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Summer Singing

Providence church of Christ will host their 4th annual Summer Singing on Friday, August 9th at 7 p.m. Leading in song will be Chris Craig, Wayne Thurman, Tim Bishop, Tim Shirley, Rodney Kincaid and Josh McKibben.

Special Service

Grace Fellowship Church invites you to a special service with Eddie James. There will be live music, dance, praise and intercession. The event will be Monday, August 5th, beginning at 7 p.m.

The church is located at 845 S. Main Street in London in Carnaby Square. For more information, contact the church office at 606-864-4635 or visit www.graceforyou.com

Revival

Cupps Chapel Holiness Church will be in revival starting Monday, August 5th thru the 9th. Beginning each evening at 7 p.m. with Bro. Billy Bryant preaching. Pastor Dwayne Carpenter and congregation invites everyone to come out and be with us.

An encouraging word:

An Inevitable Reality

By Howard Coop



On a recent Saturday morning, I drove across the square in our town. It was deserted; not a single soul was visible on the walks. A few cars were parked around the square, but less than one fourth of the parking spaces were occupied. Not a single car was parked in one quadrant of the square.

Then, I remembered another Saturday morning many years ago when I crossed that square. Things were vastly different then; there was much activity. The walks were crowded with people, and they were rushing from store to store. Every parking space was occupied, and persons were driving around the square looking for a place to park.

It is a fact of life; things do not stay the same. Time passes, and things change. Sometimes, that change is dramatic. Heraclitus, who died 1,372 years ago, said, "There is nothing permanent except change." Then, about a hundred and fifty years ago, Anatole France wrote, "We are never two minutes the same."

Change is everywhere.

It occurs in every area of life. Henry Wadsworth Longfellow wrote, "All things must change to something new, to something strange." Change is an inevitable reality, and it occurs all around us all the time in everything.

Change impacts our lives, and, sometimes, that impact is dramatic. About twenty three hundred years ago, Aristotle, said, "Change in all things is sweet," but that's not always easy to grasp, for change can be difficult to handle, and how we handle it makes all the difference.

We are created to grow toward maturity, and growth is change. Gail Sheehy put it this way: "If we don't change, we don't grow. If we don't grow, we aren't living." Change occurs everywhere, but the important change is personal. A C. Benson said, "More often a change of self is needed more than a change of scene." Then, Norman Vincent Peale put change in proper perspective when he wrote, "Change your thoughts and you change your world."

Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

BANANA BREAD BARS

1 1/2 cups sugar
1 cup sour cream or plain yogurt
1/2 cup butter, softened
2 eggs
1 3/4 (3 or 4) ripe bananas, mashed
2 teaspoon vanilla extract
2 cups all purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
3/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup chopped walnuts (optional)

Heat oven to 375°. Grease and flour 9 x 13 baking pan. In a large bowl, beat together sugar, sour cream, butter, and eggs until creamy. Blend in bananas and vanilla extract. Add flour, baking soda, salt, and blend for one minute. Stir in walnuts. Spread batter evenly into pan. Bake 20 to 25 minutes or until golden brown.

COCONUT CHOCOLATE BARS

1 bag (1 pound) cream filled chocolate cookies
1/2 cup butter, melted
1 can (14 ounce) sweetened condensed milk
3 cups flaked coconut
1 cup sliced almonds
1 tub (8 ounce) Cool Whip®--do not thaw
8 ounces semisweet chocolate chips
Additional coconut and almonds, if desired

Preheat oven to 350°. Finely crush cookies; add melted butter. Press into a buttered 9 x 13 baking pan. In a large bowl, combine condensed milk, coconut, and almonds. Mix well. Drop by spoonfuls over crust; spread evenly. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes or until edges begin to brown. Cool completely on a wire rack.

In a microwave safe bowl melt frozen Cool Whip® and chocolate chips. Microwave on high for 2 minutes, stirring after each 30 seconds, until chips have melted. Stir until smooth. Spread on top and sprinkle with additional coconut and almonds. Refrigerate until firm. Cut into bars.

LEMON ICEBOX PIE

1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese
1/2 cup lemon juice or 1/2 cup key lime juice
1 tablespoon lemon zest
1 (14 ounce) can sweetened condensed milk
1 (8 ounce) container Cool Whip, thawed
1 graham cracker crust
Mix the first three ingredients together till smooth; fold in the cool whip. Once the cool whip is completely folded into the mix pour into the pie shell and refrigerate at least 4 hours.



Pastor Appreciation Day - August 11, 2013 at the West Brodhead Church of God

We want to thank God for our Pastor Terry Orcutt and his wife, Geneva, and for all they do for our Church and it's people. They have been at the West Brodhead Church of God for four years and are wonderful people of God. We will be having an appreciation dinner after Sunday Morning Worship service on August 11, in their honor and everyone is invited. We love and appreciate them both very much! Come and join us!

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Upcoming Reunions

Kirby Reunion

The Jerry/Cecil Kirby reunion will be held Sat., Aug. 3rd at Franklin Park in Franklin, Ind. from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. We encourage everyone to attend. Follow signs from interstate to park, approximately 3 miles off Franklin exit.

Call Jerry at 859-302-3753, or Barb French at 317-522-8772 for more information.

McHargue Reunion

The McHargue Reunion will be held at the Pine Hill Baptist Church fellowship hall on Sat., Aug. 3rd from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Take Exit 59 off I-75 and go to 81 Wilderness Road, to Limeplant Hollow Road, Mt. Vernon, about 2 miles.

Please bring food and soft drinks. For more info, call Doris Thompson, 606-256-1843.

Niceley Reunion

The Niceley Family Reunion will be held at Quail Park on Hwy. 70 on Saturday, August 10. All relatives and family are welcome. Come and enjoy the day. Bring a covered dish, lunch will be at noon.

Kelley Reunion

The John and Winnie Kelley Reunion will be held Saturday, August 3rd, 10 a.m. to ? for friends and family. A potluck lunch will be served. The reunion will be held at Cave Valley Community Center off Richmond St.

Falin Reunion

The Falin Reunion will be held August 10th at Pine Hill Baptist Fellowship building, 11 a.m. to ?

Carpenter-Kirby Reunion

The families of Tobe and Jane Carpenter and Jerry Kirby and wives are having their 17th family reunion on August 11, 2013 at the Russell Acton Folk Center in Berea. Extended families are invited to come and meet new family and make friends. Bring a favorite dish or two and drinks. If you wish, also bring family pictures or history to share. It will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lunch will be served between 12:30 and 1 p.m. For more information, call 859-266-7819, Faye Car-

penter Miller.

Cook-Anglin-Thacker Reunion

The Cook-Anglin-Thacker Reunion (Kentucky version) will be held Saturday, October 19th at the new park shelter in downtown Brodhead from 11 a.m. to ? Bring a covered dish, old pictures, games, musical instruments and plan to have a good time. Folding chairs are advised. For more information, call 606-453-2218.

Coffey/Livesay Reunion

The annual Coffey/Livesay reunion is this Saturday at 1 p.m. at the home of Willie and Pat Coffey on Hurricane School Road in Brindle Ridge. The reunion includes descendents of Arthur Coffey, Gatie Givens Ramsey, Wade Hamilton Livesay and Janie Hysinger. The meal will be potluck. For more information call 606-386-0899.

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Two new buildings are currently being erected in Rockcastle Business Park South on Hwy 150 in Mt. Vernon. In the above photo, Goff Excavating recently broke ground for the new Rockcastle County Emergency Services Center. The new center will house Rockcastle 911 as well as the emergency services center and is located next to SourceHOV. In the bottom photo, Goff Excavating also recently broke ground for the new White House Clinic building, located on the right as you enter Business Park South. The clinic, which will eventually employ 90 people, will offer a full range of medical services including a pharmacy, dental, a physician, nurse practitioners, mental health facility, etc. The building is schedule to be completed in the spring of 2014.



Local man noted for community service for almost four decades

By: Doug Ponder
A well-known local man has contributed to Rockcastle County through his community service that he has provided for nearly four decades.
David Baron, 55, of Mt. Vernon has collected aluminum cans in ditches along roadways in Mt. Vernon and Rockcastle County for over 37 years.

Baron, who is known as the "can man" by many Rockcastle Countians, said he started picking up aluminum cans along ditches in the spring of 1976 when he lived on Old Hwy 25 near Wendy's in Mt. Vernon. He said he started the service to contribute to the community after he noticed a large number of aluminum cans in the ditches along the roads in

the county.
"I always saw a lot of cans in the ditches so I just simply started picking them up," Baron said. "Picking up cans helps me as I enjoy seeing and meeting people. It also helps control the litter in the ditch lines along the county as well. So it helps me and it helps my community too."
Baron said he originally

started picking up aluminum cans along Richmond Street and, after moving to Barnett Road, he now has a new route.
Approximately three to four days a week, Baron said he starts his adventure around 6 a.m. with an empty trash bag. He says he picks up aluminum cans along Barnett Road and Purr Rigsby Road before coming to the West Main Street and Hwy 461 intersection in Mt. Vernon. He then said he travels along West/East Main Street and Hwy 25 collecting cans and then sells them to the Rockcastle County Recycling Center.

"I start out in the morning around 6 a.m. with an empty trash bag," Baron said. "At the end of the day my bag is always half-way or completely full, depending on how many cans I find along the way."
As the years rolled by, Baron said he has met several different people and business owners in Mt. Vernon who learned about what he was doing and he said that many of them started giving him their aluminum cans as well.

"A lot of people leave their cans on their front porch or front yard for me and a lot of businesses give me the cans they save as well," Baron said. "It's a really good thing because a lot of people would throw them away with their trash and the cans would just end up in landfills taking up more space with the other garbage."
Baron has received numerous awards and recognitions from the City of Mt. Vernon as well as businesses and churches in Mt. Vernon. Baron said he

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David Baron, 55, of Mt. Vernon is shown picking up a can along West Main Street in Mt. Vernon near PBK Bank. Baron, who is known as the "can man" by many Rockcastle Countians, has been picking up aluminum cans in ditches along roadways in Mt. Vernon and Rockcastle County for over 37 years.

Jury trial begins for woman charged with Bullock murder

By: Doug Ponder

The jury trial is underway for the fifth and final defendant in connection with the December, 2011 shooting death of Jackie Bullock, 34, of Mt. Vernon.

Jessica Hailey Robinson, 22, of London is charged with murder, manufacturing methamphetamine and first degree robbery.

A jury was seated for Robinson's murder trial on Monday and the prosecution started presenting their evidence to the jury Tuesday morning.

For the prosecution's first witness, Commonwealth Attorney Eddy Montgomery called Deputy Sheriff Matt Bryant to the stand. Bryant, who was in charge of the murder investigation, said that Bullock was at a home on Lone Oak Drive in Mt. Vernon on December 1, 2011 before he was murdered.

Bryant said that Bullock's death started out as a vehicle accident investigation after he and other law officers found Bullock dead in the driver's seat of his vehicle after it had

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First day of school set for August 14th

By: Doug Ponder

Summer break is coming to an end for Rockcastle County teachers and students as the first day of school is scheduled for August 14th.

To prepare for the new school year, open houses have been scheduled throughout the district to acquaint students with their new teachers and schedules.

Rockcastle County High School has already held their open house for seniors and juniors. They will hold an open house on Thursday for sophomores from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Friday for freshman from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. During open house, students will be able to pick up their schedules, purchase parking passes/lockers and incoming freshmen will be allowed to tour the building.

Brodhead Elementary School will hold their open house next Thursday, August 8th from 4 to 7 p.m.

Mt. Vernon Elementary School will hold their open house on Monday, August 12th from 5 to 7 p.m. MVES preschool open house will be held on Tuesday, August 20th from 5 to 7 p.m.

Roundstone Elementary School will hold their open house Monday August 12th from 5 to 7 p.m. and the

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Little World's Fair begins this Saturday

The 132nd Little World's Fair will begin this Saturday, August 4th and run through Saturday, August 10th.

Events will kick off this Saturday with a horse show at 5:30 p.m. Admission to the horse show will be \$6.

This Sunday, the grandstand feature will be a mule pull at 2 p.m. Live music will also be provided, featuring entertainers Wilderness Road from 2 to 3:15 p.m., Dix River Crossing from 3:30 to 4:45 p.m. and Jake Vanhover and Jordan Leigh from 5 to 6:15 p.m. Gates will open at 12 p.m. Admission is \$5.

Sunday's events will also feature the Miss Little World's Fair Pageant at 4 p.m. at the Brodhead Elementary School.

Admission to this year's

Boil Water Advisory

Eastern Rockcastle Water Association has issued a boil water advisory for customers on Hwy 1955 and adjoining side roads, Red Hill, Three Links and Climax until further notice.

ERWA President George Shackelford said the advisory effects all their 265 customers who receive water from Jackson County.

