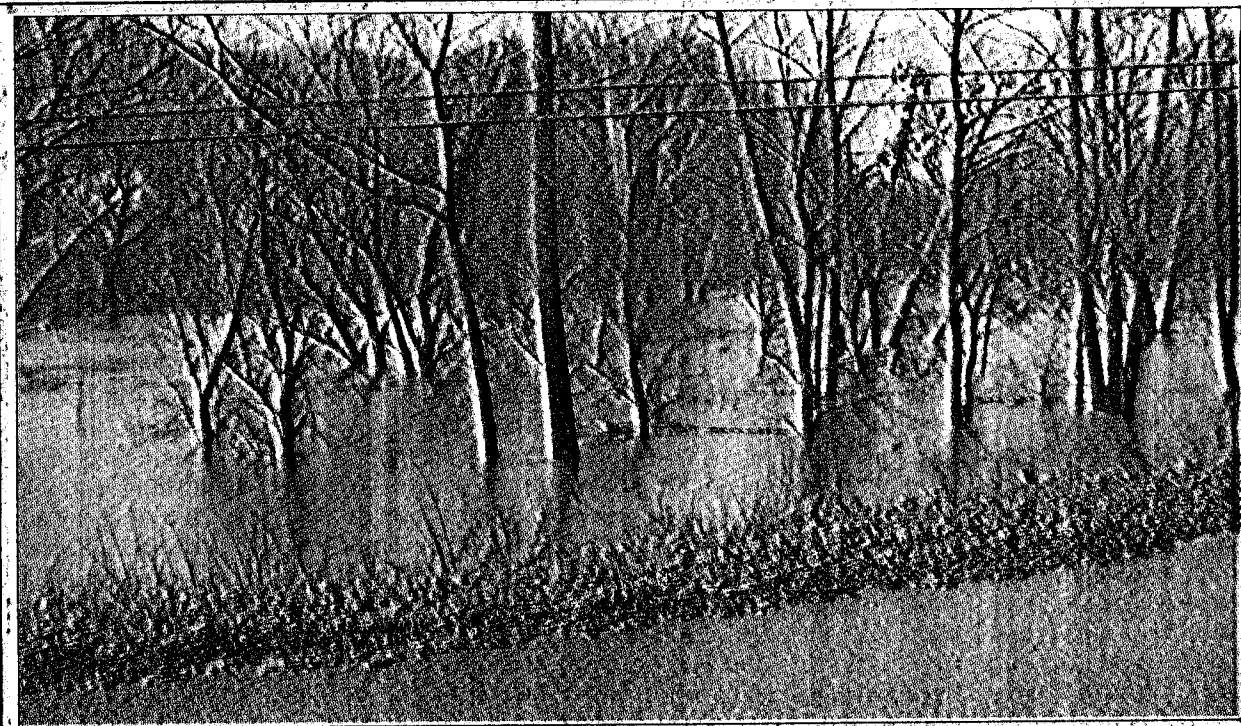
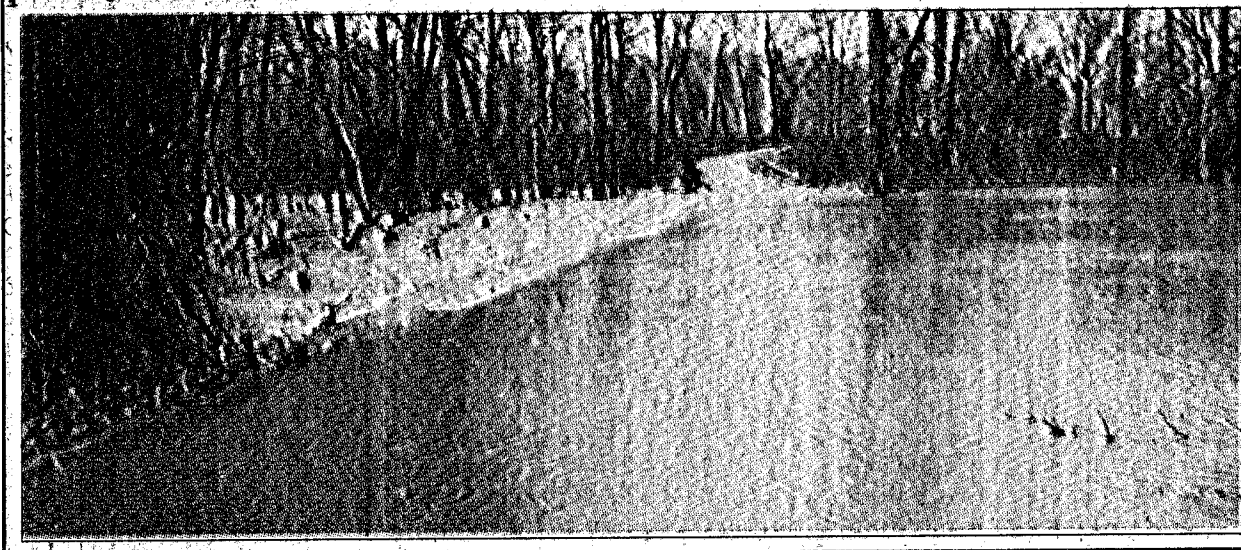


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A large storm system moved across the state last week bringing a lot of rain, ice and snow to Rockcastle County. The heavy rainfall last Wednesday turned into snow on Thursday. Local weatherman Bud Cox reported 2.12 inches of rain last Wednesday and 2.5 inches of snow last Thursday. Larger amounts of rain and snow were reported in other areas of the county. The big rainfall last Wednesday caused flooding problems in several areas of the county. Shown above is a picture of Roundstone Creek out of its banks near the intersection of Hwy 1004 and Hwy 1912. Hwy 1912 was also flooded in the Climax community when Brush Creek and Wolf Creek exceeded their banks. Students who live in the Climax community were dismissed from school early last Wednesday morning as a result of the flooding. Shown below is a picture of Roundstone Creek covering Grace Loop Road off U.S. 25 N.



Court approves resolution for hospital bond refinance

At Tuesday's regular meeting of the Rockcastle Fiscal Court, a Resolution in support of the Rockcastle Regional Hospital refinancing bonds for a lower interest rate was approved.

The refinancing will save the hospital \$55,000-\$60,000 a year in interest and Rockcastle Hospital CEO Steve Estes told the court that, "while it's not a lot of money it's a job..."

Estes also told the court that the hospital was in the process of obtaining a Certificate of Need for a 28 bed expansion with a decision expected in late fall.

Livingston Mayor Jason Medley was before the court asking that they provide funds to match a grant the city has received from the

Cumberland Valley Area Development District for a side by side, which will be used for rescue operations.

Medley told the court that the grant was for \$10,487 and the matching funds needed was \$3,496.

Magistrate Mike McGuire quickly made a motion to provide the matching funds but Magistrate Bill McKinney said the court needed to discuss the matter. "We're not donating to the fire department but to the city," McKinney said. Later in the discussion, McKinney said he hesitated because he knew the county could not insure the vehicle because it would be in the city's name and County

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Livingston to conduct survey needed for grants

The City of Livingston commissioners were given a copy of the survey which will be used in the application for ARC and CDBG grants to help renovate the Livingston School and the Foster Mullins building.

Patrick Kirby, who is writing the grant, told the commissioners that the survey, which asks property owners for information including income level, is a necessary part of the grant application. However, Commissioner Katha Carpenter told Kirby that she had conducted this type of survey before and people didn't like

giving out their personal information.

The \$400,000 ARC grant being applied for will be used on both the Mullins building and the Visitors Center in the school. The CDBG HUD grant of \$500,000 will be used exclusively on the school.

There is no match needed by the City since the work that has been done on the buildings and cash donations by school alumni would constitute the city's share.

The commissioners de-

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School Board approves proposed 2015-2016 calendar and discusses this year's calendar

By: Doug Ponder
Several items of business were discussed during the monthly school board meeting Tuesday night including the status of the 2014-2015 school calendar.

Board member Angela-Stallsworth Mink said that she has been bombarded with questions about the

date of the last day of school, possible make-up days, etc.

Director of Pupil Personnel Becky Isaacs said Rockcastle County Schools have missed a total of 17 school days because of snow, ice and other inclement weather. She said if no more days are missed, the

last day of school will be Tuesday, June 2nd.

Isaacs said that a proposed amended calendar will be presented to the board for their approval at the April meeting. She went on to say that they will suggest for school to still be dis-

missed for Election Day, Tuesday, May 19th and Memorial Day, Monday, May 25th.

However, Isaacs said that school principals will be contacted to determine

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Brodhead Council discusses city road conditions after storms

By: Doug Ponder
All discussion at the Brodhead Council meeting Monday night revolved around the city's road conditions after the recent winter storms.

Councilman Ronnie Cash said the council needs

to address the issue of patching potholes and other "bad areas" on the city's streets this spring and summer. He told the council that potholes, that might have formed as a result of the

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Eight arrested in large drug roundup

Eight people were arrested on a variety of different drug charges this past week after local police executed search warrants on two separate Rockcastle County residences.

In the first incident, the Kentucky State Police ar-

rested five people last Thursday morning after officers executed a search warrant at a residence on Kelsey Lane in Mt. Vernon.

Those arrested were: Megan M. Alcorn, 19, of

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Farmers/Business Banquet set for next Tuesday

The 55th annual Rockcastle County Farmers/Business Banquet is next Tuesday at Rockcastle County Middle School.

The banquet will begin at 6:30 p.m. with doors opening at 6 p.m. The event was

originally scheduled to take place last month but it was cancelled due to inclement weather.

Michael Lewis will be the guest speaker at the banquet.

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The Rockcastle County Kiwanis Club held their 20th annual charity auction last Friday and Saturday. The auction was broadcast live on WRVK 1460 radio station and bidders placed their bids on several different items of interest. The Kiwanis Club raised \$5,448 during the auction. All proceeds will go to the children in Rockcastle County. Phone workers in the top photo are, from left: Glenda Jo Hensley, Tammy Cox and Eliza York. In the bottom photo are: Kayla Bryant, Jeremy Neeley and Jamie Lear.



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The Way I See it

By Doug Ponder

The comedy world is still abuzz over some recent jokes and skits from the renowned late-night TV sketch comedy "Saturday Night Live."

SNL has been known for pushing the limits of comedy since its creation in the 70s and the recent SNL skit that is currently getting the most criticism is their "ISIS skit."

The ISIS skit (or ISIL for those who are politically correct) is a parody of the "My Bold Dad" Toyota commercial that aired during the SuperBowl. In the Toyota ad, a father is recalling his daughter's life as he drops her off at the airport, in his Toyota Camry, of course, and emotionally says goodbye to her as she joins the military.

The ISIS skit features "Fifty Shades of Grey" star Dakota Johnson. The beginning of the skit appears to follow the same path as the Toyota Camry commercial except, toward the end, you realize that Johnson's character is actually joining ISIS instead of the military. The skit shows a white Toyota truck with the ISIS black flag and ISIS militants standing in the truck bed.

When Johnson's character gets out of the car, the dad says "you be careful, okay" and Johnson replies "dad it's just ISIS." Once Johnson climbs into the bed of the pickup truck, the dad tells the leading ISIS insurgent to "take care of her" to which the leading ISIS insurgent nods and yells "death to America." The skit concludes with the subtitles "ISIS. We'll take it from here, dad."

The skit received mixed reviews after it was aired. People in support of the skit thought it was cunning to mock one of the most ex-

trême and vicious terrorist groups in the world. Several people also defended the skit claiming that it was the comedians' first amendment right to be able to joke about ISIS.

Actor and comedian Taran Killian, who played the father in the ISIS skit, commented on a social media site saying "freedom to mock is our greatest weapon." Actresses Whoopi Goldberg also said "I've always felt that the best way to get back at boneheads, like ISIS, is to make them the joke."

However, those against the ISIS skit thought the skit crossed the line and was in poor taste. With three Great Britain girls who recently ran away from home to reportedly join ISIS, and all the videos of beheadings, and burning of hostages alive, at the hands of ISIS, a lot of people thought the video was simply "wrong."

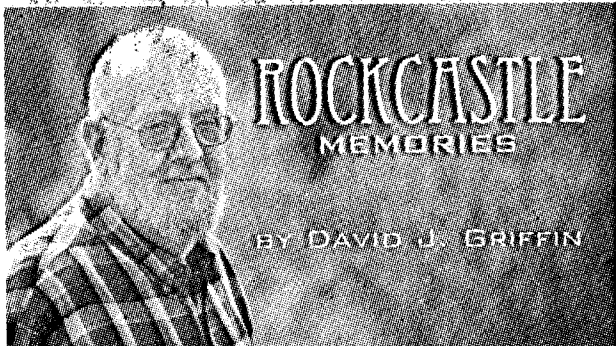
One woman on the social media site Twitter blasted SNL saying "three young girls are in Syria tonight because they got mesmerized by ISIS, family is sick with worry and you do this? Shame."

First off, comedy is protected under the first amendment as a form of free speech and expression. This also includes satire and parody which are the forms of comedy that is most often criticized.

So for those who are claiming that the ISIS skit is illegal, that is simply not true.

I also support and stand behind the fact that comedy shouldn't be "outlawed." However, I personally believe that SNL's ISIS skit was out of line and distasteful.

I think there is too much
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ROCKCASTLE MEMORIES

BY DAVID J. GRIFFIN

The Trusty Bandana

When I was a very young boy - even before entering elementary school - I became aware that the men in my family always carried handkerchiefs or bandanas. When I asked my mother (Bee) why they did that, she offered me the following explanation. "David Joe, men use handkerchiefs and bandanas for different reasons. Usually, the handkerchiefs are carried when wearing nice clothes, and bandanas are used for work. Remember, a gentleman will offer his handkerchief to a lady in distress." I never forgot her enlightenment and have been using both all my life.

When I started elementary school, I asked Bee if I could use one of Daddy's handkerchiefs. She immediately went to his sock drawer and brought me one to put in the back pocket of my jeans. I felt so grown-up and checked on its existence throughout the day. For Christmas that year, Bee bought me a package of handkerchiefs and a package of bandanas of my own.

That has been my order of business for over sixty years. Sticking a hanky in my back pocket is as much as part of getting dressed as is putting on a pair of socks. I never leave home without one or the other.

When going to church, the bank, board meetings, shopping, or having a meal in one of my favorite local restaurants, I carry a handkerchief. When I am going out in my 54 Chevy, fishing, hiking, or working outdoors, my bandana will be in my pocket. Because bandanas are so popular among my friends and the folks of Powell County, I decided to check the internet for bandana uses.

I was shocked to see how many sites were dedicated to Bandanas and how they are used. Within fifteen minutes, I discovered 265 uses for them, ranging from "making a bikini for your lady" to taking a bath in a bucket. I decided to share a few of my own uses for these handy squares of cotton.

As I said before, a gentleman should be prepared to handover his handkerchief when his companion needs his assistance. On many occasions, my wife has re-

quested my hanky when she was crying or sneezing or if her make-up was in disarray. She even told me early in our relationship that she was impressed the first time I handed her my handkerchief. Although her father had used them, the other fellows that she dated did not.

Using bandanas is another matter entirely. A fellow on the net stated, "A bandana is another one of those things that is useful for a thousand things but nothing specific. It's right up there with duct tape and a rope." I agree! I found that the uses are practically endless, and I decided to share a few of my own with you. Male readers likely have their own lists of uses, but they are just not in written form.

Grip a hot pan handle. For most of our marriage, Kathy and I have been campers and on many occasions my bandana became a pot holder.

Collecting wild edibles. On several of my "walks" in the woods, my bandana has been used to bring home morels or "dryland fish" as they are called in these parts. That habit likely developed from my childhood forays into the forest with Mommie Katie.

