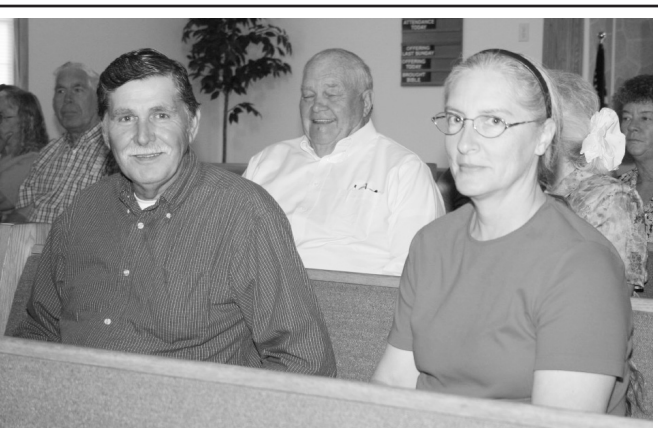
Shown before a recent revival service at Cupps Chapel were from left: Shirley Carpenter, Berniece Burkhart and Berniece Carpenter.



Listening to announcements were from left: Kagan Miller, Gladys Carpenter and Regina Miller.



Junior and Faye Chasteen led the singing during a recent revival service at Cupps Chapel. Junior is also a member of the church's board of directors.



Shown during a recent revival at Cupps Chapel Pentecostal Church were from left: Ronnie Willis, James Chasteen and Kathy Willis.



Marlow Napier, center, was one of the evangelist at a recent revival held at Cupps Chapel Church. He is flanked by the Lunsford brothers. All three are members of the Kings Highway Holiness Church on East 80 in London.




Ralph Roark, asst. Pastor at Kings Highway Holiness Church, sang and testified at a recent revival service at Cupps Chapel Pentecostal Church at Copper Creek. In the background is Jeff Smallwood.



Clyde Chasteen, left and James Kidwell shown before a recent service during a revival at Cupps Chapel Pentecostal Church. Chasteen is a member of the church's board.



Mrs. Patsy Chasteen is secretary and treasurer at Cupps Chapel Pentecostal Church.



WOMEN IN THE OUTDOORS EVENT

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9:00a.m-1:00a.m.

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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
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Revival at Liberty Baptist

Liberty Baptist Church, Hwy. 328 off 39 in the edge of Pulaski County, will be in revival Sept. 28-October 3, 7 o'clock eachnight. There will be four different preachers. Pastor Zandell Hasty and congregation invite and welcome everyone.

Revival at Climax

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.

Revival at Sand Springs

Revival services will be held at Sand Springs Baptist Church beginning Sun., Sept. 28 at 6 p.m. Stacy Smith will be preaching. Bro. Bob Bradley and congregation invite everyone.

Homecoming at Pine Hill Baptist

Pastor Casey McClure and members of the Pine Hill Baptist Church invite you to come and celebrate Homecoming Services with them on Sunday, October 5. Sunday School begins at 10 a.m., Morning Worship at 11 a.m.

Old friends, new friends, everyone is welcome to come and join us in praise and thanks to the Lord for another year.

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.

Soup Bean/Chili

Supper at Faith Chapel

There will be a soup bean/chili supper at Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church on Fri., Sept. 26, 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 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. 29th and continue through Fri., Oct. 3rd, 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.

Revival at Sand Hill Baptist

Revival services will be held October 2nd - 5th at Sand Hill Baptist Church with Bro. Davis Carpenter preaching at 7 p.m. on Thursday and Friday and Steve Weaver preaching at services on Saturday beginning at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 5 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Gospel Meeting at Providence

You're invite to attend a Gospel Meeting October 12th - 17th at Providence church of Christ on Quail Road.

Speaker will be Rob Miller for the services which begin at 7:30 each week night.

Services on Sunday will be at 10 o'clock and 10:40, there will be a singing at 2:30 and evening service will begin at 4 p.m.

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Time of Services: **Sunday** 10am Bible Study, Worship 10:40 & 6:00pm; **Wed.** 7:00pm. Radio program, Sun.8am, 1460 AM

Aneta Vance elected President of Kentucky Housing Association

Aneta Vance, Executive Director of the Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon, was elected President of the Kentucky Housing Association at the annual conference in September. Aneta is the 43rd president of the organization that began in 1963. She is the first president

to serve from Rockcastle County. The Kentucky Housing Association is made up of over 150 housing agencies in Kentucky.

Aneta will serve as the president of the association for the 2008-09 term. Her duties will include presiding at the

Executive Conference in December, the joint meeting of the Kentucky Association and the Kentucky office of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development in February, and the September 2009 annual conference. She will also call meetings of the board of directors and attend meetings at the four districts in the state.

In addition, she will represent the Kentucky Housing Association at the Southeastern Regional Conference annual meeting in Memphis during June of 2009. She will also serve as the organization liaison with the Kentucky State Office of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

When the presentation of the gavel was held at the Kentucky annual conference, Aneta stated, "I am honored and excited to serve as president of the organization. I encourage all of you to become involved and work with me this year. I am from a small public housing agency and I need your help and want this to be your organization. Please let me know what we can do together this year."



Outgoing president Mike Coldiron, right, Executive Director of the Cumberland Valley Regional Housing Authority in Barboursville, presents the gavel to incoming Kentucky Housing Association president, Aneta Vance.



2008 Riversweep volunteers worked a total of 34 hours and picked up 60 bags of trash and metal debris and 56 tires out of .75 miles of the Rockcastle River on June 21st 2008. Participating were: Greg Poynter, Brandon Mason, Jerry Bullock, Deb Bledsoe, Steven Greene, Brad Wesley, Casper Hurley, John Coyle, and Donald Buell.

Upcoming Reunions

Proctor Reunion

Descendants of James Proctor will hold a family reunion October 11, 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 B K a r e n 6 0 2 0 @ a o l . c o m Thanks and hope to see you

there.

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.

Mullins/Phillips Reunion

The Mullins/Phillips Reunion will be held Sat., Sept. 27th at Wolf Creek at the Red Roof Shelter. Breakfast/brunch starts about 9 a.m.

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

Water Tank Hill Road, Brodhead, Ky.

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.

In order to settle the estate of the late Ms. Alice Day, her heirs have authorized our firm to sell this nice country home and personal property for the absolute high dollar.

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Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

Producers are reminded September 30 is Deadline
Farm Service Agency (FSA) State Executive Director Jeffery Hall, reminds eligible producers they have until September 30, 2008, to sign up for the 2008 DCP Program.

The DCP program provides direct and counter-cyclical payments to producers who annually enroll their farms in the program. Payments are computed based on base acres and payment yields established for each farm. Advanced payments may be requested. Counter-cyclical payments provide support when prices are below certain statutorily set prices.

Farms with base acres of 10 acres or less will not receive direct or counter-cyclical payments, unless the farm is wholly owned by socially disadvantaged or limited resource farmers or ranchers.

Additional information on DCP sign-up is available at your local USDA Farm Service Center.

Farmers May Sign Up for Quality Loss Crop Disaster Program

The Farm Service Agency announced that eligible farmers who suffered quality losses to their crops in recent years can enroll in the Crop Disaster Program 2005-2007 (CDP) at local FSA service centers.

Only producers who obtained crop insurance coverage or coverage under the Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) for the year of loss will be eligible for CDP benefits. Producers must have suffered quality losses of at least 25 percent to be eligible for CDP Quality Loss. The payment rate is set at 65 percent of the amount of the affected crop multiplied by 42 percent of the per-unit average market value in the year in which the loss occurred.

To be eligible for Quality Losses, producers must submit receipts that contain all three of the following items: Price, Production, and Quality affected. Quality losses must be due to an eligible disaster condition.

Producers may receive assistance for both quantity and quality losses. However, the total quantity and quality assistance, together with any crop insurance or NAP payment received for the same crop and the value of the crop production not lost, must not exceed 95 percent of the total value of the crop absent the disaster.

For more details about CDP Quality loss, contact your local FSA Office or Service Center.

Bank account changes
If your bank account number changes or there is a change in your banks name notify FSA immediately to ensure payments reach your account timely.

This is very important to those receiving FSA payments as payments can be delayed if we are not aware of changes to your account or routing numbers.

Spousal authority
A husband and wife may sign FSA and CCC documents on behalf of each other UNLESS written notification is on file in the FSA office denying a spouse this authority.

Office closure
The Rockcastle County Service Center, FSA and NRCS Offices, will be closed Monday, October 13th observance of Columbus Birthday. Offices will reopen Tuesday, October 14th during normal business hours.

Important program dates
Conservation Reserve Program Continuous signup continues

Quality Crop Disaster signup continues

Farm Ownership Loans, Farm Operating Loans, Limited Resource Loans

Farm Storage Facility Loan Interest-3.625% September 2008

Tobacco Transition Payment Program -7.000% September 2008 (Maximum Discount Rate)

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Support needed for "Home I Go Rescue"

Linda Brown, of the Pink Poodle Pet Parlor, is in urgent need of donations to keep her "Home I Go Rescue" (HIGR) program afloat.

Ms. Brown pulls condemned dogs from killing shelters (shelters in which dogs face imminent euthanization) and brings them home to her facility which she runs pretty much single-handedly. At HIGR the animals receive food, shelter, vaccinations, medical care, if needed, and affection for the dogs is included as a steady diet.

A customer of Ms. Brown's said recently, "I first met Linda when I took my Shih Tzu, Boomer, to have his long winter coat sheared for warm weather. She does excellent work in her Pink Poodle Grooming Shop and it didn't take long to recognize her love and dedication, not only in her grooming business but for all the animals she cares for on a daily basis at HIGR."

25% of the animals found in kill shelters are purebreds. Ms. Brown has said that she has noticed Dobermans, Poodles and Shih Tzus among those listed. Dobermans have been the main type of dog she has worked with, she said, but she has had to cut back on the number she now keeps from around ten, to two, because of the expense of maintenance. In winter, she usually houses from 40 to 50 dogs but, in spring and summer, there are normally 30 to 35. More people tend to adopt in warm weather.

At present, Ms. Brown has plenty of smaller dogs -- Poodles, Mini Pischers, Chihuahuas and Chihuahua mixes, plus Labs and Lab mixes.

In a world where animals often get a raw deal, Ms. Brown stands out as one of the few compassionate people who go beyond what is expected of most of us. That being said, HIGR needs any help it can get from the Rockcastle County community -- especially in Mt. Vernon.

Needed to keep the program running is:

- help from anyone with good computer skills who will donate time to set up programs which can be used to keep records of several aspects of HIGR or who will show Ms. Brown how to do it herself;
- monetary donations in any amount.
- long or short term commitments from anyone who will volunteer free time to aid in various simple chores for HIGR. This could include washing dog laundry once a month, feeding and watering

the animals once a week, general light repair work or some amount of clean up;

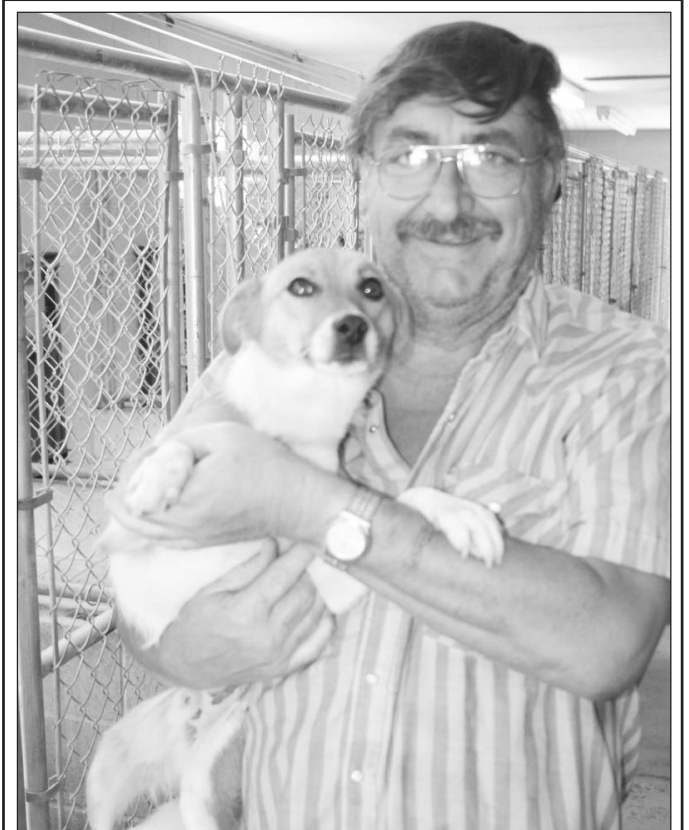
- someone who can write advertisements or short announcements concerning HIGR criteria;
- walking the dogs;
- dogs houses - preferably clean;
- cages/crates/cat carriers;
- used quilts, blankets, bedspreads, throw rugs (used as bedding for animals);
- good, or not so good, wood pieces for mending and building fences, dog houses, etc;
- any type or size of quality dog and cat food;
- cat litter/litter boxes;
- dog and cat food and water bowls (stainless steel only);
- leashes/collars/harnesses;
- ID tags;
- dog and cat vitamins;
- dog/cat toys, and
- anything that can improve the lives and comfort of the animals.

As a last note, while Ms. Brown does adopt out her dogs, she requires the person interested in adoption to fill out an application and contract. She also will ask for references and a chance to get to know the person who will be adopting before taking the final step -- perhaps in the form of home visitation. And, lastly, she will ask that the adopter have a fenced yard and is prepared to make a lifelong commitment to the animal he/she adopts.

This may seem a bit much to some people but these animals have become a work of love and dedication for Ms. Brown. She know that only a truly committed person will go to these lengths to acquire a loving canine companion. On the other hand, if you would like to help an animal, but are unable to take care of one, you can adopt one or more dogs in the HIGR on paper, simply by offering a monthly support amount for the animals you prefer. Fostering a dog is another option however, the same rules apply with fostering as for a full adoption.

To view pets, go to www.homeigorescue.petfinder.co

For all donations and volunteer help, call 606-256-4737.



Several Pets Ready For Adoption At Animal Shelter

Two of the animals up for adoption at the Rockcastle Animal Shelter are the above mixed breed, which is about 18-months-old and the bird dog shown below, which is probably around 3-years-old. There are also numerous puppies available for adoption at the shelter. The Animal Shelter is located on Deep Hollow Road, off Old Sigmon Road, at Roundstone. The adoption fee is \$20 and the shelter is open 8 to 4 Monday through Friday. For more information call the animal shelter at (606) 256-1833.



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Mt. Vernon Fire & Rescue Report

Wednesday September 17th

Dispatched to Rockcastle Steakhouse to report of smoke coming from roof of building. Ten firefighters responded with two pumps. After an extensive search of the building it was determined that the smoke was coming from a control burn at a residence next door.

Thursday September 18th

Dispatched to out of control brush and grass fire on Faith Mountain Road next to Northside Baptist Church. Eight firefighters responded with two pumps and tanker. Upon arrival, found vehicle in crowded parking area on fire in engine compartment with a large amount of smoke coming from that area. Fire units forced entry to engine area and extinguished fire. School personnel requested vehicle be towed from scene to protect other vehicles in area.