Shackelford said that he expects the advisory to be lifted in these areas between this Friday and next Monday. He said the advisory was issued due to a water main break in Jackson County.

midway will be \$10 with the rides opening at 6 p.m. each night and events beginning in the grandstand at 7 p.m.

The carnival rides will open next Monday and the

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Nearly 30 marijuana plants seized in Brodhead last week

By: Doug Ponder

Brodhead was buzzing with activity last Tuesday and Wednesday as several police cruisers, military vehicles and helicopters were present within the city limits because the Kentucky Governor's Marijuana Eradication Detail were searching for marijuana plants in the area.

The Detail is a division of the Kentucky State Police Cannabis Suppression Branch.

According to Detective Darren Allen, the detail responded after receiving information, from an aerial spot by helicopter, about marijuana growing in a wooded area off Old Hwy 150 in Brodhead near the Dollar General Store.

Allen said around 30 marijuana plants worth approximately \$2,000 each were found, cut down and later destroyed.

Allen said that no arrests

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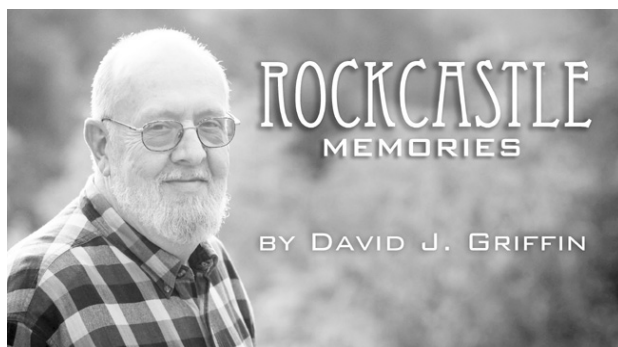
My children are determined to drag me into the 21st century -- especially in the cell phone technology area.

I had a flip phone which I had managed to master. I learned all its little features -- okay, so it was just calling and texting, but I had them down cold.

I was due for an upgrade and the children insisted I needed an iPhone4. "Oh, Mom, it's amazing what it can do." You know, it doesn't matter if it wakes me up in the morning and fixes my breakfast while I am dressing -- if I don't know how to tell it to do that then it's useless.

They should have learned from one experience I had while on vacation in June. I had left my phone in my room and needed to call Paige so I borrowed Allison's, after having her place the call, of course. While talking to Paige -- and I swear I hit nothing, not intentionally anyway, there was the sound of ringing interrupting our conversation. I panicked and threw the phone at Allison and she figured out that, somehow, I was calling her old boyfriend. Of course, she quickly terminated the call. I have no clue to what I did but it just points up the fact that I am dangerous around advanced technology.

The new phone texts, tweets, has the internet, plays music, gets the national news, blah, blah, blah. This is a far cry from the phone I really wanted -- the Jitterbug. That's the one that has the big numbers for old people and, best I can tell, just places calls.



ROCKCASTLE MEMORIES

BY DAVID J. GRIFFIN

Don't Blink

I receive many emails and letters from my readers, and I am very grateful that anyone cares enough to let me know how he or she feels about my column. This past week, Larry Poynter contacted me and suggested that I listen to Kenny Chesney's song, "Don't Blink."

I was only somewhat familiar with the tune. As soon as I pulled up the song on my iTunes account and took the time to truly listen to the lyrics, I immediately understood why Larry had sent such a message. Chesney is singing about me!

For those of you who are not country music fans, the lyrics are as follows:

*I turned on the evening news
Saw an old man being interviewed*

Turning a hundred and two today

Asked him what's the secret to life

He looked up from his old pipe

Laughed and said "All I can say is..."

Just like that you're six years old and you take a nap,

and you wake up and you're twenty-five

and your high school sweetheart becomes your wife

Don't blink

You just might miss your babies growing like mine did

Turning into moms and dads next thing you know your better half

Off fifty years is there in bed

And you're praying God takes you instead

Trust me friend,

A hundred hears goes faster than you think,

So don't blink

I was glued to my TV and it looked like he looked at me and said

"Best start putting first things first."

Cause when your hourglass runs out of sand

You can't flip over and start again

Take every breath God gives you for what it's worth

Don't blink

I've been trying to slow it down

I've been trying to take it in

In this here today, gone tomorrow world we're livin' in

Now don't blink.

How fast life goes! As we grow older, our perception of time changes. As a child, I remember how long it took for Christmas to come again -- it seemed like forever. Or what about how long it took to reach the age of sixteen in order to get a driver's license -- wasn't it like an eternity from 13 to 16? That's what is meant by "wishing your life away." We always want to be some other age than we are.

I remember that it was only yesterday when Bud Cox and I were teenagers, driving around Rockcastle County gazing at the "classic cars" on the roads in front of us. That time period lasted a few seconds -- and now my firstborn son, Andy, has three children who are in junior high and high school -- "Almost Grown," as Chuck Berry used to sing. How is that possible? My son can't possibly be 44 years old. Before he can turn around, he will be a grandfather. As Chesney said, "Don't blink!"

You just might miss your babies growing like mine did turning into moms and dads."

We are all guilty of

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Points East

By Ike Adams



The Lowell Branch Bandit has struck again and I'm really commencing to get seriously upset about this very confounding situation.

The capers or hits or whatever you want to call them started about a month ago shortly after Loretta bought several throw pillows for our front porch furniture. Four or five of them were green and two were shades of red and purple.

Around the first of July we had a storm one night and the next day Loretta announced that one of her pillows was missing. We looked all over the yard and garden, thinking that maybe wind had blown it off the porch but it was not to be found on the place.

I knew there was more to it than wind because the missing pillow was too heavy to have blown very far and if the wind had been that strong, my sweet corn would have been flattened. Then, a few nights later a green pillow went missing in perfectly calm weather.

Two weekends ago I left my good, high-dollar, SAS dress shoes sitting on a porch table when I changed into my garden sneakers to go pick beans. I forgot and left them on the porch overnight and the next morning one was gone. We spent an hour searching and I even called some friends in Mount Vernon who had been visiting to see if one of their kids might have packed it off.

In the meantime, two more pillows went missing and then, last Saturday, the straw that broke the camel's back! I admit that I'm a slow learner, but I left my brand new, \$100, top-of-the-line, New Balance sneakers on the porch to dry because I'd

gotten them soaking wet during a rainstorm Friday and I forgot to bring em in. Saturday morning one of them was gone and I'm ticked-off--- big time.

We have a dog gate on the front porch so that we can keep our horse that looks like a dog confined to the premises when he's not outside in his run. Loretta maintains that the gate was closed on Friday night when we went to bed because she checked on it. Which begs the question, "Then why on earth didn't you bring my shoes in when you went outside to check the gate?" But I didn't raise it because I was in no mood to discuss whose responsibility my shoes are.

So Loretta maintains that the thief has to be a raccoon that is either getting under the gate or between the porch rails. The coon snatches a shoe or colorful thro pillow, hops up on a table and tosses his loot out in the yard. Then he slips back through the rails or under the gate and takes it wherever coons take stuff like that. The coon, she maintains, has to be a male because no female of any species would put up with the way my shoes smell. Then she says that maybe it's a pair of coons and the female, with obviously good taste, has been stealing her pillows.

But I don't think the culprit is a coon or coons because our garbage cans have not been bothered in ages and there's no such thing as a garbage can that a raccoon or team of raccoons can't overturn. I also point out that our sweet corn is coming in and the patch has not been raided even though several

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Obituaries



Paul Ernest Blevins

Paul Ernest Blevins, 76, of Mount Vernon, died Monday, July 29, 2013 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital in Mount Vernon. He was born in Norwood, OH on October 1, 1936, a son of the late Justin Elmer and Lucy Francis Rogers Blevins. He was a retired dairy farmer, enjoyed bass and crappie fishing, gardening, NASCAR, University of Kentucky basketball and was a member of the Providence Church of Christ. On April 5, 1958, he was united in marriage to Janet Louise Thompson Blevins, and from that union came three children.

He is survived by: his wife of 55 years, Janet Louise Thompson Blevins of Mount Vernon; two sons, Ernie Blevins of Cincinnati, OH, and Rusty (Lisa) Blevins of Hendersonville, TN; one daughter, Paula (Keith) Mink of Brodhead; five grandchildren, Allison (Terry) Alexander, Adam (Rebecca) Mink, Carlee Blevins, Marissa Blevins, and LeeAnn Blevins; two great grandchildren, Gracie Lynn Mink, and Emma Kate Mink; three brothers, David Andrew Blevins of Crab Orchard, Carl Curtis (Sharon) Blevins of Whitley City, and Bobby Lee (Debbie) Blevins of Science Hill; four sisters, Wanda Ann Proctor of Berea, Carolyn Jean (Bill) Sluss of Unionville, IN, Betty Sue (Ted) Sutton of Williamsburg, OH, and Martha Ellen (Paul) Hamm of Brodhead; and many nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he is preceded in death by one brother, Justin Glenn Blevins, and one sister, Ina Mae Cash.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, August 2, 2013 at 1 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

als with Danny McKibben officiating. Burial will follow in the Bethel Church of Christ Cemetery.

Visitation will be held (today) Thursday, August 1, from 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. and on Friday, August 2, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

Expressions of sympathy can be made in the form of contributions to the Bethel Church of Christ Cemetery. Condolences may be made at marvineowensfuneralhome.com.



James C. "Scrap Iron" Hayes

James C. "Scrap Iron" Hayes, 88, of Brodhead died Wednesday, July 24, 2013 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. He was born May 12, 1925 in Brodhead the son of the late Luther and Sallie DeBorde Hayes. He was a retired truck driver, was a veteran of WWII, and the Korean War, enjoyed gardening, and was a member of the Brindle Ridge Baptist Church.

Survivors are: two sons, Gordon Ray (Wilma) Hayes of Mt. Vernon, and Barry Hayes of Brodhead; two daughters, Jackie (Gordon) Bullock of Brodhead, and Connie (Shirley) McClure of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Mrs. Norma Jean Crank of Mt. Vernon; 11 grandchildren; many great grandchildren; several great great grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by: his wife, Anna Barnett Hayes; two sons, Ronnie and Jimmy Hayes; one daughter, Carolyn Robbins; and one brother, Luther Hayes Jr.

Services were held July 27, 2013 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Ron Roberts officiating. Burial was in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Elvis

Hayes, Josh Hayes, Cody Deborde, Justin Bryant, Greg Mink and Josh Lyons.

Honorary pallbearers were: David Deborde and David Bryant.

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Martha Robbins

Martha Robbins, 84, of Richmond, IN and formerly of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, July 26, 2013 at her home. She was born March 5, 1929 in Slate, the daughter of the late Russell and Flora Bowling Messer. She married Earl Robbins on February 27th, 1952, and they moved to Richmond in 1974. Martha and Earl then moved back to Mt. Vernon in 2000 and lived there until Earl's death on January 30, 2012. After his death she moved back to Richmond. She loved gardening, reading her Bible and was a member of the McNew Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon.

Survivors are: one son, Earl W. (Pat) Robbins of Niles, MI; two step-sons, Charles R. Robbins, and Clarence Burl (Connie) Robbins, all of Richmond; two daughters, Bertha M. (Dennis) Rice, and Mary E. (Joe) Hartman, all of Richmond; two step-daughters, Norma J. Nicely, and Virginia R. Lowery, both of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Edna Mae Thomas of Oxford, OH; six grandchildren; several step-grandchildren, nieces, nephews; and many friends also survive.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. (today) Thursday, August 1, 2013 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Jerry Ballinger officiating. Burial will be in High Dry Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to: St. Jude Children's Hospital, Memorial and Honor Program, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1942.

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Card of Thanks

Everett Woodall

The family of Everett Woodall would like to thank each and every individual for their kindness during the illness and loss of our loved one.

We appreciate the help of the staff at Rockcastle Regional Hospital, Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation and Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals, during this difficult time.

With the help of Bro. Wendell Martin and Bro. James Nicely, the service was very fitting for Everett. Thanks also to Dale Doan, Linda McClure and Joe French for the beautiful songs as well as those who served as pallbearers.

We would also like to thank everyone who provided food, flowers and other bereavement gifts.

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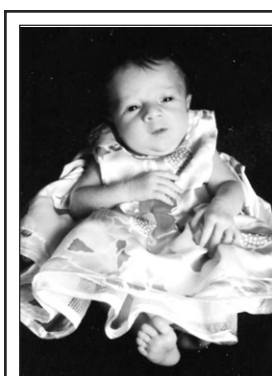
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Tammy and Thomas Shafer, Stoney and Tina McGuire and Jeanine and Larry Lawrence would like to announce the upcoming marriage of their children, Taylor Nicole McGuire and Jacob Dylan Lawrence. Taylor and Jacob are both 2010 graduates of Rockcastle County High School. Taylor graduated from Paul Mitchell the School Lexington and now works at New Vision Hair Studio in Mt. Vernon. Jacob works as a Team Leader at Eagle Hardwood in Somerset. The ceremony will take place August 4th at Quail Community Park in Willailla at 3 p.m. A reception will follow. All family and friends are invited to attend.