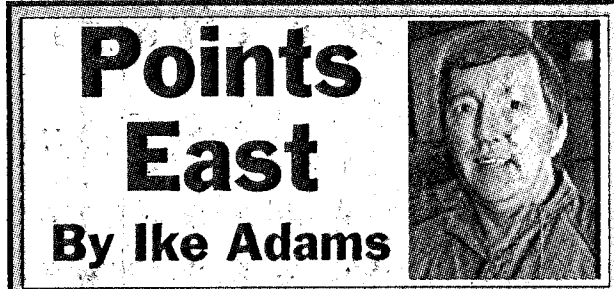
Clean glasses or other lenses. When I am out in nature, I always have a camera with me. My bandana has been used countless times to clean its lenses.

Wipe off fruit or vegetables. Whether I am at a Farmer's Market or in an orchard, my pocket towel has been used to clean off the dirt from my collections.

Mouth and nose protection. When hiking in the winter months, I have used my bandana to cover my nose and mouth to keep them warm. And, of course, it can always be used for a bloody nose - or, more commonly, a runny nose!

Secure a treasure found on the trail. I have always been a "rock hound," collecting stones from all over the country. Bandanas are good to hold you're newly found treasures until you get home.

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Points East

By Ike Adams

As I mentioned, last week, this column got started nearly 36 years ago when I wrote a letter to the editor in response to his call for definitions of a dozen or so terms of common hill-billy slang language.

Even though I was still in my thirties for the first ten years the column ran in the newspaper, readers usually thought that I was much older because I apparently came off as an old man decades before I commenced accumulating grand children of my own.

Often received letters in the mail from readers who told me that I sounded "just like their grandfather used to talk before he passed away". These letters were usually from people who were, even then, thirty years, or more, yearsolder than me. Of course there was no such thing as email in those days. A postage stamp cost 16 cents and a post card, complete with postage, cost a dime.

The reason I know this is because I was looking for something else the other day and ran across a shoe box crammed with correspondence that my wife had saved because she throws nothing away. Most often she can't tell you where it is but if I'm looking for something, she will say, "It's here somewhere. Have you looked in the basement?" The only reason I've gone to our basement, since the turn of the century, is to change the hvac filter. There's a ton of stuff down there but it's dangerous to go looking because one never knows when a hidden mouse trap will painfully catch one's pinky or inadvertently grab hold of a rat snake that has taken up residence in a box of books.

For several years, in the 80's, the kids and I, to beat the boredom of no school, snow days, ran what we called the great garden seed catalogue scam. The way it worked was, I invited readers to send me two postage stamps in return, for which, I would see to it that they received at least 30 or more, free catalogues in the mail. Some of those requests are still among us.

We simply put all the respondents on a mailing list and sent it to dozens of companies that offered free catalogues.

We started the project in the spring of 83 and became bored with it about 1990, as I recall. By that time we were also making arrangements for readers to get catalogues for risqué lingerie, fish bait, household products, barn siding and you name it. If a company advertised in the classifieds of any major magazine that they offered free catalogues we sent them our mailing list. Several companies even sent us checks in the mail to pay us for our trouble because we had started getting scam participants by the hundreds and the thing had grown from fun into work that defeated the original purpose.

Well shoot, I've gotten completely off the subject, because, so far I've generated a list of at least 6 column ideas in the process of attempting to beat the deadline for this one and now I am hopelessly late for The Mountain Eagle. What I started out planning to do was run my own list of hill-billy terms of slang language and/or dialect and invite current readers to tell what they mean because many, if not most, of the first readers of Points East have long since passed on over to the other side.

So here's what we are going to do. From the list below, please send me an email or snail mail response telling me what the following terms mean and use each in a sentence:

1. hard (used as a verb)
2. hard (rhymes with hard)
3. give out
4. give up
5. booger
6. haint
7. fur piece
8. rat cheer
9. jasper
10. dope
11. wasper
12. brought up
13. chaw
14. slop

Your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to get back to me asap. I will wait a couple of weeks to revisit

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Rockcastle Community Scholarship Committee Fundraiser

Surprise, YOU HAVE BEEN FLAMINGOEDI!



A fundraiser is being conducted by the Rockcastle Community Scholarship Committee and Flocks of Pink Flamingos may gather upon your property to roost.

Rockcastle Community scholarships benefit our Seniors of Rockcastle County High School. A donation can be designated to be made to one of the following scholarships: Community, Wayne Stewart, Eric Ponder or Gatliff Craig. These scholarships are possible only because of the generous donations we have received in the past.

Please check the options that apply and call one of the contacts below to remove these pesky, but very loveable, pink birds:

I appreciate the flocking but am not able to donate funds at this time.

I wish to donate \$_____ to have the flamingos removed.

Any donations are appreciated. Donations are tax deductible and benefit our own Rockcastle County High School Seniors.

In addition to the above donation (min \$25), I would like to suggest the following person as the next surprise flocking victim.

Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____
Email _____

Ask about our Anti-Flamingo insurance

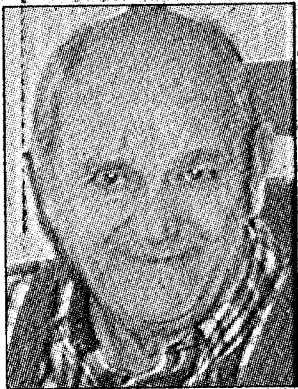
Donations can be made to any of the scholarships with checks payable to the Rockcastle Community Scholarship Fund P.O. Box 1046 Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. If you would like to donate by credit or debit card email or text Tammy Clontz at 859-200-5642 or tclontz@b2bcfo.com

For more information, or to make a donation to have pink flamingos delivered to a specific location, please call or text Tammy Clontz 859-200-5642.

Stella Young 606-308-4154, Serena Stratton 606-308-3274, Linda Clontz 606-308-3745 or Holly Robinson holly.robinson@rockcastle.kyschools.us.

STOP TALKIN' AND START FLOCKIN'

Obituaries



James Abney

James Kenneth Abney, 85, of Brodhead, husband of Helen, died Sunday, March 1, 2015 at his residence. He was born January 20, 1930 in Orlando, the son of the late Lester and Dorothy Lena Abney. On September 19, 1952 he was united in marriage to Helen Mosley Abney. He served as a Korean Navy veteran for four years. He worked in construction as a Brick Mason, and enjoyed horseback riding, camping, rooting for his favorite team, the Kentucky Wildcats, and spending time with his family. He was a wonderful story teller, sharing stories of his childhood, bringing laughter to those around him. He was a dedicated Christian and truly loved his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. He was a member of the Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

He is survived by: his wife, Helen Abney of Brodhead; two daughters, Brenda (Earl) Bullock of Somerset, and April D. (Chris Dillingham) Abney of Brodhead; three grandchildren, Shannon E. (Heather) Bullock of Somerset, Melanie Elaine Bullock of Somerset, and River Dillingham of Brodhead; one great grandchild, Logan I. Bullock of Somerset; one brother, Glen M. Abney of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Gail Deleon of Mt. Vernon; two sister-in-laws, Sybil and Kaye Abney; and many nieces/nephews, friend and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by: his two sons, James Edward and Gary Wayne Abney; and brothers, Virgil Lee, Douglas Wayne, Jack and Cecil Abney.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Darren Cupp officiating. Burial was in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Chris Dillingham, Shannon Bullock, Steve Abney, Nathan Deleon, B.J. and Donnie Nop.

Honorary casketbearer was Logan Bullock. Condolences to the family may be made at his online registry at marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Peggy Bowling

Peggy Bowling, 83, of Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. She was born in Sunbright, TN on April 30, 1931 the daughter of Arthur and Alice Sommers Greer. She was a retired self-employed businesswoman who had always worked in the Food Service Industry. She was of the Baptist faith and enjoyed sports, crocheting and having lots of kids around her.

She is survived by: her daughter, Precia Bowling of Mt. Vernon. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by: her husband, Kermit Bowling; three sons, Dwight, Chet and Marvin; and one daughter, Mallie.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, March 7, 2015 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Neal Thornton. Burial followed in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Jerry Adams, Asa Adams, Robbie Lay, Kevin Lay, Chris Poynter and Rusty Gilmore. Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Thomas Spencer, Sr.

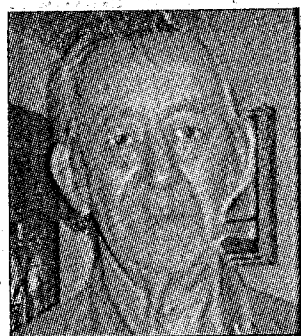
Thomas Edward Spencer, Sr., 65 of Berea, died Thursday, February 19, 2015 at the St. Joseph Berea Hospital. He was born in Richmond, on May 19, 1949 the son of Thomas Hugh and Delavenia Smith Spencer. He was a retired truck driver for the Triple-E Trucking Company and was a member of the Conway Missionary Baptist Church. He was heavily involved with the V.A. and was currently the First Vice-President of the Vietnam Veterans of Kentucky. He was a board member of the Brindle Ridge Fire Department and loved playing with his grandson.

He is survived by: his wife, Elaine Creese Spencer; a son, Thomas Edward (April) Spencer, Jr. of Berea; a brother, James (Dawn) Spencer of Shelbyville, DE; two sisters, Bonnie Spencer Arnone of West Palm Beach, FL and Connie Spencer of Salisbury, MD; a grandson, Thomas Allen Spencer; an uncle, Robert Smith of Mt. Vernon; and an aunt, Olva Miller of Phoenix, AZ.

He was preceded in death by: two brothers, Colin Spencer and Wayne Spencer; and a sister, Nancy Spencer Wanex.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, February 27, 2015 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bro. Bobby Turner, Military Honors were also provided by the Vietnam Veterans of Kentucky. Burial followed with Military Honors in the Camp Nelson National Cemetery.

Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Marvin Floyd Smith

Marvin Floyd Smith, 74, of Mt. Vernon and formerly of Livingston, died Monday, March 2, 2015 at this residence. He was born in Rockcastle County on November 22, 1940 the son of Robert and Effie Mullins Smith. He was a farmer and of the Baptist Faith. He enjoyed fishing and coon hunting.

He is survived by: his wife of 38 years, Dora Lamb Smith of Mt. Vernon; one son, Lafayette (Elsie) Smith of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Penny Baker of Berea; and one sister, Juanita Watson of Sardinia, OH. Also surviving are 10 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren, including a loving great granddaughter: Payton Shian Isaacs.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by: two sons, Marvin Jr. Smith and Boyd Smith; two sisters, Helen Phenix and Alberta Hale; and two infant brothers.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, March 6, 2015 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Harold Hale. Burial followed in Smith Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Danny Kirby, Lafayette Smith, Josh Smith, Brandon Baker, Craig Hale and David Hale. Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Rhonda Traugott

Rhonda French Traugott, 53, of Brodhead, died Saturday, March 7, 2015 at her home. She was born September 5, 1961 in Hamilton, OH, the daughter of Mrs. Doris Fern Nicely French of Mt. Vernon, and the late William Lester French. She was a certified nursing assistant with home health, enjoyed flowers, fishing, animals, antiques, genealogy, and old houses.

Survivors besides her mother are: her husband, Marshall "Matt" Traugott of Brodhead; one daughter, Stephanie Lynn French Combs of Berea; two brothers, Randy French of Mt. Vernon, and Anthony French of Brodhead; one sister, Annette French Hines of Mt. Vernon; two grandchildren, Raelyn and Madi Combs; and her dog, Minnie. She was preceded in death by two brothers, William Leslie, and Aaron French.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 10, 2015 at the Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Shannon Franklin officiating. Burial was in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to: Cox Funeral Home P.O. Box 325 Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.

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

L.P. Taylor

L.P. Taylor, 80, widower of Dolly, died Tuesday, March 10, 2015 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center in Lexington.

Visitation will be held Friday, March 13, 2015 at 10 a.m. until the funeral at 12 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

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

In Loving Memory

In Loving Memory of **Ronnie Dale Bradley**

Sept. 16, 1952-March 12, 1914

There is no heartache in the world that compares to losing your child.

It is a heartache that never goes away, we just learn to live with it.

A part of us died with you and our lives will never be the same.

We will never forget the joy you brought to our family

Forever loved and in our hearts forever

Your Mom, Norma Jean Romines and all your family



Deborah Lou Hopper

Deborah Lou Hopper, 55, of Richmond, died Sunday, March 8, 2015 at her residence. She was born in Covington on August 27, 1959, a daughter of Tommy and the late Alwanda Watson Falin. She was a retired Registered Nurse and was member of Flat Rock Baptist Church. Deborah enjoyed Facebook, crafts, her son Eric and also her grandson Lucas Coner Shafer.

She is survived by: her husband, Kenneth Hopper of Richmond; her father, Tommy Falin of Mt. Vernon; her son, Eric Shafer of Brodhead; a stepson, Brian (Amy) Hopper of Corbin; one biological grandson, Lucas Coner Shafer; three step-grandchildren, Kayla, Chloe and Ethan Hopper; several nieces and nephews; and many friends and neighbors.

She is preceded in death by her mother, Alwanda Falin, and her son, Jason Thomas.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 10, 2015 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Randal Adams and Bro. Jack Stallworth officiating.

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

In Loving Memory



Billy Thomas

In loving memory of my brother Billy Thomas who went home to be with the Lord July 13, 2014. March 12th would have been his 62th birthday.

My dear brother
Those we love remain with us

For love itself lives on
Cherished memories never fade

because one loved is gone
Those we love can never be more than a thought apart

For as long as there is a memory
they live on in our heart.

(Author Unknown)
Very loved and sadly missed by your sister,
Sheila Collins & family

Card of Thanks

Morris Cromer

The family of Morris Cromer would like to express our greatest appreciation to all those who showed us so much kindness and love in the tragic passing of our loved one.

We have been truly blessed by receiving so many prayers, calls, food and kind words from everyone. You have no idea how much this has meant to us. We have loved and enjoyed the memories and tears we have shared with all of you.

We would like to thank everyone.

We would like to send a very special thank you to some people that helped us through this very difficult time.

Thank you Mt. Vernon, Pongo, Brodhead and Western Rockcastle Fire Departments for all you did and the utmost respect you showed us that morning. Thank you to Marvin Owens and Billy Dowell for your kind words and help. Also Cox Funeral Home for your great help and allowing us to show our great love for Morris in every way possible. To Mark Reppert for his kind words at the service and for all his support when we needed it most. To Becky Griffin, Steve Griffin and Dennis Stewart from Rockcastle Ambulance Service for standing by us that tragic morning and helping to keep us strong in one of our weakest moments. To Scott Miller, Tim Cameron and Phillip Doan for your beautiful music and songs at the service and for supporting us. To Ricky Bullock and Steve Graves for all your support and all you did for us and a very special thank you to all our family, friends, neighbors and Blue Springs Church of Christ for all your love and support in our time of need.

When we needed someone there, we never expected the outpouring from friends that we got. Our deepest appreciation and

gratitude goes to all of you because we could never repay you for what you have done for us other than saying thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

The Family of
Morris Cromer

In Loving Memory



Shirley Faulkner

In loving memory of my sister Shirley Faulkner who went home to be with the Lord July 8, 2014. March 8th would have been her 66th birthday.

Dear sister
God called your name so gently

That only you could hear
No one heard the footsteps of

The angel drawing near
Softly from the shadows
There came a gentle call
You closed your eyes and

went to sleep
And quietly left us all.

(Author Unknown)
Very loved and sadly missed by your sister,
Sheila Collins & family

Cemetery Notice

McKinney Cemetery

The McKinney Cemetery Board is now accepting sealed bids for the 2015 mowing season. Anyone interested, send bid to McKinney Cemetery, P.O. Box 1691, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. Bids must be received by Friday, March 27th. The board reserves the right to accept or reject any of all bids.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Wait till Animal Shelter open to drop off animals...

