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President coming to Kentucky on Monday

United States President Bill Clinton is probably coming to Kentucky over the fourth of July weekend.

While the Whitehouse will not confirm that the President will be in Southeastern Kentucky on Monday, many people are getting up for his arrival as members of his advance team are in the area, making preparations.

From all indications, the President will land in Lexington Monday, and then fly by helicopter to Rockcastle County where he will visit Mid-South Electronics in Annville.

The President then may or may not go on to McFee for a stop at the high school or the courthouse.

The President then may travel on to Hazard in Perry County. The White House advance team was there on Wednesday.

President Clinton is apparently coming to Kentucky to see the benefit of the federal empowerment zone program, which dumped millions and millions of dollars into three Kentucky counties, including Jackson County.

President Clinton will also likely discuss his program "New Market Initiative", which encourages businesses to locate in poor areas of the nation.

Marijuana found in traffic stop

A Covington man was arrested Sunday night after police found two pounds of marijuana in his vehicle.

According to Sgt. Steve Walker of the Kentucky State Police Post in London, David Didonato, 29, was initially charged with driving under the influence of drugs, by Trooper Lafe Owens and members of the Mt. Vernon City Police department, during a road check at the junction of U.S. 25 and Hummel Road in Renfro Valley.

Walker said that when officer's searched Didonato's vehicle they found the marijuana.

Didonato was originally held in the Boyle County Detention Center before he posted a 10 percent \$5,000 cash bond or \$500, on Wednesday.

Commonwealth Attorney's office receives \$41,000

State and federal officials continue to "dive up" the proceeds of a October 1997 raid at the residence of Gary Rogers, 41 and his mother Estell Rogers, 76, of Flatwoods School Road, near Bee Lick.

Acting Commonwealth Attorney Eddy F. Montgomery announced Tuesday that his office had received the \$41,150 in forfeiture money from the United States' Attorney's Office in Lexington.

According to Montgomery the money was part of over \$200,000 cash seized from the Rogers' residence during the police raid.

Both Rogers were indicted by a Lincoln County Grand Jury on October 24, 1997, for the offense of cultivating marijuana over five plants and

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\$6,150 raised in WHAS Crusade

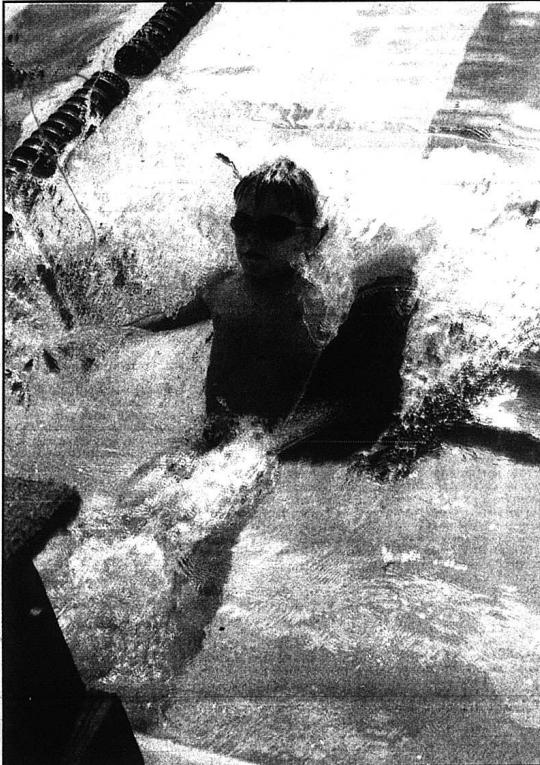
The Rockcastle County WHAS Crusade for Children Fund Raiser for 1999 was another huge success.

Prior to and during the memorial day weekend, local volunteers raised more than \$6,150.

Local supervisor, Linda Gregory, said that besides the money collected at the road block at Hwy. 461 and Hwy. 150, \$1,700 was also donated by local businesses.

Since the fund raising event began in 1991 the county has received \$92,000 from the WHAS office in Louisville for various projects.

"It is a type of matching grant, but



Seven-year-old Ian Bullock takes off on the backstroke during Tuesday night's swim meet at Cedar Rapids. The Dolphins won their fifth straight meet of the season and only have to beat Knox County for a perfect record. The swim conference will also be held at Cedar Rapids this year on August 7th and 8th.

Judge Venters does not release Lovell on bond

By: Richard Anderkin

Acting Commonwealth's Lovell remained in jail this week, after a hearing in the case last Thursday.

Rockcastle Circuit Judge Dan Venters issued an order on Wednesday ruling that Lovell should not be released from bond, although he and his parents brought \$50,000 cash to the Rockcastle Circuit Clerk's office on April 12.

Lovell, 33, and his wife Barbara, 25, were indicted on March 12, for the murder of Charles "Toddy" Baker, 32, of Mt. Vernon, who was shot to death. Baker had been missing since May 1, 1997.

The day that David Lovell and his parents attempted to post the \$50,000 cash bond, an agent with the Federal Drug Enforcement Agency, seized the money. The agent told the Lovell's the government had reason to believe the money was generated through the sale of illegal drugs.

Venters ruled that because the bond was never completed and because Clerk Teresa Vanzant did not actually accept the money, the bond was not posted and Lovell cannot be

released from jail.

Judge Venters did agree to change the requirements of both the Lovell's bond from a cash bond to a property bond.

Venters ruled that they could post another \$50,000 cash bond or a

reduced property bond each and be released while proceedings in the case continue.

As part of the bond agreement the Lovells cannot travel outside Rockcastle County and can have no

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Burnside man arrested

A Burnside man was arrested on Tuesday and charged with illegal transportation of alcohol in a dry territory.

According to a news release from the Kentucky State Police, Roy E. Ashcraft, 59, of Burnside was stopped by Kentucky State Trooper John Yates, who noticed that Ashcraft's

Patriot Day

Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene, 40 Fair Street, will host "Patriot Day" on July 4th. Sunday School at 10 a.m., Morning Worship at 11 a.m. Everyone who comes will receive a flag, a flag key chain, and a brochure explaining our Founding Father's position concerning the phrase "separation of church and state". Do you know that the statement "separation of church and state" is not in our Constitution or Bill of Rights?

Two teachers hired at RCMS

Two new teachers were hired at the Rockcastle County Middle School during the last meeting of the site based council there last week.

Karen Powell was hired as a language arts teacher and Scott Parkey was hired to teach social studies.

The council also designated August 5, as orientation day for grades 6, 7, and 8. The orientation will be held from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

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tags had expired on the 1982 Dodge van he was driving along Hwy. 461.

When Yates stopped the van, he found 35 cases of beer and four fifths of whiskey inside the van.

Besides being charged with illegal transportation, Ashcraft was charged with expired plates, no registration receipt, no insurance and failing to wear a seat belt.

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Integrity Mold and Die has reached an agreement to locate its Berea company in the Rockcastle Industrial Park #1. They will take up the last acreage in the park.

New company to relocate in Rockcastle

By: Richard Anderkin

Another employer is apparently headed to Rockcastle County. Big Tower, Executive Director of the Rockcastle Development Board told the Rockcastle Fiscal Court on Tuesday that Integrity Mold and Die, Inc. of Berea would be relocating in Rockcastle County.

Towery said he wasn't sure when the company would be in operation, but officials had reached agreement with Integrity Mold and Die to locate in the current industrial park.

Third district magistrate Bill McKinney said that he had talked to some of the employees that currently work at Integrity in Berea and they told him they hoped to be in the park by the first of the year.

The company will locate next to the current building that houses Rockcastle County Home Health Agency and Hospice and will take the last available space in the Industrial Park number one.

Integrity Mold and Die will be the third tool maker to locate in the county in the past year or so, following B & H Toolworks and EST Tool and Machine.