Chris and Leslie Larkey are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Kiley Alexis Larkey. Kiley was born June 17, 2013. She was welcomed home by her sister, Kierra and her brothers, Christian and Camden. She is the granddaughter of Bobby and Zannie Robinson and Tom and Darlene Larkey.

“Points East”

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friends and neighbors have had theirs destroyed over-



100th Birthday Open House

In celebration to honor Bertie Kelley on her 100th, Saturday, August 3rd from 2 to 5 p.m. at her home in Livingston on 91 Mullin St. Friends and relatives are invited. No gifts please.

night. My sweet corn problem is a horde of mixed black birds, and the solution involves firearms but that's another story for maybe, next week.

Both of the missing shoes are for the right foot, so maybe the thief is a one-legged man who wears 11-Ds. In the meantime, if you wear that size and have a pair of nice brown SAS dress shoes or New Balance Vibrams and think you might need spares if the left ones go flat, give me a call. I can make you a heck of a deal on both and they are darn near good as new.

Hospital sponsors Lunch & Learn

Rockcastle Regional Hospital & Respiratory Care Center will sponsor a Lunch and Learn Thursday, August 29 at Brodhead Baptist Church with Brittany Perkins-Saylor, MPAS, PA-C. The event starts at 12 noon and the topic of discussion is “What is Celiac Disease?” Brittany will explain a gluten-free diet and other digestive diseases.

A healthy lunch will be provided for those who sign up. This event will be similar to “Dinner with a Doc-

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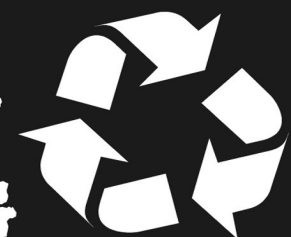
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“Memories”

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“wishing our lives away.” While I was teaching high school chemistry, I often made the statement, “I will be so glad when I can retire.” Chesney says, “Best start putting first things first.” It is so evident to me now that I need to focus on the here and now. I am afraid to blink because my life will be over sooner than I can imagine.

I recently looked at my wife and asked, “Who is that old man that looks back at me in the mirror?” She laughed and reminded me that my mother (Bee) once said the same thing to Kathy, “I don’t know that old lady in the mirror in the mornings – it doesn’t feel like I am anywhere near that old in my mind. Where did she come from?”

So I plan to take Chesney’s advice and “slow things down.” I hope to make it my focus to “take every breath God gives me” and keep my eyes on the hourglass. I want the important things in my life to be kept in perspective and to constantly be thankful for the here and now. The future will arrive soon enough.

Don’t blink, indeed. (You can reach me at themtnman@att.net or you can drop me a line at P.O. Box 927 – Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate your suggestions and comments. You can also find out about my book, View from the Mountain.)

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Early Registration at BES

Early Registration will be held at Brodhead Elementary on Wednesday, August 7, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. If you have recently moved into the area and have a K-5 student that will attend the school, you may come in and complete the necessary paper work on this date.

Brodhead Lodge Meeting

The Brodhead Masonic Lodge #556 meets every third Saturday at 7 p.m. on Main Street in Brodhead above Brodhead Pharmacy.

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

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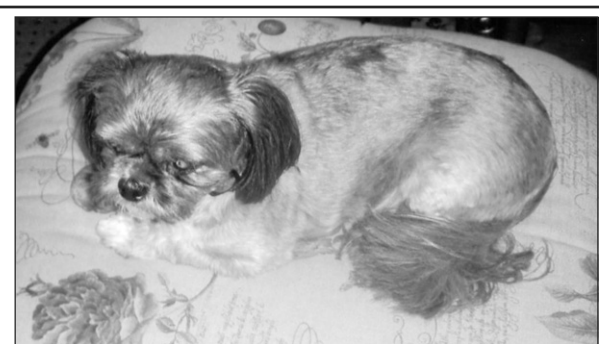
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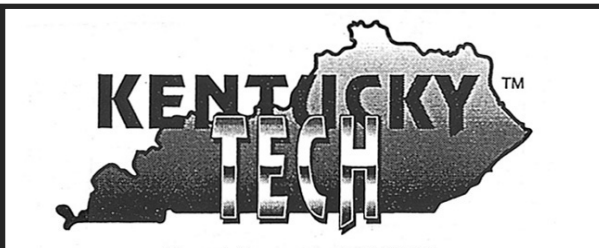


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“School”

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“Can Man”

(Cont. from front)

wasn't for sure how many miles he has walked or how many cans he has collected over the years.

“I have had some people tell me that I have collected over 1,000 pounds of cans. But I am not keeping count,” Baron said. “The late John Cox who used to own Cox Hardware before he died in 2001, told me that he believed I had walked enough miles to have walked from coast to coast in the United States. County Judge Buzz Carloftis told me he thought I had walked enough miles to have walked around the whole earth twice.”

Baron admitted that his journeys can be troublesome at times. He said that he has witnessed numerous vehicle accidents, saw several snakes and also been caught out walking in bad weather.

“There was a wreck one time where a car slammed into a guardrail just a few feet from me. Fortunately, I had already moved from there and wasn't hurt,” Baron said. “I have seen some snakes before but I have never been bitten. I have also been caught out walking in several storms too. But someone I know usually comes and picks me up so I don't have to be out in it.”

Baron went on to say that he plans on collecting aluminum cans in the county for the rest of his life and that he considers it his contribution to society.

“I want to continue doing this as long as I can and will only quit whenever I can no longer go,” Baron said. “It gives me something to do and I enjoy seeing the country and meeting people. I love everything about it and it is my way to make a difference.”

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“Pot”

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have been made and that the landowners weren't aware that it was growing on their property. As of right now, he said they haven't received any tips or information about who was growing the marijuana in the area and that the case is still under investigation.

If you have any information regarding the marijuana cultivation please call the Kentucky State Police Post 11 in London at (606)-878-6622 or 1-800-222-5555.

“Fair”

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evenings grandstand event will be the Demolition Derby.

Kid's Night is next Tuesday when admission will be \$5 for children 12 and under. Next Tuesday night's grandstand event will feature a lawn mower demolition derby.

Next Wednesday, the grandstand event will feature wrestling, which will be provided by the Southern Independent Wrestling Federation.

Next Thursday, the KOTTPA truck pull will be the featured event and the KTPA will host their truck pull next Friday.

Fairgoers will then be treated to the mud run starting at 7 p.m. on Saturday, August 10th.

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Bus Routes Mt. Vernon

DRIVER	BUS NUMBER	ROUTES
W. French	0302	Carter Drive Old Brodhead Rd. Rose Hill Rd. Menefee Hill Rd. West Main St. from Fairground Hill to Hwy. 461
B. French	0503	Hummell Rd. to Buckeye Lake Linville Rd. to VFW Post Hidden Valley Rd. Horse Shoe Bend Rd. Sally J Rd. Old Rocky Rd.
L. Alcorn	0901	Sowder School Rd. Carter Ridge Rd. Valley View Apts. South Wilderness Rd from Old Dixie hwy. to Chestnut Ridge Rd. Indian Lane West Main Street (East of Williams St.) Jerri Lane
M. Blankenship	2001	Hwy. 1329/Lower River Rd. Sand Hill Rd. Calloway Hill
R. McKinney	2012	Chestnut Ridge Rd. U.S. 25/South Wilderness Rd. from "old dumpster site" to Shell Station at Burr McGuire Subdivision (AM & PM)
J. Medley	985	Ember Rd. Big Cave Rd. Piney Branch Rd. Jep Hill Rd. Martin Ridge Rd.
J. Stegemoller	2014	Sowder School Rd. Marlow Hollow Rd. Rank Rd. East Fork Skaggs Rd.
K. Fletcher	0803	Cove Branch Rd. US 25 South /Old Dixie Hwy. Main Street Wolfe Creek Rd.
STAFF	0202	Trace Branch Rd. Old Gauley Rd. Hwy. 490/Upper River Rd.
B. Parsons	0203	Hwy. 1955/Red Hill Rd. from Jackson Co. line
J. Alexander	1401	Brushy Ridge Johnetta Cemetery Area (Hwy. 1719) Crooked Creek Goochland Cave Rd.
T. Nicely	0703	Big Cave Rd. from Carpenter Sub. to Maple Grove Rd. Halcomb East Rd./Grant Lane Poplar Gap Rd.
C. Baker	1004	Pine Hill Circle McHargue Branch Rd. South Wilderness Rd. Main Street, Livingston
K. Coffey	0401	Fairground Hill West Main St. from caution light to Fairground Hill Old Somerset Rd. Locust Street Quarry Street/Poplar Street Williams Street from caution light to Poplar Street
J. Tyler	1303	Big Cave Rd. from Jeans Rest. to Carpenter Sub. Carpenter Rd. Stone Mason Rd. Richards Lane
J. Miller	0301	Robert Miller Rd. - Low Gap Rd. School House Hill Rd. Marlow Hollow Rd. to Jack Bradley
J. Poynter	2000	Sand Springs Rd. to Buffalo Buffalo Church Rd. Cleft Rock Rd. Bullock Rd.
C. Holt	0601	Clark Ridge Rd. Three Links Rd. Big Cave Rd. from Brush Creek Bridge to Maple Grove Rd. Cook Rd. 1912/Climax Rd.
R. Reynolds	1403	Ramsey Trailer Park Floyd and Shirley St. Hwy. 150 South of Hwy. 461 Paul St./Joyce St.
K. Singleton	0201	Honeycomb Rd. Lime Plant Hollow Cardinal Lane Frosty Hollow Rd. Limestone Hollow Rd. Mullins Station Rd.
C. Wagner	0204	Upper Calloway Loop Rd. Calloway Branch Rd. Foggy Hollow Rd. Livingston back streets (McClure, Black St., and Bullock Ave.) to be picked up at old Livingston School
Z. Hasty	1001	Special Needs Route

Rockcastle Schools 2013-2014 Transportation

Bus Routes Roundstone

DRIVER	BUS NUMBER	ROUTES
J. Masten	1102	Brindle Ridge Rd. Hurricane School Rd. Greenfish Rd. Old Sigmon Loop North Wilderness from Roundstone School to Renfro Valley
D. Stephens	1402	Scaffold Cane Rd. from Azbill Rd. to Burnt Ridge Rd. Burnt Ridge Rd. Stevens Rd.
P. Cobb	0903	Anglin Falls Hammond Fork Rd. Disputanta Rd. to Holt Hill Wildie Rd.
M. Collins	990	Hummel Rd. from Buckeye to Wildie Rd. Merritt Cemetery Rd.
J. Weaver	2002	Flat Gap Rd. from Madison View Rd. to Buffalo Hollow Rd. Buffalo Hollow Rd.
V. Maples	1301	Sweetwater Rd. Copper Creek Hill Rd. North Wilderness Rd. from Roundstone School to 1505
J. Stallsworth	1002	Lambert Rd. North Wilderness Rd. from 1505 to Lambert Rd.
P. McKinney	2013	Little Hurricane Branch Rd. Grace Loop Rd. Snowflake Lane
R. Abney	0502	Scaffold Cane Rd. from Parsons Gas to Azbill Rd. Azbill Rd. Cane Branch Rd. Big Sandy Rd. Wind Chime Lane Buttercup Rd. Scaffold Cane Loop Rd. Wild Rose Rd.
S. Coffey	0501	North Wilderness Rd. from Lambert Rd. to Madison Co. line Flat Gap Rd. from 25 to Madison View Rd. Madison View Rd.
C. Cameron	0304	Old State Rd. Little Clear Creek Rd. Boone Gap Rd.
R. Baker Stallsworth	0801	Special Needs Route

SCHOOL BUS RULES AND REGULATIONS

The privilege of any pupil to ride a school bus is conditioned upon their good behavior and observance of the following rules and regulations. Pupils violating these rules and regulations shall be reported to the principal of the school which the pupil attends for necessary corrective action.