Thursday September 18th

Non-emergency run to East Fork Skaggs Road to stand by on scene of very large control burn. Four firefighters assisted.

Received report of fire alarm activation in Industrial Park Number 1, alarm company couldn't advise which building. Five firefighters responded with two pumps and began to search area. After speaking with factory personnel it was determined alarm was sounding in the old Mount Vernon Plastics Building and that there was no actual fire.

Friday September 19th

Mount Vernon Firefighter and Training Officer, Brian Bullock, conducted a small water supply training class to help familiarize firefighters

with certain water supply issues that may arise. This class was conducted in parking lot behind First Christian Church and had seven firefighters in attendance.

Friday September 19th

After completion of training session and while loading equipment, fire units were dispatched to a vehicle fire at Rockcastle Middle School at the Rockcastle vs. Bell County Football game. Ten firefighters responded with two pumps and tanker. Upon arrival, found vehicle in crowded parking area on fire in engine compartment with a large amount of smoke coming from that area. Fire units forced entry to engine area and extinguished fire. School personnel requested vehicle be towed from scene to protect other vehicles in area.

Saturday September 20th

Dispatched to South Wilderness Road (HWY 25) next to Rockcastle Road Department Garage. Caller advised large brush fire on shoulder of roadway with thick smoke causing a traffic hazard in the area. Eight firefighters responded with pumper and tanker. Fire was extinguished using 1000 gallons of water.

Received report of a residential fire alarm on Woodland Place Drive. Five firefighters responded with five others on stand-by. Upon arrival, it was determined there was no fire only an alarm malfunction that was causing burglar and fire alarms to sound. Rockcastle Sheriff's Units also responded.

“Sentenced”

(Cont. from front)

ary of 2007, they distributed between 855 and 1,055 pounds of marijuana in Rockcastle County and generated approximately \$800,000 in proceeds.

Both men also acknowledged that a cooperating witness supplied them with the marijuana. Rocky Miller was also sentenced for possessing firearms, one of which was loaded, while being an unlawful user of a controlled substance.

stance.

A search warrant executed at Rocky Miller's home uncovered a Ruger Model 10/22 rifle, a Remington Model 870 Express Magnum Shotgun, a Bryco Arms Model Jennings Jr. rifle, a Winchester Model 70 rifle and a Ruger 22 caliber pistol.

Under federal law, the Millers must serve 85 percent of their prison sentence.

The investigation was conducted by the FBI and United States Forest Service.

Public participation sought

Forest Service to host open house

The Daniel Boone National Forest is seeking public dialogue and participation regarding potential land management projects in the Crooked Creek area of the London Ranger District. Occurring within portions of Rockcastle and Laurel counties, the assessment area consists of scattered national forest system lands near the communities of Hazel Patch, Livingston, Johnetta and Climax.

Next Tuesday, September 30, an open house will be held at the Old Livingston Elementary School from 3 to 7 p.m. Several Forest Service specialists will be present to answer questions and discuss ideas from the public concerning future management in the Crooked Creek watershed.

Flu shots

The Rockcastle County Health Department will begin giving Flu shots on Thursday, October 2, 2008.

Flu shots will be given on a walk-in basis, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Medicaid, Medicare Part B and Humana will pay for your flu shots. Please bring your card with you.

Cost of the shot is \$23 if you do not have insurance.

Boil Water Advisory for parts of Brodhead

Certain Brodhead water customers are being told to boil their water until further notice.

The advisory is for all customers on Hwy. 150 and all streets or roads that intersect with the highway.

The advisory was issued because of the installation of a new water line on Hwy. 150 and water tank.

The advisory will not be lifted until the water line and tank are completed.

The open house, focusing on the Crooked Creek watershed, is part of a new process Integrated Resource Management Strategy. This process is being used to address the current and desired future conditions of national forest system lands and to develop projects according to the goals and objectives in the Forest Plan.

In the past, the Forest Service has proposed resource management projects for an area and then asked for input from interested individuals and organizations. The Integrated Resource Management Strategy provides an opportunity for interested parties to become involved during the early stages of planning, prior to the development of project proposals.

In order to ensure that adequate materials are available, groups and individual planning to attend the meeting are asked to contact Robert Sitzlar at rsitzlar@fs.fed.us or call 606-864-4163 ext 120.

For more information on the Integrated Resource Management Strategy process, visit the Daniel Boone National Forest website at http://www.fs.fed.us/r8/boone/planning/IRMS/index_irms.shtml.

“EPA”

(Cont. from front)

the lake banks, to help control erosion,” Belcher said.

Belcher said that as far as he knew, no violations have been issued by the state's Division of Waste or the Division of Water in the matter and his agency would closely monitor the situation. “They can continue to dump concrete, if it is just concrete,” he said.

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“Annexation”

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said he and five or six other interested individuals would split up the territory inside the areas to be annexed and circulate the petitions.

Bullock said that the group would pick up a list of the property owners from the city on Thursday (today) although his group has already compiled a list of their own from the map at City Hall and from courthouse records.

Bullock said the group had not received any type of “magic” number from the Mayor as to how many signatures it would take to get the issue placed on the ballot, but that he was certain the group would have more than enough, after they combed the areas to be annexed.

“We simply want the matter placed on the ballot so we can say yes or no to being placed inside the city limits,” Bullock said.

“My biggest concern about being placed in the city is the fact that I don't think they have the equipment or manpower to properly maintain the roads in our subdivision,” he said.

The following document was received from County Clerk Norma Houk, concerning the city's annexation.

1. City enacts an ordinance. Ordinance shall accurately define the boundary proposed

to be annexed.

2. Within 60 days following publication of ordinance, 50% of resident voters or owners of real property within the proposed territory can petition the Mayor in opposition to the proposal. Election will be held at the next regular election.

3. Mayor delivers a certified copy of ordinance to county clerk. County Clerk places before the voters the question “are you in favor of being annexed to the city...?”

Only persons who reside within territory shall be permitted to vote in the election.

Clerk has Sheriff deliver to the election officers in each precinct involved copies of the ordinance proposed to annex.

4. If less than 55% of persons voting oppose annexation, the unincorporated territory shall become part of the city.

5. If 55% or more of persons voting oppose annexation, the ordinance shall become ineffectual for any purpose.

Houk said she had had several inquiries about possible petitions.

“The bottom line is that everything must go through the Mayor's office and then she will notify me if the issue is to be placed on the 2010 ballot,” Houk said.

Some of the areas the city is annexing are: both industrial parks, property along 1249 (Sand Springs Road), Hwy. 2549 (White Rock Road) and some property lying between Freedom School Road and the current city limits.

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Bobcats defeat Rockcastle 38-0

The Rockcastle County Rockets committed three turnovers, one a fumble on the two yard line, to help the Bell County Bobcats defeat them 38-0 on Friday night.

The Bobcats were in town for the UNITE Bowl game, which was also a district match-up between the top two teams in the district.

Although the Rocket defense played pretty well, the Rocket offense misfired most the night, which allowed Bell County to keep good field position for their numerous scoring opportunities.

"We simply did not play well - we made too many mistakes and against a really good team you simply can't make any," first year head coach Scott Parkey said.

Friday night's loss drops the Rocket record to 3-1 on the season and 1-1 in district play.

Bell County is now 4-0, ranked first in 4A and ninth overall.

The Rocket offense managed only 107 total yards, while their defense gave up 258.

Offensively, workhorse Casey Hayes carried the ball 23 times for 108 yards and full-back John L. Saylor had 7 yards on 3 carries. The rest of the

Rocket backs had negative yardage.

Defensively, junior Matt Bullens had a career high 18 tackles and assists, while Hayes added 14.

The rest of defensive statistics for the Rockets were: Steve Trimble, 7 tackles and assists, Cole Abney, 6, Dalton Dillingham, Jared Smith and Dustin Bullock, 5 each, Saylor, 4, Patrick Kirby and Devon Mason, 3 each and Derek Thacker, 2. Bullock also picked off his fourth pass of the season.

Friday night the Rockets will host the 2-2 Knox Central Panthers.

Last year the Rockets split with the Panthers, losing in the regular season 15-0 at Barbourville and then defeating them 14-0 in the first round of the play-offs also at Barbourville.

Knox Central has defeated Clay County 26-13 and McCreary Central 53-6 this season.

The Panthers' two losses were to two very good teams, Corbin 35-14 and Bell County 21-0.

Kick-off at the ROCK on

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RCCH senior tailback Casey Hayes, who rushed for 108 yards on 23 carries, was named the UNITE Bowl offensive player of the game for the Rockets. He was presented his trophy by UNITE Executive Director Karen Engle.



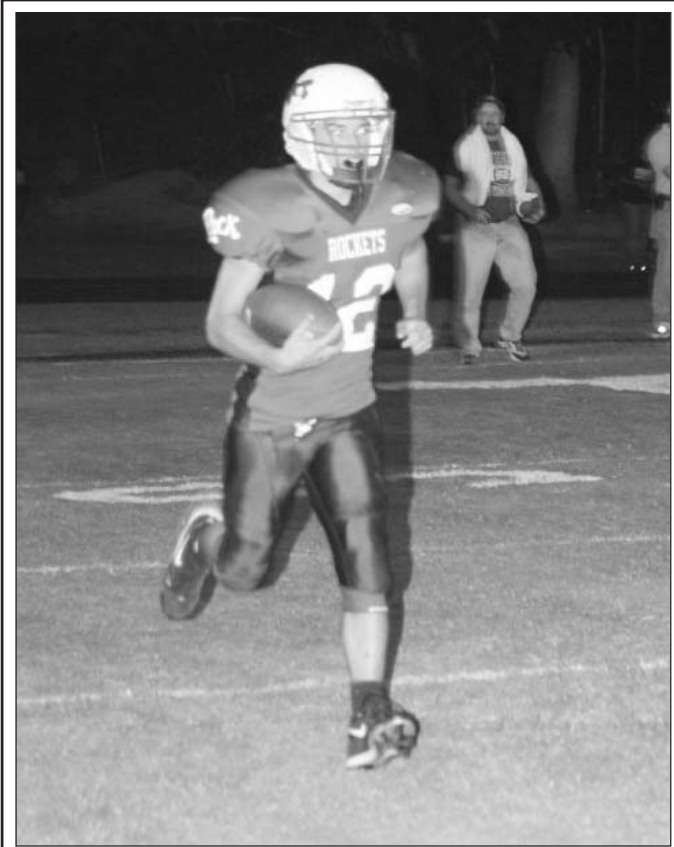
RCCH junior Matt Bullens, who had a career high 18 tackles and assists against Bell County, was named Rockcastle's UNITE Bowl defensive player of the game. He was presented his trophy by Karen Engle, Executive Director of Operation UNITE.



RCCH freshman football player B.B. Bradley runs for yardage in the J.V. team's 38-14 win over Wayne County on Monday night. The J.V. team will play at home again next Monday night against Pulaski County.



RCCH defensive back Steve Trimble pursues the Bell County quarterback in Friday night's 38-0 loss to the Bobcats. Trimble had seven tackles and assists in the game. (Staff photos by: Kevin Canterbury)



RCCH senior Cody Mize returns a kick in Friday night's game against Bell County. The Rockets lost their first game of the season 38-0.

RCMS Linescores 9-16 to 9-22

The Rockcastle County Middle School Lady Rockets began their last two weeks of the regular season when they traveled to Casey County last Tuesday.

6th grade 10 - Casey 27
Individual scoring: Alaina Coguer, 4, Ashley Newland, 4, Ameila Eversole, 2. Record 5-7.

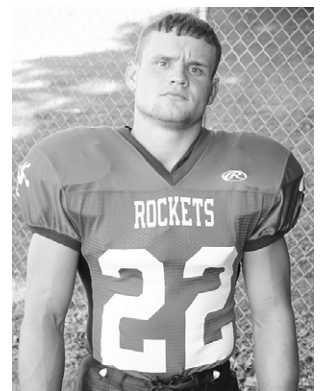
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Players of the Week

vs. Bell County

Casey Hayes

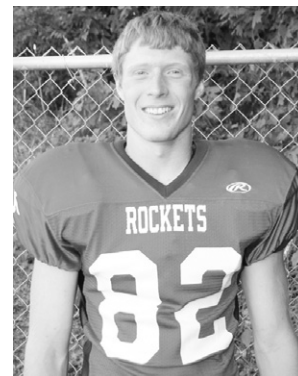
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Defensive

Matt Bullens

Career High 18 Tackles and Assists



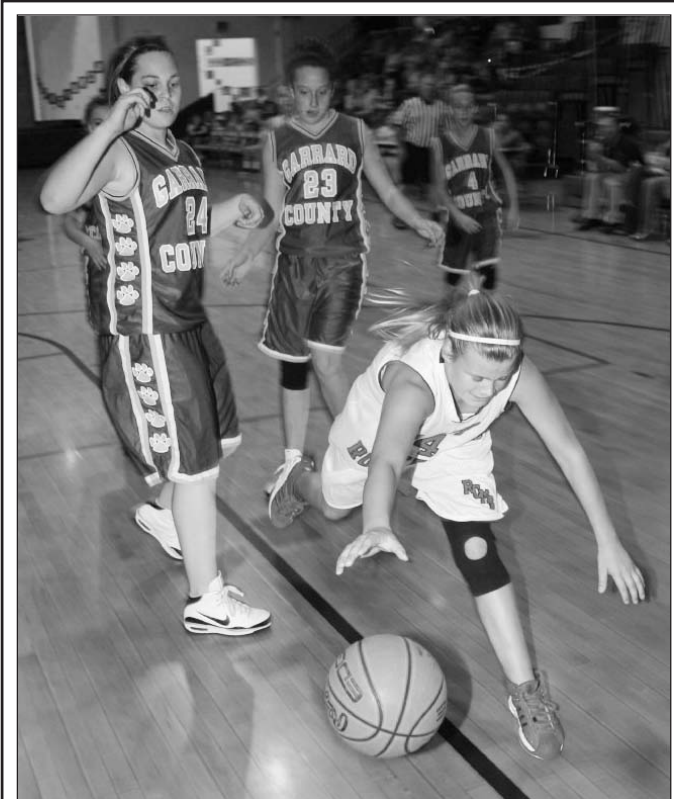
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Chris Wren catches a pass in the RCMS 8th grade game on Tuesday night at the ROCK. Mercer County won 34-6. The 8th grade team is now 5-3 on the season and will play at North Laurel on Saturday morning at 10 a.m.



RCMS 7th grader Jackie White drives to the basket in her team's game with Garrard County on Monday night. White scored eight of her team's 12 points.



RCMS 8th grader Sam Payne reaches for a loose ball during a game with Garrard County on Monday night. Payne had eight points in the 8th grader's loss. 8th graders, and their parents, were honored before the game. Their pictures will appear in next week's Signal. (Staff photos by: Kevin Canterbury)



RCMS 8th grader Sara Adams puts up a jump shot in her team's 37-30 loss to Garrard County on Monday night. Adams had four points in the contest.



