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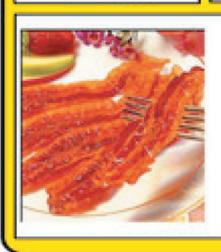
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The home of Karen Dobbs on State Road at Conway was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday afternoon. Fire departments from Brindle Ridge, Brodhead, Mt. Vernon, and Berea all responded to the scene. Smoke and flames from the fire could be seen from U.S. 25.

## Rockcastle men return from Iraq

They were escorted home by police cruisers, fire trucks and they deserved it. Two Rockcastle men were escorted into Mt Vernon last Wednesday after spending seven months in Iraq as members of the National Guard's 617th MP company.

Chris Bishop, 39 and Jeff Parker, 24, both of Mt. Vernon are with their families for the first time since May and, during the seven months they were gone, Jeff had to welcome his first child, Emma Grace, via Skype during the latter part of November.

Both men, who roomed together in Iraq, served as MPs in Iraq, guarding upper command personnel and training Iraqi troops. They are both very glad to be

Parker, who is married to the former Kayla Cameron, has now been in the military 6 1/2 years and says he is not sure of his future with the military but will prob-

# London man killed on I-75

A London man was killed on Interstate-75 south, near the 57 mile marker, on Thursday, December 23rd around

According to a news release from the Kentucky State Police, Perry Eric Carlton, 30, of London was heading home from Richmond when he lost control of his 2006 Pontiac and crashed into the cable barrier. Police say his wife was driving in another car right behind him when she saw the crash and pulled over to the shoulder of the road. Carlton

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ably not reup when his present enlistment runs out in 2014.

However, Bishop, who did not join the guards until he was 36, says he is looking to further his career in the military and hopes his two sons will take an interest in the profession but "it's a decision they will have to make themselves," the A-4 Specialist said. As to his military service, Bishop said, "It has made me look at things a lot differently in a more positive way."

Chris worked at the Bluegrass Army Depot before his enlistment but his department moved out and he would have had to relocate to keep his job. That was when he made the decision to enlist saying it was something he had always wanted to do.

"My wife has been so supportive, along with the rest of my family, and I really appreciate that," he

The two men have until March before they have to

Richmond and will be serving one week end a month and two weeks in the summer until another hot spot in the world calls for their deployment. Both think it's unikely they will be sent to Afghanistan.

report back to their unit in

Jeff, the son of Bonnie Parker of Mt. Vernon and Jeff Parker of Berea, plans to resume his job as a Mt. Vernon City Policeman in late January. When asked his opinion as to the Iraqi troops' readiness to assume the role of defending their country, Jeff said the Iraqi troops were capable enough but whether they will or not is another story. "They are very smart about tactics," he said, "and, we helped them by giving them all the tools they need."

Chris, who has been very busy since his return home enjoying Christmas with his entire family, hunting with his buddies and then getting away to Tennessee with family and friends for a few days, is married to the former Sabrina Mink and they have two sons, Dakota, 12 and Dustin, a sophomore at Somerset Community College. He is the son of David and Barbara Bishop of Brodhead.

"I want to thank the people of Mt. Vernon for welcoming us home the way they did, it was very touching," Bishop said.

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# One arrested after break-in at Dollar Store in Brodhead

By: Sara Coguer

A Lincoln County woman was arrested and charged with burglary, third degree, after attempting a break-in at the Brodhead Dollar Store early Saturday morning. According to the Rockcastle Sheriff's office, Deedra

Shipp, 22, of Stanford, had allegedly broken the glass to the front door of the store when a resident in the area heard the commotion and called 911. The resident was able to give a description of the car to police, and Sheriff's Deputy Joe Rush, who was actually already in Brodhead responding to the burglar alarm at Brodhead Pharmacy, immeditely responded to the attempted break-in.

Rush spotted the vehicle and chased it along Hwy. 150 into Lincoln County before getting the vehicle stopped. Rush and Deputy Ronnie Bradley, Sr. arrested Shipp and charged her with burglary, 3rd degree, fleeing and evading police, possession of burglary tools, and operating on a suspended license.

Another arrest in the case was expected after press time Wednesday. Deputy Joe Rush is continuing the investiga-

By private group

## Plans underway for purchase of **Cedar Rapids**

In an effort to keep Cedar Rapids Recreation Center operating for the citizens of the county, a group of current and former members have joined together to purchase the facility, located on Hwy. 2750 (former U.S. 150).

The recreation center has been the center of much controversy recently. In October, County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis introduced a motion to the fiscal court to purchase the property and make it a county-owned facility open to the public. His first motion failed without the votes of magistrates Lee Earl Adams, Bill McKinney and William (Cont. to pg. 10)

## Mt. Vernon woman robbed in parking lot at Fayette Mall

A Mt. Vernon woman was robbed Monday, Dec. 26, 2011 in the Fayette Mall parking lot while taking packages to

Pamela Martin, of Mt. Vernon, told reporters, "I just started walking back to my van. It was some distance away, and I was just screaming, 'I've been robbed."

The incident occurred outside of Dillard's. Martin said she was concentrating on putting her packages in the back

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## Soldiers return home from Iraq

Chris Bishop and Jeff Parker are shown above during their deployment in Baghdad, Iraq. The men, members of the National Guard, were among the very last forces out of Iraq and actually turned local operations over to the Iraqi military. At left, Parker holds his new daughter, Emma Grace, for the very first time since being home.

# A look back at what made news in 2011

By: Sara Coguer

An election, state championship, census results and deeply discussed proposal dominated the headlines in 2011. Here is a look back at all of the events that kept our attention from January through June of last year.

January saw new County Clerk Danetta Ford being sworn in, as well as incumbent County Judge Buzz Carloftis and a fiscal court with two new members, Lee Earl Adams from District 1 and Garry Burdette from District 4.

Changes to the Renfro Valley Post Office were announced, with the closing of the old post office in the village. The new Community Post Office opened inside the Kentucky Music Hall of

The Rockcastle County Board of Education accepted the resignation of their board counsel, Jerry

Michael Allen, 29, of Mt. Vernon was sentenced to 24 years in prison after pleading guilty to Manslaughter, Second Degree and Assault Second Degree in a vehicle collision that killed Juanita Davis and injured her granddaughter

RCHS Girls Head Coach Chrysti Noble got her 400th win against the Clay County Tigers. In February, a misun-

derstanding during a phone call to the Rockcastle Animal Shelter led to an outcry and adoption of over 53 of its occupants in a two day period.

The U.S. Forest Service's plan to commercially log and spray herbicides in areas above Climax Spring and other national forest lands drew sharp

criticism from several local residents, who voiced their concerns at a meeting in

early February. Kentucky Education Commissioner Terry Holliday, visited RCHS, RCMS and the vocational school in an effort to visit each school district in the

state. UK Football Coach Joker Phillips was a no show as guest speaker at the annual Farmers-Business Banquet. UK Offensive Lineman and former Rockcastle County graduate Brad Durham, who was originally slated to introduce Phillips, filled in for him and spoke about his accomplishments and the importance of good leadership.

The Proctor family of Rockcastle County travelled to the National Institute for Health and was given news

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## Of Special Note Inside

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## Ramblings . . . by: Sara Anderkin Coguer, Editor As you read this week's

Ramblings, I will be safely ensconced back into my comfort zone - teaching. This will be my last Ramblings as Editor at the Signal, but don't be sad for me. I truly believe teaching is a calling, and for the life of me, I cannot get it out of my system. I saw an opportunity to go back to doing what I love and I took it. Life is too short to work at something that doesn't make you completely happy.

I realized about six months ago that I am not cut out for the world of journalism. Believe it or not, I am a huge introvert and that is not a good thing to be as a reporter. I always hated bugging people to give me information I needed to write a story, although most of the time they were very nice and helpful and assured me I wasn't bugging them. Yeah, right. But they were kind nonetheless.

I have learned a lot about myself this past year, and this has been a great experience, just not one I think I can sustain for the next twenty years until Jason and I retire. Paige warned me that the curse of the weekly newspaper business is that time flies and Monday always come again with another edition to have to fill. You never feel as if you have accomplished anything! However, I do feel that I accomplished several things in my personal life this year.

I learned that snow days and summer's off are good things, and I learned that I live in a great community with people who really do care about our little corner of the world and want to do

editor at 256-2244.

what is best for it. I am in awe of the civic-minded folks who are trying to improve the state of our lives, who really do believe in and more importantly work for, the greater good.

I would like to say I am like that, but the truth is I can barely keep my head together long enough to try to improve my own family's state, let alone worry about the state of our community. Not a good line of thinking for a mouthpiece of the community.

I learned that small town politics are really no different than those statewide and across the country. It is only on a smaller scale - but not less important, and to those who get a kick out of being involved, good for you. I just don't get a kick out it.

If I can improve the lives of my students, even in a small way, that is enough for me. If I can teach young folks in this county that they are better than they are mostly perceived throughout the state, and it's true - I have seen it firsthand, then I believe I have accomplished something. I truly believe that I can have more of an impact in teaching, and this is where my heart lies.

Mom wanted me to assure everyone that I am not going back to teaching because working with her and Paige was more than I could handle, haha, and this is definitely true. It has been a pleasure working with my mom and sister every day, and if all I had to do was write my Ramblings – I'm your gal. However, as it was my duty to go out and in-

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Thanks for the Memories Happy New Year to all of my faithful readers.

Having completed six full years (305 columns) for the Mt. Vernon Signal, I find this the opportune time to express my gratitude to the many individuals who have assisted me in bringing "Rockcastle Memories" to life. There are many of them, but I shall attempt to

First of all, I would like to thank my wife, who helped convince me that I had the ability to tell my stories for publication. For my first column, it was she who suggested that I begin with the story of me working in my Dad's chicken house simply because she had heard it told so many times. And, I should not forget to mention that she has assisted me by editing each story.

My brother Al and his wife, Eva, have been an invaluable source of details, names, and places in and around Rockcastle County. Eva alone is a genealogical expert - she knows everyone; she knows who their daddies are; she knows who their granddaddies are; and she also knows their cousins. It is astonishing. Al, of course, was able to supply forgotten details about life on our small family farm.

Bud and Shirley Cox who have been my most loyal supporters - have provided me with ideas for stories and with details that I had forgotten. My life-long friends have encouraged me from day one.

I could never forget to mention Marty Cox, who was one of my closest friends during my years at MVHS. She has continued her role as cheerleader only this time it has been "Go, Dave, go!" instead of "Go, Red Devils, go!"

Several of my friends, who were in my class at MVHS, have been very supportive over the years concerning my weekly column. Some of them include: Charles Shivel, Sam Barnes, Mattie Petrey, Bill Croucher, Charlotte Loudermilk, Virginia Rose McBee, Sandy Murrell, Gary Coffee, and Sharon Burton.

Other friends that were slightly older than me also have continued to support my writing endeavors. They include: Nancy O'Neal, Patsy Barnett, Robert Cummins, Gary Foster, Jimmy Lambert, Bobby Harper, Charles Hensley, Mary Ellen Rhoney, Bonne Crowe, Michael Hunt, Faye Cummins, Oscar Fain, and Lloyd Fain. Lloyd and I put many miles on my old '58 Chevy.