Towery's comments came during an annual report the fiscal court concerning the first year's efforts of the Rockcastle County Development Board.

The board was formed last year as a spin-off of the Rockcastle County Industrial Authority in an effort to attract new industry and businesses to the county.

Members of the Industrial Authority were joined by other members of the community to form a

member board and Towery was appointed Executive Director. Local attorney John Clontz is chairman of the industrial authority.

Since the establishment of the board, members have met with Governor Paul Patton, U.S. Representative Harold Rogers and several members of the state's economic development cabinet.

Towery told the court that for economic development to happen in Rockcastle County everyone must work as a team and show a united front.

Towery said that the development board had made a long term commitment to it and was in the process of developing a long term plan of action that involved the entire county.

Towery also told the court that the development board, along with the court's help had made tremendous progress in improving Rockcastle Industrial Park number two, which is located off Old Hwy. 461, near Mt. Vernon.

"Included in the process have been landscaping, a new sign and regular mowing and efforts will continue to make the park show well and impress any potential clients," Towery said.

Towery told the court that often times potential employers will call and want to come see the park and the county the very same day.

You have to be ready, when they (Cont. to A7)

Library board votes not to run Centernet

A somewhat disgruntled John Clontz told the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court on Tuesday that the Rockcastle County Development Board was very disappointed in the fact that the Rockcastle County Library board had voted not to be the governing body for a project that would bring video conferencing to the county.

The Centernet project would enable companies, schools, doctors, lawyers, or anyone to hold meetings or attend conferences with other people all around the world.

Clontz told the court that the project was being funded and administered by the Center for Rural Development in Somerset and that forty counties in southern and eastern Kentucky would probably participate before it is finished.

There of course has to be a place to house the Centernet center and Judge Carlots told Clontz that the library was by far the best place.

Clontz said that some development board members had already begun raising funds to construct an extra room at the library, but that the library board's vote had put a snag in the project.

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Points East

By:
Mike Adams

Over the last couple of years there's been much moaning and groaning in northern Garrard and Southern Jessamine County about their horrible isolation from the rest of the world.

You see, these horribly deprived individuals live on a four lane or improved two lane road where the speed limit is only 55 miles per hour. It's a virtually curveless road, but between Nicholasville and Lexington somebody had the audacity to install half a dozen traffic lights at various intersections.

Once you get to the outskirts of Lexington you have to take another four lane, again with speed limits and traffic lights to get over to I-75. Depending on where you live in Garrard County it's a trip than can sometimes take over thirty minutes. But if you listen to the griping and moaning of a few well-heeled political supporters and the puppets they send to Frankfort, you'd think they live at the bottom of a deep dark canyon and the only way out is a path up the side of a cliff.

The only thing they maintain is a much direct route to I-75 so they've been putting pressure on Patton and Pals to do just that. Fortunately, however, up until just recently common sense has prevailed. Common sense being held by landown-

ers and rural citizens who love their way of life and who also have enough money to hire some lawyers.

But a politician never saw a road he didn't like and as a result, the desperately needed I-75 connector has moved to Southern Garrard County and suddenly we've got a handful of folks in Lancaster and Lexington who can't live without it. And, of course we've got a few politicians who see all that bacon and they can't wait to get it in the frying pan.

Granted, Highway 52 has a few miles that need straightening out for safety, but we've already got that funded and approved and construction scheduled in commence and so forth. There are also a few places on 1295 between Lancaster and Richmond that could use a little widening and straightening, also for safety reasons.

Unfortunately there are also some absent and owned landowners who recognize that their property might be worth considerably more if a new 50 million dollar road were built instead of taking the common sense approach.

To make a long story short, the peaches and cream crowd from the Kentucky Department of Transportation and their hired bull-murder spreaders called a public meeting at Chapter 20.

Getting used to my new home back in 1937 was a challenge but there were also many trials attached to finding the right place for all my belongings and how to handle the chores attached to making a brand new place livable and comfortable. Luckily we had a bedroom suite that had plenty of drawers for there was no closets to hand things up in. There was also no doors as yet to close off the rooms for privacy. Mat did not believe in nails being driven into the walls but at my insistence a few were driven in obscure places to hand a few of the heaviest garments on. All others were folded and placed in the drawers. Between the living room and kitchen a small cupboard with shelves was built which was soon filled with linens and on the bottom shelf was Judy's diapers. In the kitchen next to the stove several big deep shelves were installed to take care of the pots and pans, groceries, canisters and any other things associ-

ated with the work in the kitchen that I could crowd in. These two cupboards filled the space on each side of the doorway that divided the living room and kitchen and that room only built in storage area in the house.

In desperation for a place for my treasured glass dishes, many of which were fancy wedding gifts, I used one of the two big antique book cases. The glass doors, which could be locked but seldom was, protected the dishes from dirt or careless hands. It was used as a divider between the dining area and storage area. An oak kitchen cabinet took up a little more valuable space but was sorely needed for the purpose of which it was built. It held flour, sugar, meal, breadboard and rolling pin, plus the two shelves for every day dishes. This had to be placed in the dining room since the kitchen was too small for it.

Beneath the kitchen window a metal topped table was placed to hold the water bucket and wash pan. A full white skirt with trimming that matched the curtains was fastened around the table. This was my hiding place when I would be scared by strange noises late at night before Mat would get home from town. I would put a lighted lamp, the rifle, and Judy beneath the table and crawl under the curtain so the light couldn't be seen from outside and wait for the sound of his truck's rear wheel before I'd draw a sigh of relief, unfold my legs, set the lamp and wash pan on the side of the curtained cubby-hole, arouse the baby and crawl back out in time to meet him when he came in.

For several years I was desperately afraid of strange noises when I was alone. I had heard so much about the violence in the area, and knew some of it was still going on my life became a torture when Mat was gone till after dark. Then, I took control of my fears and with the protection of my dog and rifle put them away till some future time when they be needed.

The taking care of fresh milk each morning and night was chore I had not been accustomed to so room had to be found for milk bucket, gallon jars to store it in, and a handy place to do the straining took any stray bits of hair or foreign material that may have fallen into it. And oh yes, it was clean. Then it was taken to the spring to be cooled. There is nothing better

than fresh milk cooled in a spring. Or buttermilk made from it when it was a few days old. More about churning later.

Beside the cook stove was a wood box which held coal as well as cut wood, and a bucket for ashes. Oh yes, it was a crowded room. I managed to do a lot of cooking in it. The living room was just as crowded with my antique piano and Mat's other book case taking up most of the space and the heating stove taking up the center of the floor. Yet we found room for a couple of chairs and at various times a couch or half bed, a table to set the radio on and room for visitors for the welcome mat was always out.

I always thought our bedroom was the nicest of all. It was the biggest and I tried to arrange our five piece bedroom set and Judy's big bed just as she showed up to it's best advantage.

All the floors in the house as well as the ceiling were made of pine. The floors would later be covered with hard wood and the ceiling varnished. But for now sweeping the wide pine boards was all that was needed to freshen it up. Of course the kitchen had to be cleaned with soap and water and occasionally the living room when I could catch Mat away long enough to do it. He never approved of getting a wood floor wet. But what else could I do with the dirt carried in from the barn and fields? I survived.

When we moved into the house in the fall of 37 Judy was crawling and exploring everything she could find. One day when she had been quite for awhile I found her in the

bedroom kissing and patting the face of the baby that grinded him from the full length mirror of the vanity. On the bottom shelf of the vanity I kept my makeup supply and she had found the powder and her curious baby fingers had quickly learned how to open it and experiment with it so I had to stop her. There wasn't much wasted but it was time for lesson number one in training a child what it can and cannot do. I scolded enough till she knew I was

unhappy then explained it was not to happen again. She was a dear baby and seemed to understand what I was telling her. It was not put up out of her reach and she never bothered it again even though that was her favorite place to play with "the baby."