Dear Editor,
I'd just like to say there are some sick people in this town. I live right next door to the Rockcastle Co. Animal Shelter. On Monday I noticed a newer model silver Dodge Durango go by my house twice.
Later, my family and I went to do some running and noticed a black tote sitting beside the gates of the shelter. My husband and I looked at each other and said let's go see what's been dropped now.
We pulled up beside the tote and, not only did it have a lid on it, it also had several large rocks on top to hold it shut better and a few holes poked in the lid. I moved the rocks, opened the lid and stepped back. Three little puppies looked up at me.
Omg people its calling for rain and you poke holes in the TOP of a tote, how dumb can you get. Whoever you are, you're sick. Those little puppies could have drowned, with no bigger than box than they were in.
I really wish the animal shelter would put cameras up to catch all these people dropping these animals, because in my opinion you should b charged with cruelty to animals.
If anyone has an animal that needs to go to the shelter, good Lord wait till they

are open to drop them off! I mean honestly what's another 12 hours.
Sincerely,
Jessica Himes

Thanks to everyone from FFA...

Dear Editor,
On behalf of the Rockcastle County FFA Chapter and Alumni, we would like to thank all the volunteers, as well as sponsors for donating items to our annual FFA Alumni Auction.
The sponsors were: Willene Burton, A Cut Above, Helen Abney, Adams Plumbing & Electric, Charity Adams, Derek Adams, Scott Adams, Alton Blakley Ford, Edith Ballinger, Barlow Farm Equipment, Barren River State Park, Benges Farm Supply, Bishop's Tire, Renita Blanton, Ashley Bohlman, Brodhead Farm Mart, Burdette Brothers Antiques, Crystal Bustle, C&J Cattle Company, Darlene Cameron, Celena's Hair Salon, Cindy's Place, Climax Horse Camp, Cummins Gun Shop, Dari Delight, Don Marshall Chrysler Center, Dyehouse Farms, El Cazador, Farm Credit of London, Four Seasons Country Inn (Glasgow), Tammy Gabbard, Stephanie Harmon, Jeff Hayes, John Holbrook, Honey Baked Ham, IGA, Jack's Pro Hard-

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Our auctioneers were Roy Adams, Roy Donovan Adams and Ben Allen.
We would also like to thank Cox Law Office for the donation of water and their continued support.
Jeff Hayes
Agriculture Teacher/ FFA Advisor
Rockcastle County High School
Consider Comer for Governor...
Dear Editor,
I want to ask all Rockcastle County Republicans to consider voting James Comer for Governor in this May's primary election.
While it may be a few months away, May 19th will be here before we know it. We must elect a conservative who can beat Jack Conway in November. That's why I hope you'll vote for James Comer.
Currently, Comer serves as our Commissioner of Ag-

riculture. He cleaned up the Department of Agriculture, making it transparent and efficient. He also privatized certain functions in order to save taxpayers money. He is the only constitutional officer to give money back to taxpayers and to ask the General Assembly for less money to run his agency.
James Comer is a leader. He is pro-life and has shown he knows how to work with both parties to get results - and win elections!
In 2011, Commissioner Comer received 93,000 more votes for Ag Commissioner than Conway did for Attorney General.
Let's vote for a proven leader who knows where Rockcastle is and understands our values. Please join me in supporting James Comer for Governor.
Sincerely,
Derek G. Adams

"Points East" (Cont. from A2)

this column, whereupon, I will publish the names of anyone who gets them all correct. I figure that some folks, who have been reading the column for 35 years, have never been bothered with computers and email so I'm giving them time to respond by U.S. mail, if they can afford a stamp these days, which seems a small price to pay to get your name in the paper without being on the obituary page or in trouble with the law.
My address is: Ike Adams, 249 Charlie Brown Road, Paint Lick, KY 40461. Email: ikeadams@aol.com.

"I See It" (Cont. from A2)

emotional distress for the families and friends of several teenage girls that have reportedly left their homes for the Middle East so they can join ISIS.
As I mentioned earlier, three British teenage girls recently left their home and flew to Syria so they could join ISIS. Their families and friends all say the girls were "typical teenage girls." They also said that they have no idea where they got the money for the trip and how they were successful at keeping their plans secret.
During the investigation into the girls' disappearances, investigators learned that there were similar incidents where women have left their homes to join ISIS and marry "jihadists" and that these women are being used by ISIS to recruit other young girls across the world.
There has also been speculation that a lot of missing girls in other countries, including America, might have also left their homes to join ISIS. On top of that, there are numerous reports of sexual abuse and enslavement of women and girls by ISIS militants. I don't know about you, but that should scare us all!
To the friends and families of the girls who have reportedly run away from home to join ISIS, the SNL

ISIS skit is not funny, it's actually hurtful. These girls' family members and friends are worrying about them constantly, not knowing if they are being mistreated or if they are even alive.
In the end, the SNL ISIS skit is also mocking the family members and friends of the girls, not just ISIS. And that is wrong and distasteful!

"Memories" (Cont. from A2)

Lampshade. Kathy and I owned several conversion vans and a Class C camper. We often used my bandana to cover the lamps in those cool travel trailers when we were camping. Great for softening the light to create a romantic mood.
Canine scarf. Our Sheltie, Shiloh, always has a bandana tied around his neck. I

think he feels naked if we forget to put one on him.
Wash cloth or towel. Many times, especially when fishing, my bandana was used to clean up before I headed home.
As a head covering. This is a convenient use for both men and women in various situations.
And finally, the best use for a cool bandana: wear as a mask when robbing a stagecoach. How many Western movies have you seen the outlaws wearing a bandana to conceal their identity? I certainly robbed my share as a child.
Of course, this is merely a brief list of common uses. There are countless more.
I think that a bandana is one of those things with so many uses that anyone should consider having plenty of them stored in and around your abode. I know I always will.

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Celebrate Recovery
A Celebrate Recovery class is being held each Monday, at the Community Outreach Center in Brodhead. CR is a 12-step Christ-centered approach to recovery and offers a safe place to share and begin healing from all hurts and habits. There will be qualified leaders to sign court-ordered papers. Please call 606-308-3368 for more information or questions.

Special Spay/Neuter Promo
The Pulaski County Humane Society has qualified for a grant which offers a special reduced rate for Pit Bulls and Pit mixes. The cost to owners is \$130, which includes a rabies shot. If you have a Pit Bull or Pit mix and want to participate, contact the PCHS at 606-451-2367. Leave your name, phone number, animal's age, sex, name and weight. Include whether your animal is a Pit Bull or Pit mix. This will put them on a waiting list.

Hot Rods T-Ball Sign-Up
Sign-ups for the Hot Rods T-Ball League (ages 3, 4 and 5 year olds - 2 year olds in some cases) will be held April 4th and 11th at Godfather's Pizza from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Please do not call Godfather's. All they know is that we will be there). \$40 sign-up fee includes free shirt and cap for each child. \$13 for parents t-shirts with \$1 added for each size larger than small, medium or large. Cash only! Season runs from last weekend in April through second weekend in July. We play at ballfield at the lake. We teach the basics.

Books for Bikes
All forms need to be turned in no later than March 14th for the Twelfth Annual Books for Bikes. Rockcastle County Public Library, 60 Ford Drive, Mt. Vernon. Call 606-256-2388 for more info or www.rockcastlelibrary.org

City Council Meeting
The regular meeting of the Mt. Vernon City Council will be held Monday, March 16th at 7 p.m.

Start-It: Entrepreneurship Training
Want to start a business, but don't know where to start? Start-It! Entrepreneurship Training is a free three-part series designed to help you put together a successful business and marketing plan. The training will be held at the Rockcastle Adult Education Center March 19th, from 5 to 7 p.m. If you have any special requirements, please notify us 5 days prior to class. For more information, call 859-622-7995 or Yvonne.harrison@eku.edu

Grandparent Support Group
Are you raising a grandchild in your home? If so, you are invited to attend our support group meetings. The group will meet every other month and share experiences. We have programs and speakers designed for grandparents. Free lunch provided. Meetings are held at the Rockcastle Extension Office, 1050 West Main St., Mt. Vernon. Next meeting is Thursday, March 26th at noon. If you plan to attend, contact Angie Payne at 256-5484 or Jessie Mahaffey at 256-4818. Speakers will be: Somerset Mental Health Therapist.

DAR Meetings
The Rockcastle Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution meets the first Monday of each month, September-May at 6 p.m. at First Christian Church in Mt. Vernon. All prospective members are welcome to attend.

Brodhead Lodge Meeting
The Brodhead Masonic Lodge #566 meets every third Saturday at 7 p.m. on Main Street in Brodhead above Brodhead Pharmacy.

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

Kiwanis Club Meetings
The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Limestone Grill. Everyone is invited.

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

American Legion Post 71
American Legion Post 71 meets the second Thursday at 6 p.m. of each month at the Limestone Grill. Commander Tommy Hodges invites all Rockcastle veterans to join this organization that honors American soldiers, sailors and airmen.

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“Court”

(Cont. from front)

Judge/Executive Doug Bishop said that his concern was that there be no liability for the county in case of an accident.

Medley told the court that the city would provide insurance on the vehicle and that a contract would be drawn up between the City of Livingston and the Rockcastle County Rescue Squad that will allow the equipment to be used county-wide by the rescue squad when needed.

McGuire's motion was amended to reflect that Livingston would insure the vehicle and the county would be held harmless from any liability arising from use of the vehicle.

Bishop seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority (RCIDA) Executive Director Holly Hopkins presented the court with that group's monthly report which reflected a shortfall of \$10,798. Hopkins said the amount was larger than usual because it included \$1,500 for a table purchased by RCIDA for the upcoming Kentucky Music Hall of Fame 2015 Induction Ceremony scheduled for the Convention Center in Lexington.

Magistrate Mike McGuire immediately voiced an objection, saying "I think we can use that money somewhere else."

Bishop agreed saying that the purpose of the RCIDA board was to enhance the chance of bringing jobs to the county and he didn't know if "buying these tickets is going to help us."

Bishop told Hopkins, "We answer to the people and every entity (of the fiscal court) is going to answer to us. We appoint and fund the (RCIDA) board with taxpayer money for one goal to provide jobs to Rockcastle County. If it does not provide them, we will take a look at it."

Hopkins said she was directed by the previous administration to include the purchase of the table in RCIDA's budget and that the seats were first offered to state and federal officials and then to the court members if they were not needed by the state/federal officials.

The motion later passed to approve the RCIDA's shortfall, which included the \$1,500 to purchase a table for the induction ceremony.

Hopkins was also quizzed by Bishop on progress on getting the former Anchor Packaging building leased or sold. Hopkins said that several appointments to show the building, that had been scheduled, had to be rescheduled because of the weather.

Bishop asked that Hopkins have "a sense of urgency" about trying to lease/sell the facility. "By August we will have used all the money we received from Anchor (for the early out) and then it will be a drain on the county's finances."

Hopkins was directed by Bishop to "work diligently to get someone in there that will create jobs. We don't particularly want to turn it into a storage facility, we want jobs."

Hopkins agreed and told the court that Anchor had agreed to reimburse the county for damage done to the floor and doors when they were moving out of the facility.

Also during the meeting, County Clerk Danetta Allen presented the court with an additional excess fees check for 2014 of \$7,015.80. This brought the total of excess fees presented to the court for 2014 to \$50,426.88.

The court was also presented with the Rockcastle County Detention Center's working budget for fiscal year 2015-16.

The budget shows estimated receipts of

\$1,327,608 which includes \$433,982 in transfers from the general fund.

Clontz told the court that that amount was \$50,000 less than was transferred to the jail in FY 14-15.

Clontz also said that the \$720,000 estimated in revenue for state prisoners "might be a little high since that population tends to drop in summer months." However, Clontz said that Jailer Carlos McClure was working on lowering food costs and, if that happened, the difference would help make up for a drop in state prisoner population revenue.

The court also discussed shopping around to see if a less costly alternative to the present health care provider, for inmates, could be found.

The jail presently pays \$9,185 a month to Advanced Correctional Healthcare and, Clontz said, an increase will kick in April 1st which will raise that amount to \$9,405. In addition to that cost, the court was also billed \$6,218 for their share of medical expenses not covered by the program.

As a last item of business, the court approved the transfer of \$150,000 from the occupational tax fund to the general fund. Of that amount, up to \$100,000 will be transferred to the jail fund, as needed.

Clontz told the court that the jail had not received the January check from the state of about \$61,000 that should have been received in February and the February check should also be received soon.

“Schools”

(Cont. from front)

whether Election Day should be used as a professional development day for staff. She said that information will also be presented, along with the proposed calendar at next month's meeting.

Isaacs also presented the proposed calendar for the upcoming 2015-2016 school year.

The first day of school will be on Wednesday, August 12th with the first holiday break being Labor Day, Monday, September 7th.

The proposed calendar calls for school to be dismissed on September 8th, October 2nd, November 2nd, November 3rd, November 25th-27th for Thanksgiving break and December 21st through January 1st for Christmas and New Year's break.

School will also be dismissed under the proposed calendar in 2016 on January 18th and March 18th. School will be dismissed for President's Day, as long as fewer than ten days have been missed for inclement weather or other emergencies by the first Monday in February. The calendar also states that if fewer than ten days are missed by the last Monday in February then the Spring Break days of April 4th-8th may be granted by a calendar amendment with approval by the School board.

The projected last day of school for the 2015-2016 school year is Friday, May 6th.

The board approved the proposed 2015-2016 school calendar without any discussion.

Superintendent David Pensol presented the 2015-2016 SBDM allocations to the board for their approval. Pensol said that the students to teacher ratio is still 22:1, the same as this year.

Pensol said that he is pleased that things were able to be worked to keep the student to teacher ratio the same as this year as he believed it was a well-rounded and "very fair" formula.

"A lot of school districts in the state have gone up to a 24:1 or even a 26:1 ratio," Pensol said. "The 22:1 is a very fair ratio and it's important to maintain it for our school programs that are in place."

The board unanimously approved the proposed

2014-2015 SBDM allocations.

The superintendent's personnel action report showed two classified hirings of Patty Hayes as a RCMS school nurse and Brittany Anderson as an MVES instructional assistant. The report also showed the volunteer hiring of Wayne Napier as a RCHS assistant football coach.

Both resignations on the report were from Thomas Coffey as RCHS boys assistant basketball coach and RCHS boys' cross country coach.

“Livingston”

(Cont. from front)

decided to send the survey out to heads of households with their April water bill and volunteers will conduct personal contact for those not returned voluntarily. The survey needs to be completed by June.

Kirby said that he does not charge any fee unless the grant is approved and that, thus far, he has a perfect record in getting grants he has applied for approved. "My record is a 100%" Kirby told the commissioners. "My dad also has a good record, not a 100%, but he has been doing it a lot longer than I have."

Kirby also said that the best case scenario would have the grants approved in October or November with construction starting in spring of 2016.

Mayor Jason Medley told the commissioners that he had also applied for a \$60,000 grant from Rural Water to be used to work on the city's sewer system and that, in conjunction with the Rockcastle Regional Hospital, a grant had been applied for to use at the city's fitness center. Medley said that grant would be used for marketing, education, exercise equipment, etc.

Livingston Chief of Police Carl Swanigan asked the commission for approval to partition off a portion of city hall for use by him as a more private office when conducting police business. "I need this to help with confidentiality when dealing with issues with the public," Swanigan said. Approval was given for the project.

“Banquet”

(Cont. from front)

quet. Lewis is the Executive Director of the Growing Warriors Project and vice-president of Freedom Seed and Feed.

Everyone is invited to attend the event and dinner will be catered by the Limestone Grille.

Tickets are \$18 each and can be purchased from the Rockcastle County Conservation District office, Mt. Vernon IGA or Circuit Court Clerk Eliza York's office.

“Brodhead”

(Cont. from front)

subzero temperatures and the treating of the roadways, need to be checked.

"The roads are in better shape than they have been in a long time," Councilman Cash said. "But there might still be a few bad areas, especially after the winter we have had. So we all need to be making a list of any potholes or bad places."