RCMS 6th grader Ashley Newland puts up a shot in her team's 22-2 win over Garrard County on Monday night. Also in the photo is Amelia Eversole and Alaina Coguer.

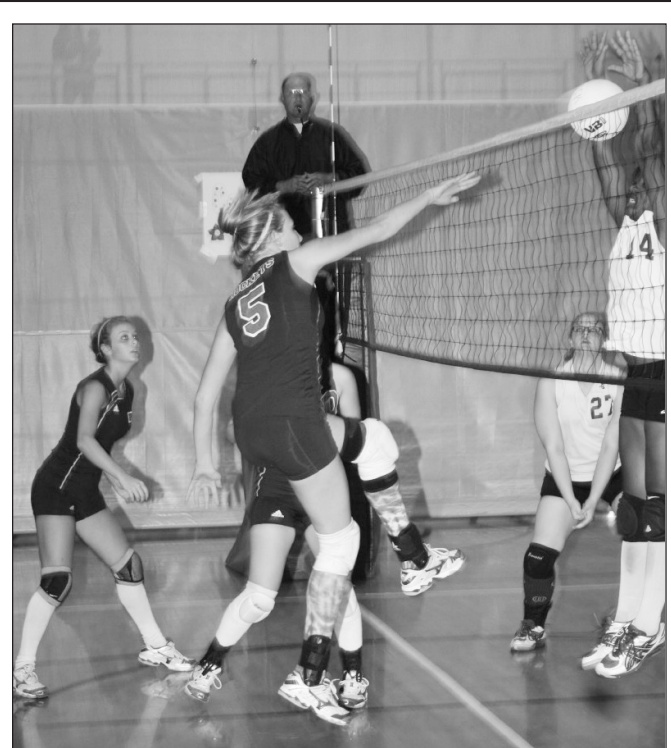


The Rockcastle County High School Lady Rocket Volleyball team won their Invitational Tournament, held Friday and Saturday at RCHS. 12 teams participated in the tournament. Members of the team are shown front row, from left: Kayla Lay, Breanna Coperhaver, Beth Guinn and Rachel Nicely. Back row, from left: asst. coach Meredith Robinson, Morgan Campbell, Jessi Lay, Loren Reynolds, Sarah McKinney, Megan Mazurek, Morgan Hunt, Kara Canterbury, Natalie Haarman, Courtney Campbell and asst. coach Kayla Bryant. Not shown: head coach Larry Lee and player Chelsie Hasty.

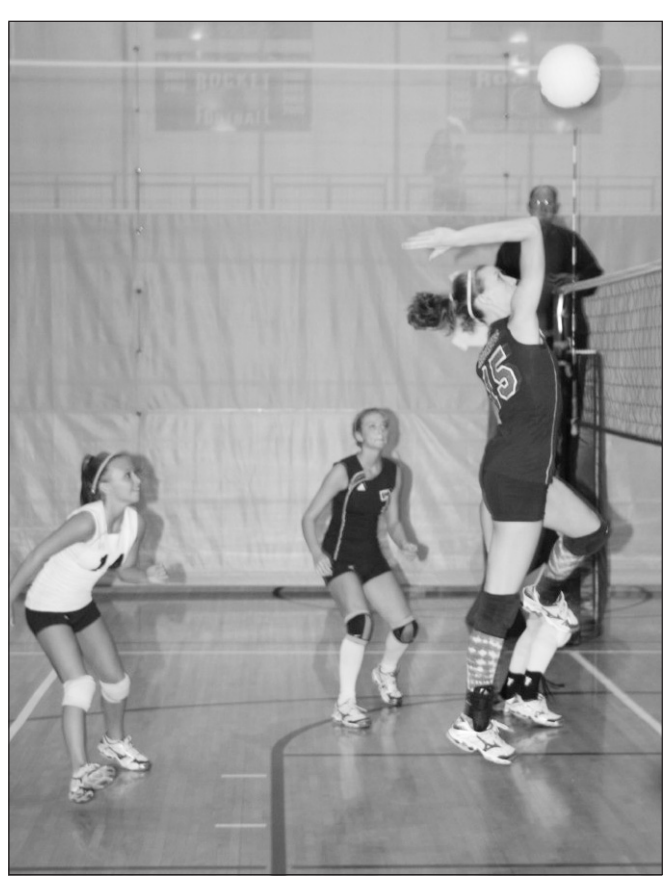


UNITE Club accepts trophy...

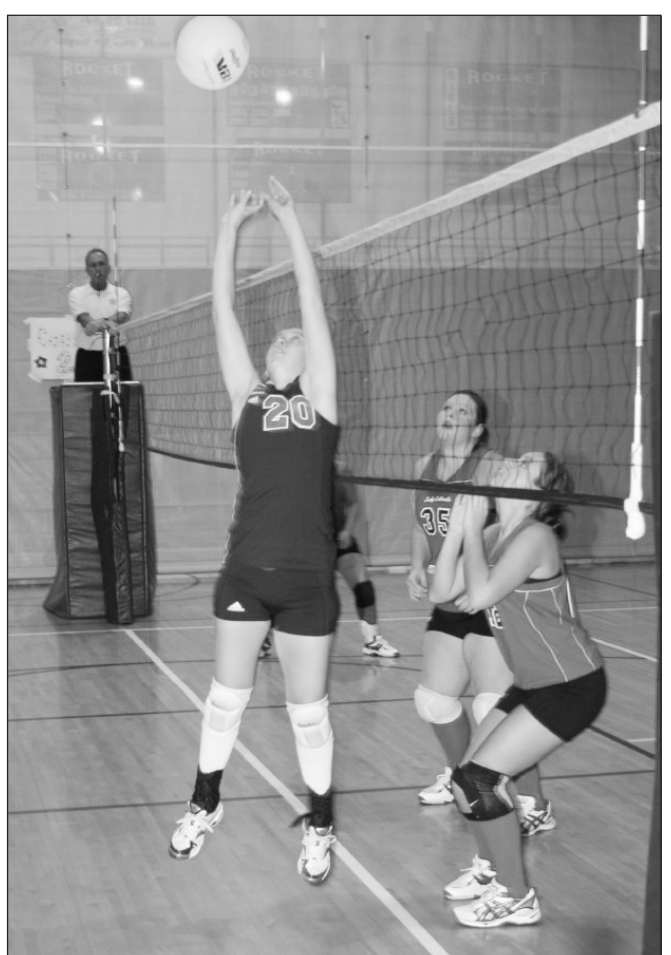
The Traveling Toilet Paper Trophy was presented to the Rockcastle County High School UNITE Club on Friday night, after they won the first "Wipe Out Drugs" Challenge over Bell County. The UNITE clubs at RCHS, RCMS and the county's elementary schools collected 5,077 rolls of toilet paper, which was 4,000 more than Bell County. The toilet paper will be distributed to rehab centers in Pikeville, Manchester, Prestonsburg and at Healing Rain in Rockcastle. Those accepting the trophy are shown above, from left: Heather Locklear, Cody Kirby, RCHS principal Jennifer Mattingly, Sasha Bullock, Katy Mattingly, Sara Hammond and UNITE Club President Ashley Robinson. All total 6,154 rolls of toilet paper was collected.



RCHS senior Megan Mezurek kills the ball against Western Hills during the Lady Rocket Invitational on Saturday. Mezurek has played well this season, after sitting out the majority of last season with a knee injury.



Lady Rocket senior volleyball player, Sarah McKinney kills the ball in her team's match with Western Hills on Saturday. Also in the photo is Libero Beth Guinn, left and Rachel Nicely. (Staff photos by: Kevin Canterbury)



RCHS Lady Rocket volleyball player Loren Reynolds sets the ball in her team's match with Whitley County on Saturday, during the Lady Rocket Invitational.

Another busy weekend for Marching Rockets

Submitted by A. B. Sharpe
This past weekend was cram packed with activity for the Marching Rockets! It began early Friday morning with the annual UNITE parade down Main Street in Mt. Vernon and was followed by the county-wide rally at RCMS. The band rallied the crowd with the playing of "My Old Kentucky

Home" (always a crowd favorite) and the RCHS school fight song during the parade and rally. After the rally, the band hung around to use the football field for a quick run-through of their show closer, *Scream*, which they just put the finishing touches on this week during regular rehearsal. Friday night the band returned to the stadium where their halftime performance included two selections from the show

NIGHTSCAPES, including the debut of their show closer, *Scream*, by Jay Dawson.

Saturday, the Marching Rockets were up and going again, arriving at the Rockcastle Middle School early for an extended rehearsal prior to traveling to North Laurel to compete in the annual North Laurel High School Marching Band Invitational. The Marching Rockets gave a superb performance, earning another proficient rating for their efforts. They were awarded Third place in a very close contest of bands in Class AAAA-1, with only 5.125 points separating them from the First place winner, West Jessamine. They scored 70.785 which is almost 8 points higher

(Cont. to A15)



Section Leader Nicole McFerron



Clarinetist Tara Baldwin



Piccolo players Caleb Coffey and Andrea Gonzalez

"Linescores"

(Cont. from A12)

7th grade 10 - Casey 31
Individual scoring: Jackie White, 4, Lauren Burton, 2, Rebekah Ponder, Kelsey Mattingly, 2. Record 4-8.

8th grade 19 - Casey 22
Individual scoring: Emily Miller, 6, Michaela Hunter, 5, Sam Payne 3, Sara Adams, 3, Alexis Chasteen, 2. Record 9-6.

Last Thursday night the middle school Lady Rockets were also on the road at Boyle County.

6th grade 11 - Boyle 22
Individual scoring: Abby Chasteen, 4, Newland, 4, Coguer, 3. Record 5-8.

7th grade 16 - Boyle 22

Individual scoring: Mattingly 10, White, 4, Reynolds, 2. Record 4-9.

8th grade 35 - Boyle 9

Individual scoring: Chasteen, 15, Adams, 9, Payne, 6, Hunter, 3, Bree Keating, 2. Record 10-6.

Saturday, the Lady Rockets traveled to Danville where the 6th and 8th grade teams won and the 7th grade lost.

6th grade 24 - Danville 13

Individual scoring: Eversole, 10, Coguer, 5, Newland, 4, Kira Deatherage, 4, Mary Bishop, 1. Record 6-8.

7th grade 11 - Danville 10

Individual scoring: Mattingly 4, Sowder, 2, Reynold, 2, Bree Hansel, 2, White, 1. Record 4-10.

8th grade 55 - Danville 43

Individual scoring: Chasteen, 22, Payne, 16, Hunter, 12, Adams, 5. Record 11-6.

Monday night the middle school Lady Rockets hosted Garrard County in their last regular season home game.

6th grade 22 - Garrard 2

Individual scoring: Newland, 9, Abby Chasteen, 4, Coguer, 4, Deatherage, 2, Kayla Cromer, 2, Eversole, 1. Record 7-8.

7th grade 12 - Garrard 33

Individual scoring: White, 8, Burton, 2, Bree Burdette, 2. Record 4-11.

8th grade 30 - Garrard 37

Individual scoring: Chasteen 9, Payne, 8, Hunter, 6, Adams, 4, Miller, 3. Record 11-7.

"Rockets"

(Cont. from A12)

Friday night is at 7:30 p.m. Homecoming will also be held that night. The 2008 King and Queen will be crowned during festivities before the game, starting at 7 p.m.

Rockcastle County High School Football means...

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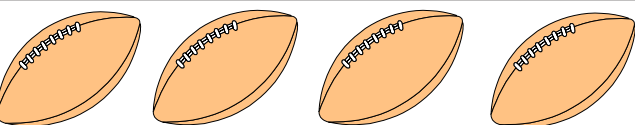
Rocket "Specials" are back. 4 p.m. to Midnight

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“Points East”

(Cont. from A2)

I'd tell you exactly where we caught our bait but then I'd have to shoot you so all I'm going to say is that it was somewhere between Paint Lick and Lexington.

I can't even tell you where we caught the fish because if the landowner caught you fishing, he'd shoot you, and more importantly, he wouldn't let me come back. As it stands right now, he says he might not even let me come back if I'm going to have bait as deadly as those catalpa worms.

“Memories”

(Cont. from A2)

about the “Detachment Hotel,” as it was referred to in government circles.

Government officials also recommended that families keep a radio, two weeks of food rations, and board games or books to pass the time in their nuclear bunkers.

In addition to being extremely frightened of storms, Dad worried that a nuclear attack might come. Yet he was completely satisfied with the arrangement of hiding in the cellar.

Once in the fifties, I remember Daddy being in the small bathroom shaving when a large “boom” of thunder sounded. Everyone immediately headed for the cellar. When we were all secure and the lantern was lit, there stood Daddy with shaving lather all over his face. It

was so funny.

In 1976, when he decided to build a new home, Daddy's plans included a basement corner which was to be his new shelter. The walls and ceiling were constructed of thick concrete with enough space was left to make it comfortable in case of an emergency.

My younger brother, Dwight, told me that even then, “Daddy was scared to death of storms and retreated to his shelter when a storm was eminent.” I can remember him telling me that he did not want people to know about his “hiding place” because they would want to intrude on his space.

I suppose we thought those days of needing a shelter were entirely in the past. However, with the advent of 9-11 and terrorist threats evident today, FEMA actually has many plans available to you. They provide a list of needed supplies and materials to equip a shelter under today's standards. (Central Kentucky is considered to be in a medium risk area by FEMA because chemical stockpile located at the Bluegrass Army Depot.)

How terribly ironic that my generation went from hiding under a desktop – to being able to laugh at the fact that we did – only to end up right back where we started. The conditions in the Middle East and those recently stirring in Russia bring shelters back into the discussion. And, once again, it isn't funny anymore.

(You can reach me at mtmman@mis.net or you can drop me a line at P.O. Box 927 – Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate each comment and suggestion.)

“Letters”

(Cont. from A4)

McKinney, Reva McKinney, Tammy Powell, Ashley Powell, Ben Powell, Treva Richardson, Tony Mahaffey, Shannon Burton, Lauren Burton, Andrew Burton, Shanlee Burton, Charon Burton), Concerned Citizens of Conway (Carolyn Brandenburg, Josh Miller), Concerned Citizens of Cleft Rock (Robin Botkin, Becky Botkin), Ralphs Salvage Yard (Rena Debord, Ralph Cromer, Nicole Griffen, Tim Cameron, Jeff Debord, Morris Cromer), Concerned Citizens of Norton School Branch Rd (also a Rockcastle County Adopt A Roadway group)(Marvin McKinney, Amy McKinney), Pongo Volunteer Fire Department (also a Rockcastle County Adopt A Roadway group) (Donald Bullock, Kay Bullock, Jerry Bullock, Kaylan Bullock, Nadean Chaney, Logan Hibbard, Dylan Bullock, Jeremiah Blevins, Marina Blevins, Cody Mize, Sissy Mize, Alicia Bullock, Shay Hicks), Brindle Ridge Baptist Church (Ron Roberts, Jan Roberts, Alfred McNew, Mike Sowder, Austin Ramsey, Kimberly Ramsey, Marcia Coffey, Melinda Coffey), Fairview Baptist Church (Luke J. Mullins, D. Kent Mullins, Luther Isaacs, Jesse Mullins, Roy L. Croucher, Rodney Mullins, Carrie Mullins, Angela Mullins, Twila Burdette, Zoe Burdette, Bob Coffee, Kelly Croucher, Joann Croucher, Kevin Mullins, Amy Davidson, Dustin Davidson, David Powell), Concerned Citizens of LetterRockRd (Greg Hatfield, Melissa Hatfield, Dana

Hatfield), Concerned Citizens of Lunar Hollow (Jerry Bullock, Donald Bullock), Community Caregivers (Peggy Snyder, Alyssa Snyder, Aaron Fleming), Believers House of Prayer Youth Group (Kathy Feuring, Paula Day, Chester Day, Matthew Feuring, Isaac Day, Kristen Day, Lindsey Day), Scaffold Cane Baptist Church Youth Group (Jeff Thacker, Marcus Rolyard, Luke Coffey, Jessica Thacker, Tim Kirby, Jeffery Lewis, Amber Lewis, Courtney Cobb, KadiCobb), Appliance Service Center (Laverne Winstead, Dale Winstead), Mt. Vernon Scrap (Lori Miracle, Jeff Miracle, Linda Miracle). I apologize in advance for any misspellings or omissions.