Safety is the primary concern in the transportation of pupils. In order to assure proper safety, it is vital that pupils and parents understand the rules and regulations of school bus riding. Following is a list of basic rules and regulations adopted by the Rockcastle County Board of Education and the Kentucky Department of Education:

1. Arrive at a bus stop on time. The bus has many scheduled stops and cannot be delayed.
2. Never stand in the road while waiting for the bus. Parents should encourage safety measures for pupils as they wait for the bus and walk home from the bus.
3. Cross a safe distance (10 feet) in front of the bus so the driver can see you.
4. Take a seat upon boarding the bus and do not change seats while the bus is in motion.
5. The driver is in charge of the bus and pupils and has the authority to assign seating arrangements.
6. Keep noise to a minimum so that the driver's attention can be devoted to driving.
7. Do not extend arms, legs or head out the bus windows.
8. Obey the rules posted on each bus.
9. Do not block aisles in any way.
10. Knives/other sharp instruments are not permitted on the bus.
11. Never run toward the bus. Always load and unload when the bus has come to a complete stop.
12. Apply the above rule (No. 11) when transferring buses.
13. Never use the rear exit unless an emergency exists.
14. Ride only your assigned bus unless you have a signed note from the principal. Parents must write or call the principal to obtain permission for pupil to ride another bus or to exit at a different stop.
15. Report any damages to the bus.
16. Do not occupy more space in a seat than required.
17. Open and close windows in compliance with the driver's instructions.
18. Pupils and parents are to accept the responsibility of listening for dismissal announcements on the radio on days when inclement weather disrupts the regular schedule.
19. The following rules are of particular concern and the activities mentioned are prohibited at all times:
 - a. Use of profane/foul language.
 - b. Smoking or other use of tobacco on the bus.
 - c. Fighting on the bus.
 - d. Destruction of bus property.
 - e. Defiance of driver's authority.
 - f. Throwing objects on or from the bus.
20. **Disciplinary Action:** Violations of the above stated rules and regulations shall be reported to the appropriate school principal. The principal shall record the incident and determine the appropriate disciplinary action. Should any pupil persist in violating any of these regulations, it shall be the duty of the driver to notify the principal and, after due warning has been given to the pupil and such violation persists, the principal and/or board of education shall then forbid such disobedient pupil the privilege of riding the bus. Written notice of the action of the principal shall be furnished to the parents and the superintendent.

Ride only your assigned bus unless you have a signed note from the Principal.

Parents must write or call the principal to obtain permission for pupil to ride another bus or to exit at a different stop.

Parents & Teachers School Bus Safety Alert

A child's clothing can be dangerous when getting off the bus. A number of children have been injured or killed when their clothing became caught when exiting the bus.

Dangerous clothing that can get caught in handrails, doors or other areas include:

- Jackets or sweatshirts with drawstrings
- Backpack straps
- Scarves or other loose clothing

Please talk with your children about these Safety Rules:

- Stay away from Danger Zones around the bus
- If you drop something near the bus, don't pick it up. The driver may not see you. Tell the driver and follow his/her instructions.
- Remember that motorists don't always stop for the school bus.
- Use extreme caution when getting on or off the bus.

BUS ROUTES Brodhead

T. Adams	1302	Hwy. 1505/Brindle Ridge Rd. Brodhead Chestnut Rd. Big Orchard Rd.
J. Benge	0303	KY. 3245 Castle Village Drive Bryant Ridge Rd.
T. Mullins	0702	West Level Green Rich Farm Rd. Caldwell Rd. Barker Rd. Quail Rd. (From Caldwell Rd. to Dean Jones') 1650 to Allen Hill
D. Hamm	1101	Brown Rd. Freedom School Rd. Evergreen Estates Sub. Benton Bullock Sub. Sayre School Rd.
L. Allen	0802	Bowling Ridge Rd. Tarklin Rd. Slaty Branch Rd. US 150/Fort Harrod Way to Lincoln County line
D. Gibbs	0701	DeBorde Rd. Dusty Trails Trailer Park Maretburg Cemetery Rd. Rocky Top Trailer Park Wabd Jones Rd. Cedar Rapids Rd. Lone Oak Rd.
O. Sowder	1103	West Main St. past Dollar General to US 150 Copper Creek Rd.
T. Smith	0602	Jopp Rd. Ottawa School Rd. Shug Rd. Seminole Lane Dug Hill Rd. Gentry/Laswell Rd. Quail Rd to Caldwell Rd.
B. Hurst	2011	Poplar Grove Rd. Willaila Rd. Goldfinch Lane John Rd. Blue Jay Lane Bandy Rd.
A. Brock	1003	Barnett Rd. Purr Rigsby Rd. Hwy. 1326/Old Brodhead Rd. Hwy. 1505/Brindle Ridge Rd. to Old Brodhead Rd. Frith Subdivision
J. Bullock	0902	Dorman Creek Rd. Level Green Access Rd. Hwy. 1152/Blue Springs Rd. White Rock Rd. Doc Adams Rd.
STAFF	0603	Special Needs Route

BUSES TO ROCKCASTLE COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL 2013-2014

Brodhead Elementary School

T. Smith	(0602)	D. Hamm (1101) O. Sowder (1103)
B. Hurst	(2011)	A. Brock (1003) T. Adams (1302)
J. Bullock	(0902)	J. Benge (0303) Town Students
D. Gibbs	(0701)	T. Mullins (0702) L. Allen (0802) Students on Hwy. 150

Roundstone Elementary School

J. Masten	(1102)	S. Coffey (0501) M. Collins (990) J. Stallsworth (1002)
D. Stephens	(1402)	V. Maples (1301) P. Cobb (0903) R. Abney (0502)
C. Cameron	(0304)	J. Weaver (2002) P. McKinney (2013)

Mt. Vernon Elementary School

All buses that go to the Mt. Vernon Elementary will also go to the Rockcastle County Middle School in the mornings. If you walk to the elementary school, you may catch any bus to the middle school, however, you should ride the same bus each day.
Afternoon only - middle school students need to ride one of the following buses back to Mt. Vernon Elementary School in the afternoon:

J. Poynter	(2000)	K. Singleton (0201) STAFF (0202)
J. Alexander	(1401)	C. Baker (1004) J. Stegemoller (2014)
L. Alcorn	(0901)	R. McKinney (2012) J. Miller (0301)
W. French	(0302)	B. French (0503) B. Parsons (0203)
M. Blankenship	(2001)	C. Wagner (0204) J. Medley (985)
J. Tyler	(1303)	C. Holt (0601) R. Reynolds (1403)
K. Coffey	(0401)	T. Nicely (0703) K. Fletcher (0803)

BUSES TO ROCKCASTLE COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL 2013-2014

Brodhead Elementary School

L. Allen	(0802)	B. Hurst (2011) J. Bullock (0902)
D. Hamm	(1101)	D. Gibbs (0701) J. Benge (0303)
T. Mullins	(0702)	T. Smith (0304) O. Sowder (1103)
T. Adams	(1302)	A. Brock (1003) Town students and hwy. 150

Roundstone Elementary School

P. Cobb	(0903)	P. McKinney (2013) C. Cameron (0304)
J. Weaver	(2002)	M. Collins (990) J. Masten (1102) V. Maples (1301)
J. Stallsworth	(1002)	D. Stephens (1402) R. Abney (0502) S. Coffey (0501)

Mt. Vernon Elementary School

Morning Bus Transfers: All buses that go to Mt. Vernon Elementary will also go to the Rockcastle County Middle School. At Rockcastle County Middle School, the high school students will transfer to the following buses to get to the high school:

B. French (0503)	T. Nicely (0703)	C. Holt (0601)
J. Miller (0301)	B. Parsons (0203)	C. Wagner (0204)

Afternoon Bus Transfers: High school students will need to ride one of the following buses back to Mt. Vernon Elementary in the afternoon: (be sure to ride the same bus every day)

B. French	(0503)	K. Singleton (0201) STAFF (0202)
B. Parsons	(0203)	C. Baker (1004) R. McKinney (2012)
C. Wagner	(0204)	J. Stegemoller (2014) J. Poynter (2000) J. Medley (985)
J. Miller	(0301)	J. Alexander (1401) L. Alcorn (0901)
C. Holt	(0601)	W. French (0302) M. Blankenship (2001) K. Fletcher (0803)
T. Nicely	(0703)	J. Tyler (1303) K. Coffey (0401) R. Reynolds (1403)

All Bus Schedules & Numbers ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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“Murder”

(Cont. from front)

rolled approximately 300 yards down a hill off Lone Oak Road and smashed through a fence. However, Bryant said it turned into a murder investigation after discovering a gunshot wound in Bullock's side.

Bryant said he originally arrested and charged Mt. Vernon residents Gary Lee Kirby, 19, Joshua Duane Cameron, 25 and Bobby Peters, 36 with Bullock's murder. Upon further investigation, Bryant said he also arrested Mary Hannah Hunsucker, of Mt. Vernon and charged her with murder. He said Robinson was later arrested on an arrest warrant after she had been indicted by a Rockcastle County Grand Jury.

Bryant told the jury that Kirby, Cameron, Peters and Hunsucker all pled guilty to murdering Bullock during their respective court dates in 2012. Hunsucker was sentenced to 20 years in prison while Kirby, Cameron and Peters were all sentenced to 25 years in prison, due to their separate charges for manufacturing methamphetamine.

During the investigation, Bryant said he received a call on December 2nd from the Pulaski County Sheriff's Department saying that Robinson and her stepmother had come to their office to report a murder.

In a tape recording of the interview with Bryant at the Pulaski County Sheriff's Department, Robinson told him that she was at her boyfriend's house at the intersection of Hwy 39 and Hwy 70 in Willaila on Wednesday, November 30, 2011. Robinson said her boyfriend was at work and that she had forgotten her hair straightener at Peters' and Hunsucker's house on Lone Oak Drive. Robinson said Peters and Hunsucker were in a relationship.

Robinson said Bullock came to her boyfriend's

house to pick her up around 10 or 11 p.m. on the night of November 30th. She said her boyfriend didn't mind Bullock picking her up because he was a family friend whom her boyfriend trusted.

On the way to the house on Lone Oak Drive, Robinson called Hunsucker to let her know they were coming to get the hair straightener. However Robinson said Hunsucker kept asking her if Bullock had any "pills" to which she replied "I don't know." She admitted that Hunsucker and Peters knew that Bullock had just returned from a pain clinic in Georgia with his prescription pain pills.

When they arrived, Bullock and Robinson met Hunsucker and Peters inside the house. During this time, Hunsucker reportedly told Robinson that Kirby was inside the upstairs bathroom and that he was sick.

Robinson said that she got her hair straightener out of the downstairs bathroom and walked upstairs to say goodbye to Kirby. However, she said Kirby was nowhere to be found.

While she was upstairs, Robinson said she heard a commotion coming from outside in the driveway. When she walked toward the open window in the upstairs bedroom, toward the front of the house, Robinson said she could see the silhouettes of two masked men standing on each side of Bullock's car while he was in the car trying to leave.

Robinson said that's when the man on the driver's side shot Bullock and she could instantly tell that he appeared dead as he was slumped over the steering wheel while his car continued rolling down the steep driveway and down the embankment off Lone Oak Drive.

Robinson said she panicked and asked Hunsucker and Peters what had happened and they told her to calm down and be quiet.

After the murder, Robinson said the two unknown men came inside the

back door of the residence and she identified them as Cameron and Kirby after they removed their masks. She said they both appeared extremely "high" and disoriented.

Robinson claimed that all four people told her to get inside the Peters' vehicle with them. She said they dropped Cameron off on an unknown country road and that Peters and Hunsucker dropped her and Kirby off at her boyfriend's residence. However, Robinson later said that her boyfriend "ran Kirby off" from his residence and that he left walking on foot.

Robinson admitted that she followed their commands because she was afraid they would kill her. She added that Cameron told her that if she said anything about the murder "he would blow her head off."

After Robinson's first interview, Bryant told the jury that Kirby didn't provide any statements about the incident but that Cameron, Hunsucker and Peters did provide statements. In their interviews, Bryant said that there was several inconsistencies between their testimonies and Robinson's testimony.

Bryant said that the view from the upstairs window of Peters' house, where Robinson claimed she witnessed the murder, the view was obstructed by a large flower pot outside. He said that he had to press his head up against the window to look outside when he was trying to reconstruct the incident.

In the second tape recording with Robinson, Bryant confronted her with the conflicting information she had given him previously.

Robinson told Bryant that she still witnessed the murder from the upstairs window and that she was about a foot away from the window, which Bryant didn't find feasible.

Bryant then told Robinson that he believed she was withholding information and that her story of the murder didn't match with Cameron's, Hunsucker's and Peters' stories.

Robinson then said they were all five at Peters' house when Bullock came to pick up Robinson to run errands. Before Bullock came, she said that the other four at the house asked her if she would rob Bullock of his pills but, after some discussion, she said she later told them the robbery was a "no-go."

Robinson said she and Bullock left to run some errands in Mt. Vernon and that they also went to a cemetery to "do some pills." She said that "he did two and I did two." When asked what the pills were, she said Percocets, which were the same pills Bullock was pre-

scribed by the pain clinic in Georgia.

Robinson said that she told Peters and Hunsucker numerous times not to rob Bullock and she also said she was afraid to tell Bullock because she thought "he would go off on her." She said Peters and Hunsucker wanted to rob Bullock of his pills because they owed Bullock money from pills he had sold them previously and that they wanted pills but didn't have the money to pay for them.

Robinson said that when they returned she stayed on the porch with Bullock for a few minutes to make sure "nothing happened." Then she said she went inside and went upstairs. Moments later, she said she witnessed the murder from the upstairs window. She also said Kirby told her he shot Bullock when he came back inside.