One of Mat's workdays was interrupted by occasionally and while there would play with Judy till she became attached to him enough so when he came in she would crawl up to him and reach up, knowing he would pick her up. Then he would stand her on the floor close to his legs and say in his funny voice, "Come on now lets walk a little bit." We had also been doing the same thing but I think he had more influence than we did for one day after one of these visits I heard a faint tap on the floor close to where I was working in the kitchen and he'd come up to see my baby tottering there.

Then she plumped down but got

back up immediately and never again did I find her crawling. Now she had a real world to explore. One that could be reached by tiptoeing and tugging at pretty things beyond her reach before. And she quickly learned where her diapers were and would go to the bottom shelf where they were stored, get one and take it to me when she needed a change. In the evenings she and I would sit on the front step and watch the stars and moon light up the sky. Even though she was only a baby it was at this time in life Mat and I were looking for the constellations. He was an avid believer in it was never to early to begin filling the mind of a child with worthwhile things.

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Obituaries

Lela Cummins

Lela J. Cummins, 85, of Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, died Monday, June 21, 1999 at the Berea Health Care Center. She was born in Rockcastle County on July 24, 1913, the daughter of the late Will Black and Pearlie Alcorn Black. She was the widow of Johnnie Cummins.

Survivors are one son, Ernest Cummins of Covington; two daughters, Etheline Saylor and husband, Roy of Tennessee and Ellen Witt and husband, Hewitt of Mt. Vernon; two sisters, Nannie Anderson of Richmond, Indiana and Effie Miller of New Paris, Ohio and several grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Grocery service and burial were Wednesday, June 30, at the Mearnsburg Cemetery with Bro. Eddie Hammond officiating.

Dowell and Martin was in charge of arrangements.



James Beasley

James Beasley, 53, of Hustonville Street in Stanford, died Friday, June 25, 1999 at his residence. He was born March 1, 1946, in Crab Orchard, the son of John and Agnes Gibbons Beasley. He was a roofer and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Jean Humphreys Beasley; three sons, Donald Beasley of Stanford, James Beasley and wife, Kyle of Allentown, Pennsylvania and Jason Beasley of Stanford; one daughter, Corina Nadeau and husband, Rob of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; one brother, Fox Edward Beasley of Lexington; one sister, Inez Young of Avon Park, Florida and six grandchildren.

Graveside services and burial were Wednesday, June 30 at the Wyn Cemetery.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Raymond Humphreys, Donald Beasley, James Beasley and Jason Beasley.

Bernard Ratliff

Bernard Dean Ratliff, 51, of Berea, died Monday, June 21, 1999 at the Pattie A. Clay Hospital in Richmond. He was an officer of the Commonwealth of Kentucky Division of Fish and Wildlife as a Water Patrol Officer, a former officer with the Richmond Police Department, a graduate from Eastern Kentucky University with a degree in Law Enforcement, a veteran of Vietnam serving in Korea and Thailand and a also in Desert Storm. He was a member of the Richmond Church of Christ.

Grocery service and burial were Wednesday, June 30, at the Mearnsburg Cemetery with Bro. Eddie Hammond officiating.

Dowell and Martin was in charge of arrangements.

Mary Wilson

Mary Ross Wilson, 74, of Cincinnati, Ohio died Saturday, June 26, 1999 at the Bethesda North Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio after a brief illness. She was born April 2, 1925, in Sand Springs, the daughter of the late Rachel Cromer Price and Grove Price. She was a homemaker and a member of the Lockland Church of Christ.

Survivors are one son, Don Wilson and his wife, Joy of Cincinnati; one daughter, Brenda Allen of Cincinnati; one sister, Martha Beatty of Cincinnati and three grandchildren, Megan, Jennifer and Michael. She predeceased in death by her husband, Clemon Wilson and two brothers, Cossie Price and Joe Price.

Services were Tuesday, June 29 at the Marvin E. Owens Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Calvin Schlachbach officiating. Burial was in the Providence Church of Christ Cemetery.

Cards of Thanks

Ollie Sowder

The family of Ollie Sowder wishes to express our thanks and appreciation to all those who remembered us in our time of sorrow. Whether you sent flowers, food or just remembered us in your thoughts. We wish to thank the Bank City Memorial Home, Bro. Buford Parkinson, and Sylvia Mason for all their help.

The children

Louise Gabbard and

Elizabeth Howard

Cheryl Perry

The family of Cheryl J. Kirby Chastain Perry wishes to thank the minister Rev. Ida Dean of Berea, all

family and friends for the kindness shown during the loss of our loved one.

Mom and family Charles Shivel

The family of Charles Shivel would like to thank and express our appreciation to everyone that prayed a prayer or showed any act of kindness and help in helping us way during the loss of our loved one. We will not try to mention names, we might fail to think of everyone, but you know who you are and again many, many thanks to all.

Ekie, Charles, Jr., Jane, David and John Shivel

In Loving Memories

In Memory of My Beloved Mother,

Alene S. Harper

On Her Birthday, June 30

I remember, when you called things chick. I use to act, if it made me sick. And country music, I use to hate. But loving it now especially my fate. In my memories, I can see, your face though demanding, was always kind and understanding. Whenever I happen To soar of fall, You stood beside me, Through it all. You understand, All I tried to do. I never had to, lie to you. I could do, anything. We had good times, All life could bring, Though time does pass,

My memories shall last.

"Mother Always knows best (most of the time)."

Is both present and past.

Mother,

The best of my memories,

Are of the days,

We turned to Jesus,

And were saved.

Into God's hands,

Our souls were laid.

On May 8th '98, You left this world,

for a better place.

One sweet day,

With the Lord and you,

I'll rise up the sky,

And we'll never,

Have to say goodbye.

I love you Mother,

I always will.

This poem with love,

I've tried to fill,

On this very special day,

I wish you a Happy Birthday.

With love always,

Janie Dale

In Memory

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Cemetery Notices

Red Hill Cemetery

It is time for mowing and cleaning the Red Hill Cemetery. This will be taken care of by Marie Ruppe again this year. Anyone interested in helping in any way, it will be appreciated. Thank you. Marie Ruppe, RT 2 Box 325, Livingston, KY 40445. 433-3875.

Johnetta Cemetery Note

Your donations are needed for the maintenance and upkeep of the Johnetta Cemetery. You may contribute to Harold Ballinger, 507 Three Links Road, McKeith, KY 40447 or you may make them at BMV in Mt. Vernon. Memorial service will be May 30, 1999.

Piney Grove Cemetery

Effective May 27 at dusk the Piney Grove Cemetery gates in Brodhead will be locked at dusk and opened by dawn each day. For mowing purposes all flower arrangements and decorations on the ground at Piney Grove Cemetery shall be removed by Monday, June 14th.

High Dry Cemetery

Donations for the upkeep of High Dry Cemetery are once again being accepted. Please send donations to: High Dry Cemetery, c/o Jonell Phelps, RR 1 Box 327-A, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. Each and every donation is greatly appreciated.

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The Top Ten Reasons to stay in Rockcastle County for your healthcare.



Orson L. Arvin, M.D.
Dr. Arvin was born in Louisville and received his degree from the University of Kentucky to practice family medicine.

"I began my career in medicine 25 years ago here at Rockcastle Hospital because I felt I would offer a good service to the community."

Alan D. Graham, M.D.
Dr. Graham, originally from Lowell, Michigan, graduated from Jefferson Medical College.

His practice is general surgery.

"The new clinic is the best I've worked in and is a model of the 21st century."