Congratulations! The results are truly amazing! Together we can make difference!

Thanks for all of your help and support!

James Renner,
Rockcastle County Solid Waste
Coordinator and Recycling
Coordinator

Bike-A-Thon was very successful...

Dear Editor,

Thanks to the tremendous community support, the Cystic Fibrosis Bike-A-Thon was a very successful event. Over \$2530 was raised by 35 participants at Saturday's event in Brodhead. The money raised will fund research for a cure for cystic fibrosis (CF). CF is a genetic disease affecting 30,000 children and adults in the United States.

We want residents and businesses in Rockcastle County to feel good about their part in raising money to help put an

end to this disease. A special thanks to the following businesses who contributed and the individuals who helped out at the Bike-a-Thon.

Thompson's Guitar Shop, Teresa Jackson Insurance, Mt. Vernon Automotive, Bishop's Tire, B&L Grocery, Marvin Owens, Clifford Collins, Jerry Cox, Marlene Lawson, Citizens Bank, People's Bank, Comfort Home Heating, Roy Martin, Town & Country Motors, Main Street Pharmacy, Singleton & Asso., Cox Funeral Home, Inspired Image, Sassy Scissors, IGA of Mt. Vernon, IGA Liberty, Brodhead Hometown Market, Lake Linville Boat Dock, Inspired Image, Tobacco Barn, Hiatt's, Aletha's Florist, Marsha's Florist, Collins Respiratory, Source Corp employees, Rocket Sports and Apparel, Dari Delite, Pizza Hut, Paula Allen, Alecia Bengé, Louise

and Johnny Bengé, Marlene Brown, Jon Burdette.

Mayor Walter Cash, Bethany Clontz, Steve Clark, Tonya Clark, Ben Craft, Wanda Ellison, Amy French, Peggy French, LaJoy Graves, Bill and Retta Graves, Courtney Hale, Angie Hines, Candice Jamison, Jamie Lynch, Glenda Jo McFerron, Summer Owens, Laura McFerron Parker, Kristy Powell, Bobby and Clara Proctor, Doug Proctor, Mark Proctor, Russell Poynter, Rachelle Riddle, Courtney Riggsby, Randel and Donna Robbins, Patsy Thomas, Sharon Wagner, Rachel Wright, Jesse Wright and to Kevin Canterbury from the Signal.

If we have inadvertently forgotten anyone, we sincerely apologize. Your support was greatly appreciated.

Anna Poynter

Attention BRODHEAD WATER CUSTOMERS

Due to the installation of a new water line, Brodhead Water System has called a

BOIL WATER ADVISORY

until further notice for the following areas:

Hwy. 1505 beginning at the junction of Hwy. 150 to the end of Hwy. 1505 and all streets or roads that junction with Hwy. 1505

This Boil Water Advisory will not be lifted until the water line and tank are completed.

ORDINANCE NO. 2008-4

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, KENTUCKY PROPOSING TO ANNEX UNINCORPORATED TERRITORY

Whereas, the City of Mt. Vernon desires to expand, and

Whereas, to accomplish this goal the City finds it desirable to annex unincorporated territory, and

Whereas, all landowners affected by the City's action will be notified and may submit a petition in opposition to the annexation, and

Now Therefore, be it ordained by the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky that it intends to annex into the City limits the unincorporated land south-west of the present City and is more particularly described as follows.

Beginning at a point, said point being 522.8 feet the south of a point on the 1968 annexation (Ordinance # 317 Tract 2) point number 121 of the city limits map as shown in the Rockcastle County Clerks Office as Plat Book 2 Page 17; said point being the south east corner of Annexation Ordinance 333, the point being in the fence and property line of the Kentucky Stone Quarry; thence with the original city limits S0°0'0"E, 2620.80 feet to a point; thence with the original city limits N90°0'0"E, 3448.58 feet to a point in the annexation limit of Ordinance #331; thence with the line of Ord. # 331 for the following nine calls S0°0'0"W, 39.24 feet to an iron pin found; thence N83°32'13"W, 152.03 feet to an iron pin found; thence S49°03'28"E, 52.13 feet to a point; thence S17°46'53"E, 123.70 feet to a point; thence S9°16'53"E, 133.00 feet to a point; thence S17°46'53"E, 135.00 feet to a point; thence S40°46'53"E, 99.00 feet to a point; thence S79°46'53"E, 233.00 feet to a point; thence S8°31'53"E, 106.00 feet to a point and the beginning of the next Ordinance Line; thence with Ordinance # 7-87 for the following 15 calls S30°11'38"W, 192.70 feet to a point; thence S3°00'00"W, 264.00 feet to a point; thence S15°45'00"W, 45.00 feet to a point; thence S65°30'00"W, 27.5 feet to a point; thence S17°15'45"E, 146.99 feet to an iron pin; thence S60°48'54"E, 175.56 feet to a point; thence S20°57'50"W, 247.60 feet to a point; thence N80°32'58"W, 154.70 feet to a point; thence S5°26'02"W, 58.10 feet to a point; thence S77°03'58"E, 90.30 feet to a point; thence S60°18'58"E, 10.60 feet to a point; thence S11°18'58"E, 59.80 feet to a point; thence S4°11'02"W, 116.00 feet to a point; thence S1°12'50"W, 259.39 feet to a point; thence S0°36'14"E, 73.26 feet to an oak tree; thence with a new line following the approximate property lines and fences N75°20'14"W, 417.53 feet to an iron pin; thence N53°33'46"W, 16.90 feet to an iron pin; thence N74°2'35"W, 1216.35 feet to an iron pin; thence with a fence S19°51'4"W, 1072.01 feet to a point; thence with a fence S14°28'42"W, 362.33 feet to a point; thence S20°38'22"W, 94.07 feet to a point; thence S36°59'52"W, 71.70 feet to a point in the center line of East Fork Road; thence with East Fork Road center line for the following three calls N62°50'21"W, 107.97 feet to a point; thence N33°43'02"W, 203.94 feet to a point; thence N43°39'16"W, 73.31 feet to

a point; thence across the lands of Calvin Barnett S32°32'55"W, 1271.71 feet to a point in the center line of Sand Spring Road; thence with the approximate line of Cromer for four calls S34°59'36"W, 377.62 feet to a point; thence S34°59'36"W, 490.77 feet to a point; thence N55°05'28"W, 581.79 feet to a point; thence across the property N55°05'28"W, 326.53 feet to a point in the line of Eliza Bullock Heirs Plat and line of Lot Number 11; thence with the same line for three calls S33°51'24"W, 541.71 feet to a point; thence S34°47'34"W, 396.00 feet to a point; thence S31°31'26"W, 202.10 feet to a point corner to Lot Number 12 and near Brightshade Lane also corner to Cromer and Mullins; thence with the lot lines of Eliza Bullock Heirs Plat Lots 12, 13 and 14 for three calls N14°17'17"W, 219.61 feet to a point corner to Hanson Aggregate Midwest, Inc.; thence N33°57'00"W, 470.25 feet to a point; thence N66°37'05"W, 1031.00 feet to a point; thence following the approximate line of Hanson for three calls S65°17'51"W, 180.41 feet to a point; thence N61°26'51"W, 2920.31 feet to a point; thence N44°25'18"W, 499.55 feet to a point in the west right of way of KY 2549; thence with west right of way of KY 2549 S37°57'55"W, 417.13 feet to a point in the west right of way of KY 2549; thence leaving west right of way of KY 2549 and with the line along the south margin of property of Thomas N54°20'33"W, 544.60 feet to a point corner to tract three; thence along the line of tract three of the Bowling Plat for eleven calls N51°58'29"W, 185.96 feet to a point; thence N77°44'31"W, 100.16 feet to a point; thence N73°48'33"W, 93.62 feet to a point; thence N28°44'05"W, 456.18 feet to a point; thence N23°13'44"W, 201.22 feet to a point; thence N6°06'50"W, 173.97 feet to a point; thence N06°45'54"W, 263.08 feet to a point; thence S86°33'40"E, 26.06 feet to a point; thence S78°06'19"E, 90.57 feet to a point; thence S81°07'38"E, 70.92 feet to a point; thence S81°07'38"E, 70.92 feet to a point; thence S85°57'11"E, 74.66 feet to a point; corner to Tract One of the Bowling Plat and the property line of the Rockcastle County Industrial Development property; thence with the line of Tract One for four calls N10°29'33"E, 165.71 feet to a point; thence N9°03'28"E, 339.67 feet to a point; thence N4°05'50"E, 115.79 feet to a point; thence N12°46'45"E, 129.97 feet to a point; thence with the approximate boundary of Judy H. Marsh for the following eight calls N89°24'22"W, 491.98 feet to a point; thence N80°40'56"W, 180.84 feet to a point; thence N77°56'02"W, 176.64 feet to a point; thence N82°29'18"W, 111.56 feet to a point; thence S86°53'33"W, 68.58 feet to a point; thence S73°0'39"W, 74.47 feet to a

point; thence N12°26'36"W, 72.47 feet to a point; thence N17°57'0"W, 204.36 feet to a point; thence N34°19'12"W, 519.78 feet to a right of way marker in the right of way of KY 461; thence with the right of way S78°44'07"W 157.14 to a right of way marker; thence across the right of way of KY 461 S81°24'46"W, 206.31 feet to a marker on the west side of the KY 461 highway; thence with the approximate property line of McGuire N80°15'23"W, 269.36 feet to a point in the east line of a gravel road; thence with the gravel road for two calls N32°59'25"W, 55.56 feet to a point; thence N15°16'10"E, 430.01 feet to a point in the East Right of Way line of Freedom School Road; thence with the East Right of Way line of Freedom School Road for two calls N14°38'31"E, 820.70 feet to a point; thence N12°46'23"E, 446.99 feet to a point in the south right of way line of US 150; thence across the right of way N25°35'41"E 50.00 feet to a point; thence with the north right of way of US 150 for three calls S64°24'19"E, 154.48 feet to a point in the right of way line; thence S72°06'45E, 177.52 feet to a point; thence S83°55'04E, 109.67 feet to a point; thence across property to the north of US 150 for the next three calls N2°03'45"W, 322.89 feet to a point; thence N8°22'42"E, 346.88 feet to a point; thence N56°18'56"E, 51.32 feet to a point in the center of the old L&N railroad; thence with the center line of the railroad for two calls S33°41'04"E, 356.25 feet to a point; thence S44°29'26"E, 115.33 feet to a point; thence across the old right of way of the railroad N65°35'32"E, 30.78 feet to an iron pin found corner to Cummins; thence with Cummins N28°13'10"E, 1090.28 feet to a point corner to other property of Cummins; thence across property of Cummins N41°33'55"E, 1759.32 feet to an iron pin found at an old oak stump; thence with the current city limits from this point back to the beginning for fifty-two calls and with the property line of the high school for the next ten calls S85°20'41"E, 212.08 feet to a pipe found; thence S0°27'05"E, 274.55 feet to a point; thence S3°23'56"W, 369.36 feet to an iron pin found on the west right of way of KY 461; thence with the right of way of KY 461 for the next nine calls N42°26'25"E, 380.92 feet to a right of way marker; thence N22°50'29"E, 104.69 feet to a right of way marker; thence N38°08'12"E, 100.00 feet to a right of way marker; thence N46°04'28"E, 213.84 feet to a right of way marker; thence N39°26'30"E, 1036.45 feet to a right of way marker; thence N27°33'02"E, 260.08 feet to a right of way marker; thence N40°30'00"E, 105.88 feet to a right of way marker; thence N26°42'28"E, 128.63 feet to a point in the 1968 annexation of Ordinance # 299; thence across KY 461 S4°24'52"W, 485.40 feet to a point; thence with the line of the old City reservoir for three calls S15°37'57"W, 235.40 feet to a point; thence S29°37'53"W, 308.79 feet to a point; thence S22°54'12"W, 318.50 feet to a point in the line of the annexation of Ordinance #3-90 and in the line of Bill Denton (now or former); thence with the line of Bill Denton N84°40'30"W, 264.78 feet to a point in the right of way of KY 461 and an iron pin found; thence with Bill Denton and The Bank of Mt Vernon (now or former) on the east right of way of KY 461 S39°01'58"W, 469.54 feet to an iron pin found; thence with the right of way of the industrial park road for seven calls S51°58'10"E, 310.56 feet to a point; thence S38°26'35"E, 55.59 feet to a point; thence S29°44'43"E, 55.65 feet to a point; thence S20°53'51"E, 57.48 feet to a point; thence S11°53'50"E, 57.53 feet to a point; thence S2°53'50"E, 74.44 feet to a point; thence S19°36'10"W, 308.39 feet to a point; thence leaving the right of way of the industrial park road along the line between lot 10 and lot 11 S70°48'48"E, 463.66 feet to a point; thence along the back lot line of lot 9 and lot 10 for nine calls N48°11'27"E, 51.00 feet to a point; thence N32°08'04"E, 79.25 feet to a point; thence N24°07'03"E, 57.51 feet to a point; thence S73°34'12"E, 37.5 feet to a point; thence N34°49'04"E, 143.00 feet to a point; thence N23°09'03"E, 135.10 feet to a point; thence N9°55'01"E, 93.34 feet to a point; thence N18°15'02"E, 137.69 feet to a point; thence N1°06'59"E, 91.99 feet to a point in the line of annexation Ordinance 299 corner to the Barnett subdivision; thence with the subdivision N81°44'0"E, 233.56 feet to a point corner to the Rockcastle County Board of Education property; thence with the Board of Education for seven calls S54°54'27"E, 45.00 feet to a point; thence S78°54'27"E, 104.00 feet to a point; thence S65°24'27"E, 234.00 feet to a point; thence S60°24'27"E, 55.00 feet to a point; thence S76°54'27"E, 108.00 feet to a point; thence S64°24'27"E, 194.73 feet to a point; thence S72°54'27"E, 55.00 feet to a point in the annexation Ordinance #333; thence with the line of Ordinance #333 S61°36'53"E, 666.03 feet to a point in the north line of Cedar Heights Subdivision; thence with the line of Cedar Heights N66°57'44"E, 301.81 feet to an iron pin found; thence N71°56'35"E, 462.91 feet to an iron pin found; thence S83°19'01"E, 227.93 feet to a point in the center of Old Somerset Road; thence with Old Somerset Road N15°53'33"E, 105.30 feet to a pointing the center line; thence leaving Old Somerset Road S76°59'17"E, 460.75 feet to a point; thence S68°53'29"E, 780.27 feet to a point; thence along McFerron line (now or former) the S68°37'46"E, 275.28 feet to a point in the west right of way of Quarry Street; thence with the west right of way of Quarry Street S22°22'39"W, 323.23 feet to an iron pin found; thence S79°05'31"E, 240.37 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 1,454.214 acres.