Robinson went on to say that she left information out in the previous interview because she was scared. She also said that she never thought Bullock would be murdered and that she had no intention of murdering anyone.

After the second interview, Bryant told the jury that he didn't arrest Robinson at the time because she was still providing them with information and taking them to other scenes where the murder weapon was used for target practice.

Officials anticipate that Robinson's trial will last till the end of this week or beginning of next week since the prosecution still has more evidence to present and the defense will then present their evidence.

Jackson Energy petitions to raise customer's charge on their bills

By: Doug Ponder

An electric company, servicing parts of Rockcastle County, has recently asked the Kentucky Public Service Commission to raise the rate charged for their service.

Jackson Energy is seeking approval to increase the average monthly bill by 1.5% each year in 2014, 2015 and 2016. The cooperative asked for permission to raise the monthly customer charge to cover the costs of their rising operating expenses.

Jackson Energy President and CEO Carol Wright said the company's last rate increase was in 2008. But since the last increase, Wright claims, their operating expenses have increased dramatically.

"Our employees and managers have worked to trim our operating budget," Wright said. "But our reductions haven't been enough to keep up with the five year inflation rate of 8.5%."

Wright said the company has reduced the number of vehicles in their fleet, trimmed operating expenses and used modern technology to streamline day-to-day operations. But even with these efforts, Carol said the company's expenses exceed their revenue.

The proposal for a rate increase asks for a 4.5% increase to be phased in over a three year period.

"By requesting the adjustment to the customer charge over three years, rather than all at one time, our co-op members can better plan for the increase," Wright said. "The change will be a flat \$2 per month for residential customers and will not affect their per kilowatt hour charge which is based on how much electricity they use each month."

Wright went on to say that they also want to help customers lower their bills by reducing the amount of electricity they use each month.

"Jackson Energy offers several rebate programs that can help pay for adding extra insulation and other improvements that will help our members use less electricity," Wright said.

Jackson Energy currently serves over 51,000 customers in seven counties which include Clay, Estill, Jackson, Laurel, Lee, Owsley and Rockcastle. Wright said their territory is largely a rural area which means they have fewer customers per mile of electric line than electric companies that serve larger towns and cities, meaning that they also have higher maintenance expenses.

The review of the rate case by the Kentucky Public Service Commission will take approximately six months and, if approved, the rate increase would probably go into effect in March 2014.



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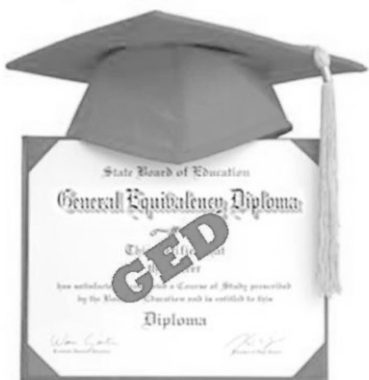
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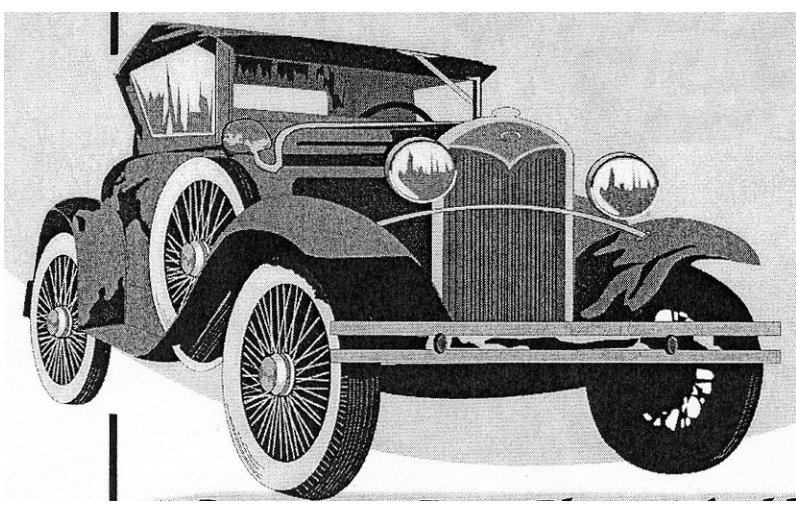
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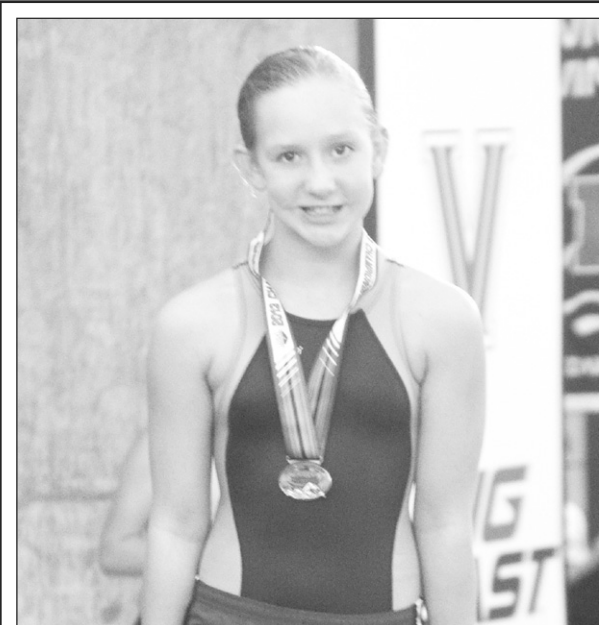
Tate Clements and Carter Blanton competed with 132 high school fishing teams for the 2013 High School Fishing World Tournament Championship. The tournament was held at Lake Dardanelle in Russellville, Arkansas. This is the pinnacle of Student Angler Federation events, and it's presented by The Bass Federation and FLW. Tate and Carter fished hard for 6 days making the cut to qualify each day for the semi-finals but fell short and were unable to fish in the final round. They placed 21st overall in this tournament. This is the first event of this stature that Rockcastle County has competed in and we are very proud of them. "We would also like to thank all our sponsors for without them none of our activities would have been possible, thanks again", Advisor/Director Doug Clements.



The Rockcastle County 14U Hot Styx fast pitch softball team won the Mudcat Classic tournament in Lawrenceburg this past weekend. Pictured are, front from left: Lauryn Carpenter, Tiffany Fain, Brianna Carter, Jayna Albright and Emme Barker. Back row from left: Mark Carpenter, Coach Steve Holcomb, Kristin Holcomb, Katie Adams, Amber Collins, Savannah Smith and Coach Garry Fain. The team has finished champions in three tournaments this summer. Congratulations!



Isabella Whitaker and Lauren Burton recently competed in the LCSA conference championship. Isabella won the high point award for the girls 6 & under age division. She set new conference records in 25 yard butterfly, 25 yard backstroke and 25 yard freestyle in the prelims that morning. Isabella broke her own records later the same day, winning gold medals in all three. She also was part of the 8 & under medley and the 6 & under freestyle relay teams that set a new conference record as well. Lauren won the high point award for the Women 15-16 age division. Lauren won gold medals in the 50 yard freestyle, 50 yard backstroke, 50 yard butterfly, 100 yard freestyle and the 100 yard individual medley. Lauren set new conference records in the 100 yard IM, 50 yard backstroke and the 50 yard butterfly.



Laurel Yates, 10, recently competed at the KY Long Course State Championship meet and came away with a 2nd place finish in the 10 & under 50 meter freestyle. Laurel was within 0.05 seconds of 1st place in the 50 meter freestyle. She placed 3rd in the 50m breaststroke and also placed 5th in both the 100m freestyle and 100m breaststroke. Laurel swims for Cola out of Richmond.

Renfro Valley heats up with headliners in Aug.

The month of August is hot around Renfro Valley Entertainment Center and the headliner concert series brings the heat. Gospel Music Celebration Week begins August 1st and concludes with Renfro Valley's 71st annual All Night Gospel Sing Saturday, August 3rd. This fan favorite event is sure to lift your spirits as Southern Gospel groups from around the country perform songs of praise and worship along with standard southern gospel favorites.

The "Legends Show" featuring Grand Ole Opry stars Jim Ed Brown, Jean Shepard, Stonewall Jackson and Jan Howard will be at Renfro Valley on August 9th and Cooter Jones and His Garage Band perform on August 10th.

Country music legends John Conlee, T.G. Sheppard and Jeannie Seely heat up the New Barn on August 16th followed by the great Roy Clark, on August 17th.

Renfro Valley entertainer and rising star, Corey Kenton, will be sure to entertain on August 23rd and Diamond Rio will leave attendees wanting more after their performance on August 24th.

Fan favorite Sawyer Brown wraps up the August headliners on August 30th.

"Our August headliners are unique and entertaining acts," said Doris Sanders, Renfro Valley's President/CEO. "As summer is in full-swing, so is our headliner concert series and these acts confirm. Stay tuned for more to come in 2013."

Tickets are on sale now for all August headliner concerts. For reservations and information call

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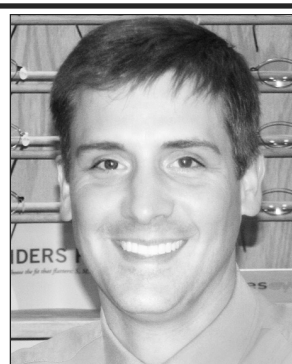
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Owner

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Rockcastle County

Back to School



FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

Wednesday, August 14, 2013
Students attend all day.

Student Enrollment Form

Rockcastle County Schools has a new **Student Enrollment Information** form that will be used at every school in the district. This **one** form will replace the many forms that have been placed in folders and sent home at the beginning of school. Our goal is to assist families in making the beginning of school as pleasant and stress free as possible. You may print the form from the district website (www.rockcastle.kyschools.us), complete and return to your child's school at open house. Other necessary forms will be sent home at a later date.

Mt. Vernon Elementary School

Open House
Monday, August 12th
4:00 - 7:00 PM

MVES Preschool Open House
Tuesday, August 20th
5:00 - 7:00 PM



Roundstone Elementary School

Open House
Monday, August 12th
5:00 - 7:00 PM

Preschool/Head Start Begins August 26th

Space still available.

Call your child's school for enrollment information.

BES - (606) 758-8512
MVES - (606) 256-2953
RES - (606) 256-2235

Brodhead Elementary School

Back to School Night
Thursday, August 8th
4:00 - 7:00 PM

Rockcastle County Middle School

Monday, August 12th
3:00 - 6:00 PM

Meet teachers and staff,
tour the building
and new student enrollment.



Rockcastle County High School

8:30 AM - 3:00 PM

July 30th: Seniors

July 31st: Juniors

August 1st: Sophomores

8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

August 2nd: Freshman Camp

Family Resource/Youth Service Centers Back to School Backpack Program

(this program has replaced Redi-Fest)

Backpacks containing school supplies will be available from your FRYSC Center by contacting your school's coordinator:

Satica Morgan, Brodhead Elementary - 758-8512
Sandy Bullen, Roundstone Elementary - 256-2235
Jessie Mahaffey, Rockcastle Co. High School - 256-4818

Regina Hull-Brown, Mt. Vernon Elementary - 256-5173
Angie Payne, Rockcastle Co. Middle School - 256-5484
Or see your school's coordinator during Open House.



Rockcastle Adult Education

Open Enrollment: August 9th - 13th

Term 1: August 26 - October 4

GED Test Dates: October 9th and 10th (Pulaski - SCC Campus)

For more information call Rockcastle Adult Education Center at 606-256-0218.

Jerry Cox sworn in as President of National Criminal Defense Bar

Jerry J. Cox, of Mount Vernon, was sworn in on Saturday, July 27, as President of the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers (NACDL) at its 56th Annual Meeting in San Francisco, CA. Mr. Cox has previously served the Association as its President-Elect, First- and Second Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Parliamentarian, as well as on the Association's Board of Directors.

Mr. Cox is a sole practitioner based in Mount Vernon, where he has been practicing criminal defense law for over 40 years. Throughout his career, Mr. Cox has published and lectured extensively on criminal law issues. He is deeply committed to the defense bar and has served on the faculty of the Kentucky Department of Public Advocacy's (DPA) Trial Practice Institute for many years. In 2002, the Kentucky DPA recognized Mr. Cox's commitment to criminal defense by awarding him the Nelson Mandela Lifetime Achievement Award.

Mr. Cox is also a Past President of the Kentucky Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers and a member of the American Bar Association (ABA) and Kentucky Bar Association (KBA). He has served on the KBA's Unauthorized Practice of Law Committee, Criminal Rules Committee, Legislative Committee, Prescription Drug Abuse Task Force and as Chair of the KBA's Criminal Law Section. In 2004, he received the President's Special Service Award from the Kentucky Bar Association. He also served on the Kentucky Criminal Justice Council's Drug Strategy Committee, is chair of the Public Advocacy Commission, and served as president of the Kentucky Bar Foundation. Mr. Cox is certified as a Criminal Specialist by the National Board of Trial Advocacy (NBTA) and, in 2004, he served on the NBTA Board of Examiners.