There are just too many readers that have kept in touch to list. I average 75 contacts (emails - letters -

phone calls) each week. I have received 150 contacts on a couple of my favorite articles. I am so thrilled to hear from each of you.

May the Lord grant you a blessed and prosperous

## **Points East** By Ike Adams



Late yesterday afternoon, an hour or so before dark, Loretta and I ventured from Paint Lick to Berea on Highway 21. We rounded the

bend that brings us up to what I call, the big bottom and there they were. The most wild turkeys I have The Roots of Rockcastle

by: Tonya J. Cook Landmark Restaurant Has Become a Memory to Sarah Kirby-Harris Part II

Now that the holidays are past and life is getting back to normal, the Roots series will focus on resuming where we left off in the last column. The last column looked at the early life and times of Sarah Kirby-Harris. As a teen, she began work at the local landmark restaurant, the Belly Acres.

The Belly Acres Restaurant began in the mid- to late-40s in Renfro Valley. Sarah seems to recall that one of the Renfro Valley performers, Lil Eller, founded the restaurant. In the rear of the eatery there stood a series of small cabins that were rented to the tourists that flocked to the music shows. Sarah helped clean the cabins as well as waitress at the restaurant.

The restaurant changed owners periodically. There were people from "out west"that bought it; then at one time, Jack Albright from Brodhead owned it.

Sarah remembers working there on hot, sultry days when there was no air conditioning. In those days, although the weather was hot people didn't seem to mind because nobody had air conditioning, so they had no idea what they were missing. They were thankful to just have a fan.

Saturday nights were especially crowded. Renfro Valley was putting out three or four shows a night. The Saturday night shows featured such performers as Al Ballinger, Pete Stamper, The Coon Creek Girls, Red Foley, Lil Eller, and locals. Sunday mornings showcased a religious meeting with music and singing. John Lair usually spoke about half an hour or so, along with the musical portion that lasted about an hour. The program was broadcast live on the local radio station.

The restaurant had a variety of food on the menu. There were various soups,

cottage cheese and tomato, chicken livers, fried chicken, t-bone steaks, burgers, and a variety of other cuisines, as Sarah recalls. They were reasonably priced, according to the economy of the day. It was remembered as a "nice place that was pretty big" in size.

She worked with Beth

Stephens and Lucy Hurd.

After graduation, Sarah went to Indiana to find work. She worked for a time at Westinghouse, and later as an operator for AT&T Indiana Bell, the phone company where she retired after twenty-three years of service. Things sure have changed since waiting tables at the Belly Acres for eleven dollars a week, plus tips. She met her husband,

James Richard Harris, in Indianapolis. They have been married forty years. She has one daughter, Tonya, a granddaughter, April, and a great grandson, Brandon. James and Sarah live in

Indiana, but have a house in the Fairview section of Rockcastle County. They come back for family visits, and class- and family-reunions as often as possible. Even after all these years, her first job at the Belly Acres Restaurant and all of the memories about it hold a special place in Sarah's heart.

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ever seen in one place at the same time.

We are quite accustomed to seeing a flock of 30 or so turkeys somewhere in a field along the way and such sightings are usually miles apart. We have shot so many photographs of them that I don't even bother having a camera in my lap anymore but I keep my eyes peeled because I enjoy the sightings. This time however, I wished I'd had my camera ready because this was no run of the mill flock

The big bottom is, by my estimation, ten or fifteen acres. It was literally covered with turkeys; so many that it was impossible to do anything near an accurate head count, but at least 200 and probably more. As far as I could tell they were thinning the winter wheat that some farmer had sowed or maybe they were caucusing to select a Republican nominee for President. We all know that the party needs something viable to put on the ticket with the other turkeys come election day.

Desperate times call for desperate means. A feathered bird would, at least, be more authentic and probably get more votes than any of the current front runners.

Speaking of desperation. I used to hunt wild turkeys. I spent over \$600 on a shotgun set up specifically for turkey hunting. I decked myself out in camo, blackened my face, wrapped my shotgun in camo and looked pretty much, by my estimation, like a tree stump when I sat down. I practiced calling turkeys for hours on end with a variety of calls. Loretta has run me out of the house on numerous occasions as I tried to learn to gobble in the living room.

Opening morning of the spring gobbler season would find me crouched, a hour before dawn, at the edge of Junior Helton's big woods.

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Rockcastle Shaolin Do on Main St. had several students pass their rank advancement test December 15th. These students have practiced and worked very hard for this test. All 21 students that tested, including both kids and adults, passed into their next rank. New classes will be starting this January for both kids and adults. Anyone interested in signing up can call (859) 588-8905 for more information. Students are pictured from top row from left: Steve Caudill, Tony Mazurek, Josh Stallsworth, John Hendrickson, John Wells, Teddy Stallsworth, Jeremiah Caudill, Alyssa Rodefer, Whitney Rodefer, Victoria Lanham and Master Robert Nantz. Middle row from left: Hayden Robinson, Aubrey Smith, Haley Bullock, Jenna Wells, Devona Smith, Damian Smith, Mindy Winstead and Lydia Zaring. Front row from left: Head Instructor Master Eric Bullock, Brianna McClure, Xander Fletcher, Isaiah Owens, Chazdin Kidd, Carson King, Lazarus Kidd, Jacob Mason, Kaden Fletcher, Asa Gardner Smith, and Kids Class Instructor Cassie Mullins.

## Yates places 1st in two swim events

Laurel Yates, 9, recently competed in the Clippers Halloween Swim Meet in Erlanger, and the Wildcats Autumn Classic in Lexington, where she placed 1st place in Breast Stroke for her age group. She also competed in six other events including butterfly,



freestyle, back stroke and individual medley where she placed in the top four places in all events. Laurel is currently ranked in the top ten swimmers in Kentucky in three events based on her individual times.

Laurel is swimming for Colonel Aquatics Swim Team out of Richmond. Colonel Aquatics (ColA) is a competitive swim club, a member of USA & Kentucky Swimming, and is governed according to the rules of both organizations. ColA is coached by Avery Adams. For more information on how to join ColA visit website adress www.colonelaquatics.com

Laurel is the daughter of John and Amy Yates of Mt.

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Rockcastle County is now offering a recycling drop-off program. Recyclables may be dropped off at the Rockcastle County Recycling Center on US 25 South (2528 South Wilderness Rd.) during the hours of 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. Monday thru Friday (closed major holidays).

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Recycling trailers are also available at the following locations: City of Brodhead (gravel lot across from Citizens Bank), City of Livingston (gravel lot across from old Livingston Gymnasium), Brindle Ridge Volunteer Fire Department (at Conway) and at the Pongo Volunteer Fire Department. The trailers will only be pulled out to empty them and will then be taken back to the same location. Please help us make this a successful venture by being clean and/or neat with our recycling habits. Do not put anything in the individual bins except what is labeled on them. Do not leave recyclables on the ground! If you drop something on the ground, pick it up. Absolutely no trash is to be put into the bins! Remember, camera surveillance is utilized in Rockcastle County and it is illegal to improperly to dispose

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We want to congratulate Starla and Kandace on their most recent accomplishment. On Decembe 17, 2011, they graduated Eastern Kentucky University with a bachelor degree in elementary education.

We pray for their happiness and success. We love you much, your family

#### "Points East"

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hunkered down and with slate or box calls between my legs and crow or owl calls between my lips pretending I was wild bird.

Male turkeys will often gobble on the roost if they hear an owl or crow nearby so imitating those birds is a good way to locate them and sneak in closer. After daybreak, I would switch off to my prize turkey calls and try to imitate a horny hen turkey. I actually bagged a few tom turkeys over the years before I discovered that the meat had about the same consistency as the leather and laces in my boots. Since I don't believe in harvesting game that I can't eat, I gave up my turkey hunting habit nearly 30 years ago.

I have given most of my collector box calls to my nephew and a few friends. I still have my Browning semi-automatic 12 gauge magnum shotgun that kicks like a mule (my late Uncle Willie would say it killed on both ends) but I intend to sell it before season opens this spring. I don't have a thing against turkey hunting unless it is the dozen or so Miller's place and peck on the glass around his patio demanding corn. I realize that it's an oxymoron but Miller's wild turkeys are tame and anything but

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Nor could I, even if I knew it would be as tender and juicy as a Thanksgiving butterball, bring myself to shoot one of the convention gathered last evening in the big bottom. The huntergatherer instinct has completely left me.

But do get in touch with me if you are looking a top of the line turkey gun and you are willing to promise you will cook and eat anything you shoot with it.

#### "Ramblings"

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form the citizens of our county about all the happenings going on - or not on a lot of occasions, which was even harder, I am not up to the task. You have to have a fire for it, and I don't even have a starter flame.

I will still write the occasional Ramblings, because I have enjoyed your feedback about the column, and I really do love to write and tell stories. I really do appreciate your kind words of encouragement, they have meant a lot to me. I sincerely mean that.

I will forever be compared to my dear, late brother, Rick, and knowing what I know now about this business, I am in even more awe of how he did this, day in and day out for so many years. I know I come up way short in the comparison, and that is okay. I still have enjoyed my time as Editor, and will always remember your kind words of encouragement.

Have a safe and blessed

#### "Roots"

(Cont. from Pg. 2) Sarah's brother, G. E., died

in Indianapolis. Her parents went to Fairview Baptist, then to Roundstone Baptist, not

Brodhead Baptist. Delia Barnett didn't own the restaurant. She only worked there, then started

her store. The information in this column has not been researched or documented in

Remember that I'm looking for good stories about the county, people and the events in their lives. I may be contacted at therootsofrockcastle@windstream.net

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The Mt. Vernon Garden Club is planning a bus tour to Charleston, SC April 16-20th. Cost is \$589 per person double occupancy and registration deadline is February 15th. The tour will leave from Mt. Vernon. Come and enjoy the fun! For more details, call Paul or Chrlene Dailey (606) 256-3815.

#### Climax Fire Dept. Training Classes

The CVFD will hold two more fireman training classes in January. All classes will be held at the county courthouse in the CSEPP conference room. The first class will be Friday, January 6th at 6p.m. - Extinguishers and Ventilation. On Friday, January 20th, also at 6 p.m., a class will be taught on ladders and salvage overhaul. For more information, call Dennis Clark at 606-256-3257.

#### CCFFG Meeting

Concerned Citizens For Fair Government (CCFFG) will hold their next regular meeting Thursday, Dec. 19th at 6 p.m. on the third floor of the courthouse. There will be an election of officers. Please use rear entrance.

#### **Books for Bikes**

Registration will be held January 2-28 for the Ninth Annual Books for Bikes: Reading for Wheels at Rockcastle County Public Library. Call 256-2388 for more informa-

#### **Group Fitness Classes**

Come join our Group Fitness Classes at the Russel Acton Folk Center in Berea on Monday - Thursday evenings at 5:45 p.m. There will be Beginners Cardio Tone, Zumba, Boot Camp or Cycling. Call Berea Parks & Recreation for more details 986-9402.

#### Movin' Mondays

Monday's with Maggy is now called Movin' Mondays and includes awesome after school activities at Shannon Johnson Elementary from 2:45 to 3:45 p.m. for 3rd-5th grades. Call 986-9402 for more info.