The council agreed and councilman Keith Graves also asked if the city could buy a snowplow with the city's municipal road aid funding. Clerk Becky Bussell said that she would check but that she thought the funding would only cover the cost of a plow and not a vehicle for the plow.

Mayor Walter Cash said he wasn't sure if it would be feasible for the city to pay insurance on a vehicle to be used for just plowing roads. He said right now they contract someone to treat the city roadways and they pay for it with the city's municipal road aid funding.

Mayor Cash said that the

council needs to weigh their options before deciding to buy a vehicle with a plow. The rest of the council agreed and Bussell said she would check on the pricing and funding of a plow and vehicle.

Councilman Ricky Kirby told the council that a concerned citizen asked him if the city was planning on charging an electricity or cleanup fee for use of the new stage at the Depot Park.

Graves said that he thought a fee shouldn't be charged since the park was built with taxpayers' money. However, Graves said he has heard of other cities requiring people to pay a deposit for usage of park venues and if everything is cleaned-up and left in good shape, the city refunds the deposit.

Bussell said that people who have used the park have taken care of it and cleaned-up after they were done using the facilities.

Mayor Cash agreed with Bussell. He said that they should wait and "play it by ear" to see how much interest that people have in using the park's facilities this spring. The rest of the council agreed with Mayor Cash and decided to review the issue at a future meeting.

“Round-Up”

(Cont. from front)

Brodhead; Rhoda C. Hurd, 42, of Mt. Vernon, Jeffrey R. Phelps, 42, of Brodhead; Casey L. Renner, 33, of Mt. Vernon and Gregory A. Phelps, 20, of Brodhead.

According to state police reports, officers received information that Hurd and Jeffrey Phelps were selling methamphetamine at the residence.

After officers arrived and executed the search warrant, they found methamphetamine, marijuana and various other drug paraphernalia in several rooms of the house. Officers also discovered a juvenile inside the home as well.

Officers also found a small baggie of suspected crystal meth inside Renner's mouth at the time of her arrest.

Alcorn and Gregory Phelps were charged with endangering the welfare of a minor, possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia. Hurd and Jeffery Phelps

were both charged with trafficking in a controlled substance and Renner was charged with possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine), tampering with physical evidence, possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia.

All five were lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center. Both Alcorn and Gregory Phelps were later released on separate \$5,000 unsecured bonds and Hurd was released on a \$10,000 cash/property bond. Jeffery Phelps and Renner both remain lodged on separate \$10,000 cash/property bonds.

In the second incident, the Kentucky State Police arrested three people last Thursday night after officers executed a search warrant at a home on Big Cave Road in Mt. Vernon.

Those arrested were: Dorothy Bottoms Page, 66; Charlie Roscar Page, 78 and Mary Ann Reed, 47, all of Orlando.

Scholarship available to those providing early childhood education

Kentucky's child care providers and those who train child care providers may be eligible for the Early Childhood Development Scholarship to further their college education.

The application deadline for summer classes is April 15. The deadline for fall classes is July 15.

The scholarships are available to those who work at least 20 hours per week or provide training in early childhood development at least 12 times per year for an approved organization. Kentuckians employed as a preschool associate teacher in a state-funded preschool program are also eligible.

Recipients must be working toward an associate's or bachelor's degree in early childhood education or other approved credential. Depending on funding, the scholarship will pay up to \$1,800 for tuition each year. Students may not take more than nine hours of classes per semester.

The scholarship is administered by the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA), the agency that administers state aid programs, including the Kentucky Educa-

According to state police reports, officers received information that Dorothy Page, Charlie Page and Reed were selling oxycodone at the residence.

Dorothy Page, Charlie Page and Reed were all charged with trafficking in a controlled substance. All three were lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center and Reed remains lodged on a \$7,500 unsecured bond. Dorothy Page and Charlie Page were released on separate \$7,500 surety bonds.

The search warrants, seizures and arrests were conducted by KSP detectives Ryan Loudermilk and Chris Roberts. They were assisted by cannabis suppression detective Darren Allen and troopers Ben Graves, Scottie Pennington and Adam Hensley.

Officers said the search warrants on both residences also resulted in the seizure of a 2014 Nissan car, twenty firearms and \$6,032 in cash.

tional Excellence Scholarship (KEES).

To apply, students must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and an Early Childhood Development Scholarship application. The FAFSA is available at www.fafsa.gov. The scholarship application is available at www.kheaa.com. To complete the scholarship application, students must set up a KHEAA account. After registering, sign in, then select Apply Online for Scholarships.

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.

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Frankfort Report...

By Jared Carpenter, State Senator

After a successful beginning to the week in the Senate, extreme weather conditions on Wednesday evening into Thursday prevented us from holding session on Thursday and Friday. The LRC offices were closed on Thursday, but were re-opened on Friday and we held a caucus meeting to discuss some remaining issues facing the final days of the 2015 session.



Due to the weather cancellations, both the Senate and House chambers will convene Monday, Mar. 9 - Wednesday, Mar. 11. There will be several committee meetings held over those three days as we prepare our final bills and hearings before the Governor's veto session begins.

The weather will not affect our planned sine die date of Tuesday, Mar. 24.

On Monday, the Senate passed House Bill 152 as the first piece of legislation to be passed by both chambers in 2015. House Bill 152 has been referred to as the "telecommunications bill" and will deregulate current telephone requirements to provide more funding for internet and mobile phone expansion throughout the state. This bill allows them to invest major capital in the entire state to improve these services.

The telecommunications bill has been a priority for the Senate over the last three years, and we commend Sen. Paul Hornback (R-Shelbyville), the perennial sponsor of this legislation in the Senate, for dedicating countless hours of hard work to see this bill through.

House Bill 298 passed the Senate Tuesday and would authorize the issuance of \$132.5 million in bonds for the construction of a new research building at the University of Kentucky. The building would house teams of scientists from different disciplines working together to reduce preventable deaths from medical disorders that disproportionately afflict Kentuckians - such as cancer, diabetes and cardiovascular disease. In total, the new structure is expected to create 1,623 jobs, have an annual economic impact of \$116.2 million, and an annual state and local tax impact of \$5.6 million.

Also on Tuesday, the House passed Senate Bill 77, which would allow for a

medical order for scope of treatment in Kentucky, which would spell out a patient's wishes for their end-of-life care. This was the first measure started in the Senate that was passed by the House, and the bill would require the state Board of Medical Licensure to create a standard form for the orders to use statewide.

On Wednesday the House chamber passed Senate Bill 10, which would require the state to post a list of all Kentucky stroke hospitals and stroke centers online and distribute the list to local emergency services providers. The bill would also expand the types of stroke-care certification available to hospitals across the Commonwealth, building on a 2010 law that requires Kentucky to recognize certified primary stroke centers.

The Senate passed House Bill 168 on Wednesday, which would affirm that the state's three-tier system of regulating alcoholic beverage producers, distributors and retailers applies to beer. This legislation was subject to debate in the Senate, because it is expected to force Anheuser-Busch to sell its two Kentucky distributorships. According to one of our senators speaking in favor of the bill, 37 other states have endorsed the three-tier system and none of those governments have given into Anheuser-Busch's request to deregulate the beer business.

Also on Wednesday, the House passed Senate Bill 61, which would mandate health insurers to cover the cost of follow-up procedures resulting from a colorectal cancer screening. This bill has been established to remove the barriers for colorectal cancer screening without imposing additional deductible or coinsurance costs. The bill would apply to health benefit plans issued or renewed on or after Jan. 1, 2016, should it become law.

We anticipate three full days of committee meetings, floor debates and caucus meetings next week as we grow closer to the end of the 2015 session. We will sharpen our focus to the key remaining issues and do what we believe is best to create Kentucky jobs and strengthen Kentucky families.

If you have any questions or comments about the issues or any other public policy issue, please call me toll-free at 1-800-372-7181. You can also review the Legislature's work online at www.lrc.ky.gov.

Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

Filing for NAP Losses

The CCC-576, Notice of Loss, is used to report failed acreage and prevented planting and may be completed by any producer with an interest in the crop. Timely filing a Notice of Loss is required for all crops including grasses. For losses on crops covered by the Non-Insured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) and crop insurance, you must file a CCC-576, Notice of Loss, in the FSA County Office within 15 days of the occurrence of the disaster or when losses become apparent.

If filing for prevented planting, an acreage report and CCC-576 must be filed within 15 calendar days of the final planting date for the crop.

USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Announces Online Hay and Grazing Acres Locator Tool

For many years, FSA's Hay Net website www.fsa.usda.gov/haynet has been the "go to" online resource for agricultural producers to list information concerning the need for hay or the availability of hay.

Now, in response to requests from livestock producers and landowners, FSA has expanded the site to include the option to list a need for grazing acres or to list acres available for grazing.

If, due to extenuating circumstances, producers are in need of hay and/or grazing acres to support livestock, please use Hay Net to post an advertisement seeking these resources. Likewise, landowners who have hay and/or grazing acres available for livestock producers should post a Hay Net advertisement as well.

A few things to remember when using the Hay Net website: There is a one-time registration process that should be completed by all users who want to post an ad online.

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Hay and grazing acre ads will be automatically removed after a period of 13 months.

Please help your fellow farmer and rancher by keeping ads current and up to date and remove ads you no longer need or want advertised on Hay Net. Please, no corporate advertisements on this site.

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you by FSA as a public service. The sole purpose of this online resource is to provide a site for the exchange of information. FSA does not endorse, guarantee, or otherwise make representations of any kind regarding any user of this site and FSA is not responsible for defining the terms of grazing agreements or lease contracts.

For more information about Hay Net and other FSA services and programs, please contact your local FSA office. For local FSA Service Center contact information, please visit: offices.usda.gov.

Next FSA County Committee Meeting Date: March 11th, 2015 at 8:00 A.M. at the Mt. Vernon USDA Service Center.

Office Closure Schedule

The Mt. Vernon Service Center (FSA, NRCS and Rockcastle Co. Conservation District) offices will be closed the following dates for observance of a Federal Holiday: May 25, 2015-Memorial Day.

Important program dates and Interest Rates

- Farm Operating Loans-Direct=2.500%
- Farm Ownership Loans-Direct=3.500%
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T.J.'s Journal

by: Tonya J. Cook



To Dress or Not to Dress, That is the Question

Dear Journal,
It is surprising the things you'll remember about a person as they were growing up. In this case, my oldest niece, Sandy, who would often come and stay the summer in London with us sparks many memories.

When she was about six years old, she came to stay for her first time one summer and the rest of her family returned to Detroit. Everyone was afraid that she would get homesick and want to go home in a day or so, but that was never the case. She always enjoyed her stay so much she didn't ever want to go home.

In any case, one Saturday our family went to Somerset for a little outing and shopping. On the trip were Mom, Grandma, me, Sandy, and Uncle Junior who drove.

There was a little junk store not far out of Somerset called Smiley's. Yes, that was his surname and he did his best to live up to it. He had everything from appliances to what-nots, clothes, or most anything that you might mention. Sandy saw a little pair of bright, shiny red shoes with a strap across the top that sparked her fancy and as fate would have it, they just fit. She tried them on over a pair of orange and yellow striped socks, but wouldn't take them off, so she wore the shoes and socks out of the store.

We got to Somerset. The first stop was a little dress store on Maple Street next to Holsumback's, which we liked to visit. There was a cute lavender pants outfit that Sandy tried on and no, she wouldn't take it off either. Traveling on and a store or so later, a grass-green button-up sweater was added to the ensemble, along with a

little blue child's purse and white straw hat.

My mother was about to die from embarrassment. She never left the house without every hair in place, makeup on, "just so", with everything to match, even the purse, shoes, and jewelry...and expected nothing less from everyone else. It made for an exciting trip and we did get a lot of long stares from strangers.

Then there was the time when Sandy was about two years old, before her family moved to Detroit: she had developed a skin condition where she was so sensitive that she couldn't wear anything. Her mother and two grandmothers were trying to dress her up to go to the doctor, but it was a fight to the finish. They begged, coaxed, and pleaded to no avail. Meanwhile, our Uncle Junior was outside cleaning off the car and warming it up. There were several inches of snow on the ground, and it was down to about twenty degrees. In a few minutes, he came in ready to go and noted the situation. He took matters into hand. He grabbed a quilt off the bed, wrapped Sandy in it, slung her over his shoulder and headed out the door with all three women in tow. Someone said, "My God, what will the doctor think?"

Those days are now long past, Uncle Junior and the two grandmas are now gone, even Sandy. She died peacefully four years ago today from breast cancer at age forty-six there at her grandparents' old home place which she loved so dearly. She was laid to rest in a beautiful pink dress that her two daughters selected. Everything matched and she looked wonderful. Her grandma would have been so proud.

March is National Nutrition Month

Family and Consumer Sciences

Hazel Jackson

Rockcastle County Extension Office



What is National Nutrition Month?

A nutrition education and information campaign sponsored annually by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, held in March, focuses attention on the importance of making informed food choices and developing sound eating and physical activity habits. This year's campaign message: "Bite into a Healthy Lifestyle."

What is MyPlate?

MyPlate is the new generation icon with the intent to prompt consumers to think about building a healthy plate at meal times and to seek more information to help them do that by going to website choosemyplate.gov. The MyPlate icon emphasizes the fruit, vegetable, grains, protein foods, and dairy groups.

How do you decide what to make for dinner?

- Cost of the Food
- Time to prepare
- Flavor/Taste
- What other family members eat/want to eat
- What friends eat/like to eat

- eat
- Cultural food likes
- Religion
- How Easy/Hard it is to prepare

Planning in advance is the best approach to creating and consuming a healthy plate.

"Making healthy choices for your family is one way to show you care."

Items needed for a better My Plate:

Vegetables - eat a variety of colors and textures. Eat them cooked and raw. Keep the peel on whenever possible, and do not boil the nutrients out. Some examples are: carrots, spinach, lettuce, beets, broccoli, cauliflower, kale, endive, tomatoes, squash, asparagus, green beans, peas, corn, potatoes, sweet potatoes, cabbage, brussel sprouts, onions, and mushrooms.

Fruits - eat a variety of color and textures. Fresh is best but if canned get packed in water, natural juices or lite syrup. Some examples are: apples, bananas, grapes, oranges, kiwi, peaches, pears, plums, blueberries, blackberries,

strawberries, raspberries, tangerines, star fruit, mangoes, pomegranate, cantaloupe, honeydew, watermelon, and nectarines.

Whole grains - try to have half your grains come from whole grains. Some examples are: barley, faro, buckwheat, oats, quinoa, brown rice, rye, wheat, cereals, breads, kasha, bulgur, popcorn, wheat crackers, corn chips, granola bars, pita bread and tortillas.

Dairy - consume a variety of sources, keep it low or nonfat. Some examples are: 0 or 1% milk, low fat cheeses, and low fat yogurt.

Protein foods - eat a variety from a variety of sources. Keep it low fat and lean. Some examples are: fish, shrimp, lean beef, lean pork, chicken, turkey, rabbit, deer, eggs, nuts, and beans.