Mr. Cox is a Life Member of NACDL and in numerous recent years, including 2009, Mr. Cox received NACDL's President's Commendation for outstanding service to the goals and objectives of the criminal defense bar and for outstanding service in fighting for the rights of all persons. Mr. Cox has been AV rated by Martindale-Hubbell since 1985 and was recognized in the March 2010 issue of Louisville Magazine as being selected by his peers as a Top Lawyer. Mr. Cox is a

1968 graduate of the University of Kentucky School Of Law and a 1965 graduate of Berea College.

Speaking to the at the annual meeting of the NACDL Membership and Board of Directors in San Francisco, Mr. Cox outlined several goals for the Association and defense bar during his term, including:

• "We must expand our advocacy and our commitment to elevate the advocacy of the defense bar on behalf of our returning veterans."

• "I am determined to continue NACDL's efforts to address disparity in the criminal justice system. I am proud that last year NACDL, with support from the Foundation for Criminal Justice, co-sponsored a major symposium on disparity. It is great timing that the publication of that report coincides with this meeting. That report provides a solid platform for new project and initiatives."

• "We must work to implement NACDL's policy that no person should ever stand before a court when liberty is at stake or when a conviction may be entered without the assistance of a fully qualified, adequately resourced lawyer."

In addition to the critical issues of fairness and justice for U.S. military veterans, racial disparity in the American criminal justice system, and the funding and independence of the constitutionally-mandated defense function, newly installed NACDL President Jerry J. Cox spoke to the need to continue to work to address the ongoing problems of draconian sentencing, including for juveniles; pre-trial justice issues; the innumerable collateral consequences of a criminal conviction and the importance of post-conviction restoration of rights; the disproportionate leverage of prosecutors, its causes and the resulting 'trial penalty' that has led to a criminal justice system overwhelmingly administered via the 'plea bargain'; and the critical importance of support for the Foundation of Criminal Justice.



Jerry Cox



Blast from the Past!!!

This week we have a photograph of one of the better known and favorite local Gospel Quartets of the 1940's & 50's. Known as the Jubilee Quartet they were from left: Britney Morris (bass), Amos Owens (alto), Albert Owens (alto), and Charles Sowder (tenor.) Not shown Maxine Kinsler Bostic (piano.) If you have a picture for Blast From The Past!!! Contact David Owens at 606-256-9870 or scoopowens24@yahoo.com.

Christian Appalachian Project

Backpack program collecting school supplies

Back to school means another year of learning, reading, writing and arithmetic, but it also means back-to-school expenses. Clothing and school supplies lay an extra burden on Appalachian families who are already struggling with daily expenses.

Each year Christian Ap-

palachian Project's (CAP) School Readiness program assists low-income families in several Appalachian Counties, by providing new clothing, shoes, notebooks, socks, calculators, backpacks and assorted other necessities they might not otherwise be able to afford. Children from

various counties receive back-to-school basics, allowing them to return to classes with added enthusiasm and encouragement. "There are no words that describe the impact of this program," said Jenny King, Coordinator of CAP's Family Advocacy program. "We know the students and their families are so appreciative. This is one less thing they have to worry about."

School Supplies are always in need. For additional information contact either Jenny King, Coordinator, Family Advocacy at (606) 256-3010 - Email: jking@chrisapp.org or

Public Relations Associate Rayann White at (859) 806.4362; Email: rwhite@chrisapp.org.

School Supply Wish List: Crayons, markers, ruled paper, rulers, scissors, calculators, glue sticks, folders, pencils, pens, protractors, notebooks and backpacks either mesh or clear. Donations can be dropped off at the following locations: Lexington - Christian Appalachian Project, Attn.: Rayann White, 2610 Palumbo Drive, Lexington, KY 40509 and Mt. Vernon, KY - 3125 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.

Hospital hosts cancer support group Aug. 20

Rockcastle Regional Hospital and Respiratory Care Center will host a cancer support group on Tuesday, August 20 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. The topic of discussion will be "Caring for the Caregiver" with Betty Purcell, RN, MSN, FCS, Wellness Coordinator. The support group will be held in the third floor of the Outpatient Services Center in the Education Center. A healthy meal will be provided. Cancer patients, family members and anyone interested in cancer support should attend this free program.

Cancer patients have additional needs besides the clinical treatment of

their cancer. As they go through chemotherapy, radiation therapy or surgery, they may have special nutrition, rehabilitation or other medical needs. Cancer support groups can help deal with challenges associated with cancer and offers the opportunity to learn more about how to cope.

The cancer support group is one aspect of the supportive cancer care provided at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. For more information about any programs or to sign up for the cancer support group, contact Gayle DeBorde at 256-7798 or visit the website at www.rockcastleregional.org.

4th Annual Rockcastle Run, Bike or Hike set for August 17th

The fourth annual Rockcastle Regional Hospital Run Bike or Hike will be held in Rockcastle County Aug. 17.

The event, which will begin and end at the Lake Linville Recreational Area (near I-75 exit 62), will feature a 2-mile walk, 5K run, and a duathlon.

The duathlon is a 3.1 mile run followed by a 16.8 mile bike ride and a 2.2 mile run.

The event attracts athletes from across Kentucky and some from other states. Organizers expect more than 200 to participate this year.

Pre-registration for runners and walkers ends Aug. 12 at 12 noon, but they may also sign up on race day. The duathlon is pre-registration only (Aug. 12 at 12 noon).

The Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce and UK HealthCare is co-sponsoring this year's event. Proceeds go to the American Cancer Society's Hope Lodge in Lexington.

For more info., go to rockcastleregional.org/runbikeorhike

Mt. Vernon School Reunion scheduled for September 14th

The annual Mt. Vernon School Reunion will be held September 14th at Rockcastle Middle School.

If you were a student or staff member at Mt. Vernon Elementary or High School, any time between 1914 and 1972, you are encouraged to attend this reunion. You do not have to be a graduate. Each year, some people travel great distances to get reacquainted with old friends and classmates. They would love to see you there.

If you are not on the mailing list, please contact Brenda Hayes 606-256-0982 e-mail: bahayes@windstream.net or Berniece McHargue 606-256-5740 e-Mail: bmchargue@hughes.net or Bennie Chaney 859-224-4248 e-mail: b.chaney08@insightbb.com to be added and to make your reservations.

Registration will be at 4:30 p.m. and dinner will be at 6 p.m. Cost is \$15 for pre-registration or \$20 at the door. Look on Facebook @ Mt. Vernon High School Reunion.



SSGT Eddie D. Morgan II, a 2009 graduate of Rockcastle County High, recently returned to his stateside base located in Valdosta, GA after serving another tour in Afghanistan where he assisted with ongoing combat operations, as well as conducting both mounted and dismounted patrols in the much troubled Parwan Province. Eddie is the son of Eddie Morgan (U.S. Army Retired) of Brodhead, and Melissa Shumate Thompson of Fayetteville, NC. He is also the grandson of Joann (York) Smith of Crab Orchard. Eddie was welcomed home by his wife Kayla (Pingleton) Morgan, and both should be returning to the local area soon for a brief visit. Eddie's previous deployments also include Iraq. He and Kayla would like to thank everyone for their prayers and well wishes.

Recycling Center Is Open!!!

The Rockcastle County Recycling Center is located at 2528 South Wilderness Rd (US 25 South) next to the Rockcastle County Road Department Garage and is open Monday thru Friday from 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. (closed on major holidays).

The following items may be recycled:

Newspapers w/inserts, magazines, catalogs, office paper, junk mail, shredded paper, books, phone books, cardboard (corrugated and slick), plastics #1-7, plastic grocery store bags, metal cans, aerosol cans, aluminum cans, aluminum foil, aluminum pie plates, glass bottles and glass jars, old cell phones, car batteries, empty printer and toner cartridges, old computers and all related accessories, telephones, radios, digital clocks, televisions, rechargeable batteries (if the battery says rechargeable on it, then it is recyclable), and large bulky metal items.

Clean used motor oil may also be dropped off at the Rockcastle County Road Department.

If you have any questions, you may call the Rockcastle County Solid Waste Office at 606-256-1902





The Rockcastle County Public Library had a special visitor this past week. Ronald McDonald was there Thursday, July 25 for the Summer Reading Finale. Thanks to all who participated.



Summer Reading 2013 winner's at the Rockcastle County Library were, front from left: William Miller, A.J. Martin, Khloe Bussell, Jamie Gray, Maliyah Swinney, Landon Gray, Kiki Cope, Dorothy Jean Higgins and Kaylee King. Back row from left: Mrs. Amanda Bradley, Leah Hughes, Laura Hughes, Rebekah Hurley, John David Hurley and Ronald McDonald.

Students should check their KEES accounts for accuracy

Kentucky high school students and 2013 graduates should check their Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES) accounts for accuracy. KEES allows students to earn money for college by getting good grades in high school and for qualifying scores on the ACT or SAT. Students eligible for free or reduced lunches may also earn awards for good scores on Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate exams. KEES is administered by the Kentucky Higher Education Assis-

tance Authority (KHEAA). To check awards and personal information, students need to use the MyKHEAA function on www.kheaa.com. If they do not already have a MyKHEAA account, they can easily set one up from the KHEAA home page. Students may verify their KEES GPA is correct by taking the letter grade for each course taken during the year and converting it to a 4.0 scale on which an A = 4.0, B = 3.0, C = 2.0, D = 1.0, and F = 0. AP and IB course grades receive one

extra point of weight in the calculation, making an A = 5.0, B = 4.0, etc. The GPA is calculated by adding all the points together and dividing the total by the number of credits earned during the year. Students who need to have GPAs or other information corrected should contact their high school's counselor. If students experience problems with their MyKHEAA account or cannot see their KEES information, they should call the KHEAA College Access Team at 800-928-8926. Students do not have to apply to receive their KEES awards. If they attend an eligible college or university, KHEAA will send their award to their college once the college verifies enrollment. To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, go to www.gotocollege.ky.gov. For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit www.kheaa.com; write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602; or call 800-928-8926, ext. 6-7372.



Kyle Coffey competed in The Lexington Bluegrass Lions Club Poultry Show this past week. He competed with several different varieties of birds including ducks, turkeys, standards and bantams. Kyle received a Grand Champion ribbon for his Old English Bantam Quail Hen, as well as Champion in the costume class with the Old English Bantam male. His Bourbon Red turkey, Standard Buff Orpington and Bantam Mallard all received 1st place blue ribbons in their class. His Blue Red male and the Cuckoo pair also received 1st place ribbons. The Blue Red hen and a Bantam Mallard Drake received 2nd place red ribbons. Kyle will now compete in the Madison County Poultry Pals Show.

**Strange...
But True?**
by: Tonya J. Cook

*The Flying Dutchman:
The Phantom Ship
Part I*

I love the ocean. The peacefulness of it can convey a sense of calm to the depths of the soul, or its raging power can stir and move the soul to the peak of frenzy. Thankfully, the few times I've sailed upon its waters I've never encountered the noted Flying Dutchman, the phantom ship. The Flying Dutchman is a ghost of ship of legend that is doomed to sail the ocean for eternity. The known origin goes back to the 17th century and has appeared to sea-going folk to the present. The ship is said to glow with an eerie ghostly light. The crew of the Dutchman, now long dead, will try to send messages back to land by way of other ship's crews to people who also are long-since dead. However, to see the ghost-ship is supposedly a certain omen of doom. The origins of the ship's fate is uncertain. It is said the crew was guilty of a ghastly crime and have been sentenced to sail the world's oceans until they are pardoned. Sir Walter Scott (1771-1832) was the first to refer to the ship as a pirate ship. The Dutchman was said to have committed acts of piracy and murder. Thomas Moore (1779-1852)

penned in a poem: "Fast gliding along, a gloomy bark. Her sails are full, though the wind is still, And there blows not a breath her sails to fill". The captain of the fabled ship is Bernard Fokke, according to some sources. He was known for the speed of his ships. It was also said that he was reported to be in league with the devil. In 1880, King George V of Wales and his brother, Prince Albert Victor saw the ghost-ship and eleven others aboard the king's ship. The night was clear and the sea calm just off the coast of Australia. It was at 4 AM when the king's ship's records indicated that the red glowing light of a phantom ship came into sight on the ship's port bow. The seaman who reported seeing the Flying Dutchman fell to his death later that morning at 10:45. The reasoning behind the sightings could be sea mirages. This occurs when rays of light are bent to show an object floating above the water, perhaps a reflection from beyond the horizon. This is good reasoning for seeing the Dutchman during the day, but an explanation hasn't been given for nighttime sightings. We will cover more concerning the famous Flying Dutchman in next week's column.