George W. Griffith, M.D., F.A.A.F.P.
With a degree from the University of Louisville Dr. Griffith chose to return to his hometown to practice family medicine.

"Rockcastle County is a great place to live because you can receive the benefits of a small town and yet you're close to a big city."

Kimberly Cornelius, M.D.
A Rockcastle County native, Dr. Cornelius is the Medical Director of the hospital. She received her degree from the University of Louisville. Her specialty is pediatrics.

"I love the personal touch and dedication the staff give to the patients. We treat them like family."

William P. McElwain, M.D.
Dr. McElwain lives in Mt. Vernon and received his degree from the University of Louisville to practice preventive and family medicine.

"Rockcastle Hospital provides quality medical care with a small-town community atmosphere."

James M. Stern, M.D.
Dr. Stern originally from London, graduated from Jefferson Medical College. His practice is general surgery.

"I enjoy the cooperative spirit here among very capable personnel."

William Don Dooley, M.D.
Dr. Dooley was born in Middleboro, Ohio and received his degree from the University of Cincinnati of practice radiology.

"I practically grew up in Rockcastle County. My grandmother owned a store in Clinton."

Michael David Hamilton, M.D.
A Mt. Vernon native, Dr. Hamilton practices family medicine. He received his degree from the University of Cincinnati of practice radiology.

"I chose Rockcastle Hospital because I saw a need I could fill for the community, and also because this is home for my wife and me."

Tony Arvin, M.D.
With a degree from the University of Kentucky, Dr. Arvin returned to his hometown to continue his father's practice of family medicine.

"I'm looking forward to continuing the tradition of high-quality care to the community of Rockcastle County."

Karen B. Saylor, M.D.
Dr. Saylor, originally from Mt. Vernon, graduated from the University of Kentucky. She specializes in pediatrics and internal medicine.

"I've always wanted to serve people in the area where I grew up."

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90th Birthday Celebration

Mrs. Arthie Kirby will celebrate her 90th birthday July 3rd. All family and friends are welcome to come and join in the celebration Sunday from 2 to ?



Births & Birthdays



Christopher and Amanda Collins are proud to announce the birth of their son, Jacob Lee Collins. Jacob was born April 17, 1999 at Fort Logan in Stanford. He weighed 8 lbs., 3 ozs. and was 21 in. long. Jacob was welcomed home by his 2 1/2 year old sister, Cassidy Christina Collins. Paternal grandparents are Lee and Barbara Collins of Mt. Vernon. Maternal grandparents are Tom and Nadine Clark. Great grandparents are Joe and Maudie Clark, all of Livingston.



Shane Jones, son of Rodney and Jonimae Jones of Mt. Vernon, says "thanks" to friends and family for a great 9th birthday, June 15th.



William Andrew Daugherty celebrated his first birthday on May 28, 1999. His daddy and mommy are John and Loretta Daugherty of Mt. Vernon. Grandparents are Burgess and Barbara Daugherty of Livingston, and the late Jim Dillingham of Mt. Vernon. Great grandmothers Delta Allen, Opal Robinson, Irene Dillingham, and the late Elizabeth Roberts. A special "thank you" to his family and friends for the nice gifts he received.



Hi, I'm Johnathan James Nickola Payne (Jay Jay) and I celebrated my fourth birthday on May 23rd. I celebrated my birthday with a "Scooby-Doo" birthday party and cookout at my Mamme's and Papaw Bullock's house. My mommy and daddy are James and Joy Payne. My big tissy is Audrey Nicole Lovins, all of Ottawa. My Mamme and Papaw are John and Sue Bullock. Fay Payne and the late Clyde Payne were all of Mt. Vernon. I would like to thank everyone who helped me celebrate my fourth birthday and for all the nice gifts I received.

Fairview News

By Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

Hello everyone.
Hope you are well and happy.
First of all I want to thank God for the good rain that we have received. It has been so dry for quite a while, but the gardens and crops are doing very well. And it has been a real good hay season. If we could only get God to stop raining, because I'm tired of complaining about what we don't have, we would be better off. And as we all know God blesses us more than we deserve. So let's try to be thankful K.O.T.

Rev. Kalen Conner of Berea is still filling in as our pastor at Fairview. He is doing a good job and I appreciate him. We thank God so much for him. Bless his heart and Mrs. Conner are such good Christian people.

Our attempt to go on vacation the weekend of 13th and 14th canceled Sunday School. Thank the good Lord.

We hope and pray that all you sick folks are feeling much better. Just keep hoping and trusting in God. He is able and willing to do all things.

The Reppert Reunion held in Berea, Sunday, June 13 was enjoyed so much. More on this event will come later.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Alexander and son, Cody of Marechburg have returned home from a nice vacation in Tennessee.

Classified Deadline is Noon Tuesday

Library News

By Carol Jones

If you are like most of us in today's demanding world, you are probably flitting back and forth at a sometimes frantic pace trying to keep all your many errands, jobs and responsibilities under control and yet seemingly accomplishing little despite the time allotted to this endeavor. In our quieter moments, however, when we have a minute or two to stop and reflect on our daily movements, the majority of us can probably admit that we often take time for granted and let too much of it pass us by in our haste to achieve a modicum of success in our day.

This is a fast-paced world that we live in, and few of us can afford to sit idly by and ignore our responsibilities. But there's no reason why we can't attempt to pace ourselves somewhat and organize our activities so that we can enjoy the free time we do have. Perhaps I'm old-fashioned, but I still believe in the old adage to "stop and smell the roses."

Consequently, there is no better place, other than your home, than a library to spend quality time. Many of you have learned this over the years, and we at Rockcastle County Public Library see lots of familiar faces on a regular basis. For those of you who do not visit us, however, we especially invite you to come in and look around, ask us questions, see for yourselves the many wonderful things a library offers that can enhance the quality of your lives.

Apart from the magic of books themselves, the collection represents a whole world of our surroundings. We have one particular gentleman patron who knew nothing about computers before he started coming to the library. Now, after spending several hours per week working with the computer he has become quite confident with the knowledge he has acquired.

Pearlie, Lynda and I will surely need the continued computer training classes we are required to take occasionally to keep up with motivated individuals such as this gentleman.

No one appreciates more than I do the miracle of computer technology, and how important it is in today's world! Despite the endless, mind boggling capabilities of computer technology, however, I sincerely hope it never takes the place of books. There is a particular gratification one feels when perusing a book that can be attained through no other medium. Books can be and are life-filled: aesthetic, informative, entertaining and relaxing. They induce in their reader a plethora of emotions, the most heartfelt being sadness and deepest anger to the ultimate extreme of joy. There has never been nor ever will be anything to compare with the personal fulfillment of reading a good book.

Let reading become your way of "smelling the roses" if you have another relaxation outlet. You'll find that you will become not only better educated, but more relaxed and rounded, and definitely a more interesting person.

More and more, it has been and continues to be a busy summer for those of us who work at the library. The Summer Reading Program closes on July 15th but will culminate with the long-anticipated Artfest for the children between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. on the same evening. I'm sure the children will enjoy the many activities and prizes in store for them. Please continue to bring your children to the library after the Summer Reading Program has ended. Lynda will undoubtedly be there to welcome the exciting person.

Also, I would like to thank all those who have donated books to the library over the years. These not only supplement the books on our shelves, but can be added to our FREE BOOK GIVEAWAY box if we have duplicates. Nonetheless, we would like to ask that if you donate books, please bring only books that are in good condition and up-to-date. Textbooks that are extremely out-of-date are not of great value and we have difficulty displaying them. Also, books that have been stored in damp places for many years are often moldy and brittle. We cannot use those. Thanks to all of you for your generosity.