#### **Toddler Tuesdays**

Toddler Tuesdays will begin Jan. 10th and be held every Tuesday through February with free themed activites each week at the Russell Acton Folk Center from 10 a.m. to noon. Call 986-9402 for more information.

#### VFW News

VFW Post 5908 is open Sunday thru Tuesday and Friday and Saturday from 5 to 7 p.m. (closed Wednesday and Thursday) for members, their guests and all other military members who would like to come and visit. The monthly meeting is every 4th Thursday at 7 p.m.

#### **Kiwanis Club Meetings** The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at

noon at Smokehouse Restaurant in Renfro Valley. Everyone welcome. **Brodhead Lodge Meeting** 

#### The Brodhead Masonic Lodge #556 meets every third

Saturday at 7 p.m. on Main Street in Brodhead above Brodhead Pharmacy.

#### **Historical Society Hours**

The Rockcastle Historical Society is open on Mondays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the RTEC garage building. **RCIDA Meetings** 

The Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority holds its regular meeting the first Monday of each month at noon on the third floor of the courthouse.

#### **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**

A Women's Narcotics Anonymous Meeting is held 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.

# Obituaries



#### Jackie McKinney

Jackie McKinney, 58,

husband of Brenda of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, January 1st, 2012 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born February 23, 1953 in Somerset, a son of Clarice Todd McKinney and the late Arthur Joplin McKinney. On June 9th, 1973, he married Brenda Sue Osborne and from that union came one son, Joshua. He was an employee at Okonite for 33 years. He loved his grandchildren and enjoyed fishing for crappie, drag racing and seeing the container ships in Savannah River. He was a member of Wildie Christian Church.

He is survived by: his wife, Brenda Sue Osborne McKinney of Mt. Vernon; one son, Joshua (Nikki) McKinney of Mt. Vernon; four brothers, Danny (Betty Jo) McKinney of Brodhead, Bill (Carolyn) McKinney of Brodhead, Jimmy (Jean) McKinney of Lexington, and Darrell McKinney of Brodhead; two sisters, Joyce (Genis Ray) Burdine and Bonnie (Novice) Gentry, all of Ottawa; two grandchildren, Ella Grayce McKinney and Leighton Reese McKinney; one special friend, "Sarge" Mason of Mt. Vernon, and several nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and neighbors.

He is preceded in death by his father, Arthur Joplin McKinney and his niece, Janet Burdine.

A celebration of life service for will be conducted (today) Thursday, January 5th, 2012 at 12 noon at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. Eddie Nation officiating. Burial will follow in the Providence Cemetery.

Casketbearers are: Eric McKinney, Blake McKinney, Keith Goff, Tim McKinney, Jeff McKinney, Nick Gentry, Keiffer Goff and Shane McKinney.

Honorary casketbearers are "Sarge" Mason and Darin Playle.

Expressions of sympathy in Jackie's memory may be given to the Roundstone Elementary Playground Fund.

Condolences can be sent www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



#### George Howard

George Howard, 72, of Cadiz, died Monday, December 19, 2011 at the University Hospital in Louisville. He was born in Rockcastle County on April 28, 1939 the son of Luther and Lettie Gibson Howard. He was a retired laborer.

He is survived by: his wife, Carolyn Howard of Cadiz; three sons, Paul Howard of Cadiz, Steven (Mandy) Howard of Crofton, and Roy Howard of Hopkinsville; two brothers, Leroy (Mary) Howard of Berea and Earl (May) Howard of Mt. Vernon; and one sister, Clevie Hensley of Brodhead. Also surviving are seven grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

conducted at Ridgetop Cemetery in Crofton at a later date.

Dowell & Martin Funeral

Graveside services will be

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements.

Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



## Larry Newcomb, Jr.

Larry Newcomb, Jr., 44, husband of Stella Newcomb, of Brodhead, died Saturday, December 31, 2011 at the Market Cancer Center in Lexingto.

Larry was born June 12, 1967 in Berea, the son of the Peggy Sue Anderson Mason and the late Larry Chester Newcomb, Sr. He was a member of the Pine Hill Holiness Church and Bass and N.W.T.F. Clubs. He had a great love for fishing, hunting, family, flowers/gardening and conversing with others. He was self-employed at Larry's Seamless Guttering.

Besides his wife and mother, he is survived by two sons, Larry Christopher (Stephanie) Newcomb of Ft. Mill, South Carolina and Jessica Marie (Danny Wayne) Powell of Richmond; a sister, Teresa Ann (Steve) Milburn of Mt. Vernon and two nieces.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 3rd, at the Pine Hill Holiness Church with Bros. Thomas Hogue, Allen Hensley and Chris Davidson officiating. Burial followed in Cresthaven Cemetery in Mt. Vernon.

Pallbearers were Curtis Newcomb, Kevin Saylor, Anthony Hamlet, David Willis, Ronnie Lamb and Frankie Anderkin.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer society.

Condolences can be made at www.marvineowensfimeralhome.com

#### Gerald Henry Allen

Gerald Henry Allen, 72, husband of Margaret of Brodhead, died Monday, December 26, 2011 at Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville. He was born January 31, 1939 in Orlando, a son of the late Bev B. Allen and Mary H. Carpenter Allen. He married Margaret Kidd on September 10, 1986. He was a fork lift operator for Bluegrass Army Depot. He was a member of the Holiness faith and he enjoyed hunting, fishing, going to church and being a family

He is survived by: his wife, Margaret Allen of Brodhead; first wife, Lillian Ruby Dees; four daughters, Ruby D. Allen of Brodhead and Elizabeth F. Allen, both of Brodhead, Mary Frances (Marty) Reynolds of Somerset, and Angela (William) Lamb of Berea; six sons, Randy W. Allen of Brodhead, Gerald (Lynnie Carol) Allen Jr. of Conway, Bev Thomas (Sharon) Allen of Berea, James Timothy (Linda) Allen of Copper Creek, Bobby Gene Allen of Berea, and Donald Jesse (Jennifer) Allen of Somerset; two brothers, Claude T. Allen of Florida John and Thomas (Carolyn) Allen of Georgia; four sisters, Nettie Mae Smith of Stanford, Louise Allen of Junction City, Jessie (Paul) Conway of Danville, and Mildred Allen of Danville; 14 grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by: two sisters, Mary L. Roller and Lily Marilyn Allen; and one brother, Lamont Allen.

A celebration of life memorial service will be held Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 3 p.m. at the Mt. Vernon Church of God.

Church of God.

Condolences may be sent to
marvineowensfuneralhome.com.



#### Franklin David McCracken

Franklin McCracken, 54, of Mt. Vernon, entered into the arms of the Lord so all Heaven could rejoice on Monday, December 26, 2011 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Rockcastle County on May 4, 1957 the son of Edward and Annas McGuire McCracken. He was a life long resident of Rockcastle County, was a loyal UK Basketball fan, and attended the Sand Springs Baptist Church.

He is survived by: eight sisters and three brothers, Edie Miller of Orlando, Katherine (Buster) Davis of Rushville, IN, Geneva (Lonnie) Bowman of Pataskala, OH, Hazel (Arthur) Bailey of Fountain City, IN, Rosemary (Andrew) Robinson of Radcliff, Loucille (Carl) Rowe of Blackstone, VA, Carolyn (Lowell) Caudill of Richmond, KY, Janet Garrett of Richmond, IN, Hurshel (Pat) Hale of Linton, IN, James McCracken of Knoxville, TN, and Randy (Joyce) McCracken of Mt. Vernon. Also surviving are two special nephews who were raised like brothers, Zachary and Eric McCracken, both of Mt. Vernon, and many other

nieces and nephews.
In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Bronco McCracken and a sister,

Linda McCracken.
Funeral services were conducted Thursday, December 29 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bros. Vernon Doan, Elzie Doan, and Zandel Hasty. Burial was in

the Johnetta Cemetery.

Pallbearers were:
Jonathan Denton, Steven
Denton, Chris Garrett,
Michael McCracken,
Darrell Miller, and Cody
Wilson.

#### Joyce Mae McFerron

Joyce Mae Renner McFerron, 67, of Mt. Vernon, died Monday, December 26, 2011 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. She was born in Rockcastle County on May 5, 1944 the daughter of Lonzo and Mary Fletcher Renner. She was a homemaker and was of the Baptist Faith.

She is survived by: a son, Shannon McFerron of Mt. Vernon; two daughters, Debra (Dean) McClure and Sharron Bryant, all of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Elizabeth Loneva Bogan of Cincinnati, OH; four grandchildren, Stephanie McClure, Jonathan Shane McClure, Jodi Beth Teague, and Zachary Adam Bryant; and three great grandchildren. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Lloyd McFerron, and two brothers, Hugh and Hubert Renner.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, December 30 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Bob Bradley. Burial was in the Ottawa Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Ronald Bogan, Jeff Harper, Jeffrey G. Harper, Jacob Kerr, Daryl McFerron, and Joshua Teague.

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www.DowellMartin.com



#### Talbert "TJ" VanWinkle

Talbert "TJ" VanWinkle, 76, of Orlando, died Tuesday, December 20, 2011 at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. He was born in Rockcastle County on July 9, 1935 the son of Shird and Pollie Vanzant VanWinkle. He was a saw mill worker and a member of New Hope Baptist Church for 60 years.

He is survived by: his wife of 45 years, Elvia Mink VanWinkle of Orlando; one son, Jason (Brandi) VanWinkle of Berea; two daughters, Judy (Steve) Anglin of Orlando and Joan (Randy) Northern of Flat Gap; two brothers, Wendell (Mae) VanWinkle of Orlando and George (Tammy) VanWinkle of Ohio; and two sisters, Della Myrtle Cope of Disputana and Geneva VanWinkle of Orlando. Also surviving are two grandchildren, Todd Anglin and Lisa Northern and one great grandchild, Jaziley Lamb.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Cecil VanWinkle, John Henry VanWinkle and William Isaac VanWinkle.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, December 23, 2011 at the New Hope Baptist Church by Bro. David Carpenter. Burial was in the Johnetta Cemetery.

Arrangements are by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: Todd Anglin, James Bowles, Brandon Brock, Jerry Brown, Clarence Owens, Mitchell Rader, Dowell VanWinkle, and Mike VanWinkle.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com



## Teresa Ann Gatliff

Teresa Ann Gatliff, 54, of Mt. Vernon died Thursday, December 22, 2011 at the Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital.

Miss Gatliff was born December 29, 1956 in Madison County to Dorothy Ramsey Gatliff and the late Delbert Lee Gatliff. She worked at the Renfro Valley Lodge Gift Shop where she enjoyed telling everyone about the wonders of Renfro Valley Rockcastle County. A member of the Climax Christian Church, Teresa enjoyed spending time with her family and doing genealogy re-

Besides her mother, she is survived by two brothers. Benny (Joyce) Gatliff of Franklin, Ohio and Barry (Lavada) Gatliff of Mt. Vernon; her sister, Marietta (Billy) Jones of Brodhead and several nieces and nephews whom she adored, as well as her cousins and friends from Renfro Valley. She was preceded in

death by her father, Delbert Lee Gatliff and her twin brothers, Floyd and Roy Gatliff. Funeral services were

held Monday, December 26, 2011 at Cox Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Walter Ballinger. She was laid to rest beside her twin brothers in the Ramsey Cemetery. Nephews served as pallbearers.