Rockcastle County High School

FRESHMAN CAMP

**August 2, 2013
8 AM - 2 PM
RCHS Auditorium**

- Get schedules
- Purchase lockers (\$10)
- Tour the building
- Win great prizes (must attend all day)
- Meet teachers

FREE LUNCH

TRANSPORTATION IS FREE!
Bus transportation available. If you need a ride, please call
256-4816 no later than July 24th.

PAID FOR BY FEDERAL GEAR-UP FUNDS.

**Brodhead Bengals
Cheerleading sign-ups
will be
Thursday, August 1st
at 6:30 p.m. at the new
Brodhead Park.**

Cheerleaders must be in 2nd - 5th grade.

If you have any questions, please contact
Amanda Bradley at
(606) 670-1471.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

Jackson Energy Cooperative, with its principal office at McKee Kentucky and with its address at 115 Jackson Energy Lane, McKee, Kentucky 40447, has filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission in Case No. 2013-00219 an application to adjust its retail rates and charges. The need for this adjustment is due to an increase in Jackson Energy's expenses in the areas of wholesale power costs, interest, depreciation, and general operating expenses.

Jackson Energy is proposing to increase its rates over a three consecutive year period. Additionally, Jackson Energy is proposing to solely increase its customer charges and not to increase any demand or energy rates.

The rates contained in this notice are the rates proposed by Jackson Energy Cooperative but that the Kentucky Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from these proposed rates contained in this notice.

Any corporation, association, or person may within thirty (30) days after the initial publication or mailing of notice of the proposed rate changes, submit a written request to intervene to the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602 that establishes the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party, and states that intervention may be granted beyond the thirty (30) day period for good cause shown.

Written comments regarding the proposed rates may be submitted to the Public Service Commission by mail or through the Public Service Commission's Web site at <http://psc.ky.gov/>.

Any person may examine the rate application and any other documents the utility has filed with the Public Service Commission at the offices of Jackson Energy listed below and on the utility's Web site at www.jacksonenergy.com

Jackson Energy Cooperative
115 Jackson Energy Lane
McKee, Kentucky 40447
606-364-1000

This filing and any other related documents can be found on the Public Service Commission's Web site at <http://psc.ky.gov/>.

The amount of the change requested in both dollar amounts and percentage change for customer classification to which the proposed change will apply is presented below:

Rate Class	Year 1		Year 2		Year 3	
	Increase Dollar	Percent	Increase Dollar	Percent	Increase Dollar	Percent
Rate 10 Residential, Farm and Non-Farm Service	\$ 1,118,150	1.7%	\$ 1,118,150	1.7%	\$ 1,118,150	1.7%
Rate 20 Commercial, Small Power, and Three-Phase Farm Service	\$ 165,184	2.6%	\$ 165,184	2.5%	\$ 165,184	2.5%
Rate 40 Large Power More than 50 kW but less than 275 kW	\$ 4,710	0.1%	\$ 4,710	0.1%	\$ 4,710	0.1%
Rate 46 Large Power - 500 kW and Over	\$ 4,965	0.4%	\$ 4,965	0.4%	\$ 4,965	0.4%
Rate 47 Large Power Rate 500 kW to 4,999 kW	\$ 7,447	0.3%	\$ 7,447	0.3%	\$ 7,447	0.3%
Rate 50 Schools, Churches and Community Halls	\$ 24,752	0.9%	\$ 24,752	0.9%	\$ 24,752	0.9%
Rate 52 All Electric Schools	\$ 1,196	0.1%	\$ 1,196	0.1%	\$ 1,196	0.1%
Rate OL Outdoor Lighting	\$ 43,596	1.7%	\$ 43,596	1.7%	\$ 43,596	1.7%

The present and proposed rate structure of Jackson Energy Cooperative are listed below:

Rate Class	Present	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Rate 10 - Residential, Farm and Non-Farm Service Customer charge	\$ 10.44	\$ 12.44	\$ 14.44	\$ 16.44
Rate 20 - Commercial, Small Power, and Three-Phase Farm Service Customer charge	\$ 27.47	\$ 31.47	\$ 35.47	\$ 39.47
Rate 40 - Large Power more than 50 kW but less than 275 kW Customer charge	\$ 49.45	\$ 51.95	\$ 54.45	\$ 56.95
Rate 46 - Large Power Rate - 500 kW and Over Customer Charge	\$ 1,079.86	\$ 1,286.73	\$ 1,493.60	\$ 1,700.47
Rate 47 - Large Power Rate - 500 kW to 4,999 kW Customer charge	\$ 1,079.86	\$ 1,286.73	\$ 1,493.60	\$ 1,700.47
Rate 48 - Large Power Rate 5,000 kW and Larger Customer charge	\$ 1,202.46	\$ 1,409.33	\$ 1,616.20	\$ 1,823.07
Rate 50 - Schools, Churches and Community Halls Customer Charge	\$ 16.49	\$ 18.49	\$ 20.49	\$ 22.49
Rate 52 - All Electric Schools Customer charge	\$ 43.96	\$ 47.96	\$ 51.96	\$ 55.96

Street Lighting & Security Lights

Street Lighting

400 Watt Mercury Vapor Cobra Head Light CH1	\$ 15.15	\$ 15.45	\$ 15.75	\$ 16.05
200 Watt HPS 22,000 Lumens Cobra Head Light HP3	\$ 16.25	\$ 16.55	\$ 16.85	\$ 17.15
250 Watt HPS 27,500 Lumens Cobra Head Light CH2	\$ 12.82	\$ 13.12	\$ 13.42	\$ 13.72
400 Watt HPS 50,000 Lumens Cobra Head Light CH3	\$ 12.77	\$ 13.07	\$ 13.37	\$ 13.67
Residential & Commercial Standard Lighting:				
175 Watt Mercury Vapor Security Light MVL	\$ 9.15	\$ 9.30	\$ 9.45	\$ 9.60
400 Watt Mercury Vapor Flood Light DF1	\$ 17.38	\$ 17.68	\$ 17.98	\$ 18.28
1,000 Watt Mercury Vapor Flood Light DF2	\$34.26	\$ 35.16	\$ 36.06	\$ 36.96
100 Watt HPS 9,500 Lumens Security Light HP1	\$ 9.15	\$ 9.30	\$ 9.45	\$ 9.60
250 Watt HPS 27,500 Lumens Flood Light DF3	\$ 14.35	\$ 14.65	\$ 14.95	\$ 15.25
400 Watt HPS 50,000 Lumens Flood Light	\$ 17.00	\$ 17.30	\$ 17.60	\$ 17.90

Specialty Lighting:

175 Watt Mercury Vapor Acorn Light ACL	\$ 16.51	\$ 16.81	\$ 17.11	\$ 17.41
100 Watt HPS 9,500 Lumens Acorn Light ACH	\$ 11.34	\$ 11.64	\$ 11.94	\$ 12.24
100 Watt HPS 9,500 Lumens Colonial Light CPH	\$ 7.61	\$ 7.76	\$ 7.91	\$ 8.06
175 Watt Mercury Vapor Colonial Light	\$ 9.01	\$ 9.16	\$ 9.31	\$ 9.46
400 Watt HPS 50,000 Lumens Interstate Light	\$ 20.32	\$ 20.92	\$ 21.52	\$ 22.12
70 Watt HPS 4000 Lumens	\$ 11.30	\$ 11.60	\$ 11.90	\$ 12.20

Poles shall be furnished by the cooperative at the following rates:

15 ft Aluminum Pole	\$ 4.68	\$ 4.83	\$ 4.98	\$ 5.13
30 ft Wood Pole	\$ 3.84	\$ 3.99	\$ 4.24	\$ 4.49
30 ft Aluminum Pole for Cobra Head	\$ 22.62	\$ 23.22	\$ 23.82	\$ 24.42
35 ft Aluminum Pole	\$ 27.74	\$ 28.34	\$ 28.94	\$ 29.54
35 ft Aluminum Pole for Cobra Head	\$ 22.24	\$ 22.84	\$ 23.44	\$ 24.04
40 ft Aluminum Pole	\$ 31.04	\$ 31.94	\$ 32.84	\$ 33.74
40 ft Aluminum Pole for Cobra Head	\$ 54.30	\$ 55.80	\$ 57.30	\$ 58.80
Power Installed Foundation	\$ 7.74	\$ 7.89	\$ 8.14	\$ 8.39

The effect of the proposed rates on the average monthly bill by rate class along with average usage are listed below:

Rate Class	Current Year		Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Dollar Amount of Average Usage		
	Average kWh Usage	Dollar Amount of Average Usage	Increase Dollar	Percent	Increase Dollar	Percent	Increase Dollar	Percent			
Rate 10 Residential, Farm and Non-Farm Service	1,080	\$ 116.84	\$ 2.00	1.7%	\$ 118.84	\$ 2.00	1.7%	\$ 120.84	\$ 2.00	1.7%	\$ 122.84
Rate 20 Commercial, Small Power, & Three-Phase Farm Service	1,448	\$ 155.00	\$ 4.00	2.6%	\$ 159.00	\$ 4.00	2.5%	\$ 163.00	\$ 4.00	2.5%	\$ 167.00
Rate 40 Large Power More than 50 kW but less than 275 kW	40,987	\$ 3,589.55	\$ 2.50	0.1%	\$ 3,592.05	\$ 2.50	0.1%	\$ 3,594.55	\$ 2.50	0.1%	\$ 3,597.05
Rate 46 Large Power - 500 kW and Over	874,687	\$ 58,491.97	\$ 206.87	0.4%	\$ 58,698.84	\$ 206.87	0.4%	\$ 58,905.71	\$ 206.87	0.4%	\$ 59,112.58
Rate 47 Large Power Rate 500 kW to 4,999 kW	1,102,358	\$ 73,969.62	\$ 206.87	0.3%	\$ 74,176.49	\$ 206.87	0.3%	\$ 74,383.36	\$ 206.87	0.3%	\$ 74,590.23
Rate 50 Schools, Churches and Community Halls	2,122	\$ 217.68	\$ 2.00	0.9%	\$ 219.68	\$ 2.00	0.9%	\$ 221.68	\$ 2.00	0.9%	\$ 223.68
Rate 52 All Electric Schools	36,829	\$ 2,949.75	\$ 4.00	0.1%	\$ 2,953.75	\$ 4.00	0.1%	\$ 2,957.75	\$ 4.00	0.1%	\$ 2,961.75
Rate OL Outdoor Lighting	77	\$9.86	\$ 0.17	1.7%	\$ 10.03	\$ 0.17	1.7%	\$ 10.19	\$ 0.17	1.7%	\$ 10.36

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For Rent

Duplex in Brodhead. All appliances furnished. Call Patty 758-9666. 31xntf

Duplex for rent in Mt. Vernon. Call Amy Nicely 256-8700. 32xntf

3 bedroom brick house, 413 Tyree Street, Brodhead. Central heat and a/c. Large yard. No pets. \$500 per month/\$500 deposit. 606-758-9683 or 606-510-3719. Cecil King. References required. 33x2

2BR/1BA Remodeled Trailer w/central air, KU, in City of Livingston. \$300 month, plus utilities. Would like to have one year lease. 606-453-3111. 33xntf

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Cave Valley Apartments: Community designated for people 55 years and older. Section 8 welcome. Washer/dryer hookups, water, trash and sewer provided. Self-cleaning ovens, dishwashers. Certain income restrictions apply. Call 606-256-1387 for application and info. Managed by Homeland, Inc. Hearing impaired only - 1800-545-1833 Ext. 336. Equal housing opportunity. 31x2

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House and Lot on West Main St. in Mt. Vernon. 606-758-4729. 15xntf

House in Brodhead for sale or will rent to own with down payment. 758-4729. 22xntf

For Sale or Rent/Lease: 8640 sq. ft. building (former Cumberland Valley Home Health). Located in Rockcastle Industrial Park. Approx. 100 parking spaces. Will consider partial sq. footage. Call 606-308-3500 or 606-308-2319. 12xntf

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Mobile home lots, located in Sunnyside Mobile Home Park. 1/2 acre lots - \$500 down and \$100 per month. Call 606-256-5692 or 606-256-5648. 50x1

Posted

Posted: No hunting or trespassing without permission on the land of Kenneth and Jimmy Parsons on Popular Grove Rd. 27x25p

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to Georgia M. Poynter or Earl Poynter located in Livingston and Sand Hill area. 32x1p

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to James and Dorothy Rash heirs on Rash Branch Road off Chestnut Ridge. No hunting, camping, ATVs, trespassing for any purpose. Not responsible for accidents. Violators will be prosecuted. (1/10/14)

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property belonging to Carol Blackburn, 1435 Marler Hollow. Violators will be prosecuted. (3/7/14)

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

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

Posted: No trespassing, hunting or fishing on land belonging to Rachel Denney on Hwy. 3245 (former Reggie Bengé property).

Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Jason and Sara Coguer at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents.