Visitors in our home Monday, June 14th were Myrtle Wilson of Berea and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pogorelc of New London, Ohio. I enjoyed seeing my sisters and spending time with them. I also only have three sisters Ruth, Myrtle and Dorothy and I love them so much.

Myrtle, Dorothy and Bob also visited our brother, Tip Reppert of Scafford, Cane.

Devotional was read by Betty Lou Whittaker.

Each member answered the roll call by naming their favorite spring flower.

Please remember Church and Sunday School and pray for one another. God bless you.

Directions for Magnolia Blossom, Painting the Shirt and Indian Corn Pin were distributed.

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Agricultural News

By Warden Alexander,
FSA Director

TOBACCO LEASING DEAD-LINE IS TODAY!

July 1st is the deadline to sign bulky tobacco leases! Producers are reminded leases filed and/or file in the county must have all signatures (transferring farm and receiving farm) by the deadline to be approved. Leases with signatures not obtained by the deadline of July 1st shall be disapproved.

FLOOD COMPENSATION PROGRAM ENDS JULY 2ND

On September 10, 1997, the Secretary of Agriculture declared a major disaster in the State of Kentucky, based on damages and losses to crops due to heavy rains and flash flooding, that occurred on June 16 and 17, 1997. Rockcastle County was one of the counties declared eligible for Federal disaster assistance including FSA (Farm Service Agency) emergency (EM) loans.

There was \$42 million dollars made available for eligible producers who have incurred multi-year crop and grazing losses because of flooding. Twelve million will be used to compensate livestock and nonlivestock producers with eligible flooded areas that was not immediately capable of crop production, raising or having raised in FY 1998, and 30 million dollars for all eligible producers who have insured multi-year crop and grazing losses because of flooding.

Eligibility criteria is if a farm was inaccessible or incapable of producing at all times during FY 1998 because of flooding and has been subject to continuous flooding since October 1, 1992.

Sign up for FCP is scheduled to begin on May 17, 1999 and end on July 2, 1999. Producers may file an application for participation anytime during this sign-up period in the county where the loss occurred. If there are any questions, please call 606-256-2525 or stop by the Farm Service Agency during normal working hours.

NONINSURED CROP DISASTER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) provides crop loss protection for growers of many crops for which FCIC insurance is not available.

OFFICE CLOSURE:

FSA Office will be CLOSED-MONDAY, JULY 5th, in observance of Independence Day. The office will reopen Tuesday, July 6th.

Eligible crops are commercial crops grown for food and fiber. Also included are floriculture, ornamental nursery, Christmas tree crops, turfgrass sod, seed crops, aquaculture (including ornamental fish) and industrial crops. Also, losses resulting from natural disaster not covered by the crop insurance policy may be eligible for NAP assistance. NAP does not include trees or wood products.

NAP crops are eligible when the expected "Area Yield" is less than 65 percent of normal. NAP payments are made to eligible producers when individual crop losses are in excess of 50 percent of the individual's appraised yield at 60 percent of the crop's average market price (determined by FSA). Producers must report losses within 15 days of the crop loss.

Unless previous disaster assistance, producers must file an acreage and production report with the local FSA office prior to the crop reporting date of July 15th. If acres and yields are not reported on time, producers may not be eligible for NAP assistance.

ACREAGE REPORTS

Farm acreage reports of crops are now being taken for the current year. Producers are encouraged to report acreage and production for their disaster programs and loan deficiency programs. Producers who have final reporting date, a late reporting fee will apply. The final reporting date for all other crops, except small grains and tobacco is July 15th. After the final reporting date, a late reporting fee will apply.

FARM CHANGES

Producers who have produced or sold land need to contact the local FSA office for proper reclassification of farmland. Farmland classified as woodland may have until the deadline of July 1st to file for farm reconstitutions. Remember to bring your deed and/or to notify this new owner to do so. Also notify this office of any/all address changes. Remember, our records are only as current as producers inform this office.

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Bike-A-Thon July 16th

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital announced today that Day Camp has agreed to be the coordinator of the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital's Bike-A-Thon in Mt. Vernon on July 16th.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital was founded by entertainer, Danny Thomas. The institution opened its doors to the public in 1962 to combat catastrophic diseases that afflict our children. St. Jude Hospital is non-sectarian, non-discriminatory and covers all costs of care and those related by insurance. In 1962 adult lymphoma leukemia, the leading cause for childhood leukemia, was only survived by five percent of our patients; the current cure rate is now 80 percent.

At St. Jude, scientists and physicians are working side-by-side seeking not only a better means of treatment, but also the causes, cures and prevention of these terrible killers. All findings and information gained at the hospital are shared freely with doctors and hospitals all over the world. Thanks to St. Jude Hospital, children who have leukemia, Hodgkin's disease, sickle-cell anemia, and other child-killing diseases now have a better chance to live.

The Bike-A-Thon program this year is dedicated to eleven-year-old Justin Salat, who represents one of more than 15,500 patients who have been treated at this world-renowned pediatric research and treatment facility.

We sincerely appreciate the concern that Day Camp has for our work to help children like Justin, and we hope the citizens of Mt. Vernon will support this year's Bike-A-Thon on July 16th to help provide the funds needed to preserve the world's greatest asset...its children.

Justin has one of those smiles that "light up a room," and in spite of a long battle with cancer, his remarkable courage has never faltered. Justin's bike began in September 1994 when he was diagnosed with thyroid cancer, a malignancy rarely seen in children. In fact, when Justin was only a year old, his mother noticed a knot on his neck, and the

doctor thought Justin had a strep throat and prescribed antibiotics. Ultimately, after his tumor and thyroid gland were surgically removed, Justin was admitted to St. Jude Hospital, where he began radioactive iodine treatments. He has suffered two relapses of his cancer, but at this time is doing well. He loves playing basketball and singing in his church choir. He also loves his younger sister, Jasmine.

In Kentucky, 418 children and their families have gone to St. Jude Hospital for a catastrophic illness. Thousands of others have benefited from the research findings that have developed better and more successful treatment methods.

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Church News

Patriotic Day

Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene, 40 Fair Street, is having "Patriotic Sunday" on July 4th, Sunday School at 10 a.m. Morning service at 11 a.m. Everyone who comes will receive a flag key chain, and a brochure explaining our Founding Father's position concerning the phrase "separation of church and state".

Do you know that the statement "separation of church and state" is not in our Constitution or Bill of Rights? We will also be honoring our service men and women. Please wear your uniform or a part of it. God Bless America Again! You are invited to drive to church and enjoy the scene - "Old Glory" waving in the breeze - in fact 36 them lining the lawn of the church.

Monthly Singing

New Hope Baptist Church, Sat., July 3rd at 7 p.m. featuring Calvary Echoes, Pastor Joe Vanwinkle and church welcomes everyone.

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Quail Homemakers meet

The Quail Homemakers held their regular monthly meeting, Monday, May 17, at the home of Teet Stevens.

Shirley Martin served as co-hostess. Sixteen members were present and three visitors.

Devotional was read by Betty Lou Whittaker.

Each member answered the roll call by naming their favorite spring flower.

Please remember Church and Sunday School and pray for one another. God bless you.

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Upcoming Reunions

Bellinger-Gatlin

Bellinger - Gatlin Reunion July 10th from 11 am to 3 pm. Log building across from Beech City Park. Bring a covered dish. All family and friends welcome.

Stewart - Leger

Stewart - Leger Reunion Saturday, July 3rd at Renfro Valley Family Life Center. All relatives and friends are invited.