Condolences may be sent to www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

#### Letha Marie Hampton

Letha Marie Hampton, 67, of Brodhead, died Sunday, December 18, 2011 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. She was born on May 25, 1944 the daughter of Miles P. and Sadie Whitsell Haley. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by: her husband, Sam Hampton of Mt. Vernon; two brothers, Richard Haley of Portland, OR and Lloyd Haley of Springfield, OR; and two sisters, Martha Bines of Binuba, CA and Velma Broom of Springfield, OR. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Harry Haley and Charles Haley, and one sister, Ila Haley.

There were no services. The family chose cremation.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Please visit

www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



## Ruth Renner

Ruth Renner, 70, of Mt. Vernon, died Saturday, December 10, 2011 at her home. She was born in Mt. Vernon on May 30, 1941 the daughter of Curt and Sarah Allen Barnett. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church of Mt. Vernon. She was also a retired antiques dealer and enjoyed the UK Wildcats, crafts, and gardening.

She is survived by her son, Donald Renner of Mt. Vernon and a sister, Mattie Barnett of Irvine. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jessie Renner, as son, Jackie Renner, and a grandson, Joshua Derrick Renner.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, December 14, 2011 at the First Baptist Church of Mt. Vernon by Bros. Eddie Nation, Aaron Kennedy, and Harry Harmon. Burial was in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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# Obituaries



#### Lucille Bullock

Pennington Bullock, 82, died December 20, 2011 at her home in Somerset surrounded by family. She was born October 14, 1929 to Glenna Johnson Pennington and Walter C. Pennington in Rockcastle County. She was united in marriage to Hoover C. Bullock on January 15, 1948. They were married for 62 years and had two children, Carol Bernice (Blaine) McHargue of Rockcastle and Earl Hoover (Brenda) Bullock of

She had three grandchildren, Jeffrey Scott (Ada) Waddle, Shannon (Heather) Bullock, all of Somerset, and Melanie (James "Roo") Isaacs of Bluffton, SC; and two great grandchildren, Logan Isaac Bullock and A'Kedra Law.

She was a member of Sunny Side Baptist Church in Somerset. She was previously a long time member of First Baptist Church in Rockcastle County.

She was a graduate of Mt. Vernon High School and attended Eastern Kentucky University. She was an employee of Parker Seals in Berea for 31 years.

She was an avid gardener and enjoyed horseback riding. She was a charter member of the Rockcastle County Saddle Club. She also enjoyed helping her husband on the farm. In addition, she took great pride in spending time with her grandchildren and greatgrandchildren.

She is survived by her husband, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister, Margret Bowman and a host of other relatives.

She was proceeded in death by: her parents; one sister, Belva Willis; and two brothers, Walter Clayton and James F. Pennington.

Funeral services were held Friday, December 23, 2011 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Rick Reynolds officiating. Burial was in the Bullock Family Cemetery.

Dewey McFerron, McFerron, Earl Bullock, L.C. Mink, Jeff Waddle, and Shannon Bullock.

Pallbearers were: Arlis

Send condolences to the family at www.coxfuneral home ky.com.

#### Gillus Cole Allen

Gillus Cole Allen, 5 months, son of Danny K. Allen and Kathy L. Jefferson, died Saturday December 24, 2011 at the Cincinnati Children's Hos-

He is survived by: two brothers, Logan Allen (Lori West) and Seth Allen (Rebekah Lutes); a sister, Kelsey Jefferson; six uncles, Robert (Linda) Roberts, Marty (Lisa) Roberts, Mike Roberts, Shane (Susan) Garrett, Craig (Becky) Garrett, and Todd Garrett; three aunts, Sharon (Chuck) Robertson, Ruthann (Scott) Centers, and Andrea (Steve) Anderson; grandparents, Hazel (Drew) Garrett, and Ray Roberts; and many cousins. He was preceded in death by: his great grandmother, Dorothy Eden; grandmother, Kathleen

Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 28, 2011 at Lakes Funeral Home with Bro. Glenn Robinson officiating. Burial was in the Climax Cemetery.

Roberts; and Grandfather

Kenneth Allen.

Pallbearers were Logan and Seth Allen.

Honorary pallbearers were Cody Centers, Chas Robertson, and Christopher

Online register book at www.lakesfuneralhome.com.



#### V.C. DeBord

V.C. DeBord, 84, widower of Gladys Marie Cottrel DeBord, of Fairfax, VA (formerly of KY and OH) died Wednesday, December 28th, 2011. He was born January 29th, 1927 in Level Green. He was the son of the late Jonas DeBord and Tillo

McClure DeBord. He was married to Gladys Marie Cottrel DeBord for 42 years. He was a farmer, a foreman at #2 Pencil Factory and Office Equipment Factory, a Signal Corp in the U.S. Army, and an owner of a coin and antique store in Norwood, OH. He was a WWII Veteran. He attended Fairview Church of Christ until 1991, when he moved to VA, and attended Annadale, VA Church of

He is survived by: two daughters, Donna Gail (TJ) Morrissey and Brenda Sue DeBord; his brother, Junior (Carolyn) DeBord; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

He is preceded in death by: his wife, Gladys Marie Cottrel DeBord; his parents, Jonas DeBord and Tillo McClure; and five siblings, Sam, Burdette, Wanda, Ozzie and Alzie.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, January 4, 2012 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals chapel with Bro. Curtis Herrington officiating. Burial followed at the Fairview Church of Christ Cemetery.

The family suggests memorial contributions to the Disabled American Veter-



#### Mark Howard

Mark Anthony Howard. 38, died Tuesday, December 27, 2011 in Garrard County. He was born January 1, 1973 in Lexington, to the late Johnny Howard and Bertha May Crain Howard. He was a construction worker. He enjoyed fishing and hunting and was of the Protestant faith.

He is survived by: three sisters, Teresa (James) Rose of McKee, Shannon Smith of McKee, and Stephanie (Robbie) Perez Brodhead; one brother; and a host of friends and neigh-

Besides his parents, he is preceded in death by one sister, Mary Ann Renee

Memorial services will be scheduled for Mr. Howard at a later date.

Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals has been entrusted with his arrangements.

The family requests that any donations be made to Mark Anthony Howard's burial fund. P.O. Box 658, Brodhead, KY 40409.

Condolences can be sent at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com.



#### $\overline{Wi}$ lliam O."O. Shep" Shepherd

Local artist, William O. Shepherd "O. Shep", 65, of Science Hill, died Saturday, December 31, 2011 at Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital. He was born in Somerset, on November 17, 1946, son of William T. Shepherd and the late Jessamine Ann Barber Shepherd. He was a member of Science Hill Christian Church. He was owner and operator of "O. Shep Originals" at Renfro Valley for 15 years. He also taught art classes at Somerset Community College and won numerous awards for his ar-

tistic talent. He is survived by: his wife, Brenda Gail Dalton Shepherd, whom he married on February 17, 1968; his father, William T. Shepherd of Wilmore; one son, William Jared (Alisha) Shepherd of Science Hill; two daughters, Shannon Rae Shepherd Simpson and Billie Gail Shepherd (Ryan) Martin, all of Somerset; two grandchildren, Lilly-Ann Young and Daniel Young; and many aunts, uncles, relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 4, 2012 at Science Hill Christian Church with Bro. Charles Lucas officiating. Burial was in Science Hill Cemetery.

Morris & Hislope Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Condolences can be made at www.morrisandhislope.com



#### Rosa Mae Mink

Rosa Mae Mink, 83, of London, formerly of Rockcastle County, died Sunday, December 18, 2011, at St. Joseph - London. Born June 28, 1928, in Rockcastle County, she was the daughter of the late Andy and Gracie Mounce Hellard. She was a homemaker and a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Lon-

Survivors include: her husband, Charles Edward Mink of London; four children, Aleda (Leonard) Eversole, Trula (Eddie) Eversole, and Danny (Kim) Mink, all of East Bernstadt, and Kenneth Mink of Hodgenville; one sister, Anna Lois Hellard of Mt. Vernon, two brothers, Willie Hellard of East Bernstadt and James Hellard of Livingston; eight grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; and three great great grandchildren. Besides her parents, she is preceded in death by: two sisters, Bessie Newcomb and Verdie Whitt; and two brothers, George and Leon Hellard.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, December 21, 2011, in the Bowling Funeral Home Chapel in London, with Greg Daniel officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery in Mt. Vernon.



### Mae Etta VanHook

Benge Mae Etta VanHook, 72, of Eubank, wife of Don, died Monday, January 2, 2012 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. She was born on December 6th, 1939 in Negro Creek, a daughter of the late Syrus Casper Benge and Dessie Mae Brown Benge. On February 9th, 1957 she was united in marriage to Don VanHook. She enjoyed being with family and friends, canning, gardening and her flowers. She was a part of the Church of

She is lovingly remembered by: her husband of 54 years, Don VanHook of Eubank; two sons, Donnie (Vicky) VanHook of Stanford, and Gary (Judy) VanHook of Somerset; two daughters, Annette (Chris) VanHook of Harrodsburg, and Amy (Doug) Cole of Lexington; three brothers, Reggie (Phyllis) Benge of Mt. Vernon, Roger Benge of Nicholasville and Tim Benge of Brodhead; four sisters, Janie (Chester) Robbins of Brodhead, Rita (Jim) Brumett of Gray Hawk, and Kathy (Jerry) Denney, and Vicki Benge, all of Brodhead; two aunts, Mary Laswell of Brodhead, and Mable Helton of Bryantsville; nine grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; several stepgrandchildren and step-

great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides her parents, she is preceded in death by one daughter, Trudy Benge Todd and one sister, June Faye Benge.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, January 5th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the Poplar Grove Baptist Church with Bros. Rick Reynolds and Bradley Goforth officiating. Burial will follow in the Poplar Grove Cemetery.

Casketbearers will be: Jerry Denny, Jim VanHook, Perry VanHook, Kevin Measel, Mark Hamm and Chad Caldwell.

Expressions of sympathy may be made in Mae Etta's memory to Compassionate Care Center of 350 Isaacs Lane, Richmond, KY 40475 or Poplar Grove Cemetery Fund.