Clarice R. Kirby
Mayor, City of Mt. Vernon

ATTEST:

Jeanette Robinson
City Clerk

First Reading 8/28/08

Second Reading 9/15/08

Published 9/24/08

Marching Rockets

(Cont. from pg. A13)

than at East Jessamine two weeks ago and 15 points higher than last year at the very same venue. They did real good!

The Marching Rockets are looking forward to another full weekend coming up! On Friday, September 25th, the Marching Rockets will sponsor a dance at the Rockcastle Middle School from 3:00 pm until 5:00 pm. Coach Lee will be the DJ and there will be plenty of pizza, candy and soft drinks for sale. After the dance, the Marching Rockets will provide moral support in the stands for the football team and half-time entertainment for the crowd (while getting in a dress rehearsal) as they again put their show, NIGHTSCAPES, on the field. They will return to the competition field early Saturday morning as they travel to Danville to compete in the Boyle County Marching Contest. The Marching Rockets take the field for preliminary competition at 3:30 pm, with preliminary awards given out at 4:45 pm. The top ten bands to qualify will go on to compete in a finals round beginning at 7:00 pm. Come on out and show your support for the Marching Rockets this weekend! As with any activity, audience support and participation is an integral part of the performance.

Don't forget to support your local business owners and the Marching Rockets by purchasing a Spirit Card. You can purchase your card from any band student or at selected business locations in the Mt. Vernon area.

Marching Band Scoring Revealed

With no balls to hit or throw and no goals, bases, or hoops, scores in marching contests are based on Music Performance, Visual Performance, General Effect Music and General Effect Visual with Music Performance having the most weight in scoring. Two judges each independently assess the Music Performance and each of their scores is worth 20% of the total score. Another adjudicator assesses General Effect Music, also worth 20%. Two more judges individually assess Visual Performance for 10% each and yet another evaluates General Effect Visual, which is worth 20%. All these percentage points are then added together to come up with the final score, which is based on a scale of 100. Following is a scoring guide that better explains how the judges evaluate performances for Marching Band Contests. Sources for this article include the KMEA (Kentucky Music Educators Association) Marching Band Performance Assessment Event Rules and Regulations Handbook and KMEA Marching Band Committee meeting minutes and the KMEA sanctioned contest judges sheets.

Music Performance - Music Performance is divided into 3 sub captions: Musicianship (50 points), Technique (40 points) and Musical Content (10 points). Musicianship includes tuning/intonation, tone quality/control, balance/blend, phrasing/expression/dynamics and appropriateness of style. Technique includes accuracy, precision/timing, uniformity of articulation and attacks/releases. Musical Content is also assessed by the adjudicator to determine the level of opportunity for the performer to display their skills.

Visual Performance - Visual Performance is divided into 3 sub captions: Technique (50 points), Form Control (40 points) and Visual Content (10 points). Technique includes uniformity of method, timing, posture, carriage and recovery from error. Form Control includes accuracy, clarity, spacing/interval and alignment.

Visual Content is determined by the opportunities in the show design that allow performers to display their skill in technique and form control.

General Effect Music - General Effect Music is divided into 2 sub captions: Effectiveness of Repertoire (60 points) and Performer Effectiveness (40 points). Effectiveness of Repertoire includes creativity of musical program, pacing/continuity, integration of all elements, range of expression and effectiveness of staging. Performer Effectiveness includes communication of roles, emotional range, performer intensity, projection of style and confidence.

General Effect Visual - General Effect Visual is divided into 2 sub captions: Effectiveness of Repertoire (60 points) and Performer Effectiveness (40 points). Effectiveness of Repertoire includes creativity of visual program, pacing/continuity, integration of all elements, range of expression and effectiveness of staging. Performer Effectiveness includes communication of roles, emotional range, performer intensity, projection of style and confidence.

Tabulation - All scores are then combined and any penalties are deducted to determine each band's final ranking and rating. Music Performance - 2 judges (2 x 100 x .2 = 40 possible points); Visual Performance - 2 judges (2 x 100 x .1 = 20 possible points); General Effect Music - 1 judge (1 x 100 x .2 = 20 possible points); General Effect Visual - 1 judge (1 x 100 x .2 = 20 possible points); Total Score (100 possible points)

There are separate evaluations for guard and percussion and a separate adjudicator for each. These scores are also based on a scale of 100. In the coming weeks both the Guard and Percussion will be featured. The different elements which relate to them will be presented in greater detail at that time.

Featured instruments this week: Piccolos and Clarinets

Perhaps you have observed the Marching Rockets perform at a competition, parade, or at a football game and noticed that there seem to be three flutes, when in reality, there are no flutes at all! What looks and sounds like a flute is actually a piccolo. Flutes are reedless wind instruments that produce sound when a stream of air directed across a hole in the instrument creates a vibration of air at the hole. The air stream must be directed at the correct angle and velocity. They are tubes made of many different materials including wood and metal with precise placement of sound holes. The sound holes are then open or closed, by fingers or keys, to produce a specific note. Historically the piccolo had no keys but does today. The piccolo is a type of transverse flute and is smaller and more suitable for a marching band. It was first used in Beethoven's Fifth Symphony but became familiar in marching bands by John Philip Sousa's The Stars and Stripes Forever. The Marching Rockets boast three piccolo players this year including Nicole McFerron, Andrea Gonzalez and Caleb Coffey.

Nicole has been the Section Leader for the past two years. She is a junior and has been in the marching band for four years all together. She finds the position of Section Leader challenging, but says that it is "really fun to be able to help other people." The best part of band for Nicole is "being around all my friends throughout the year." Scream is her favorite song this year. She is not fond of "the long hours put into it. It takes up too much time," however NIGHTSCAPES "is going really well. I hope we make it to State [Finals] with it. I think this year has been my favorite so far." At this time she is planning on a career in Com-

puter Technology and is hoping for a music scholarship. While in college she would like to continue her music in the concert band.

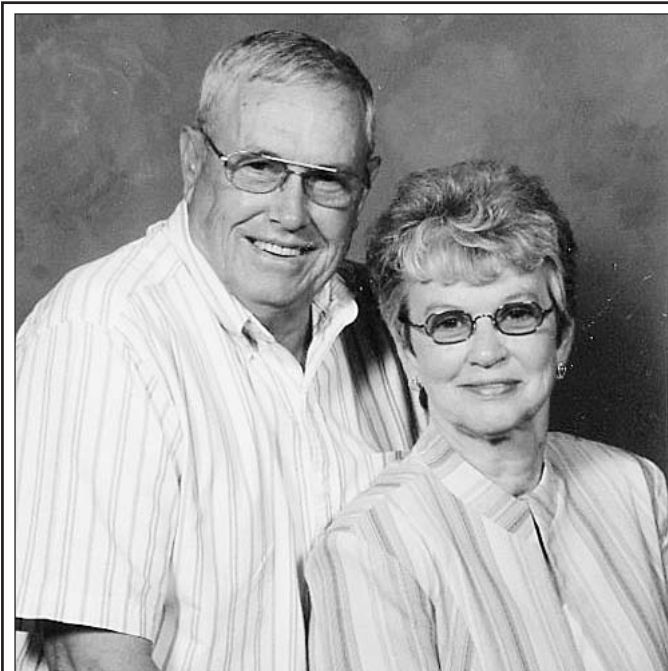
Andrea Gonzalez is also a junior and this is her fourth year with the Marching Rockets. The best part for her is "going to the competitions and hanging out with friends." Her favorite song to play on the piccolo is Think of Me by Andrew Lloyd Webber. Her least favorite part of being in the band is, "having to attend football games." Andrea knows that this is rare for someone from Rockcastle to admit, but "I'm not much of a football fan." She told me that NIGHTSCAPES is the "best show we've had in a long time. It's really cool." Right before performances she makes sure to hug everyone in her section and surrounding her and says "Good Luck". She plans to continue playing for her own enjoyment while pursuing her dream of becoming a surgeon.

Caleb Coffey is in his first year with the marching band. He is an eighth grader at RCMS. He plays piano, clarinet, French horn and saxophone as well as the piccolo. The best part of band for Caleb is the competitions. He loves, "the challenge and the excitement" of them. His current favorite song to play is Bugs which he is currently learning for the middle school concert band. His least favorite part is that "rehearsing takes so much time. It is so much of a time commitment." He says that NIGHTSCAPES is "not my favorite kind of music, but its pretty fun to play. I like classical." He plans to become a commercial genetic scientist and will continue to play music for his own enjoyment.

The clarinet is woodwind instrument with a four octave range depending on the clarinetist. A single reed (usually made from the cane of a grass) is attached to a mouthpiece and when air is blown through the reed and the mouthpiece, the reed vibrates and produces the

sound of the instrument. This mouthpiece and reed assembly is joined to the body of the clarinet which is cylindrical and can be manufactured out of many different materials, although wood is traditional. This wooden cylinder has numerous tone holes and some or all of them are covered with keys. The manipulation of these keys/tone holes by covering and uncovering produces the different notes. It is a very versatile instrument that can take the place of a saxophone or a violin.

The 2008 Marching Rockets have only one clarinetist this season, Tara Baldwin. She is a sophomore and this is her third year marching with the band. Her favorite part of band is "getting to go around with my friends and play all the different music." Her current favorite song to play on the piccolo is Scream "It's really interesting. Not too hard, not too easy, and very fun to play." Her least favorite part of being in the band is the way "Mr. D works us really hard and practice lasts forever." About this year's show NIGHTSCAPES she said, "I think it's our best show yet. It's really cool. It has a lot of contrasts in it." Before each competition she prays "to do 'good' and have fun. If we have fun it doesn't matter so much that we win." Tara likes playing the clarinet for her own enjoyment and she hopes it will lead to a scholarship to help finance her college education where she plans to major in Marine Biology. She figures that college bands need more clarinetists since "it takes more clarinetists to make a big sound."



50th Wedding Anniversary

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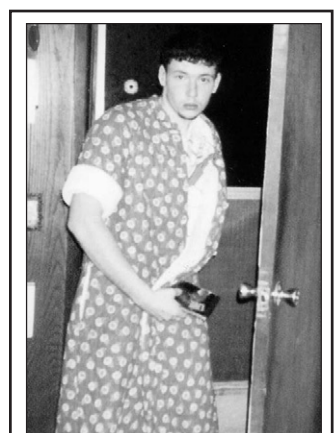
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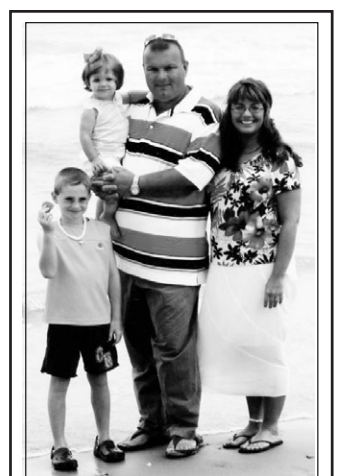
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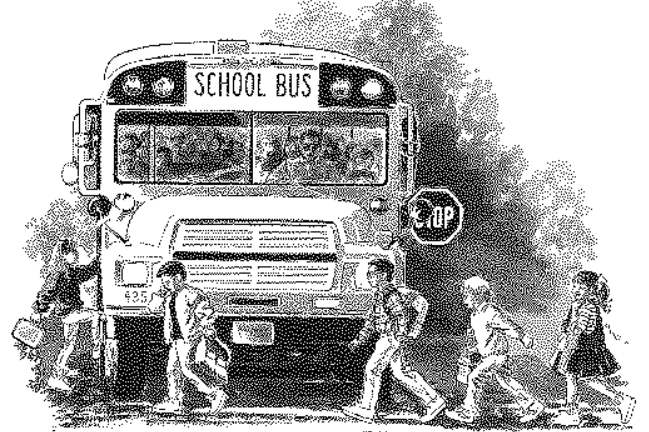
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John Michael will release new CD at Hall of Fame

Country music hitmaker John Michael Montgomery marks the release of his tenth studio album, *Time Flies*, with a very special celebration at the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame in Renfro Valley, on October 4th.

Although the album doesn't hit stores until October 14th, this event gives fans an opportunity to purchase the new CD, meet John Michael and share in a very special experience: the unveiling of the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame John Michael Montgomery exhibit.

The CD Release Party begins at 3:30 pm and although the meet & greet is free and open to the public, a special \$5.00 Hall of Fame admission price will be offered that day for fans wanting to view the extensive John Michael Montgomery collection.

The collection includes photos, videos, clothing, plaques and other unique items as well as tributes to Kentucky's other great individuals.

By purchasing a ticket to tour the Hall, fans will receive a commemorative John Michael Montgomery photo (while supplies last) and be entered into a drawing to receive one of five Wrangler gift certificates and one pair of Dan Post boots; John Michael en-

dorses both brands.

The Kentucky native has long supported the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame.

He hosts their annual Golf Scramble each April which benefits their educational outreach program and he inducted Dwight Yoakam into the Hall last year. In hopes of raising more money for the non-profit organization, John Michael is providing the Hall with an autographed Takamine guitar and one of his signature hats for auction during the October 4 event.

Born in Danville, Kentucky, John Michael Montgomery's contribution to the country music format includes hits such as "I Swear," "Be My Baby Tonight," "I Can Love You Like That," "Sold (the Grundy County Auction Incident)" and "Life's A Dance," among many others. He's earned 15 number one singles, sold over 16 million albums, enjoyed cross-over success in the pop and R&B market, and received numerous industry and fan-voted awards, including CMA Awards, ACM Awards and American Music Awards. In 2007, John Michael started his own record label, Stringtown Records, named after a small community in Mercer County, KY, near his home.

John Michael will release *Time Flies* on October 14th, an album he produced with Byron Gallimore and his current single, "Forever," is climbing the radio charts. Release week will be accompanied by radio visits, in-store events, media interviews, contest promotions and more. The album can be heard in its entirety at www.digitalrodeo.com/johnmichaelmontgomery.com for those unable to attend.

The Oct. 4th event in Kentucky, John Michael's website is offering fans the ability to pre-order an autographed copy of *Time Flies*, for delivery on Oct. 14. Simply log on to www.johnmichaelmontgomery.com and enter the "Store."