Mink

The second annual Mink Reunion will be held at the Quail Community Park on Friday, July 2nd and Saturday, July 3rd. On Friday, a get-together with horses and games, an exchange of family stories for the "Mink Connection Newsletter" and music is being planned. Bring a covered dish if you have one and join in the fun. Bring a covered dish for the potluck luncheon on Saturday, July 3rd. Kenneth Mink and Touch of Bluegrass Band will be there to entertain. We will tour some of our favorite cemeteries and several of our family historians will be in attendance both days. We look forward to meeting you if you have a Mink connection. Prizes will be given away this year for the youngest, oldest, one who travels furthest and the one who brings

the most Minks to the reunion. See you there! Call Randy Mink at 941-375-4585 to inquire about the news-letter.

Broyles - Brown

Broyles and Brown Reunion July 11th at 1 p.m. Quail Park on Hwy. 70. Please bring a covered dish.

Doyle

Don't forget! Doyle reunion will be Sunday, July 11 at The Russell Action Folk Center on Jefferson Street in Berea. Down by the City Park. Be sure to bring a covered dish, tell all your friends. Hours usually between 9-3. For more information call 606-523-4659, Edna Wilmet Harris.

Thompson

Thompson Reunion will be held at the Quail Park on Saturday, July 17th. All Thompson relatives and friends are invited. Bring a covered dish and drink.

McCracken

The children of Ed and Anna McCracken are having a family reunion July 17th at the Family Life Center at Renfro Valley, shelter on top of the hill on the right. Lunch will be around 12:00. All relatives and friends are invited, please bring a covered dish. Call Andy at 256-5720 if you need more info.

Judge Carlots said he too was somewhat surprised by the vote because three or four months ago, the library board seemed all for the placing of the Center at the library.

Carlots, who was scheduled to appear before the board on Monday's meeting, said he would remind the board that Rockcastle County was the only library in the state to not pay any rent to the fiscal court and that the fiscal court pays half of the library's utility bills and provided most of the maintenance on the building.

Carlots was suppose to either

nominate current library board chairman Allen Pensol or Hans Lindblom for a four year term or Serena Stratton or Norma Eversole for a four year term.

Carlots told the magistrate he would wait to make his nominations.

Pensol said Tuesday that the library board was certainly in favor of the Centernet project and that if the county so desired to build on to the library that was their decision.

"We simply voted not to be the governing body for the project, because you are talking about separate budgets and more staff," he said.

"We are in the process of completely automating the library and updating our own technology center and we are looking at other projects that so we do not need any matching money," Pensol said.

Clontz suggested that all parties involved, the fiscal court, the library board, the development board and people from the Center for Rural Development meet and discuss the project, so that everyone knows where everyone is at and all questions are answered.

Third district magistrate Bill McKinney also pointed out that if the center was located at a educational facility such as a library or one of the schools, the center would receive an 85 percent discount on the charge for the high speed phone lines that have to be used. That would amount to about \$800 per year.

Carlots told the court that it was time for the development board to move for the Center to be self-sustaining, because their would be a charge to use the video conferencing.

"New company"

(Cont. from front)

and realize, because there is 170 industrial parks in Kentucky trying to lure new employers," he said.

Clontz told the court that he appreciated their cooperation in the past year and that everyone needed to continue to work together to make the county's economic growth plan become a reality. Clontz emphasized as did Towney, that things weren't going to happen overnight, but that if everyone stayed on the same page, good things would happen.

Clontz also told the court that they should keep in mind that more space may be needed in the future, for possible larger employers.

He said that industrial park number two had the capability of housing a factory with 50 or so employees, but it would be difficult for the park to hold a factory large enough to employ 200 people.

Clontz told the court that they must consider adding more acreage to the park number two or even another site completely separate from the park. He told the court that was something they needed to keep in mind.

In other business the court voted to accept the 1999-2000 county budget of \$4.7 million.

The largest items in the budget are the Kentucky County Music Hall of Fame project with a price tag of \$2 million, the road fund were \$743,000 will go, the general fund will disburse, \$794,000 and the jail fund, \$647,000.

The court also did not act on a pay request from Architecture Plus for \$41,000 for bills they say should have been submitted by the site manager in January.

No one from Architecture Plus was at the meeting to explain why the county was just now seeing the bills and the court agreed unanimously not to pay them until further explanation.

Rockcastle County Jailer James Miller suggested to the court that they take some type of legal action against Architecture Plus because of the delays in opening the jail, but Judge Carlots told Miller the most important thing was getting the jail open and he did not want to delay it any further.

Rockcastle County Sheriff Dwight Cooton of Chimney Rock Marina who loaned us two pontoons and a boatwork for the search operation," East said.

We would also like to thank

Dwight Cooton of Chimney Rock Marina who loaned us two pontoons and a boatwork for the search operation," East said.

\$6,150 raised in crusade

Local businesses donating to this very worthwhile cause this year were:

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3 Family Yard Sale at the home of Steve and Kelly McClure Sat. July 3, 8 to 9 Hwy. 461, Loop 1: Boy's clothing, size 6 mos. to 2T; ladies clothes, books and Barbies and other items.

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Sat. July 31

Our July business meeting will be held Monday, the 5th at 7:00 p.m. at the clubhouse on Hwy. 1326. Bring a dish to pass and help us with the upcoming plans for the Cancer Ride in August.

Saddle Club

News

By Bev Rockwell

Please join us this month for several extracurricular wagon and horse rides. The schedule is as follows:

Fri. - Sun., July 2 - 4, Horses and wagon ride, Campground, 9:30 a.m. (Not counted for trophies. Saturday - Sunday & Combread Supper - \$4 Donation.)

Sat. & Sun., July 10 & 11, Horse Ride, Barron Forks 9:30 a.m.

Sat. July 17, Bart Woodard Wagon Ride, Campground, 9:30 a.m. B.O.I.

Sat. & Sun., July 18, Everett French Director Ride, Campground, 2 p.m.

Sat., July 24

Sat., July 25, Bill Sexton Horse Ride, His house, Climax, 2 p.m.

"Money"

(Cont. from front)

Gary Rogers was indicted for the offenses of trafficking in marijuana, five counts of receiving stolen property over \$300 and possession of drug paraphernalia.

According to Daryl K. Day, assistant commonwealth attorney, who prosecuted the cases Estelle Rogers pled guilty a misdemeanor offense and Gary Rogers was convicted by a Lincoln County jury for the offenses of cultivating marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia on May 24 and a sentence of one year in prison was recommended.

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Conservation Careers: Forest rangers, game wardens, maintenance, etc. No experience necessary. Now hiring. For info call 219-661-2444 Ext. 7606, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days. www.cnjohelp.com 365

Data Entry, Reservationists Needed: Rural Transit Enterprises, Inc., is looking for data entry reservationists, schedulers for all shifts. Job includes some dispatching. Qualified applicant must have a valid KY driver's license. Must have good typing skills, fast learner, good hearing, good telephone and communication etiquette a must. Applications may be picked up at the RTEC office.

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Part Time Position: If you enjoy working with Seniors, leading activities, games, exercises, shopping trips, and overseeing a guest program, a Site Manager position is available at Brodhead Center. You may call for further information, apply at the Brodhead Center or contact Kay at the Mt. Vernon Center.

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NOTICES

Posted: No hunting, no trespassing on Crawford Place - Old Brodhead Road. Danny Smith. 47nd

No hunting or trespassing on land belonging to Victoria Reeser on U.S. 25 & Roundstone. Not responsible for residents. Sifn.