Condolences can be sent at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



#### Sharon Kay **Foister**

Sharon Kay Mason Foister, 56, of East Bernstadt, (formerly of Livingston) wife of Elmer, died Wednesday, December 28, 2011 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. She was born April 12, 1955 in Livingston, a daughter of Jesse Lee Mason and Othia Mae McClure Mason, both of whom preceded her in death. On November 2, 2006 she was married to Elmer Foister. She enjoyed traveling, family

and friends. She was of the

Pentecostal faith. She is survived by: her husband, Elmer Foister of East Bernstadt; one son, Steve (Nicole) Howard of Springfield, TN; two stepchildren, Michelle (Kyle) Blanton and Amanda Hamm, all of London; five brothers, Kenneth Mason of Sand Springs, Bobby (Peggy) Mason of Eubank, Rooster (Grace) Mason of Sand Springs, and Robin (Angie) Mason and Freddie Mason, all of Livingston; three sisters, Shirley Goforth of Russell Springs, Brenda (Freddie) Hatton of Red Hill, and Virginia (Barry) Carroll of Quail; six grandchildren, Wade Howard, Jenna Howard, Ashley Blanton, Amber Blanton, Jaidah Brown and Presley Hamm; one brother-in-law, Charles Shaw of Russell Springs,; two special friends, Peggy Foister and Catherine Johnson; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and

neighbors. Besides her parents, she is preceded in death by one sister, Beverly Sue Mason

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, December 31, 2011 at the Livingston Pentecostal Church with Bro. Jim Miller officiating. Burial followed in the McGuire Cemetery. Casketbearers were: Kyle

Blanton, Ed Sturgill, Josh Sturgill, Randy Scott, Jeff Smith and James Adams. Expressions of sympathy

may be made in Sharon's memory to Compassionate Care Center of 350 Richmond, KY.

Condolences an be sent at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

#### **Phillips Cemetery Notice**

There will be a meeting Fri., Jan. 13th regarding the upkeep of Phillips Cemetery in Three Links. The meeting will be held at Three Links Christian Church, beginning at 6 p.m.

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#### **Bell Benefit**

There will be a benefit for the Larry Bell family at Maple Grove Baptist Church on Sat., January 7th

The singers will be the Renner Family, Gift of Grace and Samuel Bullock, Charlie Napier and Larry Settles. Everyone is wel-

come. Bro. Jerry Owens is pastor.

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Mark Bishop, awardwinning singer, songwriter, will be Live in Concert at Ottawa Baptist Church on Sunday, January 8th at 6 p.m. Join us for this unforgettable gospel music celebration.

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There will be a gospel singing at Lighthouse Bap-Church, 1391 Gabbardtown Road, Berea, on Sat., Jan. 14th, beginning at 6 p.m.

Featured will be The Smith Sisters from Drip

## Cards of Thanks

#### Joyce McFerron

The family of Joyce Renner McFerron would like to express our warmest wishes of gratitude for those who expressed their condolences, brought food, sent flowers, and simply had us in your thoughts and prayers. We would especially like to thank the people of Hospice and Compassionate Care of Richmond. We would also like to thank her nurse, Nancy and aid, Diane. A special thanks to Bob Bradley, Doan Family, Dowell and Martin and those who served as pall-

> Shannon McFerron Debbie McClure Sharron Bryant

#### Teresa Gatliff

We, the family of Teresa Gatliff, wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all those who said a prayer for us, sent cards, flowers and food during this sad time. A special thank you goes out to Skaggs Creek Baptist Church, Chestnut Ridge Church of Christ, Maple Grove Baptist Church, Bro. Walter Ballinger, Hospice Care of Somerset and Ethan and Eric Eversole. We will never forget everyone's kindness. God bless you all.

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8 lasagna noodles Preheat oven to 350°. Crumble beef and sausage in large skillet. Cook until no pink remains. Stir in spaghetti sauce. Heat thoroughly and turn off heat.

Mix eggs with ricotta cheese, 3/4 cup mozzarella cheese and 3/4 cup parmesan cheese. Spray lasagna pan with non-stick spray. Layer as follows:

2 cups sauce in bottom of pan 4 lasagna noodles, un-

cooked

Half of cheese mixture

Half of remaining sauce 4 lasagna noodles, uncooked Rest of cheese mixture

Rest of sauce

Remaining 1/4 cup mozzarella cheese

Remaining parmesan cheese

Bake for 1 hour 15 minutes at 350°. Remove from oven and let sit for 15 to 30 minutes before serving.

OLIVE FLORET SALAD 1 med head cauliflower, small florets

1 bunch broccoli, small flo-

2 cups grape or cherry tomatoes, halved

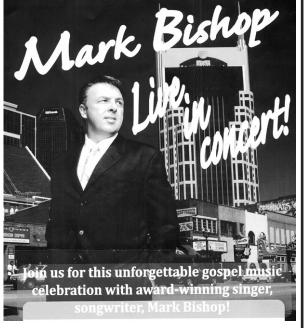
2 medium carrots, thinly sliced

1 can (6 ounce) pitted sliced ripe olives, drained

1 pack Italian salad dressing mix

1 cup crumbled feta cheese

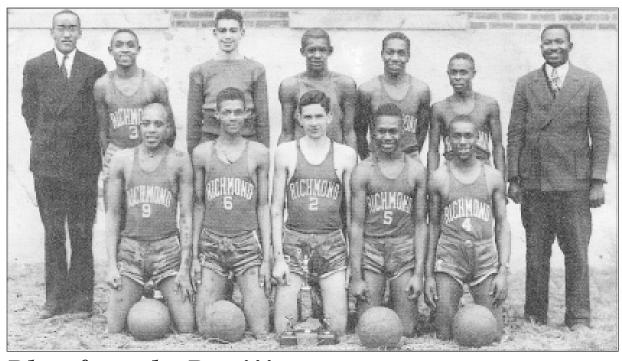
In a large bowl, combine the cauliflower, broccoli, tomatoes, carrots and olives. Prepare the salad dressing according to package instructions; pour over vegetables and toss to coat. Cover and refrigerate overnight. Just before serving, toss again and sprinkle with feta cheese.



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### Blast from the Past!!!

This week photographs are of Pete "Hoot" Jarber (1923-Dec 2, 1944.) Jarber, an African American and the grandson of a slave, was born in Mt. Vernon and attended the Mt. Vernon Christian Church and School for the Colored his first eight years of school. Rockcastle County did not provide high school level education for blacks so he bused to Berea to attend High School. While there he was discovered by Coach Joseph G. Fletcher of nearby Richmond High School, an all-black school. Blacks and whites were segragated at that time by the Separate but Equal Law regarding schools. Coach Fletcher made arrangements for Jarber to live with a black family in Richmond so he could play for the Ramblers basketball team. Pete "Hoot" was the leading scorer and MVP for the back-to-back KHSAL (Kentucky High School Athletic League) State Basketball Champions in 1942 and 43. He later played a short stint with a Traveling team of the Harlem Globetrotters until being called into military service during WWII. Hoot served as a private in the 74th Chemical Smoke Generator Colored Company. He was killed in action on December 2, 1944 and is buried in the American Cemetary at Normandy, France.

The above photo shows Pete "Hoot" Jarber with the 1943 KHSAL Basketball Champions, Jarber is shown 1st row first from the left number 9. In the below picture, Jarber is shown third from the left while training at Fort Thomas Army Base in 1944. Jarber was killed later that year by indirect German artillery fire during WW II. His name is on the Rockcastle War Memorial in front of the Rockcastle County Courthouse. If you have a photo for Blast From The Past!!! Contact David Owens at scoopowens24@yahoo.com or 606-256-9870.



### **Bible Talk**

Our study this month will be on the plan of salvation that is found in Christ Jesus.

Hearing- Hearing the gospel is the first step in the plan of salvation. "So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." Rom. 10:17. Man cannot believe in what he has not heard.

Believe- In John 3:16 we read, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." Yes, we must have faith in the Son of God. God has given us plenty of evidence to convince any honest soul who will look into the scriptures and consider it. "And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book: But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name." John 20:30-31.

Repentance- When we repent it involves a change of heart about sin, to turn from it; and to turn toward God. It is prompted by godly sorrow, "For godly sorrow worketh repentance to salvation not to be repented of: but the sorrow of the world worketh death." 2 Cor.7:10. Now notice that godly sorrow is not repentance, but that it worketh repentance. Repentance is that change of mind that leads to the fruits of repentance, a changed life.

Confession - We learn that we must confess the name of Jesus before men. In Romans 10:9-10 we read, "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation." Notice, that we confess the Lord Jesus, not confess our sins or confess that we are saved. We must acknowledge with our lips, the faith that is in our hearts, that we believe in Jesus.

Baptism - The final step in God's plan to become a child of God is that we must be baptized. Jesus said, "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned." Mk.16:16. Notice the Lord did NOT say: he that believeth is saved and then is baptized. This is the way men teach and practice it in the denominations. Consider other texts like Acts 2:38, Acts 22:16, 1 Pet.3:21. When we obey this final step we will raise from that watery grave to be a new creature in Christ. God exhorts his children to be "faithful unto death, and I will give you the crown of life." Rev.2:10. Let us know if you would like to study further.

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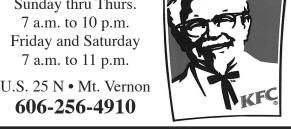


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## Somerset gets wins over both Rockcastle teams

District rival Somerset got revenge Tuesday night against both Rockcastle teams, beating the girls 52-49 and the boys 52-35.

Both Rockcastle teams are now 1-1 in district play, with an upcoming battle against the Pulaski Maroons this Friday, in a doubleheader at Pulaski County. The girls begin at 6 p.m.

The Lady Rockets struck first with a three by Michaela Hunter, but Somerset would return the favor, twice, and go up 6-3 early in the game.

The Lady Rockets would tie the score again at 10 after another three by Hunter, and then gain the lead on a bucket by Alexis Chasteen at the 1:33 mark, 12-11.

Rockcastle would end the first quarter up three, 16-

A second quarter battle

would garner only eight points for the Rockets and seven for the Lady Jumpers, with the Rockets going into the locker room at halftime with the 24-20 lead.

Somerset would go on a 16-8 run in the third, tying the score at 26 all with 4:35 to go, not looking back, but ending the quarter up four, 36-32.

Despite a 17 point fourth quarter for the Rockets, they could not regain the lead from Somerset, who came away with the 52-49 win.

Michaela Hunter was the only player in double digits with 29 points.

Linescore

16 8 8 17 49 Somerset 13 7 16 16 52 Michaela Hunter, 29; Kadi Cobb, 5; Katie Cowan, 6; Alexis Chasteen, 7; Emily Miller, 2.

**Boys vs. Somerset** 

The Rockets took one



Junior Ashton Arvin looks to drive around the Briar Jumper defender in Tuesday night's game at Somerset. The Rockets are 1-1 in the district and play at Pulaski County Friday night.

away from the Briar Jumpers at home earlier in the season, but it would not be the same story as the Rockets visit Somerset, coming home with the 52-35 loss.

The Rockets are now 1-1 in the district, and will play their next district game Friday night at Pulaski County. The boys begin at approximately 7:30 p.m.

It was a low scoring affair in the first quarter, with half of the time expiring and the score 4-2 in favor of the Rockets after an Ashton Arvin score.

Somerset would take the lead back, but a basket by Cody Noe tied the score again 6-6 at the 2:31 mark.