Key message:

- Make half your plate fruits and vegetables
- Enjoy your food, but eat less
- A void oversized portions
- Make at least half of your grains whole grains
- Drink water instead of sugary drinks
- Compare the sodium in your foods
- Switch to fat free or low fat (1%) milk

- Eat a variety of foods, from a variety of sources
- Keys to success:
 - Understand what you are eating and drinking
 - Find the right amount for you
 - Make better choices

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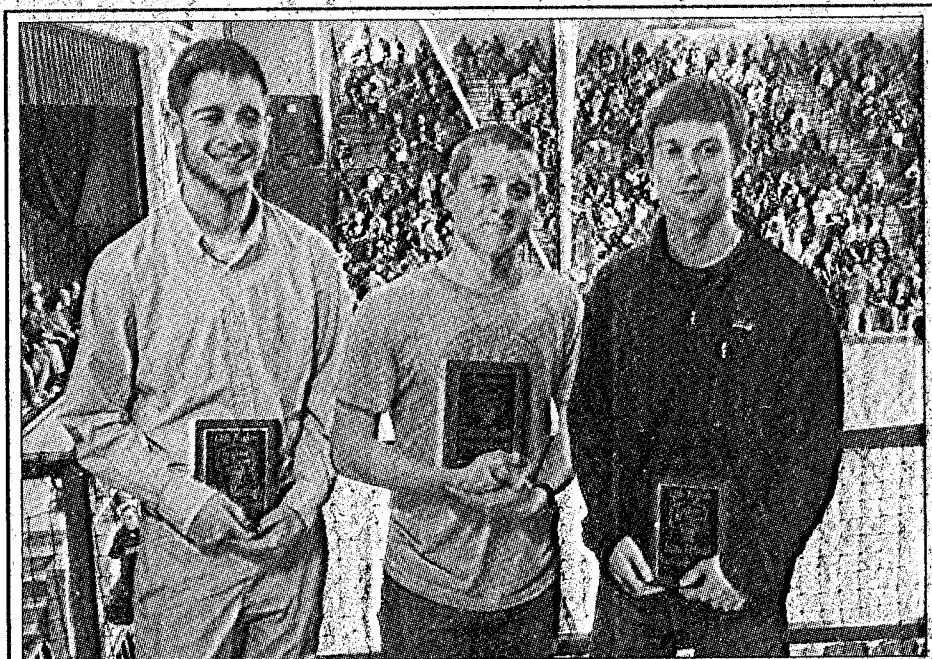
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Shown above are members of the Rockets and Lady Rockets basketball teams named to the 2014-2015 47th All District Team. Front row from left; Mahala Saylor and Jayna Albright. Back row from left: Lucas Gentry, Ashley McKinney and Sam Pensol. Pensol was also named to the All Region Team for the 12th District.



Named to the All 12th Region Academic Team are senior Rockets from left: Ethan Mattingly, Dakota Hasty and Sam Pensol. To be eligible, seniors must have a 3.75 GPA.

Hammond earns All-ACC honors

Three University of Louisville women's basketball student-athletes have been named to the all-Atlantic Coast Conference Team in a vote by the league's head coaches. ACC Commissioner John Swofford announced Monday.

Senior Sara Hammond and freshman Mariya Moore earned all-ACC second team accolades, a five-member team, making Louisville one of just four programs with at least two selections to the all-conference teams.

Moore, in addition to classmate Myisha Hines-Allen, also received all-ACC freshman team status. They rank Nos. 1 and 2, respectively, on the team in scoring, making Louisville the only school in the Associated Press' top 20 with

two freshmen as its leading scorers.

Hammond, who leads the team in rebounding and ranks 15th in the ACC in the statistic (6.5), is contributing 10.8 points per game and is tied for the team lead with 27 blocks. She has collected 32 steals, fourth most on the team. The Mt. Vernon, Ky., native has reached double-digit points 18 times this season and climbed the all-time scoring list to 14th with 1,236 points.

A California native, Moore was one of just three players to be selected both of last week's ACC Blue Ribbon Panel teams (all-ACC second team, all-ACC freshman team). She leads No. 10 Louisville in scoring (13.8), 3-pointers (58), and free throws (114), and is sec-

ond in assists (116). She has scored in double digits 24 times this season and recently became the sixth player in school history to score at least 400 points in their freshman campaign. Moore has produced five 20-point games and ranks 17th in the ACC in scoring (13.8), sixth in assists (3.7), eighth in free throw percentage (.797), and seventh in assist-turnover ratio (1.5).

Hines-Allen has compiled a solid freshman campaign, averaging 11.7 points and 4.8 rebounds per game. The Montclair, N.J., native reached double-digit points 18 times during the season, including four 20-point performances. Notably, she has connected on 56.2 percent of her shots, fourth best in the ACC nationally. She boasts the 26th-best scoring average in the league.

The three selections also earned all-ACC Academic Team honors late last week.

Louisville (25-6, 12-4 ACC) finished third in the regular-season standings its inaugural year in the Atlantic Coast Conference and advanced to the ACC Tournament semifinal. The Cardinals, who will advance to the NCAA Tournament, are awaiting the selection show on March 16 for their tournament matchups.

For the latest information on Louisville women's basketball, log on to GoCards.com, or, for up-to-the-minute updates, follow the team's Twitter account at www.twitter.com/UofLWBB or on Facebook at www.facebook.com/UofLWBB.

2015 All-ACC Team (as selected by the Head Coaches)

First Team:
Elizabeth Williams, Sr., C/F, Duke; Adut Bulgak, Jr., C, Florida State; Kaela Davis, So., G, Georgia Tech; Adrienne Motley, So., G, Miami; Allisha Gray, So., G, North Carolina; Stephanie Mavunga, So., F, North Carolina; Jewell Loyd, Jr., G, Notre Dame; Brianna Turner, Fr., F, Notre Dame; Brianna Kiesel, Sr., G, Pitt; Dearica Hamby, Sr., F, Wake Forest.

Second Team:
Leticia Romero, So., G, Florida State; Sara Hammond, Sr., F, Louisville; Mariya Moore, Fr., G, Louisville; Alexis Peterson, So., G, Syracuse; Faith Randolph, Jr., G, Virginia,

Messinger competes at National Air Rifle Service Championship

After advancing through the Army Postal Championship, Dakota Messinger was one of six precision shooters from Kentucky invited to shoot in the 2015 Air Rifle Match.

Dakota was recognized at Rockcastle High School with a Plaque and a letter of recognition from Colonel Michael Hedges, Commander ROTC 7th Brigade, Fort Knox, KY.

Dakota competed at the Championship event of The 2015 Army JROTC Air Rifle Service Championship in Camp Perry, Ohio, February 13-15, 2015.

This event was sponsored by the Civilian Marksmanship Program and the Range Officer was a graduate from University of Kentucky, Brad Donohoe.

During day one of the two rounds of competitive shooting, Dakota scored 545 points out of 600.

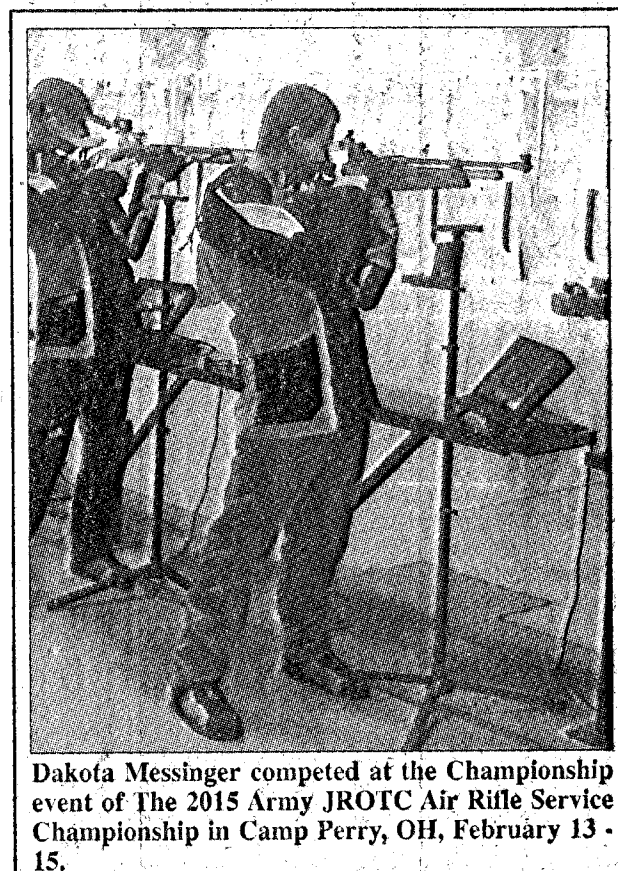
On day two, 15 February he scored 553 of 600 which is an awesome score for a second year shooter.

He placed 13th out of 21 at the Camp Perry facility. Dakota looks forward to

helping other shooters based on his experience at this high level competition.

Dakota hopes next year to be part of a winning team during the 2016 Army JROTC Air Rifle Champi-

onship so he can compete against the winners of the Air Force, Marine Corps and Navy JROTC Academic Bowls in the JROTC Joint Service Academic Bowl Championship.



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RCHS Class of 2014 students attending University of Kentucky wrapping up first year in Lexington

By: Kelsey Mattingly
Recent Rockcastle County High School graduates are sharing details regarding their freshman year at the University of Kentucky.

Seven members of the RCHS Class of 2014 are currently enrolled at the University of Kentucky which is only .4% of their graduating class. With such a small number of students attending UK, this begs the question why these select few chose this university.

"My decision to attend the University of Kentucky was based on the fact that I wanted to distance myself from the areas that are relatively close to home in order to become more of an

independent individual," said Rockcastle native Jalia Parker.

She said she also wanted to live in an environment that had a more diverse culture than what she was previously exposed to.

Other RCHS graduates attending UK as freshmen chose to enroll for reasons that hit closer to home.

"It was because of wanting to live with my sister," said Kellan Coffey, daughter of attorney Willis Coffey.

Having a close bond with her family affected Coffey's decision in where to go to college and had she not been able to be near her sister, she would've chosen Eastern Kentucky University. She still visits home once or

twice a month to stay in touch with her family and said it made the transition easier.

Like Coffey, another student makes trips back to Rockcastle County frequently for work which allows her to see her family as well.

"I see my family pretty often and I like it because I've always had a very close bond with my family," said Katie Mackey, a full-time student with a part-time job away from school.

RCHS graduates who are now enrolled as freshmen at the University of Kentucky are adjusting to being away from home and

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“Students”

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living in a larger setting than they previously were.

“Initially it was kind of difficult to adjust to the many things that come with living in a city. I spent several nights in August and September laying awake because the seemingly constant sirens kept waking me up,” said Jacob Taylor of Mt. Vernon.

Taylor said after several months of living in Lexington and dealing with the crazy traffic, he can now sleep through the sirens and navigate the streets of Lexington as well as he can Rockcastle’s...almost.

Aside from adjusting to their new home away from home, these seven students have learned how to make new friends that they haven’t grown up around their whole lives.

“My brother connected me with a lot of people and I met a lot of people through rushing a fraternity,” said Brandon Jones.

Jones is one of the two students in the group of his graduating class attending UK who is participating in Greek life. He is currently pledging the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity as a way to get more involved on campus.

Parker added to Jones’ statement, noting that the most important thing is to get involved in any way you can on UK’s campus. She also agreed that meeting new people and making friends hasn’t been difficult for her because everyone is so friendly.

The general consensus from these students was that aside from being excited to be in a new setting and meeting new people, they overall do not regret their decisions to attend the University of Kentucky.

“I seriously love everything about UK and it has given me many opportunities for the future,” said Mackey.

Jones mentioned that UK has been great for him because it has pushed him academically while allowing him to enjoy the

college experience. Coffey is also happy with her classes and finds herself enjoying the campus more than she anticipated.

All of the students interviewed [one declined to comment on their experiences at UK] find that they are happy in their new setting and encourage other RCHS students to seriously consider the University of Kentucky as a potential option for higher education.

“I know the majority of people from home tend to go to EKU just because they feel like they have no other options and it’s the “cheaper route”. I just want them to know that there are SO many scholarships and grants that apply to them it’s ridiculous; you just have to look for them. If you just get out of that comfort zone one time, you’ll never regret it, I promise,” said Mackey.

Interviews:
 Kellan Coffey – Interviewed at Student Center on 3/3/2014
 Jacob Taylor – Interviewed at Student Center on 3/3/2014
 Katie Mackey – Interviewed via Facebook
 Jalia Parker – Interviewed via Facebook
 Brandon Jones – Interviewed via Text
 Bobbie Hopkins – declined to comment

“Nutrition”

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Tips to help achieve a healthy plate:

- Use smaller plates
- Eat some foods less often
- Eat the right amount of food for you
- Use the nutrition facts label
- Don’t forget the dairy
- Drink water
- Be mindful when it comes to eating and drinking
- Use the Super tracker or some of nutrition tracking app or tool

If you feel you need assistance you can always seek the advice of a Registered Dietitian (J3.D)

Article Submitted by: Donna Moseley EKU Dietetic Intern

Article Information from:

the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, www.eatright.org, United States Department of Agriculture www.choosemyplate.gov, www.supertracker.usda.gov



Benjamin James Durham was born January 25th at Fort Logan Hospital in Stanford. He weighed 7 lbs., 1 oz. and was 18 1/2 inches long.

Benjamin is the son of Mike and Jennifer Durham of Crab Orchard and was welcomed home by his brother, Andrew, 5 and sister, Melanie, 9.

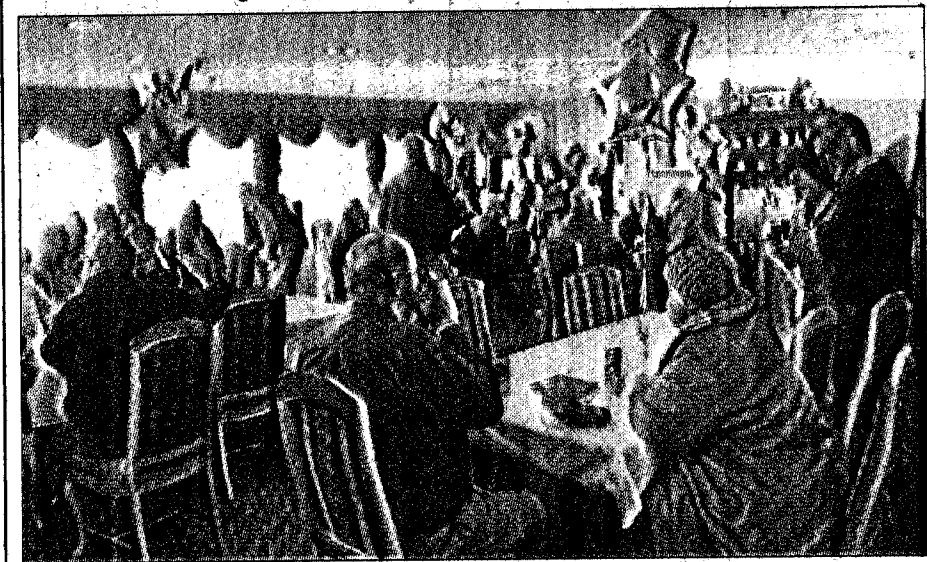
Maternal grandparents are Terry and Rose Thompson of Crab Orchard. Maternal great grandmaw is Georgia Thompson of Eubank.

Paternal grandparents are Ed and Kathy Louisignau and Steve and Cheryl Durham, all of Berea. Paternal great grandmother is Mary Evans of Michigan.

Ben is a precious gift from God. God is good.



A large crowd came out last Saturday for the Open House of former Rockcastle County Jailer James Miller held at the National Heritage Inn in Mt. Vernon. Miller served as Rockcastle County Jailer for twenty-four and a half years and is shown above talking to some of the attendees.



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Hidden Among Us

The American Revolutionary War Patriots of Rockcastle

By Karen Hamm Adams

To celebrate and honor the county's American Revolutionary War Patriots and to enlighten the community about the service and sacrifice of these brave men, on behalf of the Rockcastle Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, I have compiled highlights of the service of the known patriots living in the county and who applied for a pension between the years of 1818 and 1842. All information was taken from the patriot's own account from his pension application and other historical documents. More information can be found on each patriot at the local library or the Rockcastle Historical Society. (Copyright Pending). If you are interested in joining the Daughters of the American Revolution or the Children of American Revolution, please contact Debbie Brown (606) 758-8659 or Iris Young (606) 256-2851.