Posted: No trespassing on property owned by Clyde Bishop at Roundstone. 37x4rd

Posted: No trespassing on property belonging to James & Jean Calhoun at Burr. 38x2nd

Notice: NO HUNTING, NO TRESPASSING, NO DOGS on property belonging to Glen & Virginia Roberts on both sides of Barnes Rd. Violators will be prosecuted. 37x4pd

Notice: Is hereby given that Irene Reams, HC 64 Box 205, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed Executrix of the estate of Felix Reams. HC 64 Box 205, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on the 8th day of June, 1999. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Paul Mason or to Law Office of Debra Hembree Lambert, P.O. Box 1094, 10 Church Street, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before December 8th, 1999. 37x3

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Notice: Is hereby given that Vickie Lynn Arnold, Rt. 1 Box 710 Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed Executrix of the estate of James Franklin Arnold, Rt. 1 Box 710, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on the 7th day of June, 1999. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Vickie Lynn Arnold or to Hon. Glenn E. Acree, 836 Euclid Ave., Suite 309, KY 40502 on or before December 7th, 1999. 37x3

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Notice: Is hereby given that Boyd J. Graves, 1151 Yellow Ribbon Dr., Amelia, Ohio 45102, has been appointed executor of the estate of Estelle Lavada Graves, Rt. 1 Box 246, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on this 11th day of June, 1999. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Boyd J. Graves or to Clontz & Cox, P.O.

Box 1350, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before December 11th, 1999. 38x3

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Notice: Is hereby given that Brenda Parsons, P.O. Box 127, Wildie, KY 40492 has been appointed Executrix of the Estate of John F. Branaman, Wildie, KY on the 18th day of May, 1999. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Brenda Parsons

Lambert, Lambert & Lambert, Attorneys at Law, PO Box 736, 10 Church Street, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before December 8th, 1999. 37x3

Notice: Is hereby given that Jessie Adams, Rt. 3 Box 456, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Bessie Smith, Rt. 3 Box 28, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on the 11th day of June, 1999. Any persons having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Josephine Adams, or to Hon. James W. Lambert, P.O. Box 736, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before December 11th, 1999. 38x3

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YARD SALES

Midway Flea Market. Baseball cards, computer hardware and software, electronics, camouflage clothing, work clothing, HOT WHEELS MATCHBOX, Derby glasses, cast iron, plus sized clothing, baby clothing, furniture, tools, tarps, gliders, sun glass, pictures, wind chimes, leather coats, collector dolls, COKE, case metal vehicles, rods and reels, quilts, silk flora swags, collector knives, collector "Spirits" glassware.

Midway Flea Market, Between Richmond and Berea, Open 9 to 5 P.M., Sat. and Sunday.

Yard Sale: July 2nd & 3rd 8-3. At 435 West Main St., Mt. Vernon. 39x1

Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat., July 2 & 3, 8-7. Hwy. 2549, James Reed Road. Given by Mary Mink & Angela Bullock. Lots of everything. 39x1

Family Yard Sale: 2 miles on Brindle Ridge off Conway, Fri. & Sat. 39x1

19 Family Yard Sale: Hardie's Lot, Sat., July 3rd 8:00 a.m. All proceeds go to Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets, Inc. Building Fund. Call 758-9202 or 256-5183 for info. 39x1

Family Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. 9:00 to 4:00. At the home of Mark and Jessica Lawson, Main St., Brodhead, straight across from Brodhead Post Office. Lots of baby girl clothes, including Gap, Guess, Gamboree, Little Me, etc., toddler boys 2T-4T, clothes, boy 12 up, & girl 10 up, TV game, computer chair, table and four chairs, Murray riding lawn mower, Troy Murray push mower, Troy Built Rototiller, 1 battery operated baby swing, 1 crank baby swing, stroller, computer, twin bed, oak curio cabinet, small air conditioner, Nascar, toys, vibrating baby bouncy seat, car seat, oven and counter top stove. Much, much more. Too numerous to mention all. 39x1

Yard Sale: Mt. Vernon Elementary School staff at Mt. Vernon First Baptist Church parking lot. July 2-3. 8:00-3:00. 39x1

Yard Sale: July 3 & 4, 8-3. Corner of New 461 & 1152- Horseshoe machinery, antiques, dishes, clothing, furniture, lots of misc. Also fishing boat with motor and trailer. Ready for water. Several items. Rain cancels. 39x1

Community Yard Sale: Sat. 3-7? Loop 1 Old U.S. 21 at Burr. We invite each house to put out yard sale items. Cancel in case of rain. 39x1

Yard Sale: Thurs. & Fri. 9-7. Lots of everything. Real cheap. On Lair St. by Teen Center. 39x1

Yard Sale: Sat., July 3rd on 1004. 1 1/2 miles past Jean's Restaurant on Halcomb East Road, at the home of Stanley and Betty Wright. Watch for signs. Given by Betty Wright and Shirley Richards. 39x1

Church Youth Group Yard Sale: Fri., July 2nd 9-7 Sat., July 3rd 9-7 Pine Hill Holiness Church, Hwy. 25 South. Lots of good buys. New items each day. 39x1

Yard Sale: Fri., July 2nd 8-9. Household items, clothes, shoes, Beanie Babies, and more. 39x1

Yard Sale: Sat., July 3rd 10-1. From 1000-1030. At Carpenter's Subdivision at Shirley Wallin and Mary McCovey. 39x1

Moving Yard Sale: Multi-family, Monday, July 5th at 1st Resurrection Church in Conway. 1-8am mover, wear, eaters, dishes, household items, clothing - infant to adult, fruit jars. Something for everyone. 8-7 39x1

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AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 1999 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2000

ORDINANCE #4-99

Whereas, an annual budget proposal and message have been prepared and delivered to the legislative body; and,

Whereas, the legislative body has reviewed such budget proposal and modifications have been made accordingly;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE City of Mt. Vernon Kentucky as follows:

SECTION ONE: That the annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999 and ending on June 30, 2000 is adopted as set forth herein:

General Fund	MRA Fund	LGEA Fund	Water Fund	Sewer Fund	Special Fund
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RESOURCES AVAILABLE:
Cash balance (estimate)

Taxes	\$108,800
License & permits	16,000
Franchise fees	52,726
Other fees	13,288

Charges for services
Intergovernmental
Miscellaneous

Other Court Awarded	5,000
Transfers in (budgeted)	25,000

Total revenues and cash

Administrative	46,523	57,489	14,780	882,625	361,800
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Police

Fire	289,083	5,000	5,000	182,752
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Street

Sanitation	5,485	5,485	5,485	361,800
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Parks & Recreation

Sewer dept. O&M	101,331	101,331	101,331	882,625
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Water dept. O&M

Capital	368,666	368,666	368,666	182,752
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Other

Preparation and submission of financial statements which include budgetary comparisons on not less than a quarterly basis.	368,668
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B. Provide for budget amendments if requested by the legislative body or if anticipated through administration and implementation.

C. Prepare any financial statements required for publication purposes, pursuant to KRS 424 and 91A

D. Cause each fund of this budget to be audited as prescribed by law.

SECTION THREE: The detailed operating budget is adopted by reference for administration, accounting and reporting purposes.

SECTION FOUR: This ordinance shall be published in the newspaper by title and summary within thirty (30) days after adoption.

SECTION FIVE: This ordinance becomes effective immediately upon passage and publication as required by law.

Adopted this 10th day of June, 1999.

/s/ Karen King, Mayor

Attest:

/s/ Kaye Rader, City Clerk

Date of first reading: June 7, 1999

Date of second reading: June 10, 1999

Notice of Availability

All interested persons and organizations in Rockcastle County are hereby notified that a copy of the county's proposed budget is full is available for public inspection at the office of the county judge/executive during normal business hours.