The quarter would end tied at 10 after a Josh Mason basket for the Rockets.

the down fall for the Rock-

The second quarter was

ets, as Somerset outscored Rockcastle 18-7, to take a 28-17 lead at the break. Rockcastle would outscore the Briar Jumpers 11-9 in the third quarter, but

would still end the quarter down 37-28. A fourth quarter rally would not be in the books for the Rockets this time around, as the Briar Jump-

15-7, to gain the 52-35 win. Ashton Arvin would once again be the leading scorer for the Rockets, and the only player in double digits with 11.

ers outscored the Rockets

Linescore **RCHS** 10 7 11 7 Somerset 10 18 9 15 52 Ashton Arvin, 11; John Curtis Wilson, 7; Cody Noe, 2; ABen llen., 5; Jadon Brock, 3; Zach Poynter, 2; Sam Pensol, 3; Josh Mason, 2.

## Rockets win one, drop two in holiday tourney hitting thirteen contributing The Rockcastle Rockets

traveled to Jackson County over the holiday break to participate in the PRTC Holiday Classic.

In an unexpected turn of events, the Rockets played Jackson County Tuesday night instead of the team they were originally slated

The Rockets were defeated by the Generals 58-50 in first round action.

Rockcastle won the first quarter battle 14-9, but once again was stumped in the second, being outscored by Jackson County 18-7, and going into the locker room at halftime down 27-21.

Jackson County got the slight scoring edge during the third quarter, 16-12 to end up ahead by ten 43-33 at the end of the third quar-

Rockcastle won the battle during the fourth, outscoring the Generals 17-15 despite Jackson County shooting seventeen free throws in the quarter, and

Freshman Sam Pensol drove to the basket and was able to score by going under the Somerset defender.

Pensol was fouled on the play and went to the line

for the old fashioned three point play.

to the 58-50 win over Rockcastle.

The fourth quarter was the only time in the game that the Generals shot free

Ashton Arvin was the leading scorer for the Rockets with 20, followed by Ben Allen with 13.

#### Rockcastle vs. Lee Co.

The Rockets played Lee County in the consolation bracket on Thursday night, losing a close one 58-53.

Lee County outscored the Rockets 15-9 to end the first quarter with the lead, and then again in the second quarter to end the half up nine, 27-18.

The Rockets would get the best of the Bobcats in both the third and fourth quarters, 18-17 in the third, and 17-14 in the fourth, but to no avail as the Bobcats squeaked out the 58-53 win.

The Rockets were 1 of 17 from behind the three point line and only 16-27 from the free throw line.

Ashton Arvin led all scorers for the Rockets with 23, followed by Ben Allen with 12.

#### Rockcastle vs. Harlan

Rockcastle's lone win would come on Friday night of the PRTC Holiday Classic, with a big win over the Harlan County Black Bears, 77-62.

The Black Bears outscored the Rockets 18-12 in the first quarter, and kept their lead by three at the half, 31-28.

Despite the Rockets outscoring Harlan 21-19 in the third, Rockcastle still ended the quarter down 50-

It was the fourth quarter that was the big turnaround for the Rockets, as they outscored the Black Bears 28-12 to come away with the 77-62 win.

Three players scored in double digits for the Rockets, with Ashton Arvin leading with 23, followed by Cody Noe with 18 and Jadon Brock with 13.

(Lindsay Wilson Classic) **RCHS** 9 12 13 18 52 Wash. Co. 8 10 11 12 41 Ashton Arvin, 4; John Curtis Wil-

Linescores

son, 11; Cody Noe, 18; Ben Allen, 13; Corey McPhetridge, 6. (PRTC Holiday Classic)

**RCHS** 14 7 12 17 Jackson Co.9 18 16 15 58 Ashton Arvin, 20; John Curtis Wilson, 4; Cody Noe, 6; Ben Allen, 13; Jadon Brock, 2; Corey McPhetridge, 5.

9 9 18 17 53 **RCHS** 15 12 17 14 58 Lee Co. Ashton Arvin, 23; John Curtis Wilson, 6; Cody Noe, 8; Ben Allen, 12; Jadon Brock, 4.

12 16 21 28 Harlan Co. 18 13 19 12 62 Ashton Arvin 23; John Curtis Wilson, 7; Cody Noe, 18; Ben Allen, 5; Jadon Brock, 13; Sam Pensol, 2; Josh Mason, 9.

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district game at Somerset. The Lady Rockets are now 1-1 in the district and play at Pulaski County Friday night.

# Lady Rockets win one drop two in Greeneville

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champion Rockcastle County advanced to the winners side of the bracket with a 54-31 opening round victory over West Greene on Tuesday, Dec. 27th, in the Classic Landair Greeneville, TN.

The game was close through the first half with the Lady Rockets pulling away late in the second quarter to take a 26-18 lead at the break.

The Lady Rockets took control of the contest with a 10 point scoring spread in the third quarter, and West Greene was never able to reel in Rockcastle.

The Lady Rockets, whose only loss of last season came here in the Ladies' Classic semifinals, were led by Michaela Hunters' 20

Hunter also had five re-

bounds and four assists. She hit four three pointers. Katie Cowan had 15 and Kadi Cobb added 12, with 8 steals.

#### vs. Franklin County

Rockcastle County was knocked out of the winners bracket on Wednesday with a 52-44 loss to Franklin County. The Rebelettes of

Franklin County used an 11-0 run to start the third quarter to erase a 22-21 Rockcastle lead at the half and take control of the Franklin County led 38-

30 after three quarters, finishing the third with a 17-8 scoring advantage, and never let the Lady Rockets get closer than five points in the final period.

Rockcastle was led by Alexis Chasteen with 18 points and seven rebounds. Michaela Hunter added 15 points and dished out seven

The score was tied four times and the lead changed hands five times during the contest.

#### vs. Christian Academy of Knoxville

The Lady Rockets played their final game of the tournament on Wednesday, losing 53-50 to the Christian Academy of Knoxville Rockcastle led 25-20 at

halftime, but the Lady Warriors stormed back with an 18-8 run in the third quarter to take control of the game. The score was tied 31 all late in the third but the Lady

Warriors went on a 7-2 spurt to close out the quarter with a 38-33 advantage. The Lady Rockets closed the gap to three points on

several occasions in the fourth quarter but could not catch up as the Lady Warriors made the plays they needed to make. Christian Academy

scored nineteen points off of 16 Rockcastle turnovers. The Lady Rockets were

led by Michaela Hunter with 17 points, while Katie Cowan had 10 points.

Linescores

13 13 18 10 54 West Greene 10 8 8 5 31 Hunter, 20; Chasteen, 4; Cowan, 15; Cobb, 12; Eversole, 2;

Franklin 14 7 17 14 52 Hunter, 15; Chasteen, 18; Cowan, 1; Cobb, 2; Miller, 4; Adams, 4. 12 13 8 17 50 **RCHS** 12 8 18 15 53 **CAK** Hunter, 17; Chasteen, 7; Adams, 9; Cowan, 10; Cobb, 3; Eversole, 2; Miller, 2.

Little Rocket & Jr. Pro Night **FRIDAY** January 13th Rockcastle vs. Casey Co. Doubleheader beginning at 6 p.m.



Lady Rockets Emily Miller and Kadi Cobb trap a Somerset player during the Lady Rockets 52-49 loss Tuesday night at Somerset.



rival Somerset. The Briar Jumpers beat the Rockets 52-35.

# News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



#### Circuit Civil Suits

Valora Cromer vs. Christopher Cromer, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care vs. Beverly Gwen Tucker, \$11,419.30 plus claimed due.

Credit Acceptance Corp. vs. Chris Shaw, et al, \$5,913.35 plus claimed due. Cabinet for Health and Family Services ex rel Amy Rose vs. Robert L. Rose,

complaint.
Capital One Bank vs.
Debra L. Paul, \$5,443.29
plus claimed due.

Wanda Jea Thiele,, et al vs. Ky. Growers Ins. Co., complaint. CI-00329.

# District Civil Suits

Rockcastle Regional Hospital vs. Casey N. Ballinger, \$447.35 plus claimed due.

Midland Funding LLC vs. Jeff Brock, \$1,443.94 plus claimed due.

Landmark Financial Services, Inc. vs. Patty Fletcher, \$1,073.72 plus claimed due.

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Shirley Dickerson, \$2,271.89 plus claimed due.

#### Marriage Licenses

Heather Michelle Teague, 18, Mt. Vernon, unemployed to Austin Combs, 18, Stanford, unemployed. 12/16/11.

Patricia Lee Claypool, 53, Milford, Ohio, house-keeper to David Wayne Burrier, 43, Milford, Ohio, security. 12/16/11.

Sarah Lindsey, 19, Orlando, CNA to Joseph Caldwell, 21, Orlando, welder. 12/19/11.

Stephanie Ann McCauley, 37, Mt. Vernon, KFC to Charles Baker, 37, Livingston, Rockcastle County Board of Education 12/20/11.

Courtney Campbell, 18, Brodhead, unemployed to Brandon Linville, 19, Mt. Vernon, U.S. Army. 12/21/ 11.

Brenda Sue Sears, 64, Hustonville, disabled to Harold Ray Gerkey, 51, Hustonville, Trees, Inc. 12/ 27/11.

## Deeds Recorded

Gordon W. and Katheryn Pope, property on St. Hwy. 618, to Sammy L. and Judy m. Ford and John D. and Angela M. Ford. Tax \$150.

Gordon Ray and Wilma

Ann Hayes, property in Mountain View Estates, to Mark S. Buras. Tax \$98.

Norma Clyde Bonnette, property in Rockcastle County, to Gordon and Wilma Hayes. Tax \$77.50.

Peggy D. Robbins, property on waters of Wiggins Creek, to Miachel Robbins. No tax.

James H. and Brenda H. Lambert and Joseph E. Lambert, property at Pine Hill,, to Danny and Chastity Marcum. Tax \$10.

Jennifer Chandler, property on U.S. 25 to Donald Thompson, Jr. Tax \$2.50.

Robert and Shirley Wilson, property at Copper Creek, to Jearl Dixon and Rachel Blanton. Tax \$25.

Larry James and Ann

Benge and William Robert

and Sandy Benge, property in Rockcastle County, to Dan Epperson. Tax \$26. Vicki Lynn Whiteley, property on Ky. 1560, to

property on Ky. 1560, to Dean and Rosemary Jones and Henry L. and Rita G. Hayes. Tax \$3.50. Kay Wilson and Terrel

Wilson, property in Rockcastle County, to Terrel Wilson. No tax. Donald Dees, property in

Rockcastle County, to Joel
A. Uy. No tax.

Thomas Edward Dees II and Jacqueline R. Dees, property in Rockcastle County, to Donald Dees.No tax.

Buis Appliance Furniture, Inc., property in Keith Smith Project, to Rockcastlle County Board

of Education. Tax \$10.

Robin Brumfield and Lawrence Stephen Martin, property in Rockcastle County, to Robin Brumfield. No tax.

Billy Joe and Donna Brown, property in Quail community, to Bily Shawn and Rita Brown. Tax \$10.

John G. Eaton, Jr. and Linda Eaton, and others, property in Mt vernon, to Ronald C. and lois Renee Burdett. Tax \$86.

# District Court

12/14/11-12/21/11
Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless
Mary F. Barnett: operat

Mary E. Barnett: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Amanda G. Collins: theft

by unlawful taking, \$21 restitution; public intoxication, \$100 fine and costs.

Cheryl A. Harris: public

intoxication, \$100 fine and costs.

Kevin D. Holt: no operators license in possession, \$50 fine and costs.