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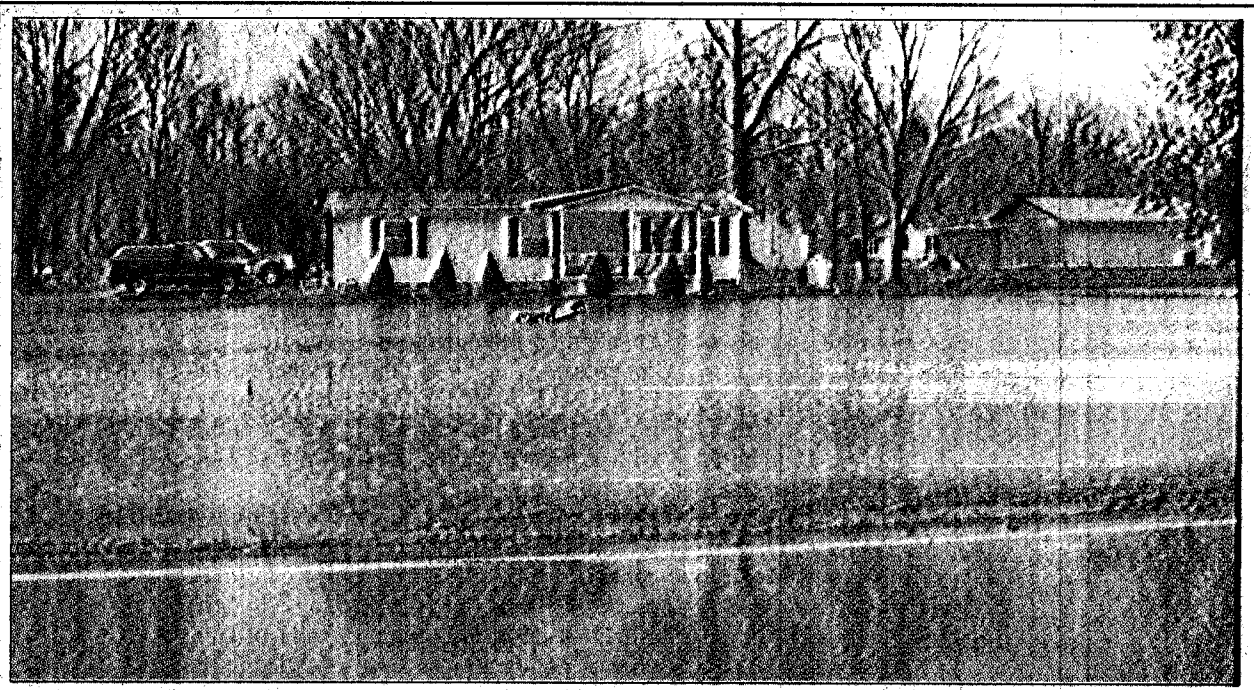
George Noakes Jr. was born on 17 March 1766 Caswell Co. NC and died on 23 March 1840 Lincoln Co. KY. According to his pension application, George gave the following account of his service on 28 October 1833 in Lincoln Co. KY at the age of sixty-seven. He entered the service as a volunteer in the Virginia Militia under the command of Captain John Snoddy, Lieutenant William Terril and Colonel Benjamin Logan who were in charge of the spy service in the month of May 1781. He volunteered at Crab Orchard in Lincoln County which was at that time a fort, a portion of which his Company was always on duty in garrison, and the balance was out spying or scouting, and that George was almost constantly spying. When he was not spying, George was on duty in the garrison at the Crab Orchard serving as a guard. He continued to act as a spy until the 20 March 1782, a period of eleven months, and before he was discharged, his Company was ordered by Colonel Benjamin Logan to march with other troops to Richardson's Fort on the Southern frontier of Virginia to repel an invasion of the Indians. The officers on this expedition were the same as above stated with the addition of Captain Woods, Captain Whitley & Captain Estill. They were marched to Richardson's Fort & found that the Indians had retreated and the other companies were then marched off to different points, but

Captain John Snoddy's Company was stationed in the Fort and George continued to act as an Indian scout/spy. He served from May 1781 to 20 March 1782 a period of eleven months, at Crab Orchard and from 20 March 1782 to the month of April 1783 when he was discharged verbally by Captain John Snoddy. He served a period of upwards of twenty-three months and was discharged at Fort Richardson.

George stated that he was born in the County of Caswell of North Carolina on 17 March 1766, that he continued to reside there until January or February 1781 when his father George Noakes Sr. removed the family to Lincoln County Kentucky. He resided there ever since with the exception of a couple of years in Mercer County. George is also listed in the 1810 Census living in Rockcastle County. His pension application does not mention a spouse or children. He married Nancy McGuire (1766-1830) on 18 August 1789 Lincoln Co. KY. It is believed that George and Nancy had seven to eleven children. He died 23 March 1840 in Lincoln Co. KY. George's final resting place is unknown. His pension application was rejected on the grounds that he did not serve in a military capacity.

George had been exposed to Indian raids and the tragedies that followed ever since his family moved to Lincoln County. His father, George Sr. started Noakes Station, which included just a few cabins close together for protection against Indian attacks. It was located about four miles southeast of Crab Orchard on the headwaters of Turkey Creek and Brushy Creek. In the July 1938 edition of the Kentucky Historical Society Register the following statement by Col. William Whitley was found in the Draper Manuscript: "I Jan. 1785- It was that a party of Indians came in near to the Crab Orchard and caught a son of old Mr. Noakes, this the first time I had ever wore the commission of Captain. I raised a party and pursued them about 15 Indians in number part Shawnee and part Cherokee. They were in camp in a rock house but kept one spy back which discovered us and from the cliffs of the water courses we could not get there without going about half mile. They being a foot and the country so rough we only

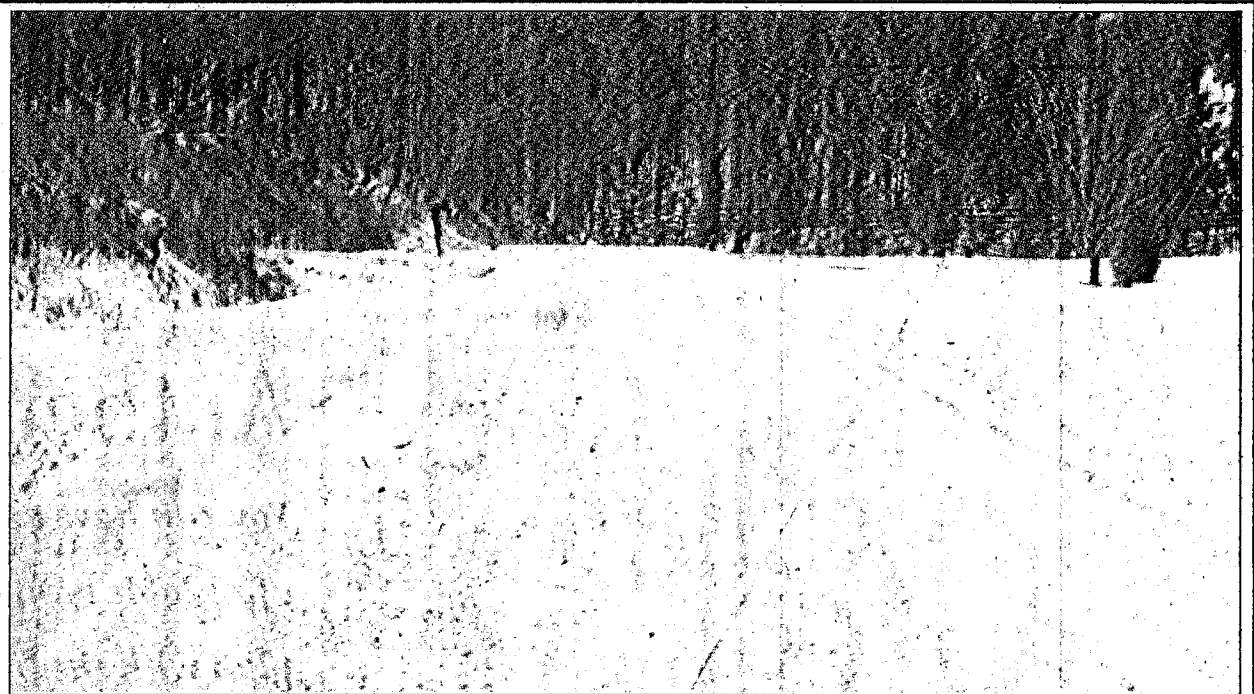
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Residents in the Conway community in northern Rockcastle County were dealing with serious flooding issues last Wednesday after a storm system brought heavy rains to the area. Several homeowners in the area reported flooded yards and some said the water reached their homes. No extensive damage was reported.



Mt. Zion Road near Lake Linville was completely covered with water after the heavy rains that came through Rockcastle County last Wednesday dropping around two inches of rain in Mt. Vernon. Shown above is a motorist attempting to cross the flooded roadway.



Shown above is a picture of snow covered Hwy 2108 in Mareburg last Thursday. Local Weatherman Bud Cox reported 2.12 inches of rainfall last Wednesday and 2 1/2 inches of snow last Thursday. Higher amounts of rain and snow were reported in other areas of the county. State and county road crews reported that they worked in 24-hour shifts and that they struggled to treat the roadways due to the freezing temperatures and the thin layer of ice that was beneath the snow.

Livestock Indemnity Program benefits available to Rockcastle producers

Rockcastle County USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director, CED Warden Alexander today announced that producers who suffered qualifying livestock losses due to natural disasters including attacks by animals or avian predators could be eligible for the Livestock

Indemnity Program (LIP).

"LIP, along with other livestock disaster assistance programs, was restored by the passage of the 2014 Farm Bill which provides livestock producers with a vital safety net to help them overcome the damaging financial impact of natural disasters," said CED Alexander.

Beginning in 2015 and subsequent years producers are required to provide documentation to substantiate eligible attacks by animals or avian predators must be obtained from a source such as, but not limited to, the following APHIS and Department of Natural Resources.

Producers must make every effort to substantiate losses and if they are not able to obtain documentation from APHIS or DNR the participant may provide verifiable or reliable documentation of livestock deaths.

Third party certifications will not be permitted as the sole documentation for losses for animal and avian predator attacks.

LIP compensates live-

stock owners and contract growers for livestock death losses in excess of normal mortality due to an eligible adverse weather event, including losses due to hurricanes, floods, blizzards, disease, wildfires, extreme heat and extreme cold. For the current calendar year, eligible losses must have occurred on or after Jan. 1, 2015.

"A notice of loss must be filed with FSA within 30 days of when the loss of livestock is apparent," said CED Alexander. "Livestock that die within 60 days of the date of the qualifying event will be considered eligible for loss benefits."

The LIP national payment rate for eligible live-

stock owners is based on 75 percent of the average fair market value of the livestock.

According to CED Alexander, producers should contact the Rockcastle County FSA Office at 606-256-2525 to schedule an appointment to submit a notice of loss and application for payment.

Producers are encouraged to bring supporting evidence, including documentation of the number and kind of livestock that died, supplemented if possible by photographs or video records to document the loss, purchase records, veterinarian records, production records and other similar documents.

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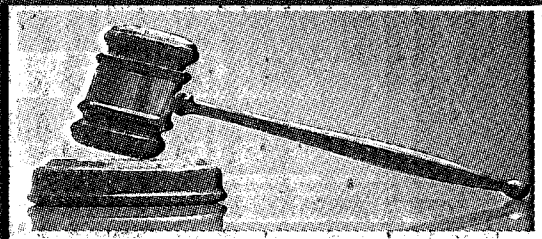
Mt. Vernon.

\$40 for teeball and \$50 for all others



The District Spelling Bee took place Tuesday, March 10th, at the Rockcastle Teaching & Learning Center. The 2015 Spelling Bee winners are: 1st place, Seth Lykins, 6th grader - RCMS; 2nd place (tie), Samuel Burdine, 4th grader - BES and Carson King, 4th grader - MVES; and 4th place, Darren Quinley, 5th grader - RES. Congratulations to these students. Seth Lykins will be participating in the Kentucky Derby Festival State Spelling Bee Saturday, March 21st in Louisville. Good luck, Seth.

News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



Circuit Civil Suits

T.D. Auto Finance LLC v. Oscar D. Newcomb, \$11,998.89 plus claimed due.

National Collegiate Student Loan Trust v. Shonda Prickett, et al, \$5,484.61 plus claimed due.

Robert Shauger v. Donald E. Simindinger, et al, complaint.

Commonwealth of Kentucky ex rel Whitney Paige McKinney v. Steven Dale McKinney, complaint for child support and medical support.

Discover Bank v. Kim L. Webb, \$8,069.65 plus claimed due, CI-00042.

Overbay, property in Rockcastle County, to Kenneth Baker, Tax \$45

Bjulah Morgan, property in Rockcastle County, to Matthew Shepherd, No tax.

Woodrow Saylor and holly and Matthew Sowder, property on the waters of Copper Creek, to Woodrow Saylor and Rick Saylor, No tax.

Tillman G. Daugherty, property on Old Brodhead-Mt. Vernon Road, to Lee and Marcia Cain, Tax \$44

Arnold and Marilyn Akers, property in Conway section, to First Resurrection Pentecostal Holiness Church, No tax.

Doug and Rhonda Prewitt and Becky and Derek Todd, property on Hwy. 618, to Roger Rowe and Roxie Rowe, Tax \$84

influence of alcohol/drugs, carrying concealed deadly weapon, possession controlled substance, sentencing orders entered.

Heather Bradley: drug paraphernalia, bw issued for fta.

Michael Bray: terroristic threatening, sentencing order entered.

Robert Brown: promoting contraband, tampering with physical evidence, possession controlled substance, controlled substance prescription not in original container, failure to or improper signal, no operators/moped license, drug paraphernalia - buy/possess (two counts), bw issued for fta.

Mark Burns: assault, sentencing order entered.

Erica H. Roberts: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance card, drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, bw issued for fta.

James William Weaver, Jr: receiving stolen property, 90 days/to serve/concurrent w/state sentence. Costs waived.

Edward A. Austin: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Steven Blackwell: fines/fees due (\$183), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

Jamie C. Bowling: fines/fees due (\$225), court notice sent.

Warren M. Bowman: speeding and no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, license suspended for fta.

Zachary D. Brewer: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Terry D. Clemmons: failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, reg. & title requirements veh. not oper. on hwy., failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, license suspended for fta.

Dillard W. Cotton: assault, bench warrant issued for fta.

Linda L. Craig: disorderly conduct, action slip.

Gregory S. Damrell: fines/fees due (\$750), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full.

Bridgette L. Denny: trafficking in synthetic cannabinoid agonists or piperazines, drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, bw issued for fta.

Nathan L. Gadd: receiving stolen property, sentencing order entered.

Angela R. Green: all other traffic, license suspended for fta.

Arthur E. Hoskins: fines/fees due (\$233), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Courtney R. Johnson: no/expired registration plates - receipt, failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, failure to notify address change to Dept. of Transp., bw issued for fta.

Heather B. Jones: all other traffic, failure to produce insurance card, failure to notify address change to Dept. of Trans., license suspended for fta.

James C. Jones: failure to or improper signal, failure to wear seat belts, operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, reckless driving, failure to notify address change to Dept. of Trans., failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.

John H. Latham: fines/fees due (\$133), bw issued for fta/3 days in jail or payment in full.

Michael D. Lewis: no/expired registration plates - receipt, failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, court notice sent.

Donnie L. Lunsford: theft by unlawful taking, court notice sent.

Robert R. O'Rear: giving officer false name or address, 30 days/probated 12 months plus costs.

Luther D. Overbay: driving on DUI suspended/license, court notice sent.

Raven C. Phillips: criminal littering, court notice sent.

Melinda Powell: possession of synthetic cannabinoid agonists or piperazines, sentencing order entered.

Anthony T. Pullra: fines/fees due (\$158), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

Joshua T. Purlee: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs and possession controlled substance, sentencing orders entered.

James E. Reed: fines/fees due (\$233), bw issued for fta, 6 days in jail or payment in full.

Thomas Renner: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

William A. Riggle: careless driving, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, leaving scene of accident/failure to render aid or assistance, operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs (two counts), court notice sent.