The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame & Museum is a 501(c)3 Non-Profit that honors Kentucky performers, songwriters, publishers, promoters, managers, broadcasters comedians and other music professionals who have made significant contributions to the music industry in Kentucky and around the world.

The Hall of Fame's hours are Wednesday-Saturday 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Closed Monday & Tuesday. www.kentuckymuseum.com

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For more information on the beauty pageant, call Pam at City Hall 256-3437.

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Rode 9,200 miles by himself

Fish rides his cycle, "North to Alaska"

By: Richard Anderkin

Many Rockcastle countians have visited the great state of Alaska over the years and this year has been no exception with several locals making the trip to the country's 49th state.

However, one local man made the trip "North to Alaska" on his motorcycle and all by himself.

Vincent Fish of Roundstone, who will turn 74 this Sunday, always wanted to visit Alaska and decided this year that he was going with or without company.

Fish rode over 9,200 miles on his trip to and from Alaska, including 1,422 miles each way along the Alaskan Highway, a beautiful scenic route that takes motorists into the Northern region of Alaska.

Along the way, Fish saw Bears, one a Grizzly, Moose,

Mountain Sheep, Wolves and Bison, all in the wild.

"It was the most beautiful and interesting place I have ever been," said Fish, who retired in 1990 and moved back to Rockcastle County, from Sharonville, Ohio.

And, the stories from the trip include much more than the beautiful scenic ride along the Alaska Highway.

Some of those stories were about a few problems encountered along the way by the father of seven, which included a scare for those children and his wife of 56 years, Jean.

After hearing from Fish for eight straight days, the family did not get a call from him for three days.

Of course they became worried and his youngest son, Sean, called the State Highway Patrol in Alaska, police in the

Yukon Territory and the Royal Canadian Police. All three agencies told Sean there had been no motorcycle accidents along the route they thought his father would be traveling

One of his daughters, Marsha, who had been staying with her mom while her dad was on his trip, then called the phone company to make sure they could receive collect calls and that they hadn't somehow missed a call from her dad.

Marsha then called Fifth Third Bank to check the last transactions on her Dad's credit card and the family got some good news

Fish had used his credit card the day before to buy gas and rent a hotel room in Dawson Creek, British Columbia.

"After all that detective work, dad called home the next morning and was in Great

Falls, Montana where he was getting a tire for his motorcycle," Marsha said.

"When I answered the phone and heard him say, 'Marsha' I cried and said, 'Dad, I have never been so happy to hear your voice' and he said, 'It is so good to talk to someone,'" her dad said.

Marsha said her father tried several times to call from pay phones but could not get service.

That was family's biggest ordeal, while the patriarch of the family traveled through the northern United States, Canada and Alaska.

But, Fish himself had more than one interesting experience while on the 15 day trip, that included an ordeal at the U.S. Canadian border, near Regina, Saskatchewan, where he was interrogated by four different immigration officers.

Fish said they held him at the border station for over an hour and a half

"They kept asking me why I was alone and I'm sure they thought I was trying to get drugs across the border or I was a terrorist. I'll guarantee you they x-rayed my bike, after they went through every item I had taken on the trip," Fish said.

"Finally after a hundred questions, which included whether I had a weapon or not, where I was going to stay in Alaska, who I was going to see,

the head official on site, finally let me into Canada," he said.

Fish did not have any other trouble at border stations, either when entering Alaska or when he returned to Canada, on his way home, but he did leave his cell phone in a motel in Cold River, British Columbia, on the initial leg of the trip, which contributed to the three day ordeal for his family. He picked it up on the way back.

Along the way, Fish encountered other adventurers who had their fair share of trouble.

Fish said that he saw at least two bad accidents, both involving the numerous wild animals who wander the Alaskan Highway.

One accident involved a car and a Cow Moose. Fish said the pregnant Moose tore the top completely off the car and severely injured the passengers. The accident closed the highway for an extended length of time Fish said.

He said the second accident involved a couple who were riding a Gold Wing.

Fish said the couple rounded a curve and hit a group of Mountain Sheep.

"They were hurt very badly and they had to fly one them out," Fish said

"You had to be very careful when you were going around a curve because most of the time, there were animals standing in the road," Fish said

"Before I got to the second accident scene I met two couples from North Carolina, riding motorcycles and who were heading home, 'they had, had enough.'"

Fish said the only time he was the least bit concerned is when he did not see a gas station, after he had traveled for several hours and his cycle got closer and closer to empty.

"I would turn it off and coast downhill and when I finally found a gas station, I was bone dry. I had tried to avoid that situation by filling up every chance I got because I didn't know when I would be able to do so again, but I still almost ran out of gas in the middle of nowhere," he said.

Fish said one other time he became a little concerned was when he got too close to a Grizzly Bear. "I never turned my bike off when I got off and it's a good thing - once I was going toward a Grizzly to get a good picture and the bear decided it didn't want a picture taken and it turned and ran toward me. I'm satisfied that is as fast as I've ever run. I jumped on my bike and needless to say hit the road without my picture. That Grizzly had claws as long as your middle finger."

Another day during the trip, Fish found himself 200 miles from nowhere at a little counting

(Cont. to B8)



Roundstone resident Vincent Fish rode his 2007 Vulcan Kawasaki over 9,200 miles when he traveled to and from Alaska this summer.



After leaving the Alaskan Highway, Fish traveled even farther north on the Richardson Highway.



No Fish wasn't 11 miles from the North Pole, he was 11 miles from the city of North Pole, Alaska when he took this picture along the Alaskan Highway. The highway was constructed during World War II as a military supply route and is 1,422 miles long.



As Fish got closer to Prudhoe Bay, he encountered ice and snow covered roads, such as the one shown above. He made his trip to Alaska in late June.



One of the animals Fish encountered on his trip to and from Alaska, was the Black Bear shown above. A Grizzly he met wasn't as friendly.

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 Midland Funding LLC vs. Famie Hellard, \$530.88 plus claimed due.
 Midland Funding LLC vs. Donald Renner, \$785.12 plus claimed due.
 Midland Funding LLC vs. Lisa A. Bustle, \$2,336.31 plus claimed due.
 Elite Recovery Services, Inc. vs. Patricia A. Hobbs, \$1,245.44 plus claimed due.
 Midland Funding LLC vs. Douglas G. Bullock, Jr., \$3,266.21 plus claimed due.
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 LVNV Funding LLC vs.

Gregory Dixon, \$3,554.35 plus claimed due.
 Capital One Bank vs. Michael A. Barbour, \$890.26 plus claimed due.
 Capital One Bank vs. Timothy L. Gentry, \$631.12 plus claimed due.
 Midland Funding LLC vs. Kelly E. Denham, \$806.08 plus claimed due.
 Midland Funding LLC vs. Paul J. Campbell, \$761.58 plus claimed due.

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Applied Bank vs. Charles Northern, \$6,173.41 plus claimed due.
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 Appalachian Federal Credit Union vs. Jeffery Zaring, et al,

\$2,281.21 plus claimed due.
 Steven Mink, et al vs. Marcus A. Reppert, et al, complaint.
 Citibank vs. Terina Roberts, \$16,786.74 plus claimed due.
 Americredit Financial Services vs. Russell C. Kirby, \$8,012.84 plus claimed due. CI-00262.

Marriage Licenses

SarahFields, 25, London, student to Matthew Nolan, 30, Barbourville, sales assoc. 9/18/08.
 Sheila Cromer, 24, Mt. Vernon, homemaker to Timothy Philbeck, Sr., 31, Mt. Vernon, construction. 9/19/08.
 Rachele Gardner, 36, Mt. Vernon, housewife to Eddie Vanwinkle, 32, Mt. Vernon, factory. 9/19/08.
 Sheryl Miller, 43, Mt. Vernon, factory to Ben Richardson, 50, Mt. Vernon, factory. 9/19/08.
 Nichole Stallworth, 25, Mt. Vernon, unemployed to Matthew Owens, 34, Mt. Vernon, tile layer. 9/19/08.

Deeds Recorded

Edwin Jesse and Cayci Mahaffey, property in Rockcastle County, to Troy Anthony (Tony) and Jackie R. Mahaffey. Tax \$80.
 Dorothy Wynn, general warranty deed for property in

Rockcastle County, to Derrick A. and Ashley S. Isaac. Tax \$56.
 Richard Harold and Doris Jean Owens, property in Rockcastle County, to William and Ruby Day. Tax \$1.
 Dan McGuire, and others, property on Hawthorne Lane, to David N. Thompson. Tax \$58.

Stoney McGuire, property in Rockcastle County, to Nancy Seaberg. Tax \$40.
 Stephen and Jill Ponder, general warranty deed for property in Rockcastle County, to Robert L. and Cressie Holman. Tax \$5.

Johnny Boone and Karen Bullock Saylor, property on Bowling Ridge Road, to Transportation Cabinet. Tax .50.
 Cleston Saylor, property on Bowling Ridge Road, to Transportation Cabinet. Tax \$154.50
 Bonnie Turpin, and others, property in Rockcastle County, to Commonwealth of Kentucky. Tax \$7.

Jan I. and June Stevens, property at intersection of Hwy. 150 and Hwy. 3245, to Commonwealth of Kentucky. Tax \$135.

Sandra S. Lynch-Davis, property in Livingston, to Riley Edwin and Terry Young. No tax.

David and Betty Henderson and Larry and Judy Doyle, property in Rockcastle County, to John Tyler. No tax.

Eveline Swinney, property in Rockcastle County, to Jimmy Smith. Tax \$2.

John Bill and Gloria Keck, property on Copper Creek Road, to REM, LLC. No tax.

Sebastian and Judy Laws, property on Flat Gap Road, to Frederick A. Wilcox. Tax \$68.

Gerald D. and Charlotte Barnes, property on St. Hwy. 618, to Benny and Charity Barnes. Tax \$89.50.

Kimberly Phillips, property in Rockcastle County, to James D. and Riki D. Turner. Tax \$9.50.

Gary Wayne Baker and Lorene Baker, property on Copper Creek Road to Connie Thompson, and others. No tax.

Juanita Stanley, property in Mt. Vernon, to Donna Kaye Stanley. No tax.

James Willard and Olive Whitaker, and others, property in Rockcastle County, to Phillip and Robin Lewis. Tax \$72.

Deutsche Bank National Trust Co., property in Rockcastle County, to Tim and Victoria Huff. Tax \$20.

Sammy L. and Judy M. Ford, real property in community of Wabd, to Amy F. and Harvey L. Lewis. No tax.

Ralph and Lyla Powell, property in Rockcastle County, to William C. Durham. Tax

\$4.50.
 Roger Dustin Payne and Tina Marie Payne, property in Rockcastle County, to Roger Dustin Payne. No tax.

James R. and Sabra A. Hathaway, property in Rockcastle County, to Sylvia T. Barnes. Tax \$13.

Saul Carpenter, property on Red Hill, to Bettie H. Landrum. Tax \$22.

Pulaski Land Lease, Inc., property on Hwy. 461, to Whitley Co. Stone. Tax \$120.

Melvin and Rhonda Cromer, property at Big Sandy Rock, to Ovie and Retha Cromer. Tax \$29.50.

George W. and Charlotte Griffith, property in Holbrook Estates, to Kenton and Terry Parkey. Tax \$10.

Kenton and Terry Parkey, property in Holbrook Estates, to George W. and Charlotte Griffith. Tax \$10.

Bobby D. Lunsford, property at Bandy, to Courtney and Amber Adams. No tax.

Gary and Agnes Faye Woods and Jerry and Yvonne Ison, property in Rockcastle County, to Tim Roberts. No tax.

Benton and Theresa Bullock, property located in Rockcastle County, to Gary Barnett. Tax \$6.50.

District Court

John Baker: license to be in possession, \$25 fine plus costs; contempt of court, \$50 fine/suspended.

William L. Baker: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Jessica Blacketer: failure to maintain required insurance, 90 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs and restitution paid.

Robert D. Burke: cultivation of marijuana, \$300 fine and costs plus 180 days/probated 24 months.

Howard J. Cameron: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 30 day operator license suspension, ADE authorized.

Nicholas V. Casertano: speeding and failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.

Rathel Collins: disorderly conduct, \$100 fine and costs.

Speeding: Christopher J. Conley, paid \$38 fine plus \$133 costs; Jason C. Harrison, \$48 fine plus costs; Terri L. Steen, paid \$28 fine and \$128 costs; Natalie Bailey, Jason M. Houghland, license suspended for failure to appear; Jose H. Benitez, state traffic school authorized plus costs; Lance M. Horlas, paid \$36 fine plus \$128 costs; Jason M. Houghland

Jerry W. Hubbard: possession of marijuana and use/possession drug paraphernalia, bw issued for fta.

Tahnee N. McCaninch: public intoxication, bw issued for fta.

Alicia McGuire: speeding, \$32 fine and costs; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine.

Roy E. Perry: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$325 service fee, 30 days operators license suspension, ADE authorized; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine; leaving scene of accident, 20 days/probated 24 months on condition; failure to maintain insurance, \$500 fine \$450 suspended; disorderly conduct, 20 days/concurrent/probated.

Lloyd J. Pillay: speeding and failure to notify address change to Dept. of Trans., bw issued for fta.

Sandra G. Richardson: no/ expired registration plates, \$25 fine and costs.

Brian D. Rutledge: speeding, and other charges, bw issued for fta/license suspended.

Gina F. Sigmon: failure to maintain required insurance, bw issued for fta.

Cody Spoonamore: no operators/moped license, and other charges, bw issued for fta.

Amanda Wagoner: no/expired registration plates/receipt, bw issued for fta.

Troy E. Haight: fines/fees due (\$468), bw issued for fta/10 days or payment.

Starry L. Johnson: drinking alcohol in public, \$150 fine plus costs.

Charles G. Lear: theft by deception, (two counts) \$20 fine and costs, restitution and 20 days/probated 24 months on condition on each.

Luis E. Lopez: no/expired registration plates, and other charges, bw issued for fta.

John K. Melin: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$300 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 45 day operator license suspension and ADE authorized.

Alfredo Morala: speeding, and other charges, bw issued for fta.

Paul R. Muhilly: inadequate silencer, and other charges, bw issued for fta.

Buford Pearson: failure to maintain required insurance, \$500 fine/suspend \$450 on condition; operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine and 30 days/probated on condition plus costs.

Ronald Raider: theft by deception, bw issued for fta/4 days or payment.

James M. Rankin: speeding and failure to maintain insurance, license suspended for fta/bw issued.

Holly M. Reed: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 30 days operator license suspension, ADE authorized.

Jon K. Sanders: no license in possession, \$50 fine and costs.

Michael Wayne Smith: terroristic threatening, bw issued for fta.

Martha M. Swinney: reckless driving, \$100 fine and costs.

Michael W. Wombles: fines/fees due (\$217), bw issued for fta/5 days or payment.

Robert Shane Fain: failure to maintain insurance, \$500 fine/\$450 suspended, payment of restitution, 90 days/to serve 4/balance probated 24 months on condition plus costs; driving on suspended license, 90 days/to serve 4/balance probated 24 months on condition; no/expired registration receipt, 4 days in lieu of fine.