Bobby L. Kirby: fines/fees due (\$368 and \$213), converted to 65 hours community service work.

Fred Curtis Lewis: cultivating marijuana, \$100 fine and costs; possession of marijuana, \$100 fine; drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, \$100 fine.

Melinda A. Powell: public intoxication, \$100 fine and costs.

Amy L. Rose: theft by

unlawful taking, \$17 restitution.
William E.Senters: pos-

session of marijuana, \$100 fine and costs.
Victoria E. Thomas: theft

by deception, action slip.
Speeding: Michael J.
Miller, paid; Charles B.
Spurlock, Mikey R. Brown,

Miller, paid; Charles B.
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Dushaj, Ronald J.Parker, license suspended for failure to appear (fta); Alvin Wilson, KennethE. Mink, Ludivine Nemerlin, action slip; Melinda G. Lainhart, paid \$18 fine plus \$133 costs; Joseph Naseef, \$50 fine and costs; StephenP. Godby, Kelly D. Thompson, Jr., \$36 fine and costs/fine suspended on completion of

state traffic school;
Vernon A. Emler: failure
of now-owner operator to
maintain req. insurance, no
operators/moped license,
drug paraphernalia - buy/
possess, operating motor
vehicle under influence of
alcohol/drugs, sentencing
orders entered.

Derrick L. Helton: failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine; operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$00 fine; failure of non-owner operator tomaintain req. insurance, \$500/\$450 suspended on condition.

Tony Sizemore: carrying concealed dealy weapon, use/possession drug paraphernalia, possession controlled substance, theft by unlawful taking, sentencing orders entered.

John E. Neace: carrying concealed deadly weapon, sentencing order entered.

Henry E. Parker: public intoxication controlled substance, time served in lieu of fines/costs.

Mary N. Kidd: alcohol

intoxication in public place, \$50 fine and costs. Angel L. Dyer: rear li-

cense not illuminated and no operators/moped license, paid.

David M. Gibson: oper-

ating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance crd and fail transferee of veh. to promptlyapply fornew title/regis., bw issued for fta.

Charles A. Lovell: fines/ fees due (\$258), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.

Brandon Mason: receiving stolen property (two counts), theft by deception (two counts), sentencing orders entered.

Christopher E. Miller: receiving stolen property, sentencing order entered; operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine and costs.

Joseph D. Miller: failure

of owner to maintain required insurance/security, \$500 fine/\$400 suspended on condition.

Steven M. Miller: receiv-

Steven M. Miller: receiving stolen property, sentencing order entered.

Michelle A. Saylor: disorderly conduct and resisting arrest, sentencing orders entered. Brad L. Sweet: failure of

owner to maintain required insurance/security, \$500 fine/\$400 suspended on condition; display of illegal/ altered registration plate, \$50 fine. Jason B. Wheeler: re-

Jason B. Wheeler: receiving stolen property, sentencing order entered.

Christine D. Spivey: reckless driving, paid \$208. Gregory McGuire: fines/

fees due (\$638), 13 days in jail for contempt or payment in full.

David Matthew Baker:

probation revocation hearing, bench warrant (bw) issued for fta. Kayla M. Barnes: oper-

ating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, bw issued for fta. Sonya M. Bourne: faulty

equipment, \$50 fine and costs.

Robert G. Fairchild:

fines/fees due (\$743), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full. Jonathan Houk: fines/

fees due (\$733), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full.

Robert M. Jones: failure to wear seat belt, \$25 fine.

# Vanzant attends 2011 Circuit Clerks Fall College Rockcastle County Cirlegal forms and the Trust for and tissue donation through

Rockcastle County Circuit Court Clerk Teresa Vanzant participated in the 2011 Circuit Clerks Fall College that took place Nov. 15-17 at the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Conference Center in Frankfort. The Administrative Office of the Courts provided the education program for the state's circuit court clerks. The theme for the event was Building Excellence in Changing Times. (Please see the list at the end of the release for the name of your local circuit court

clerk.) "The Office of Circuit Court Clerk provides important services for the public and judicial system and the college offered information to help us carry out those duties," said Stephanie King-Logsdon, McLean County circuit court clerk and president of the Kentucky Association of Circuit Court Clerks. "We attended an indepth session on processing case appeals, covered handling and disposing of evidence and heard from other circuit clerks about their best practices."

Chief Justice of Kentucky John D. Minton Jr. was the keynote speaker for the college. The clerks also heard from AOC Director Laurie K. Dudgeon and AOC Budget Director Carole Henderson, who provided an update on the Judicial Branch budget and upcoming legislation. John Wilson, president of the Kentucky Association of Counties, was the guest speaker for a circuit clerks' luncheon. Wilson is the county judge-executive for Garrard County.

The circuit clerks also attended sessions about driver licensing. During one of the sessions, Bill Heise, director of the state Division of Driver Licensing, discussed the new process for Offices of Circuit Court Clerk in issuing commercial driver licensing that will begin in mid-January. The changes are a result of a federal plan to improve the commercial driver licensing system na-

Other courses at the college focused on technology,

Life program. Trust for Life is sponsored by the KACCC to promote organ

and tissue donation through driver licensing and the computer-based Kentucky Organ Donor registry.



Scott Miller of Mt. Vernon killed this 19 point buck in December while hunting in Ohio.



Lauren Gibson, 13, of Snyder, killed her first buck in Scott County on December 31, 2011.

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Two of our local heroes returned last week from being deployed in Iraq. A large crowd, including law enforcement and county fire departments escorted Jeffery Parker and Chris Bishop and their families from the county line on U.S. 25 N through Mt. Vernon and then on to the southern end of the county.



Perry Eric Carlton, 30, of London was heading home from Richmond when he lost control of his 2006 Pontiac and crashed into the cable barrier near mile marker 57 on I-75. Carlton was trying to cross the interstate on foot when he was struck by a semi truck being driven by William Hackler of Williamsburg. Carlton died from his injuries after being struck by the semi..

## "Wreck"

#### (Cont. from front)

got out of his wrecked car and started walking toward his wife, across the lanes of traffic, and was struck by a semi tractor trailer, operated by Williams C. Hackler, 59, of Willliamsburg. While attempting to

avoid Carlton, Hackler struck two other vehicles. Hackler was later cited for other commercial vehicle violations.

Carlton was pronounced dead at the scene by Rockcastle County Coroner Bill Dowell. Alcohol is believed to be a factor in the accident. Carlton's wife had to be taken to the Rockcastle Hospital following the acci-

KSP Sgt. Greg Reams is continuing the investiga-

#### "Review" (Cont. from front)

that the institute found the cause of the disease that all five of the children show signs of.

Rockcastle Schools Su-

perintendent Larry Hammond was named Superintendent of the Year for Kentucky at the Kentucky School Board Association's annual conference in February. Hammond will retire after 17 years at the helm at the end of this school year.

Sara Hammond was named as a McDonald's All-American, the most prestigious award given to a high school player. At the time of announcement, the Hammond was ranked as the 12th best player in the bу country ESPN's Hoopgurlz.com and had committed to playing her college career at the Univer-

sity of Louisville. A condemnation lawsuit was filed to obtain easements to widen Lambert Road in northern Rockcastle County. Seven people, one living trust and three financial institutions were named in the lawsuit because they had not given permission for the right-ofway through their property

RCIDA Executive Director Regina Crawford could not refuse the offer to

for the widening.

become U.S. Senator Mitch McConnell's 6th District Field Representative, and resigned her post as Executive Director at the end of February. Crawford had been on the job for six

money was part of the Tobacco Settlement monies Subsequently, the

Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority hired Holly Hopkins to be their new Executive Director. Hopkins had formerly been a Field Representative for Senator Jim Bunning.

Jackson Cromer, a 5th grader at Roundstone, won the District Spelling Bee. Pamela Miller, a 5th grader at MVES was second, Lauryn Carpenter, a 5th grader at BES was third and Logan Taylor, a 6th grader at RCMS was the fourth place winner.

The Rockcastle Lady Rockets won the 47th District Tournament held at Pulaski County and the Rockcastle Rockets were District Runners-up, giving both teams a berth in the 12th region tournaments.

March saw a visit from Kentucky's First Lady Jane Beshear to the Rockcastle County Library to celebrate the first annual Kentucky Literacy Celebration and Read Across America Week. The Rockcastle Lady

Rockets won the 12th Region Tournament for the second year in a row, beating Casey County in the finals 62-44.

Delbert Wayne Leger, 36, of Mt. Vernon, was arrested for making phone calls identifying himself as his brother, Doug Leger, and asking for monetary

The Rockcastle Lady Rockets won the KHSAA Sweet Sixteen State Championship on Saturday, March 12th by defeating Dupont Manual in overtime, 62-60. Senior Angie Lawrence hit the game winning shot with 1.8 second to go for the victory. The Lady Rockets, who ended their almost perfect season 36-1, was undefeated in the state. The Lady Rockets also beat Madison Central, Clay County and Calloway County on their way to the championship. Rockcastle's win was the first time in 10 years that a school not from Lexington or Louisville had won the state championship. Sara Hammond was named MVP and Angie Lawrence and Michaela Hunter were named to the All-Tourna-

ment Team. Kentucky Governor Steve Beshear was in Rockcastle County in March to give a "ceremonial" check for \$122,000 to the Rockcastle County Con-

servation District. The

that are distributed yearly to farmers so they can diversify their farming away from tobacco.

RCHS Coach Chrysti Noble was named the Coach of the Year in Kentucky and Sara Hammond was named Miss Kentucky Basketball in ceremonies held at the Rockcastle County High School. Hammond who was also named the Gatorade Player of the Year, wore the #1 jersey when Kentucky squared off against the annual Kentucky-Indiana game.

April saw the grand opening of the new Community Post Office at the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame in Renfro Valley.

Approximately 400 people participated in the annual Redbud Health Walk which is held every April

The annual UNITE Community Celebration was held in April, with US Congressman Hal Rogers, and Kentucky Attorney General Jack Conway both in attendance and speaking at the event. The keynote speaker was West Virginia State Police Chaplain James Mitchell.

The first ever community wide Good Friday event was held April 22nd at Mt. Vernon Elementary in the form of a passion play put on by members of Northside Baptist Church. Churches from all over the county and from different denominations came together to put on the event.

The 2010 census showed that Rockcastle County grew slightly from 2000, about 2%. According to the census, the total population reported for the county was 17,056. A new art gallery and

studio opened in Mt. Vernon in April. The Church Street Art Gallery and Studio began operating in the back of the former Hiatt's 5 & 10 in Mt. Vernon. The new portion of Hwy.

150 from the Lincoln County line into Rockcastle County was named after Gary Kidwell, a Rockcastle native and Stanford police officer who was killed in the The fiscal court held a

line of duty in 1991. public meeting to gauge the interest of local support for a new volunteer fire department to serve the commu-

nities of Climax, Disputanta, Morrill and Three Links. In May, residents in the county learned that new

magisterial districts were

being formed due to the information from the 2010 census. The average population in each district should be 3.400 and only District 4 was within the 10% variance allowed by law. The Rockcastle County

proved a 10 cent meal price hike for the 2011-12 school Over 150 people attended the National Day of

Board of Education ap-

the courthouse lawn. Rockcastle 1,257 Countians turned out for the primary election in May, which was for statewide

Prayer ceremony held on

The 39th graduating class of the Rockcastle County High School held commencement ceremonies on May 27th. 189 students graduated. Starla Bond was named Valedictorian and Ethan Miller was named Salutatorian.