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

Mobile Homes For Sale

Need a mobile home? Financing approved for most. Call Jim at 859-985-0344. 32x2

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Beige and Maroon Floral Couch. \$125 or best offer. Two throw pillows included. 256-0552 or 308-3753. 33x1p

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Motor Vehicles For Sale

2000 Chevy Colorado w/ ext. cab. 5 cyl. \$6,750. Also **2000 Suzuki 1500 Intruder.** Lots of chrome and extras. Nice cycle. \$3,850. 606-386-1470. 31x5p

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Looking for a person to work 18 hours per week in Livingston as City Maintenance Employee. Must be 55+, able to perform some physical work and meet guidelines of Experience Works program. If you are interested, please contact Trish at City Hall 453-2061. 33x1

Job Opportunity: Rural Transit Enterprises Coordinated, Inc. (RTEC) is seeking a qualified applicant to fill the 2nd shift dispatcher position at the RTEC office in Mt. Vernon. Requirements include high school diploma or equivalent, valid Ky drivers license for five years. Good computer skills a must. Begin at \$10.50/hour. Excellent benefits. Applications may be obtained at the RTEC office, 100 Main St., Mt. Vernon. RTEC operates a drug and alcohol free workplace and is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Minorities encouraged to apply. 33x2

The Mt. Vernon Rockcastle County Tourist Commission is seeking a part-time employee to work as a greeter and information specialist in the visitors' center. Must be friendly, organized, possess basic computer skills, be familiar with Rockcastle County and flexible with hours. We will accept applications until August 9th. Apply in person only at the Tourist Commission Office located at 2325 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Now hiring for light industrial positions in the Somerset area. Temp to perm. Must be available for all shifts. Pay ranges from \$9 to \$13 per hour. To apply, go to www.jcmalone.com and complete an online application. 31x4

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Online Nurse Aide Training Skill/Clinical in Richmond or Corbin. www.natrichmond.com Monthly payment option 859-624-4068. 33x1

Notices

Caregiver looking to take care of elderly or to take care of home. 453-2301. 33x3

Not responsible for debts made by anyone than myself. Bobby Dale Hunt. 31x1p

Barnett's Storage has storage units for rent. 5x10-\$25; 10x10 - \$35; One 10x20-\$60. **July Special:** 1st month's rent FREE with six month lease. Call 606-256-5678. 31x3p

From Barnett Cycle: I would like to thank all the people who have done their motorcycle business with me for the past 23 years. The time has come and gone really fast. Due to health reasons, I will no longer be involved in the day-to-day operations of the shop. I have leased the shop to Jason Puckett. Jason has worked for me for five years. He can help you with all your motorsport needs. He has kept the same phone number, 606-256-5678. Again, thanks to all the people in Rockcastle and surrounding counties for your support. Thank you, *Ronnie Barnett.* 31x3p

Notice is hereby given that Johnny W. Harris, 637 Red Hill Road, Livingston, Ky. 40445 has been appointed executor of the estate of Clarence C. Harris on the 24th day of July, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Johnny W. Harris or to Hon. Debra Hembree Lambert, P.O. Box 1094, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Jan. 27, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. 33x3

Notice is hereby given that Teresa Philbeck, 1301 Big Cave Road, Orlando, Ky. 40460 has been appointed administrator of the estate of Estil A. Philbeck, deceased on the 15th day of July, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Teresa Philbeck or to Hon. Benjamin T. Shipp, 271 West Short St., Ste. 110, Lexington, Ky. 40507 on or before Jan. 15, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. 32x3

Notice is hereby given that Danny R. Settles, 33 Willow Tree Lane, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administrator of the estate of Doris J. Settles on the 24th day of July, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Danny R. Settles or to Hon John D. Ford, P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before January 27, 2014 at 11 a.m. 33x3

Notice is hereby given that Larry Lawrence, 1502 Ottawa School Road, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 and Regina Benge, P.O. Box 395, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 have filed a final settlement of their accounts as co-administrators of the estate of Edward Ray Whitaker, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held August 26, 2013 at 9:30 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 33x1

NOTICE

Jamie Lynn Childress
Clifford
Greg Spoonamore

The State of Tennessee, Department of Children's Services, has filed a petition against you seeking to terminate forever your parental rights to Ryleigh Ann Clifford. It appears that ordinary process of law cannot be served upon you because your whereabouts are unknown. You are hereby ORDERED to serve upon M. Anne Austin, Attorney for the Tennessee Department of Children Services, 1300 Salem Road, Cookeville, Tennessee 38506, (931) 646-3013, an Answer to the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights filed by the Tennessee Department of Children Services, within thirty (30) days of the last day of publication of this notice and pursuant to Rule 39(e)(1) of the Tenn. R. Juv. P. you must also appear in the Juvenile Court of Putnam County, Tennessee at Cookeville, Tennessee on the 22nd day of August, 2013, at 9:00 A.M. for the Adjudicatory Hearing on the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights filed by the State of Tennessee, Department of Children's Services. If you fail to do so, a default judgment will be taken against you pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 36-1-117(n) and Rule 55 of the Tenn. R. of Civ. P. for the relief demanded in the Petition. You may view and obtain a copy of the Petition and any other subsequently filed legal documents at the Putnam County Juvenile Court Clerk's Office, Putnam County Justice Center, 421 East Spring Street, Suite 1C49A, Cookeville, TN 38501, 931-528-1508, Tennessee. 32x4

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Yard Sales

Yard Sale: Sat., Aug. 3rd, 8 a.m. to ? on South Hwy. 25, parking lot of Jake's Furniture Store. Lots of items including: lamps, dishes, porcelain dolls, curtains and much, much more.

3 Family Yard Sale: August 2-3, 2102 Lambert Road, 2 miles on right. 8:30 a.m. to ? Clothes, shoes, flowers, sheets, pillows, day bed, recliner, rocking chair, Home Interior.

Yard Sale: Thursday - Saturday, August 1-3, 8 a.m. to ? Freedom School Road at the home of Gary and Nancy Ramsey. Rain or shine. Watch for signs. Something for everyone. Everything will be priced cheap.

Yard Sale: Friday, August 2nd across from Citizens Bank in Brodhead. Nice name brand, back to school clothing, jackets and shoes - American Eagle, Hollister, Aeropostale, Nike, Fox and lots of misc. Too much to list. Something for everyone.

Barn Sale

Maret Cemetery Road. From US 25, turn on 1786 by Ferrell Gas and follow signs. 4 riding mowers, power tools, patio table and chairs, gas grills, propane tanks (20 to 80 lbs), Roto-tiller, lawn mower, weed eater plus parts, work bench, shelving, 80 gallon stainless steel tank, kids' toys, Prarie finish mower - 6 ft., Roto-Vator - five foot, toilets, small welder and generator, farm wagon with side boards, military trailer, disk belt sander, small engines, steel exterior doors, misc. kitchen items, game chairs, torch set, table saw, miter saw, UTI w/bunk bed, misc. other items. Sat., 9 to 4. For questions, call 513-313-0840.

Garage Sale: 3138 Hurricane School Road. First house on right past 3 mile marker. Delta table saw, small air compressor, other tools, laundry and dish detergents, razors, shampoo, etc. This Friday, 8 a.m. to ?

Yard Sale: Huge! August 2nd and 3rd, 8 a.m. to ? Corner of Liberty and Ford Drive in Library Subdv.

Yard Sale: Friday and Saturday, August 2nd and 3rd, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Walnut drop leaf table - excellent condition, sewing machine, lawn chairs, household items, leaf blower, men's clothing - sizes XXL, 1X, 2X, Levis up to 42-30, women's good clothing, sizes 14-16W pants, women's shirts and jackets and etc. size 14-20. Given by Dolores Albright Morris. Directions: 397 Silvert Mist Corner, Rainbow Ridge Subdivision. 1st street past Northside Baptist Church, Rev. Green Loop to subdivision entrance.

Huge Yard Sale: Full Gospel House of Care, Hurricane School Road. across from Sigmon Farm. Friday, 8 to 3 and Saturday, 8 to 2. All proceeds go toward the church building fund.

Yard Sale: 2 families. Friday, August 2nd and Sat., aug. 3rd, 8 to 5. 75 Little hurricane Branch Road, just off 1505 in Conway area. Watch for signs. Tools, collectables, antiques, toys, name brand clothes - sizes 6-14, children's clothes - sizes 2-5. Something for everyone. Rain cancels to next week end.

Yard Sale: 2 families at home of Melvin and Lela Mae Harrison, 445 Williams St., Mt. Vernon. August 2nd and 3rd, 9 a.m. to ? Rain cancels. Men's and women's clothes, purses, shoes, puzzles, odds and ends.

Huge Garage Sale: Friday and Saturday, August 2nd and 3rd, 8 a.m. to ? Several families. Lots of items including back-to-school

clothing for kids and teens. Rain or shine. Low prices, great parking at home of Steve and Wanda Burdine, Quail area, Hwy. 70, close to B&L Grocery.

Carport Sale: Aug. 2nd and 3rd, 10 to 7, 310 Rose Hill Road. Wood dining table and chairs, old bench, 1970 Eureka canister vacuum - works good, home decorations, kitchen items, boy's action figures, 60 stuffed animals and more.

Huge 4 Family Yard Sale Friday, August 2nd and Saturday, August 3rd. Go 2 1/2 miles on Big Cave Road, house on the right. Furniture, cookware, dishes, shoes, purses, adult, children and boy's infant clothes - just too much to mention.

Yard Sale: Friday and Saturday, 195 Liberty Drive, Library Subdivision. Ladies church dresses, skirts, blouses, jeans, baby clothes and toys. Some tools, DVDs, Playstation games, Wii games and bicycles.

Yard Sale: Saturday only, 1045 West Main St. 8 to ?. 3 Families. Great back-to-school clothes, shoes, purses, home decor, books, odds and ends.

Yard Sale: 2 families. Mile Marker 4 on Scaffold Cane Rd. Friday, 9 to 5.

3 Family Yard Sale: Friday and Saturday, August 2 and 3, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 228 Silver Street, Brodhead (behind post office). Items include: boys clothes 18 mos. to 6, boy's shoes, women's clothes and shoes, men's clothes (large-3XL), dishes, toaster, blender, canister set, too much to mention! Everything Cheap.

Garage/Yard Sale: Sat., Aug. 3rd, 9 a.m. to ? 320 Woodland Place. Something for everyone - clothes furniture.

Yard Sale: 385 Floyd St., home of Rissie Ballinger, August 2 and 3, 9 to 5. Bathroom sink, small cabinet,

small TV, dishes, Home Interior pictures, clothing - jeans of all sizes, green beans. Lots of other stuff.

5 Family Yard Sale: Thurs., Friday and Sat., 9 to ? 27t W. Main St. Set of lamps, furniture, couch, quilts, queen size sheets, lots of name brand clothes - men's, women's and children, crystal, Fenton, pink Depression Glass, fans, heaters, stereo, books, CDs, printer, good jewelry, much much more including riding lawn mower. For more info, 256-4601 or 606-224-0501.

Yard Sale: Given by Linda Marcum and Paula Ramsey at Jake's Furniture. Thursday and Friday, August 1st and 2nd, 8 a.m. to ? Household items, women's 8-18 clothes, children's clothing, 6x-10/12 girls, toys, movies, lots more.

Yard Sale: 2 families. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 9 to ? 488 Willailla Rd. off Hwy. 70. Oil lamps, clothes, little of everything.

Mt. Vernon Heights Community Yard Sale: 90 McBee St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. Friday, August 2nd, 9 to ? Saturday, August 3rd, 9 to 2. Come see what we got. Too many items to mention.

Yard Sale: Thursday and Friday, August 1st and 2nd, 8 a.m. to ? at the home of Robyn Fain. Go past Sabrina's Hair Design to Rainbow Ridge Subdivision, turn left at subdivision sign and the fourth house on the right at the top of the hill. TONS of nice girls clothing and shoes, ladies clothing, mens clothing, comforter sets, Coach purses, etc. Lots of great back to school stuff!

Yard Sale: 3 families, Anthony and Jill Medley at the old firehouse in Livingston. Rain or shine. Friday and Saturday, 8 to 3.

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Brodhead Fire Department Quotes Now Being Accepted

Brodhead Fire Department is currently accepting quotes for 5 inch large diameter hose (22-100 ft sections, 4-50 ft sections, and 2-25 foot sections) all quotes are due by Tuesday August 6th at 4:00pm EST. The Brodhead Fire Department and the City of Brodhead reserves the right to reject any or all quotes or portions of vendors quote. For a complete list of equipment contact the City Hall at 606-758-8635. Quotes can be sent through the following outlets:

Mail: Brodhead Fire Dept
PO Box 46 Brodhead KY 40409
Courier: Brodhead Fire Department/City Hall
3 West Main St street Brodhead KY 40409
Fax: Brodhead City Hall 606-758-8113
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