Rebecca D. Rogers: criminal mischief, 90 days/probated 24 months on condition plus \$250 restitution.

Jaclyn M. Albright: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 30 days license suspension, ADE authorized.

Joseph L. Audette: theft by deception, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Samuel D. Blackburn: failure to maintain insurance, \$500 fine plus costs/suspend \$450 of fine on condition; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine; operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine; no/expired registration plates, \$25 fine.

George W. Bradley: no/expired registration plates, paid.

Angela D. Durham: operating vehicle w/expired operators license, bw issued for fta.

Damien A. Eversole: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine and costs; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine.

Steven T. Haling: public intoxication, bw issued for fta.

Steven R. Hays: DUI, 1st offense, \$200 fine and costs, \$325 service fee, 30 days operators license suspension, ADE authorized; failure to maintain insurance.

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Great Starter Home or Investment Property. This cute home could be the right place for you with 2 bedrooms, 1 bath and lots of potential. Home has new carpet, new windows, new kitchen cabinetry, new bathroom fixtures and plumbing. Come and check out the large front porch. Possible owner financing or will trade to other property. Call today! M2391.

Be Your Own Boss! Only grocery and only gas pumps in Livingston. Store has fixtures, tables, etc. Owners say SELL! Call for your appointment today! M2368

Polished and Proud! Careful owners have invested much time in faithful upkeep of this beautiful home. This home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, dining room, kitchen and utility room, plus a bonus room above the garage. Hardwood floors and all kitchen appliances are included. Now's the perfect time to call for an appointment. M2394

Location! Location! Location! Baby farm with 3 bedroom, 2 bath doublewide with a 12x20 addition, 20x40 block barn with a work shop and full loft, property has mature trees, new fencing, corral and pond. Property fronts on 39 North out of Crab Orchard. Call today! Reduced to \$79,900. M2376

Worth the Money! Three bedrooms, 1.5 bath brick ranch with formal living room and spacious den that has a wood burning fireplace. There is also a large eat-in kitchen with plenty of cabinet space. Big front and back yard. Come see this piece of country located in town! M2392

Bring Your Dreams! Charming house and 5 acres less than a mile from the Cedar Creek Lake. House has 5 bedrooms, 1 bath, a full basement and many extras. Land is still cleared...hurry this won't last long! M2375

Nature Lover's Retreat! Like new 1991 singlewide mobile home with 2 BR and 1 BA located only 4.5 miles from town. Washer, dryer, stove and refrigerator complete this adorable package. New paint and underpinning this year... Don't hesitate - Priced at \$22,500. M2359

Private Country Setting! This property consists of a beautiful well manicured yard and a nice brick home. This home has 2 bedrooms, 2 baths (one with handicap accessible shower), new central heat/air and is in a great location. Call for more details. M2380

Like New! Home is located in Mt. Vernon, has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room and kitchen/dining combo, walk-in closets, with city water and city sewer and is situated on a large lot. Priced at \$89,900. M2379

Reduced to \$109,900
Immaculate! This could be considered an understatement for this beautiful 3 BR, 2 BA home situated on a nice lot in Chestnut Heights Subdivision. This well maintained home has extraordinary laminate hardwood and carpet flooring and a huge living room which would be great for family gatherings. Amenities include central heat/air, 2-car attached garage, sky lights, above ground pool with deck, nicely landscaped, security lights and a fenced yard. Asking only \$109,900. **MOTIVATED SELLER!** M2361

Reduced to \$347,500
It's Not a Dream! This immaculate brick home is for real. With approximately 2,800 square feet this home has a formal living room, dining room, family room, kitchen with breakfast bar and eat-in area, master bedroom suite, 1/2 bath and utility on the first floor. Upstairs there are two bedrooms, a large bath, bonus room and attic storage room. There's also a full basement and three bay garage. M2389

Lovely... Cape Cod home recently remodeled throughout with new roof. Fireplace, full basement, garage, blacktop drive, central air. Priced for quick sale. M2406

Bring Your Iced Tea! Prop up your feet and enjoy nature at its finest on this 9+ acre mini farm located just outside the Mt. Vernon city limits. The home on this property has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, dining room, and kitchen. The home has central heat/air, city water and KU electric. Plus, there's a nice 2-car attached garage, 1-car metal building and a great BBQ patio. M2397

Private! - This property is located in town at the end of Shirley Street. This ranch-brick home has 3 bedrooms, a living room, kitchen and bath. There is an unfinished basement and this price is only \$65,900. (Picture will be available in next week's ad). M2404

Price Dropped \$15,000
New Home... with elbow room features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, a living room, kitchen, utility room and a 2-car attached garage. The kitchen has hickory cabinets, new appliances and crown molding. This home is in a private location situated on 3.2 acres and convenient to Hwy. 70 and Hwy. 39. Approximately 4 additional acres can be purchased with this property. Call today! Only \$124,900. M2384

Home Sweet Home! This beautiful brick home situated on 6/10 of an acre lot features 3 BR, 2 BA, eat-in kitchen, LR, DR and sunroom. There's also a basement with 2-car garage, storage room and bath. Other amenities include heat pump, central air, central vac system, hardwood flooring, rear patio, front porch, city water and sewer. Plus, a one-car detached garage. Great location! M2395

Beautiful Brick Home With 13 acres +/-. This home has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, eat-in kitchen, large formal living room, and large formal dining room (or could be used as a family room). A unique two room cabin, chain link fence and a 30x32 barn round out this wonderful property. Plenty of potential. R91789

Affordable... Whether you're looking for an investment or a place to live, be sure to take a look at this affordable property. The mobile home offers 2 Bedrooms, 1 Bath, Living room and Kitchen and it is situated on a 2 acre lot. Priced at only \$19,900. Don't miss out... call today for an appointment. M2365

Secluded... yet Convenient! This charming 1 1/2 story vinyl home is situated on 4.5 acres +/- . Features include: 4-5 BR, 2.5 BA, Kit, Utility room, and Office. Amenities include: Laminate and hardwood flooring, tile, carpet, beautiful oak cabinets, fireplace, attached garage, and a great view! Asking \$139,900. M2397

Back to Nature - Secluded Mountain Top A-frame on 59.4 wooded acres located on Big Cave Road and within the Daniel Boone National Forest area. Use for vacation or weekend retreat. This is a hunter's and camper's paradise with abundant wildlife. Some cleared land with a small pond and minutes from I-75. Affordable price, \$76,900. Call today! M2400

Well Kept! Located just outside Mt. Vernon on Carter Ridge Rd. This doublewide in country setting has 3 BR, 2 BA, DR-Kit, Combo, LR and Utility room. Larger master bedroom and bath with large tub and separate shower. Also includes kitchen appliances, washer and dryer, central heat and air, and is affordable at \$43,900 with immediate possession. M2409

A Beautiful Home in a Convenient Location! Here is a 1 1/2 story home with a half basement that is conveniently located within minutes of everything in town. This 3 BR, 2 BA home has appealing hardwood flooring throughout and a swimming pool and nice deck to enjoy in the summer season. Other amenities include KU electric, beautiful landscaping, 1-car garage, city water/sewer, central heat/air, and all appliances stay. M2398

Home Sweet Home! Nice 16x80 singlewide with vinyl siding and shingle roof. Only 7.5 miles off of I-75 this home offers 3 BR, 2 BA and is situated on 3.93 country acres. Other amenities include city water, septic system, huge front porch and a 14x20 storage bldg./work shed with electric. Priced at \$49,900 under appraisal value. M2327.

Indulge in the value of this quality brick home. This home offers an open living area consisting of living room, kitchen and dining area. There are 2 spacious bedrooms and 2 baths. Other amenities include new central heat/air, fireplace in the living room, 2-car garage, and a partial basement with plenty of storage area. Call today to see this home located in the Mt. Vernon city limits. M2408

You Can't Beat This! 35 acres near Cedar Creek Lake. Call for more information. M2396
REDUCED! 76 Acre Farm in the Wabed Section of Rockcastle Co....Road frontage on Hwy. 1250 and Doc Adams Road. Barn-silo-city water-creek. Good cattle farm or development possibilities. Owner would consider dividing. Priced at \$269,000. M2333
Private... Close to Town... Close to I-75... This 23 acres +/- is mostly woodland and is close to I-75 and only 2 miles from Mt. Vernon. City water is available. M2313

What a Beauty! This very spacious 3 BR, 2 BA brick home is situated on 8/10 of an acre and will make your family a nice place to reside. This home offers a full size walk-out (unfinished) basement that can be made into a family room or den. Other amenities include hardwood floors, central heat/air, 1-car garage, plenty of storage space, storm shelter plus all appliances including washer/dryer and a wood stove hooked up in the duct work. M2399

Close to Everything! If you want a home in a central location, within walking distance to the city park and the schools and be close to everything... then you've got just that with this nice brick home. Home features 3 BR, 1 1/2 baths, 2,700 +/- sq. ft., a 1-car attached garage. Other amenities include KU electric, hardwood floors, appliances remain with home, cellar and huge living room. Asking only \$114,900. M2377

FUTURE AUCTIONS

Absolute Estate Auction of The Late Mr. Doug Reece's Executive Home and approx 6 acres
 Friday, September 26th - 6:00 p.m. - Moren Road, London, Ky
 Twilight Absolute Estate Auction of the late Mr. James Owens, Jr. Mobile Home and Lot
 Friday, September 26th at 6:30 p.m. - Lower Drive, Mt. Vernon, Ky
 Absolute Auction of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Combs' 30 Acres in Two Tracts
 Saturday, September 27th - 10:00 a.m. - Pilot Knob Cemetery Rd, Berea With Pennington Rest

Absolute Estate Auction of The Late Mrs. Alice Day's House and Lot - Personal Property
 Saturday, September 27th - 1:30 p.m. - Water Tank Hill, Brodhead, Ky

Absolute Auction of Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Whitaker's Mobile Home, Garage and Lot
 Saturday, September 27th - 10:30 a.m. - Caneey Branch Rd, Burnside, Ky

Absolute Auction of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Whitis' House and Lot & Extra Lot - Commercial Building & Lot
 Saturday, September 27th - 1:30 p.m. - 410 Broadway Street, Somerset

Two-Day Absolute Estate Auction of The Late Mrs. Sallie H. McMullin Marcum's Properties
 Friday, October 3rd at 6:00 p.m.
 Property 1: House and Lot on Stratford Drive, Richmond, Ky
 Saturday, October 4th
 Property 2: 280 Acres more or less - 10:00 a.m. Black Road, Richmond, Ky
 Property 3: 61 Acre Farm (As A Whole) - 12:00 Noon 3307 Colonel Road, Richmond, Ky
 Property 4: House and 13 Acres in Tracts - 2:00 p.m. 2761 Lexington, Road, Richmond, Ky

Absolute Auction of 15 Acres in Lots & Tracts
 Saturday, October 4th - 10:30 a.m. - Poole Road, Somerset, Ky

Absolute Auction of Mr. Tab Stricker's and Marla Lambdin's House & Lot
 Friday, October 10th at 5:30 p.m. - 9300 Mills Drive - Monticello, Ky

Doubleheader Absolute Estate Auction of The Late Homer and Gertrude Sims
 Saturday, October 11th - 10:00 a.m.
 Farm #1 - 14 Acres more or less in Tracts Silver Star Road, Somerset, Ky
 Farm #2 - 35 Acres more or less in Tracts Woodall Burdine Road, Somerset, Ky

Absolute Auction of Mr. Harvey Phelps' and Mr. Joe Phelps' 312 Acres in Tracts - House and Barn
 Saturday, October 11th at 10:00 a.m. - Larue Co, Ky

Auction of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas 'Benton' Miller's House and 20 Acres m/l in Two Tracts
 Saturday, October 11th at 2:00 p.m. 5038 S. Wilderness Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky

Great View! Near Cedar Creek Lake. 1 acre nearly level lot with restrictions. M2357.
Nice and convenient! Nice level lot in the city limits of Crab Orchard with water and sewer available. Just \$5,900. M2360
Need a Lot? These lots are being sold together for a total of 1.1 acres. This 1 acre lot offers electric, city water and a septic system. Located on Hook Road just minutes from Brodhead. Call today! M2373
Great Opportunity! Building lot located in Lear Crest Subdivision. This lot has blacktop roads, city water and underground utilities. Restricted for your convenience. Priced at only \$11,900. M2355
Let's Go Fishing! 1 acre lot on Boone Road, only one mile from Cedar Creek Lake. Lot has 208 feet of road frontage on a blacktop road. Mature trees with city water available. Doublewide are welcome! Call today and go fishing this summer! \$21,500. M2353
Lots Available! Now in the Lear Crest Subdivision. There are 8 lots to choose from so hurry to take your pick. M2346
Mobile Home Lots - These two cleared, level lots contain 1/2 acre +/- each, both h ave 130 feet of road frontage with city water available along Oak Drive. \$6,000 each. M2350A
Nice Lot - Nice 1/2 acre lot located in Lear Crest Subdivision. \$6,500. M2344
Make this your building site. - Measuring 0.73 of an acre this lot is located in Cedar Point Subdivision. \$6,500. M2345
They're Going Fast! - Conveniently located between I-75 and 461, there is over 100 restricted building lots in the newly developed Rainbow Ridge Subdivision. Newly blacktopped roads - city water - some lake views. Prices range between \$7,900 - \$16,900. M1798
Hwy. 461 - Pulaski County. Easy access to Somerset - Lake Cumberland and I-75. Spacious Lots - Restricted - City Water - Paved Streets - \$11,900 each. M1363
REDUCED! Investment Opportunity! Don't delay starting earning income today! 7 trailer lots in the Mt. Vernon city limits. City water, city sewer and KU electric. Included in this package is a separate lot located on T Street in Mt. Vernon... Lots of potential. Priced at \$50,000. M2169
Great Building Lots ...if you are looking for a nice building lot in the city limits of Mt. Vernon you have four to choose from! These lots range from 3/10 acre to 0.49 acre. Priced at \$9,000 each. Call for details. M2262
Some Timber. Property joins National Forest. Creek runs through this property. M2203
"A" Rated! Prime and almost perfect is the best way to describe these well-located lots! Located in exclusive neighborhood between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead on Highway 150, these restricted lots are ideal for your new dream home! Prices range between \$10,000 and \$14,500. A once-in-a-lifetime opportunity awaits you here! M1941
Lots! Lots! Lots! Several large country lots with a great view - Holbrook Estates in the Brindle Ridge section - Convenient to either Mt. Vernon or Berea. City water - Cable TV - lots range in size from 3/4 acre to 1 acre. M1796

Commercial PROPERTIES

Two large commercial lots measuring 68/100 each. 135 feet of road frontage on each with water and sewer and KU electric. \$69,900 each. M2402
Car Wash! Near McDonalds, Wendy's and KFC. Established 4-bay + automatic bay car wash. Partnership dissolving... motivated sellers. Financial records to qualified prospect. Priced at \$425,000. M2401
1 Acre - Commercially zoned. Excellent location for any type of business. M2366
REDUCED! Renfro Valley, KY 4 acres +/-, an excellent commercial site. There is plenty of road frontage on US 25, property has city water and sewer available. Owners may consider dividing. M2177
1/2 Mile from I-75 - Tracts ranging from 3/4 acre to 4 acres - good visibility - high traffic count - city water and sewer available. M1772
Strategically Located! Commercial property measuring 6.3 acres near the intersection of Hwy. 150 and Hwy. 27. Property has city water and city sewer with good traffic count. \$325,000. M2390

Don't Miss Out! This country home is definitely worth looking at. The home has an open living area with a living room. Kitchen and dining room combined on the main level. There's also a master bedroom suite and an extra bath on the main level. The second story has two bedrooms, a bath and a loft that overlooks the living room. The walk-out basement has approximately 1000 sq. ft. and with a restroom that has been plumbed and a wood stove for back-up heat. M2348

Convenient! This property is convenient to Berea or Mt. Vernon. Property consists of 2 Bedrooms and 2 Baths with a Dining room/Kitchen combo, central heat and air measures 16x60. This singlewide mobile home may be just the place for you! Call for your showing today! M2374

Gorgeous! This newly built home is absolutely gorgeous and is situated on a nice lot in the Lear Crest Subdivision. Features include 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, living room, dining room, kitchen and utility room. This is a newly built two-story home with central heat and air, with a deck that measures 12x16. Close to Berea, Brodhead and Mt. Vernon. Call today! M2385

Hear Ye, Hear Ye! In the city limits, ranch style brick home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, central heat/air, KU electric. Kitchen appliances included, landscaped well with a 16x20 pond and waterfall. Two storage buildings with property. M2388.