A historic Rockcastle landmark for over 40 years, Jean's Restaurant, was destroyed by fire.

June began with Bible Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon beginning plans to help the victims of the Joplin, Missouri tornado that ripped through the town in March.

WKYT news anchor Sam Dick was the featured speaker at the third annual Rockcastle County Healthy Joe Expo held at the Rockcastle County Middle School. The Hwy. 150 construc-

tion project reached its final destination in June, at the junction of Hwy. 461 and Hwy. 150. County workers received

the first of two raises for 2011, a .50 cent an hour raise was approved by the court during their June meeting. Becky Warf Smith was

named as the new Assistant Principal for the Rockcastle County High School. Smith works with the Freshman Academy at RCHS. Mt. Vernon city employ-

ees received a 5% raise as a part of the approved final reading of the city's 2011-12 budget.

Storms dropped over an inch of rain on the county and a lightning strike rivers knocked out both pump motors at the Mt. Vernon water plant, effectively slowing the pumping capac-Travis and others

ity of every water district in the county except Livingston. Michaela Hunter was named the KHSAA 2A

Track and Field Athlete of

the Year.

## "Soldiers"

#### (Cont. from front)

Others Serving

Chris and Jeff are home but Rockcastle County still has several young men serving their country at home and abroad.

Those we are aware of are members of the Jan Stevens family of Wildie, who have had as many as four at one time in harm's

Their grandson, Jarred Stevens, son of Tammy and Jan Ivan Stevens of Wildie is a member of the National Guard and is presently at home on leave but will be returning to Afghanistan this week. Jarred also served a tour of duty in Iraq before going to Afghanistan.

Jarred's brother, Jay, also a member of the National Guard, recently completed Blackhawk Helicopter flight school and is awaiting his next deployment, possibly to Afghanistan. He also served a tour of duty in Iraq and is presently stationed at National Guard headquarters in Frankfort. Their granddaughter's,

Katie's husband, Donald Hensley is a member of the U.S. Army and has served in Iraq and Afghanistan and is a Purple Heart recipient.

Their son, Jeff, is a Lt. Col. in the National Guard and has served in the Middle East. He presently works at the National Guard headquarters in Frankfort.

Also serving are: Dakota

"Hammer" Mahaffey, a member of the U.S. Army, who has been in Afghanistan since July of 2011, deployed from Ft. Hood, Texas. A 2010 graduate of RCHS, Dakota is the son of Dwight and Shana Mahaffey of Scaffold Cane.

Louise Mullins of Climax has a grandson and three great grandsons in the service.

Her grandson, Petty Officer First Class Michael Dixon is with the Navy, assigned to the USS Boxer and has just returned to San Diego, CA from a sevenmonth deployment in the Persian Gulf. He will be retiring in May of this year after 20 years of service. He is the son of Nell and Dwight McNew and the late Jackie Dixon.

Great grandsons LCPL Kent Mullins and PFC Kyle Mullins. Kent is with the 8th

Marines and is stationed at Camp Lejune, NC, after a recent tour in Afghanistan. Kyle is with the Army's 10th Mountain. He is currently stationed at Fort Polk, LA, following a deployment to Afghanistan. They are the sons of Angie (Jason) Kirby and the late Biron Mullins and the grandsons of Larry and Brenda Mullins and Jess and Helen Taylor.

Another great grandson, PFC Zachary Dixon, is with the Army 25th Infantry Division. He is stationed in Schofield Barrack, Hawaii. Zach is the son of Steve and Christy Dixon and the grandson of Nell and Dwight McNew and the late Jackie Dixon.

LCPL Raymond Lynn Miracle is with the 2nd Marines and is currently deployed to Afghanistan after which he will return to Camp LeJeune, NC. Lynn is the son of Raymond Miracle and Alisa Cameron, the grandson of Charlotte Miracle and the late Jimmy Miracle and Earl Cameron and the late Pat Cameron. He is the grandson of Minnie Lee Barnett and the late Clyde Barnett and the late Barbara Hubbard.

#### "Property" (Cont. from front)

His second motion, at the November meeting, included renovating the grounds to provide ballfields and a health and wellness complex near the present clubhouse. This motion failed along the same lines with magistrates Gary Burdette and Ralph

Allen the only magistrates

voting with Carloftis. At that point, Carloftis appointed the three dissenting magistrates to a committee to locate a property on which to locate a recreation and health and wellness complex. They were asked to report their findings to the court at the January meet-

The present group of private investors, who at this time prefer to remain unnamed until the purchase is finalized, have put a nonrefundable deposit on the property with PBK Bank and the transaction is expected to be finalized by the end of the month.

The group plans to open the facility to the general public.

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# Remembering Mary Ida

Everyone in Rockcastle County knew and remember what a special lady Mary Ida Jones was. She was well thought of and a real blessing to our community.

Back in 1950, Mary Ida was struggling, wondering how she was going to raise her family. Her husband was battling emphysema and wasn't able to work anymore. They were raising four children, the oldest 5 and youngest only 9 months old. Time were hard. They were in debt for the farm they had bought and raising a garden and tobacco just wasn't enough to get by on.

Finally, Mary got a job opportunity working for "Save the Children" Federation. The organization would run a second hand store and let Mary Ida operate it for them. She went to work for them and had two more children. After working all day, she would go home, cook for her family, work in the garden, the tobacco fields or do the housework, whatever she needed to do. She did this for 15

Life wasn't easy. Not only did she raise their children, she put them through

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high school, all but one. Everyone helped as much as they could. The older children would help do chores and tend to the younger

Time passed. Mary enjoyed her job. She could pick up clothing for the children, select household goods and have money for working all those hours she put in. She was working on paying the farm off when the foundation announced they were going to have to close, they weren't making enough money after expenses.

Mary once again wondered what he would do. Friends and family talked her into going into business for herself. She already knew about running a store, knew how to get along with customers, knew the billing process, so why not? She pondered this over and decided this was the thing for her to do.

She found a small building to rent and Mary Ida's Trading Post came into being. The rent was \$35 a month, the electric and heat were the only other two bills she had because she had no water. Her son would drive her to Dayton, Ohio were she handpicked what she

wanted to buy to sell. This would cost her a day's business because it took all day to make the round trip. One thing to her advantage, she knew what to buy. She already had her business established and people would also ask her to look for certain things for them.

Business was good and Mary prospered. She always took time to thank God for what He had bestowed upon her. She was a very faithful Christian. She would help any family in need by not charging them for what they needed. She believed in helping the needy. At times, she was known to slip something in people's bags when she caught them looking at something they needed or wanted ad didn't have the money to buy. She extended credit for those who needed to pay later. Oddly, she seemed to be able to remember how much they owed without looking it up.

Mary soon needed a bigger store. She found an empty store building right behind the local post office. That grew her business even more. People would drop in when they went to pick up their mail whether needed anything or not. The men would do their business in town and the women would flock to Mary Ida's. They'd gather around the old potbellied stove and talk while customers would pick through clothes and shoes. It was happy times.

Mary stayed at this store site for almost 15 years. Times seemed to get harder when her husband passed away. He wasn't able to work but yet had been her rock. The one she turned to in need. The children had all grown up and most had left home by now. Now it all left to Momma. She kept working hard, putting all her faith in the Lord.

Time went on and Mary paid off the farm. Now it was hers. She got a chance to rent a store building on Main Street. She felt this would help her business so she rented it. It had two big windows where she could display items and she added furniture to sell. Business was good again. Other second had stores came to town but none seemed to do as good as Mary Ida's and they would last long. Business got so good that May Ida was able to buy the store. After 35 years of being in business, she now could afford to buy her own place. Now she had all the responsibility. The building had two apartments upstairs that she rented out. People kept buying and paying, whether it was on time or pay then. Mary was willing to work with her customers so they were able to pay and still

have enough to get by on. Time passed and Mary enjoyed her profits, still remembering the Lord was who had helped her in life and she always remembered

to give thanks.

By the time 2005 arrived, Mary had been in business 55 years. She had aged and was unable to hand pick her loads. Traveling all the way to Ohio was hard on her, let alone standing on her feet all day was more than she could bear at her age. She began to get her loads in bales. They weren't as good and she began to sell less. Besides this, yard sales were popping up every week end while she still just got a load every month. Business began to take a turn for the worse. Drastic changes were taking place. She made hardly any profits and it seemed as if it was time for her to close.

Mary decided to retire. She sold the building she had purchased and closed. She had done well. She left with most of her customers paying her in full, but some would never pay. She smiled and went on know God would take care of her.

We lost our beloved Mary Ida on July 30, 2011. No one will ever take her "Robbed"

(Cont. from front)

of her van when, "All of a sudden I looked up and a woman grabbed my arm, literally grabbed my arm, jerked my purse and garment bag and then took off."

Martin says she chased the robber to an SUV, where a man in the driver's seat was waiting for the woman. "I grabbed her from behind, trying to retrieve my things and I grabbed her as hard as I could, screaming the whole time, 'Give me my purse," Martin said.

As Martin chased and then hung onto the woman to try and grab back her items as the woman was getting into the vehicle, the driver suddenly took off, dragging Martin with them for a time. Martin eventually fell to the ground, hitting her head, and watched as the black and tan Ford Expedition drove off. Martin told the Signal that she realized she had made a mistake in chasing the woman, because she could have been seriously hurt while she was being dragged or when she fell. "The scariest part was when I realized I was going to be hurt, maybe run over by the vehicle, when it stopped dragging me. Thankfully, the Lord was watching over me and I only hit my head."

Martin said, "I will not let them stop me from coming shopping. I'll just be more careful. People just need to be aware of their surroundings, take a look, take notice. Just be as safe as you can."

Police arrived in the

parking lot within minutes but the suspects were long gone. EMS workers did find Martin's wallet in the parking lot where it had evidently fallen out of her purse during the struggle, but she still lost her purse, cell phone, and \$500 worth

of clothing. Martin gave a description to the police of the two people. She told the Signal they were a white couple, in their late 20s or early 30s, the man's head was shaved and the woman had long blond hair.

Martin's robbery was the second one in the Fayette Mall parking lot in December. The other robbery also happened in the same part of the parking lot outside of Dillards.

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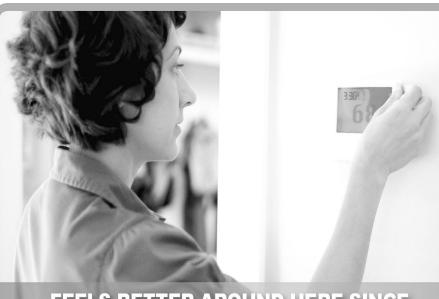
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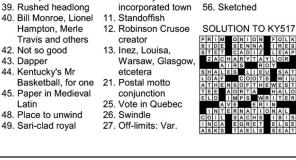


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