Speeding; Lloyd Robertson, bw issued for fta; Frankie L. Woodall, \$50 fine and costs; Brandon D. Robinson, \$52 fine and costs.

Tina Sowder: theft by unlawful taking, bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Melissa Stines: criminal trespass, 365 days/probated 24 months/on condition plus costs; Jason G. Wilson, paid.

Megan Elizabeth Tipton: speeding and operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta/license suspended.

Heather R. Yocum: failure to wear seatbelts, \$25 fine.

Regina L. Adams: failure to wear seatbelts, license suspended for fta.

Tracey M. Slusher: fines/fees due (\$225) receiving stolen property and theft by deception, court notice sent.

Adam J. Walker: fines/fees due (\$233), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Norman Walker: no operators/moped license (two counts), violation of Kentucky EPO/DVO, rear license not illuminated, court notice sent.

Andrew T. Whitmore: DUJ, sentencing order entered.

Jonathan Slaven: operating on suspended/revoked operators license and failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.

Ali Hamed Alshamrani: speeding, operating vehicle w/expired operators license, failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.

Virgil Cromer: alcohol intoxication in a public place, \$50 fine, disorderly conduct, \$50 fine and costs.

Benjy D. Crosslin: criminal mischief, 365 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.

Debbie L. Crosslin: criminal mischief, 365 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.

Gregory S. Damrell: theft by unlawful taking, bw issued for fta.

Joseph S. Holsing: fines/fees due (\$163), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

Heather N. Kirby: fines/fees due (\$63), 2 days in jail or payment in full.

Jennifer Lynn Moore: criminal mischief, 365 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.

Anthony J. Naylor: possession of marijuana (two counts), 90 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs (each count); drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, 90 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.

District Civil Suits

Cavalry SPV I LLC v. Larry W. Clouse, \$2,993.17 plus claimed due.

Ky. Orthopedic Asso. LLC v. Deborah S. Rucker, \$210 plus claimed due. C-00033

Marriage Licenses

Jennifer Lynn Moore, 17, Mt. Vernon, housewife, to Jamie Mitchell Price, 19, Mt. Vernon, Cumberland Transport. 3/7/15

Deeds Recorded

Earl W. Butler, Jr., property on Hwy. 70 to Alice Butler, No tax.

Citifinancial Servicing LLC, property on Tevis St., Mt. Vernon to Samuel Alcorn, Tax \$10.

David L. and Merna D.

District Court

Feb. 25-Mar. 2

Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless

Hon. Kathryn G. Wood

Heather Allen: theft by unlawful taking, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Michael W. Baird: operating motor vehicle under

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Karalinn Loudermilk was selected Rockcastle County Winner in the "2014-2015 Grandparent of the Year" essay contest sponsored by AARP Kentucky, the KRTA and the local Retired Teachers' Association. Pictured are: Retired Teachers Duina Arnold and Molly Belcher, Karalinn Loudermilk, and Tammy Stevens, BES 5th grade teacher.



Luree Gabbard was selected Rockcastle County Runner-Up in the "2014-2015 Grandparent of the Year" essay contest sponsored by AARP Kentucky, the KRTA and the local Retired Teachers' Association. Pictured are: Molly Belcher, Retired Teacher; J.D. Bussell, Principal MVES; Luree Gabbard; Melinda Kincer, 5th Grade Teacher MVES; and Jerrilynn Smith, Retired Teacher

Karalinn Loudermilk wins essay contest

A Brodhead Elementary School student, Karalinn Loudermilk, was selected Rockcastle County Winner in the "2014-2015 Grandparent of the Year" essay contest sponsored by AARP Kentucky, the KRTA and the local Retired Teachers' Association.

Karalinn is among thousands of Kentucky fifth graders who participated in the 14th Annual Essay competition for 2014-2015. Students submitted essays answering why "My Grandparent should be the AARP Kentucky Grandparent of the Year" to their 5th grade teachers who selected the school's winner. Each participating school winner received recognition certificates. Rockcastle's school winners are Karalinn Loudermilk, Brodhead Elementary and Luree Gabbard, Mt. Vernon Elementary.

As county winner, Karalinn received a framed certificate and a check for

\$50. As runner-up winner, Luree received a certificate and a check for \$25. Karalinn Loudermilk's winning essay was submitted for district competition. She and other district winners then become eligible to participate in the state finals. In a recognition ceremony the "Grandparent of the Year" and student are honored at the Annual KRTA Convention in Louisville on April 21, 2015. The state winner also receives a \$100 award.

The essay competition is a unique way to recognize the significant contributions that older Kentuckians make toward shaping the lives and values of youth across the Commonwealth. Across the country and in Kentucky, an increasing number of adults 50 and older are the primary caregivers to minor children. The 2010 Census data showed nearly 87,000 grandchildren in Kentucky live with grandparents who are the householders. Almost 48,000 of these chil-

dren live in homes where the grandparent householder is responsible for them.

The "AARP Grandparent of the Year" essay contest is organized by local Retired Teacher Association units, who help secure local school participation, promote the activity and serve as local contest judges.

The grading period ended on March 10th. Report cards can be picked up at Parent Teacher Conferences on March 17th. The conferences will be from 3:00-5:30. Make plans now to attend. The 8th graders will be selling hot dogs with chips and drinks.

This Friday is spring picture day.

Remember to make a \$5 donation toward the 8th grade trip and receive a card for a free pair of shoes with the purchase of a pair of equal or greater value at The Shoebox in Mt. Vernon. See an 8th grader to make a do-

nation.

Congratulations to 6th grader Seth Lykinson being the district spelling bee champ. Seth will compete at the state spelling bee on March 21st.

The KONA Ice trucks will be here on Wednesday, March 18th. All proceeds benefit the 8th grade trip.

ESS has resumed. Students who need some extra help with their assignments can stay after school until 4:45. Transportation is provided. Art Club is available during this time as well.

Remember that we now

have drug testing kits free to all parents. The test is a saliva test and is very easy to give. This is a great resource for parents who have suspicions that their child may be using drugs. The kits are sponsored by Unite and can be picked up in our Youth Services Center.

A new Box Tops race began last week and will continue through April 30th. The team who collects the most box tops will win a pizza party. Congratulations to the Voyagers on bringing in the most Box Tops for the last race.

Minds in the Middle

**Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I
Civil Action No. 14-CI-00252**

Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc. Plaintiff

Adam Higgins, Leslie Higgins, and Commonwealth of Kentucky Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 23, 2015 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of FIFTY ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 24/100 (\$51,785.24) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Thursday, March 19, 2015
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

174 Bryant Ridge Road, Brodhead, KY 40409

Beginning at an orange stake at the North right of way of the Bryant Ridge Road, a new corner to John Baker, thence in an easterly direction with the meanders of the Bryant Ridge Road for a distance of 153 feet to an orange stake, a new corner to John Baker; thence in a northerly direction a new line with John Baker for a distance of 100 feet to an orange stake; thence in a westerly direction a new line with John Baker for a distance of 153 feet to an orange stake; thence in a southerly direction a new line with John Baker for a distance of 100 feet to the beginning orange stake, and having an area of 15,300 square feet.

The real property is improved with a 2006 Clayton Mobile Home, Serial No. CLA054626TNAB.

This being the same property conveyed to Leslie Higgins, married, by deed dated July 18, 2012, and recorded on July 17, 2012 in Deed Book 239, page 697 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. The real property and mobile home shall be sold together as a whole.
2. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
3. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
4. Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem taxes shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
5. The purchaser shall pay the 2015 local, county and state property taxes.
6. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
7. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
8. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
9. The successful bidder shall at bidder's own expense, carry fire and extended insurance coverage on any improvements from the date of sale until the purchase price is fully paid, to the extent of the court-appraised value of said improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less as a minimum, with a loss payable clause to the Master Commissioner of the Rockcastle Circuit Court.
10. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back line, restrictions or covenants or record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is."

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Clerk**

**Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I
Civil Action No. 13-CI-00071**

Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc. Plaintiff

Barbara Frith, et al Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on October 4, 2013 and order dated January 23, 2015 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of EIGHTY SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY THREE DOLLARS AND 66/100 (\$86,563.66) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Thursday, March 19, 2015
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

754 Union Chapel Road, Brodhead, KY 40409

Tract 1

A certain tract or parcel of land located on the north side of Union Chapel Road in Rockcastle County, Kentucky approximately 1.0 miles from the junction of KY 1505.

Being all of Tract 1 of a plat named Gary Frith project filed in Plat Cabinet 4, Slide 922 in the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office at Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

The above described having an area of 9.0000 acres as surveyed by Bobby Hudson, LPLS 1253, on 04/13/2009.

All corners or witness monuments referred to herein as iron pins set are one-half inch rebar 18 inches long and capped with an orange cap marked LS 1253, except as otherwise noted. All bearings are referenced to the meridian.

This property is subject to any and all rights of way and/or easements of record or in existence at this time and regulations that may apply through planning and zoning.

Also included herein is a 2009 Clayton 32 X 52 River Run Mobile Home with VIN#RSO.

This being a portion of the same property conveyed to Garry Frith by deed dated August 10, 1993, and recorded in Deed Book 153, page 302 and further conveyed to Joshua Frith, unmarried, by deed dated April 29, 2009 and recorded in Deed Book 226, Page 133 both in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. The real property and mobile home shall be sold together as a whole.
2. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
3. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
4. Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem taxes shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
5. The purchaser shall pay the 2013 and all subsequent local, county and state property taxes.
6. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
7. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
8. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
9. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back line, restrictions or covenants or record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is."

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Clerk**

Tiger Pause

Calendar

- March 9-12 - 4-H Sewing Project
- Wednesday, March 11 - Spring Pictures
- Friday, March 20 - NO SCHOOL CKEA
- Friday, March 27 - Brodhead Family Resource Advisory Cncl Mtg. @ 12:00
- Thursday, April 9 - Parent-Teacher Conferences 1:00-7:00
- Saturday, April 11 - Alumni Banquet
- Thursday, May 14 - Arts Night
- Tuesday, May 19 - NO SCHOOL Election Day

If you have a parent portal account and you are checking your child's attendance status, please note that you will now see "FT" on the days your child is attending a school sponsored field trip with their class. This does not count against their attendance. It is a requirement that we enter this information into Infinite Campus to document that a student was out of the building.

Please make plans now to meet with your child's teacher to discuss progress or concerns. Our conference is designed to meet your schedule. We begin conferences at 1:00 and end at 7:00. Teachers will send home more information.

Mt. Vernon Message

School News

March 16-March 19, we will be collecting Pennies for Patients. All proceeds go to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

The Jump Rope Club meets each Monday from 3:10 until 4:25

March 16-March 19 students who are signed up, will work on 4-H Sewing Projects from 3:15 until 5:00.

FRC Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 17 at 12:00.

Reading for Education Booklets go home Monday, March 16 and are to be returned on Tuesday, March 17.

There will be no school on Friday, March 20. Enjoy your three day weekend.

Scholarship helps high school students take dual credit classes

Kentucky high school juniors and seniors have until May 15 to apply for a scholarship to help pay for dual credit classes taken at a Kentucky college or university.

The Mary Jo Young Scholarship, named for a former member of the Board of Directors of the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA), provides assistance with tuition and textbook expenses for up to two classes each semester.

Scholarships can only be used in the fall and spring semesters.

To be considered, students must be in grades 11 or 12 during the 2015-2016 academic year. They must have at least an 18 ACT composite or earn at least a 2.5 GPA during the 2014-2015 academic year. Priority is given to students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch.

The application is available on www.kheaa.com. Students must apply through their www.kheaa.com account.

KHEAA is the state agency that administers the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES), need-based grants and other programs to help students pay their higher education expenses.

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.

CHURCH NEWS

Free Bible Courses

Free Bible Correspondence Course. Send your name and address to 3168 Quail Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky, 40456.

Let the Bible Speak

Tune in to "Let the Bible Speak" with Brett Hickey, on Sunday mornings at 8:30 a.m. on WDKY Fox 56.

Alpha Recovery

Conway Missionary Baptist Church is sponsoring an Alpha Recovery Program, "Everyone in life has to start out somewhere. This is place that you can have a new beginning in your recovery." The program is held each Friday night at 7 o'clock.

For more information, contact Jessica Johnson at 606-392-9440 or Ray Owens at 606-308-5593.

New Hope First Church of God

Revival

New Hope First Church of God, 5875 Hwy. 39 S, Crab Orchard will be in Revival through Sunday, March 15th.

Services are at 7 o'clock each evening. Sunday School at 10 a.m. and morn-

ing worship at 11 a.m. Evangelist is Chris Murphy, Bro. Robert Rice is pastor.

Please come and bring a friend. Everyone welcome.

Services at Union Baptist

Union Baptist Church at Red Hill is now having services every Thursday night at 7 o'clock and Sunday morning - Sunday School at 10 a.m., morning worship at 11 a.m.

Union Baptist Church invites everyone to come out and worship with us.

Gospel Singing

A Gospel Singing will be held at Lighthouse Baptist Church on Sat., March 14th, beginning at 6 p.m.

Featured singers will be The Smith Sisters from Drip Rock, Ky.

The church is located at 1391 Gabbardtown Road, Berea.

His Heart In Concert

His Heart Quartet will be in concert at Flat Rock Baptist Church on Sunday, March 15th at 6 p.m.

Flat Rock Baptist Church and Pastor Jack Stallworth welcome all.

"Patriots"

(Cont. from B1)

took one prisoner by the name Big Jim of Chota or Cherokee. I left him with some of the men and pursued others. They brought him to the Orchard and had killed him before I returned. He was killed by Michael Farris, a cowardly fellow who never would go on an expedition of any kind.

On 25 July 1789, Noakes Station was attacked by Indians. According to the Draper Manuscript (Vol. 12cc pg. 58-62), Indians attacked Noakes Settlement, entering the cabin door accidentally left unlatched by his sister Elizabeth (Noakes) Young. An Indian fired a shot which went through Elizabeth's arm, killing Benjamin. The Indians then scalped him and attempted to take Elizabeth, but her father heard the noise from his cabin next door and fired at the Indians, who then ran away. On page 201 July 1938 edition of the Kentucky Historical Society Register publication, William Whitley wrote: "25 July 1789-Benjamin Noakes was killed, one child killed and Elizabeth Noakes wounded. The Indians not defeated.

The unconfirmed children of George and Nancy were: Elizabeth Noakes (1792 Lincoln Co. KY) married Nathaniel Barton on 9 September 1813 Lincoln Co. KY. Thomas Noakes (1793 Lincoln Co. KY-1866 Breckinridge Co. KY) married Rebecca Sutton on 26 February 1811 Lincoln Co. KY. They had at least nine children: Rebecca, Nancy, Thomas, James, Sarah, George, Jefferson, Jonas and Abraham. Abigail Noakes (1793/94-After 1870 Putnam Co. IN) married Joel Stringer (1785-1850) on 27 February 1811 Lincoln Co. KY. They had thirteen children: William, George, Limeledge, Margaret, Thomas, Abram, Francis, James, Mary, Dieter, Susan, Eli and James. Margaret Peggy Noakes (17 January 1807 Lincoln Co. KY-Before 1850 Laurel Co. KY) married James R. Sutton (1790-4 December 1855 Laurel Co. KY) on 10 June 1816 Lincoln Co. KY. They had at least two children: Benjamin Noakes (25 February 1798 Lincoln Co. KY-12 April 1881 IN) mar-

ried Sarah Gill (1804-1881 IN). They are buried at the Swope Cemetery in Scott Co. IN. They had four children: Matilda, Nancy, Margaret and Arabella. Mary Polly Noakes (about 1801 Lincoln Co. KY) married James Beddon on 10 March 1821 Lincoln Co. KY. They had six children: James, Eliza, America, William, George and Lucinda. Nancy Noakes, Rachel Noakes (17 January 1807 Lincoln Co. KY-14 May 1863 Lincoln Co. KY) married Thomas Jefferson Graham (1807 Lincoln Co. KY-1878 Nebraska) on 16 December 1830 Lincoln Co. KY. TJ is buried at the Glenrock Cemetery in Glenrock, NE. They had twelve children: Nancy, Harvey, Joshua, Martha, Edward, Catharine, James, Lewis, George, Isaiah, Sarah and Harrison. Elihu Noakes (13 June 1804 Lincoln Co. KY-11 April 1878 Lincoln Co. KY) married Francis Kidd (1806-1843) on 5 January 1830 Lincoln Co. KY. They had two children: Elizabeth and Malissa. His second marriage was to Eunice Howard (1805-1863) on 18 September 1843 Lincoln Co. KY. They had seven children: King David, George, Polly, Lucy, Aaron, Martha and Nancy. His third marriage was to Sarah Elizabeth Parrish (1829-1914) on 9 November 1864 Lincoln Co. KY. They had five children: William, Margaret, Julia, John and Rebecca. Rebecca Noakes (12 May 1812 Lincoln Co. KY-8 February 1903 Henderson, IL) married William Delaney (1811-1907 IL) on 31 December 1832 Lincoln Co. KY. They are buried with most of their children at the Adair Cemetery in Henderson, IL. They had six children: Eliza, Martha, William Thomas, George, Nancy Jane and Mary Jane.