Nice Home With Acreage - This vinyl sided home is situated on 6.07 acres +/- and features a living room, dining/kitchen combo, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, an office and utility closet. Other amenities include central heat/air, city water, septic system and enclosed porch. Plus a detached garage. M2408

Manicured 44 Acre working cattle farm. Property has 4 springs, new fencing, one pond, a barn/garage combination. There's a cattle working pen fenced with guard rails. Beautiful cedar siding ranch home with large porch and a full basement (partially finished), 2 Bedrooms, 3 Baths, with laminate and tile flooring. This property is absolutely gorgeous. M2370

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For Rent: Historic Leroy School Bldg., 5219 Hwy. 461. 2 bedrooms, large living area, small office or sitting room. Furnished. Excellent references required. 606-261-6677. 44x2p

For Rent: 3BR home in Maple Grove area. Central heat and air, 2 fireplaces, front porch, back patio, quiet community. Absolutely no pets. References and background check required. \$475 month plus deposit. 859-621-2506. 45x1

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Duplex For Rent in Brodhead. 2BR, washer/

dryer, dishwasher. Call Amy Nicely at 256-8700. 44xntf

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 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments. Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. Equal Housing Opportunity, TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 36tfn

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. 45x2

Property For Sale

For Sale: 2 bedroom house, 1 bath, kitchen/dining room combo, living room, city water. \$25,000. Serious inquiries only. 606-256-0751 or 606-453-3002. 38xntf

Land For Sale at Rainbow Ridge Subdivision. This level lot is perfect for a home. It is a little over 1/2 acre. Has KU electric. Call 256-8708. 44x2p

For Sale: House for sale by owner. 185 Woodland Place Mount Vernon, KY 40456. 3 BR-1 1/2 BA- Large Den. 1/2 acre plus-\$98,000 Firm. Inquire or leave message at 308-2738 or 256-5244. 42x4

For Sale: 16x80 trailer. 1/2 acre lot, carport, newly remodeled, off of Freedom School Rd. \$28,000.00. 859-333-3327. 44x4.

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For Sale: Mobile home lots, located in Sunnyside Mobile Home Park. 1.2 acre lots - \$500 down and \$100 per month. Call 606-256-5692 or 606-256-5648. 43xntf

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 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

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.

Posted: No trespassing on property known as C.B. Owens Farm across from Fairgrounds in Brodhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 25tfn

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property owned by 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

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8 C. VALLEY DRIVE - Beautiful meadow in front on this wooded tract. This tract has several home sites and lots of privacy. 10+ acres. Wildlife, trees and tons of nature to explore and enjoy. 10 minutes from Berea and I-75. Utilities are at the blacktop road. Doublewides are welcome. \$95,000

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Posted

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: No trespassing. No ATVs on property belonging to Carla Whitaker Carpenter and

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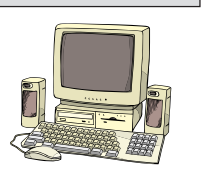
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For Sale: 1999 4WD Suburban, just 87K, \$6,800; 2007 model 14x7x7 enclosed trailer - like new, \$3,800; 1964 Ford dump truck, only 39K, \$2,500; 2000 Chevy, 4WD, \$8,500; 2000 F250 Super Duty Diesel, 4DR, 6 Spd, club cab, \$8,700; 1989 Dodge camper van, \$4,800. Also several farm tractors and equipment. Several riding lawn mowers. 606-256-4739 or 606-308-4739. 45x1p

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Notices

Notice: Child care available in Chestnut Ridge area. M-F. Call 256-0538. 45x1

Notice: Whoever wrecked last week on the Brush Creek Road, around 2 a.m., please come back and put my post back and fix my fence at the 2 mile marker. Wyoma Smith. 45x1

Notice is hereby given that Virginia K. Newland, 1635 Spiro Rd., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Betty C. Castro on the 15th day of September, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Virginia K. Newland or to Hon. John D.

Ford, 45 East Main St., P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before March 16, 2009 at 11 a.m. 44x3

Notice is given that Linda Durham of HC 63, Box 54A, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has filed a periodic settlement of her accounts as guardian of Austin Scott Stewart, a minor. A hearing on said settlement will be held October 3, 2008 at 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 45x1

Notice is given that Linda Durham of HC 63, Box 54A, Orlando, Ky. 40460 has filed a periodic settlement of her accounts as guardian of Alexis Danielle Stewart, a minor. A hearing on said settlement will be held October 13, 2008, 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 45x1

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 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 having 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. 44x2

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Yard Sale: Sat., Sept. 27. 532 Barnett Road off Purr Rigsby Road. 3 family. 9 a.m. to ? Baby clothes, prom dresses, glassware, misc.

Yard Sale: Sat., Sept. 27 on old U.S. 25 across from new fire dept. 8 a.m. to ? Clothes, furniture, antiques, etc.

Yard Sale: 2 families. Sept. 25 and 26, home of David and Juanita Creech, 85 Tevis St., Mt. Vernon. From Richmond St., turn beside Peoples Bank, turn right between 4th and 5th house. Signs will be posted.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Public Service Commission of Kentucky has issued an order on August 22, 2008 scheduling the hearing to be held on October 7, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. (Eastern Daylight time) in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard in Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examining witnesses in Case No. 2008-00285 which is An Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Kentucky Utilities Company from November 1, 2007 through April 30, 2008. Kentucky Utilities Company 220 West Main Street Louisville, Kentucky 40202

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Phase I Cost Share Sign Up

Farm and Home News

Tom Mills

Rockcastle County Extension Office

Applications for the 2008 Phase I Cost Share program are now available at the Extension Office on West Main Street. Deadline for completing application is October 15th.

This year's program will offer 5 areas on a menu approach. Up to \$2500 dollars total Cost Share will be available and farmers can choose between different areas all on one application.

Cattle Handling is to assist beef and dairy farmers construct alley ways and catch chutes to safely handle animals while performing herd health procedures. For farmers with good facilities, they may want to develop a weaning area or bull lot.

Cattle Genetic Improvement is to assist beef and dairy producers purchase Superior EPD bulls. Replacements from high EPD bulls help improve herd productivity.

Dairy Diversification assist dairy farmers improve their facilities. This includes equipment around the milk house,

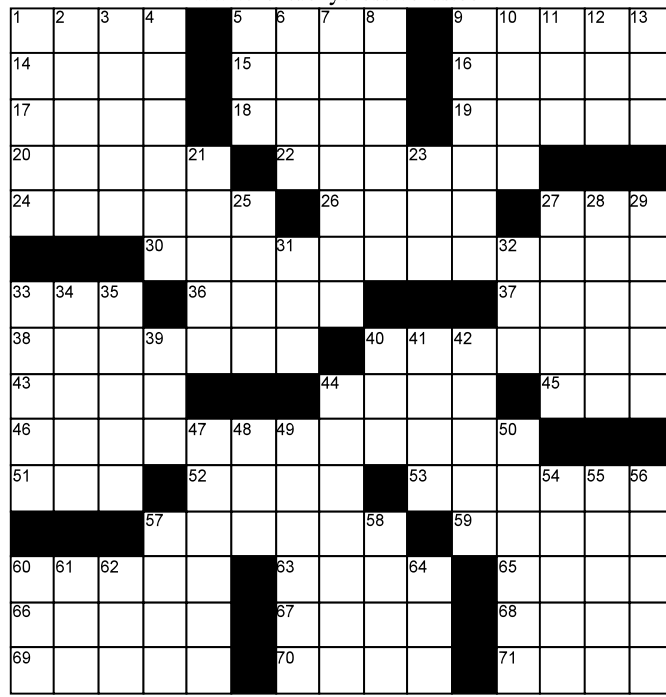
free stall barn and feeding area. Forage Improvement is for new seeding Alfalfa and red clover with grass for hay production. Certified or PVP varieties with higher production records are required. UK Soil test are also required to determine the level of lime and fertilizer applied. This program DOES NOT help lime and fertilize pasture.

Hay and Commodity Storage buildings are to assist farmers in protecting large round hay bales from weather damage. Commodity storage is to help farmers purchase feed in bulk by having a place to store several tons.

The 5 program areas will follow published guidelines from the Kentucky Agriculture Development Board. Approved applicants will be reimbursed 50/50 on eligible items NOT to exceed \$2500 per farm. Applications received by October 15th will be scored and ranked by a producer survey. Approved applicants will be notified by early November.

Kentucky Crossword # 381

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ACROSS

- 1 Jacket
- 5 Audition tape
- 9 Mercury
- 14 Church alcove
- 15 Outlined
- 16 Mud or Little Sandy in KY
- 17 Pro ___
- 18 Khakis
- 19 Hot embers
- 20 Small amounts
- 22 Wooded: Var.
- 24 An excess of KY's is Pennsylvanian
- 26 Foreboding
- 27 Amazement
- 30 Kentucky author of "Kinfolks"
- 33 Melancholy
- 36 KY's largest and easternmost county
- 37 In the center of
- 38 Cumberland or Pennyroyal in KY
- 40 Like the rivalry between EKV and WKU
- 43 100 cents
- 44 Hair holder
- 45 Former KY Gov. Edward T. Breathitt, Jr.
- 46 Kentuckian, Truman's vice president
- 51 Kentuckian, country singer Billy ___
- 52 "Piece of cake!"
- 53 Kentuckian, center of the famous "monkey" trial
- 57 Getting on in years
- 59 Characterizing the Mammoth Cave

- region of KY
- 60 Childrens nurses
- 63 Proton's place
- 65 Knott Co. area, or flying toy
- 66 Kentuckian Nathan Stubblefield's discovery?
- 67 Back of the neck
- 68 Maple genus
- 69 ___ a high note
- 70 Seattle __, 1977 Triple Crown Winner
- 71 Insignificant

DOWN

- 1 U of L athletes
- 2 Abstract creation
- 3 Moving
- 4 Beverage starter
- 5 Banned pesticide
- 6 Baseball stats
- 7 Original home county of Kentucky
- 8 KY county, its seat named for Daniel Boone
- 9 He rode five Kentucky Derby winners
- 10 Henderson Co. area, or paradise
- 11 Spawn
- 12 ___ Aviv
- 13 Mins. and mins.
- 21 Hot compress
- 23 Kentuckian, award-winning director Gus ___
- 25 Opera solo
- 27 Jordan's capital
- 28 Ralph of "The Waltons"
- 29 Shut down
- 31 KY univ. at Highland Heights
- 32 Traitor
- 33 Asparagus unit
- 34 Birds "thumb"
- 35 Famous KY horse farm, ___ Dan
- 39 Shoe part
- 40 Kind
- 41 Bids zero
- 42 Adair Co. area, or small spot
- 44 Kentuckian, country singer Gayle
- 47 County of "My Old Kentucky Home"
- 48 Spoiled
- 49 Some Russians
- 50 Kentuckian, country singer Dwight
- 54 Kentuckian, comic Kenny
- 55 Banana oil, e.g.
- 56 Firewood measure
- 57 Cities along this waterway include Maysville and Paducah
- 58 Louisville distillery that opened in 1815 as one of the nation's largest
- 60 "___ you kidding?"
- 61 Jesse Stuart's "___ With a Bull"
- 62 Tongued Plow"
- 63 Combine
- 64 Kitten's cry



SOLUTION TO KY 381

Fish rides to Alaska

(Cont. from B1)

try market where he stopped to get gas. He had been riding a long time that day but he said he felt pretty good and he told the man at the gas station that he was going to ride until about dusk.

Fish, who was in Alaska in late June, said the man laughed and told him that if he planned to ride until dusk, he would be on the road until September.

Fish had made it far enough North into the polar region of Alaska, that he was in the home of the Midnight Sun.

The Midnight Sun is the time during which the sun remains visible in the sky for 24 hours, occurring in the polar regions, from March 21 to September 23rd.

After Fish learned that he wouldn't be able to ride until dusk, the man offered him a log cabin for the night "The cabin didn't have any electricity or running water, but I was sure glad to get it. He only charged me \$20 and, considering where I was and the fact I had been paying anywhere from \$90 to \$140 a night for a room, I more than appreciated it," Fish said

Fish spent a full six days in Alaska where he took several side trips off the Alaskan Highway, the Richardson Highway and the Dalton Highway.

Fish made his way to just South of Prudhoe Bay where

the Trans-Alaska pipeline begins and from where oil flows through an 800 mile long pipeline to the port of Valdez.

Fish said that at one point he estimated he was only 150 miles south of the North Pole.

Fish said as he got farther north the roads got worse and, at times, he could only travel a top speed of about 30 miles an hour.

He said roadways were snow and ice covered and in such bad condition that even his 2007 Kawasaki Vulcan would bottom out.

"A storm was coming off the Arctic Ocean and blowing the bike all over the place. Everyone said it was going to be really bad in the area the next day, so I headed the bike south."

Fish, who had been to Canada in the late 60s to Moose Hunt but never been to Alaska, said his trip this summer was an experience that he would treasure for the rest of his life

"I had planned to go to Alaska in 1951, when I was 17 to get a job working on the roads up there. But my father got sick and I had to stay with the family," Fish said

His father, James Albert Fish, died in 1952 when Fish was 18. That was the same year he married his bride, Jean Anderkin.

Some 56 years later, Fish did something probably no other Rockcastle countian has ever done.

He traveled "North to Alaska, alone and on a motorcycle. Vincent said this week that he was looking forward to his next motorcycle ride to Alaska when he turns 90.

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