An encouraging word:

Unchanging Principles That Guide

By Howard Coop



As I sit at my desk, I see on the right corner an old inkwell with an antique quill pen in it that has been there for a long time. Then, behind my desk, there is a modern computer with spell-check that corrects my misspelled words and reminds me of grammatical errors I occasionally make. These writing instruments--a quill pen and a computer--are reminders that things do not stay the same. They change, for we live in a world of constant change. In this world, what is new today may be outdated, even useless, tomorrow. Marty Robins poignantly pointed out a basic truth about our world of change when he said, "Even when the air seems perfectly still great changes are talking place" without our noticing them.

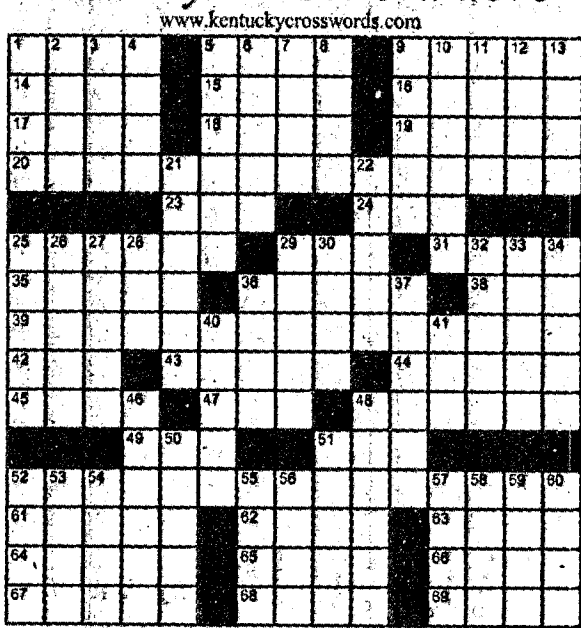
Although some rebel against change, change happens and we have to deal with it. Frederick Weisel, an American author and editor, wrote, "Sometimes, however much you plan, however many precautions you

take, something happens, and in a minute the world is changed. After that you're the person on the other side of that minute."

Change can be frightening, for the new intimidates. But if one doesn't accept it and move forward with it, one misses something, and that something can be important. A writer who calls herself C. JoyBell C., best known for her love of cake, said, "We can't be afraid of change. You may feel very secure in the pond that you are in, but if you never venture out of it, you will never know there is such a thing as an ocean, a sea. Holding on the something that is good for you now, may be the reason why you don't have something better."

On a Sunday afternoon in the early days of 1847, a Scottish poet named Henry F. Lyte, wrote, "Change...in all around I see." But there is something more. In an ever-changing world, there are unchanging principles that guide one and give stability to life.

Kentucky Crossword #673



- ACROSS
- Reach across
 - Dole (out)
 - Noodles
 - Ocean motion
 - Racer's path
 - According to
 - Concludes
 - Famed loch
 - Construction piece
 - Location of the state's 1st Congressional district
 - "...so fast!"
 - Musical gift
 - Louisville Theater
 - Toothed tool
 - "You might also like..." in texting
 - Manila hemp
 - Gives a hoot
 - "Now I see!"
 - Kentuckian with multiple 1960s hit songs
 - "...got it!"
 - Newspapers
 - NASCAR driver David
 - Lowly worker
 - Double standard?
 - Went boldly
 - German river
 - Chinese "way"
 - Kentucky's oldest continuous business of record
 - Modern letters
 - TV award since 1949
 - It has its ups and downs
- DOWN
- One-dish meal
 - Kentucky's first state park
 - Mountain
 - Contributes
 - It may be out on a limb
 - A Kentucky county that borders Tennessee
 - Media attraction
 - Something to do
 - "If all ___ fails..."
 - Peruvian seaport city
 - A central Kentucky college
 - Design detail
 - Deck material
 - Major employer
 - Blyouac
 - Staircase support
 - Bourbon Co.'s seat
 - Overhead
 - Surgical instrument
 - One in a suit
 - Final approval
 - Circle segments
 - Chutney fruit
33. Out in front
34. Martha ___ Collins
36. Kind of cut
37. Somewhat
40. Like craft shows
41. Sculler's need
48. Like UK's mascot
48. Kentuckian, TV journalist, Diane
50. Honeydew, e.g.
51. Adagio and allegro
52. Wiener schnitzel meat
53. Magazine contents
54. Animal shelter
55. Lyra's brightest star
56. Prayer leader
57. Studied
58. Memorization method
59. Handwoven rugs
60. Central part

SOLUTION TO KY672



Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

MARINATED VEGETABLE SALAD

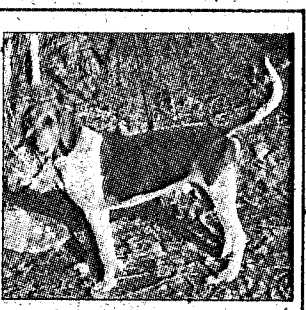
1/4 cup Equal Spoonful®
3/4 cup apple cider vinegar
1/2 cup vegetable oil
1 medium-sized green bell pepper, chopped
1 small sweet onion, chopped
3 ribs celery, sliced
1 can (15 ounce) small sweet peas, drained and rinsed
1 can (14 ounce) French cut green beans, drained and rinsed
1 can (11 ounce) white shoe peg corn, drained
1 jar (7 ounce) diced pimento, undrained
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon black pepper
Bring the first three ingredients to a boil in a small saucepan over medium heat; cook, stirring often, 5 minutes or until sweetener dissolves. Remove from heat; cool 30 minutes.
Stir together bell pepper and next 8 ingredients in a large bowl. Gently stir in dressing. Cover and chill up to 8 hours. Serve with a slotted spoon.

APRICOT JELLO SALAD
These next two recipes came from some dear friends that I graduated high school with: Gail Burton Ledford Keith, Brodhead High School class of 1970. Gail writes: This is an old favorite in my family. We eat it as a snack, salad, or dessert.

1 large box apricot jello
1 and 1/4 cups boiling water
2 teaspoons sugar
1 box (8 ounce) cream cheese
1 can crushed pineapple
1 can mandarin oranges

1 box Dream Whip®
In a large bowl, mix jello, water, and sugar; stir until jello is dissolved. Add cream cheese to hot jello mix and whip with an electric mixer. Cool until partially set. Add fruit and juices to mixture. Prepare Dream Whip® according to package directions. Fold into fruity mixture. Let set.

BROCOLI SALAD
Wanda Faye McClure Mahr, Brodhead High School class of 1970. This is Wanda Faye's favorite recipe. It has become one of my favorites also.
1 small head of broccoli, chopped
1 small head of cauliflower, chopped
2 tomatoes, diced
1 can black olives, halved
1/2 red onion, diced
1/4 cup sunflower seeds
6 slices bacon, cooked and crumbled
1/2 cup prepared ranch dressing
1/2 cup blue cheese dressing
Salt and pepper to taste
Combine the veggies; toss with both dressings. Add sunflower seeds and crumbled bacon. Salt and pepper to taste.



LOST: in the Three Links area of Rockcastle/Jackson Counties: two Walker hound dogs, belonging to a 13-year old boy who desperately wants them back. Both slipped their collars and are black, white, and brown colored. Reward offered for their return. Please call 606.965.3337.

OPERATION UNITE

Drug Tip Hotline
1-866-424-4382

Toll-free Treatment Help Line
1-866-90-UNITE

Chad's Hope Teen Challenge and Bible Baptist Church

welcome all to

Where Hope Begins Revival



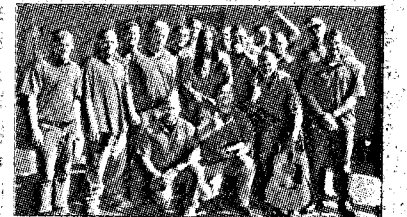
Director Wendell Carmack

Director of Chad's Hope, Wendell Carmack, will be preaching in each service with singing and testimonies from residents of Chad's Hope. Our hope is that God will use this revival to give hope to Moms and Dads, Husbands and Wives and to those addicted to drugs and alcohol.

There is HOPE in Jesus Christ!

Sunday, March 15th, 10am, 11am & 6pm

Mon. - Wed., March 16th - 18th • 7pm



Chad's Hope Residents

If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed

—John 8:36

Come and See, Come and Experience New Life in Jesus

Bible Baptist Church • 100 Higher Ground Rd. • Mt. Vernon • 256-5913

Celebrate Recovery class each Monday

A Celebrate Recovery class is being held each Monday, at the Community Outreach Center in Brodhead.

CR is a 12-step Christ-centered approach to recovery and offers a safe place to share and begin healing from all hurts and habits. There will be qualified leaders to sign court-ordered papers.

Please call 606-308-3368 for more information or questions.

Church Directory

Believers House of Prayer
156 Scenic View Lane
U.S. 25 N, left at 18 mile marker
Renfro Valley, Ky.
Sabbath School Sat. 10-11 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bill Davis
bhpp@gmail.com

Berea Gospel Tabernacle
231 US 25 South
Berea, KY
Tuesday Night 7 p.m.
Sunday Night 6 p.m.
Pastor: Ralph Chasteen

Bible Baptist Church
100 Higher Ground (off US 25)
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Church Phone 606-256-5913
e-mail: www.biblebaptist.org

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Brodhead Church of God
Hwy. 3245 • Brodhead
758-8216
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday evening 7 p.m.
Terry Orcutt, Pastor

Brush Creek Holiness Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
Lonnice R. McGuire, Pastor

Buffalo Baptist Church
Located 15 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd.)
606-256-4988
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:15 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Tim Owens, Pastor

Calloway Baptist Church
76 Calloway Branch Rd. (Off US 25) • Calloway
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.
George Renner, Pastor
606-224-4641

Central Baptist Church
86 Maintenance Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
606-256-2988
centralbaptistky.org
Pastor: Mark Eaton

Fairview Baptist Church
520 Fairview Loop Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday Services
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Sunday Adult Choir 8 p.m.
Wednesday Services
Creative Ministry 6 p.m.
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Ministry QWEST 7 p.m.
RA's and GAs 7 p.m.
Mission Friends 6 p.m.
Vaughn Raser, Pastor
606-256-3722
email: fairviewbapt@aol.com

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

First Baptist Church
340 West Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-2922
Neal Thornton, Pastor
Jesse Wright,
Assoc. Pastor/Youth
website: www.fbcmvky.org
email: fbcmvmon@newwave.net

Church of Christ on Fairground Hill
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
Different speaker each Sunday

Climax Christian Church
Hwy. 1912
308-2806 - 256-4138 - 256-5977
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Terry Thornton, Minister

Climax Holiness Church
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.
Thursday Nights 7 p.m.
3rd Sat. of every month at 7 p.m.

Conway Missionary Baptist
116 Meadow Lark Lane
Berea, KY 40403

Crab Orchard Pentecostal
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tuesday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Donald King
606-355-7595

Crossroads Assembly of God
Hwy. 150 • Brodhead
Bro. Steven Vanhook, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Dixie Park Cornerstone
700 N. Powell St. Berea, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Joe Vanwinkle, Pastor

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Conway Missionary Baptist
116 Meadow Lark Lane
Berea, KY 40403

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

Little Country Church
Jarber Rd.
Turn left off Rev. Green Loop onto Jarber Rd.
Jack Weaver, Pastor
Sunday 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Livingston Baptist
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Adult Classes Available
Worship Service 11 a.m.

Livingston Christian Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Arthur Hunt, Minister
Livingston Pentecostal
Holiness Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

Maple Grove Baptist
Hwy. 1004 (Big Cave Road)
Orlando, Ky. • 606-256-1873
Bro. Jerry Owens, Pastor
Home Phone 606-256-3075
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
WRVK Broadcast 2 p.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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

McNew Chapel Baptist
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Bobby Owens, Pastor
859-986-1317

Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene
40 Fair Street • Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
David Smith, Pastor
606-308-3293

Mt. Zion Baptist Church
606-308-3293
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5 p.m.

New Hope Baptist Church
Jct. 1797 New Hope Tower Rd.
Orlando
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Bro. David Carpenter, Pastor
Northside Baptist Church
777 Faith Mountain Rd.
(Off 461 by pass) Mt. Vernon
606-256-5577

Ottawa Baptist Church
1074 Ottawa Rd. • Brodhead
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 11 a.m.
Sunday Discipleship Training/Youth Mission Groups 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services
Youth Choir 6 p.m.
Children's & Youth Bible Study 6:45 p.m. • Service 7 p.m.
Jim Craig, Pastor • 758-8453
ottawabaptist@windstream.net

Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Catholic Church
515 Williams St (across from MVES)
Mount Vernon, Ky.
606-256-4170
Mass Times:
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.
Sabbath Mass: Sat., 5 p.m.
Holy Days 5 p.m.
Fr. Michael Flanagan, Pastor
Sister Joyce Moeller,
Pastoral Associate
Jack Lawless, Groundskeeper
Tom Darst, Maintenance

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

Pine Hill Holiness
5216 S. Wilderness Rd.
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Randy Christian, Pastor
256-5955
www.pinehillholiness.com

Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church
81 Limeplant Hollow Road
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Bro. Clyde Miller, Pastor
859-986-1579

Pleasant Run Missionary Baptist
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5 p.m.
1st Sunday in Month Church at 2 p.m. at Rockcastle
Respiratory Care
Bro. Gary Bowling, Pastor

Poplar Grove Baptist
145 Richards Rd. • Brodhead
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Providence church of Christ
1 mile off Hwy. 70 on Hwy. 618
Dan McKibben, Minister
758-8524 or 758-9316
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
email: dan.mckibben@juno.com
www.WhatSaiithTheScriptures.com

Roundstone Baptist
Jason Brown, Pastor
606-308-1272
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Sand Hill Baptist Church
Sand Hill Rd.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 5:00 p.m.
Thursday Night 6 p.m.
Pastor Tommy Miller

Sand Springs Baptist
Directions: Take Hwy 1249, go exactly 5 miles, church on right
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.
Pastor:
Bro. Eugene Gentry

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

Union Chapel Pentecostal
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Brodhead, Ky.
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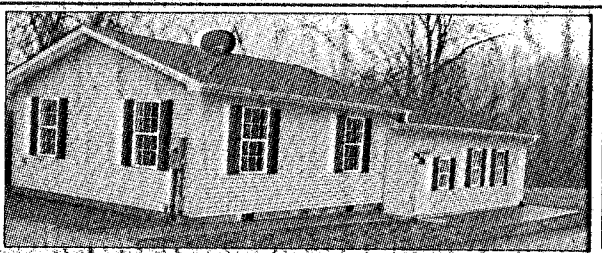
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