Yard/Estate Sale: Fri. & Sat. 8:30-? Given by Phil. & Kay Shattock, 1001 Forest Park Dr. on Hwy. 150. Patio umbrella, electric heaters, softball and bats, small appliances, iron, coffee makers, toasters, etc., pressure cookers, light fixtures, food processor, books, car seats. From Estate, bedroom suite, couch & chair, table & 4 chairs, 25 inch floor TV, Electrolux sweater. Some antiques and collectibles. Much more if rain out on Fri, will still have 256-4875. 39x1pd

Mult-Family Yard Sale: 470 West Main St., Mt. Vernon. Home of Elizabeth Baker. Fri., July 2nd 9-7 Sat., July 3rd 9-1. 39x1pd

Family Yard Sale: Sat. July 3rd 9-7. At the home of Spec DeBord in Willalla. Items include little girls and ladies clothing, girls

shoes, lots of toys (stuffed animals, books, Fisher Price & McDonald toys), dishes, curtains, full size comforter set, twin size Minnie Mouse comforter set with canopy and curtain. Cancel in case of rain until next Saturday. 39x1pd

4 Family Yard Sale: July 1, 2, & 3, 9-? 60 Tevis St., Mt. Vernon. Rain cancels. 39x1pd

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Family Yard Sale: Sat. July 3rd 8:30-? Dollar Store parking lot. Shoes and clothes: children/adults and teens. 39x1

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Big 3 Family Yard Sale: Fri., July 2nd and Sat., July 3rd. Lots of everything cheap. Clothes for everyone, Home Interior, crafts, furniture, light fixtures, chandelier. Hwy. 1505 between Brodhead and Conway. At the home Chuck and Tamela Thomas. Signs posted. In case of rain will be held in garage. 39x1

Yard Sale: July 3, 4 & 5. Caloway Hollow off U.S. 25. Numerous items. Baby clothes, furniture, etc. 453-2100. 39x1

Yard Sale: Hwy. 150 1/4 mile from Rockcastle-Lincoln line. Queen size waterbed, crib, clothes, lots more. July 2 & 3. 39x1

YARD/GARAGE SALE

Rain or shine.
The home of Karen King in Chestnut Hills Subdivision.
Fri. & Sat. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Lots of clothes and stuff.

Yard Sale: Maple Grove Road, Sat., 9 to ? Close to Brush Creek Holiness Church. Rain cancels.

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Quoted data represents past performance and includes the maximum applicable front-end sales charge of 5% for Class A shares of United Funds and the applicable contingent deferred sales charge (if any maximum) for Class I shares of Waddell & Reed Funds, changes in share price, and reinvestment of all income and capital gain distributions. Investment return will fluctuate, and redeemed shares may be worth more or less than their original cost. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

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7.36	22.83	15.80	11.73

UNITED SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY FUND

★★★★★

1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year
41.32	23.88	27.72	20.71

WADDELL & REED GROWTH FUND

★★★★★

1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Since 9/21/92
18.61	21.20	22.68	23.80

UNITED VANGUARD FUND

★★★★★

1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year
22.83	19.75	18.56	14.14

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Our Readers Write

Dear Editor,

I wonder if your readers still remember Mrs. Nelly Colson? She has been kind of out of circulation for awhile because of a car wreck and more recently heart surgery. She is doing well but still has a way to go before she can get back to her work. She worked at the health department years ago and gave shots to the school children. She may have given me one. If so I am sure I like her a lot more to day than I did then. Mostly she has been a housewife and mother. She is a devoted follower of Christ and is always thinking of others. I first met Nelly in the mid fifties when I became a member of the Brodhead Christian Church. I was always impressed with her grace and sincere love for people even then. I moved away and changed churches and lost track of her. I recently started staying with her in the mornings. She and her husband, Clay are both such wonderful Christian people.

Mrs. Nelly has not been idle although she has been sick. She with Gods help has developed a very unique ministry she has been doing for fifteen years now. She gathers all kinds of greeting cards and encourages them by cutting off the part that has been written on, writes a nice Bible verse on it and makes a new card out of it. She also finds pretty pictures, cuts them out and glues them on paper plates and puts hangers on them to be given to others to hand on their hospital or nursing home rooms. I watch her with her precious head bent over her work, so loving, so dedicated, hoping that the little messages of love from her and her Heavenly Father will cheer someone in a stressful time in their life or bring a new member to the family of God. Hoping that the recipients of the cards will understand just how much she and her Father loves everyone in the world.

Mrs. Nelly then sends the cards to area hospitals and nursing homes to be put on the food trays. She calls them her tray cards and will very quickly tell you that it wasn't her idea at all, "The Holy Spirit gave it to me" she will say. It is so good to see someone so dedicated to following the lead of the Holy Spirit.

I have had the pleasure of delivering some of Mrs. Nelly's tray cards and although she is eighty-five years old I hope to do this for many years to come. SO if you receive cards you were just going to throw away you know where to take them or bring them to me and I will take them. What a great lady! We love you Mrs. Nelly. Keep up the good work. I wish everyone could meet you. You have blessed many people with your life.

Sincerely Impressed with Mrs. Nelly,
Neville Hacker
Crab Orchard, KY

Dear Editor,

I feel that too often the citizens of a City complain to the City Fathers about the things they do not like, but when things go their way they do not express thanks and appreciation.

Well, last week Rose Hill Road was paved covering up the deep chuck holes and the residents appreciate it greatly. I, for one, called the Judge Executive to thank him for the work so that he could pass along the sentiments to those actually performing the job.

It was an excellent job and I will be able to keep the front end of my car lined up a little longer now.

Keep on the good work.

Sincerely,
Joe Jarvis
Mt. Vernon, KY

Dear Editor,

I would like to address this letter to the person(s) who stole the stop sign and arrow sign at the intersection of Cove Branch Road and Highway 1912. I just want you to be aware that in November, my two sons wrecked their car when they missed the curve. They totaled the car and are very thankful to alive.

Since November I have written a letter and made several phone calls to the Kentucky State Garage in Somerset to have the signs put up and I am still working on a guard rail.

This past week when the road signs went up, I was so happy knowing the roads would be safe not only for my teenagers who travel it everyday going to work, but also for the whole community. Since so many others have also wrecked there.

Thanks to you the road signs stayed there three whole days, before you stole them.

You can't have a conscience, if you did you never would have stole the signs.

I want you to be aware that the next person that wrecks there or worse, dies there, it is totally your fault and your fault alone.

Bonnie Drew
Orlando, KY

Congratulations to Curry Express Mart



At left, Citizens Bank President Keith Smith and Curry Express Manager Danny Smith.

At Citizens Bank we are always ready to applaud the efforts of all local business people who work hard to improve and expand their businesses.

The folks at Curry Express Mart certainly fall into that category because of their endless efforts to expand and improve.

Curry Express has opened another new store in Rockcastle County.

The third Curry Express Mart is located at Burr, on U.S. 25, just south of I-75.

With three stores and 37 employees, Curry Express Mart has certainly made a commitment to doing business in our county. Thanks for your continued hard work and good luck at your third store.

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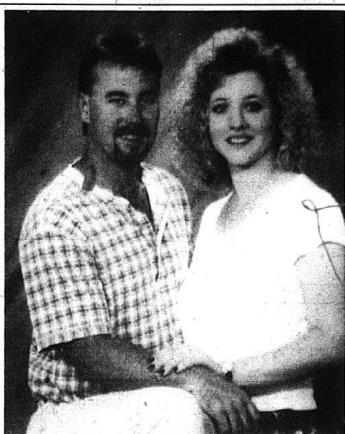
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Social News



Gregory - Pennington

Leslie JaDawn Gregory and Jeffrey Allen Pennington will be united in marriage on July 4th at 2:30 p.m. with an outside wedding at the home of the groom. A reception will follow. The bride's parents are Mrs. Debbie Price of Mt. Vernon and James Gregory of Cincinnati, Ohio. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Pennington of Mt. Vernon. All friends and family are invited to attend. No formal invitations will be sent.



25th Wedding Anniversary

Homer and Judy Hopkins Mize of Brodhead will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary July 1st. Homer and Judy have three children and two grandchildren and one step grandchild.



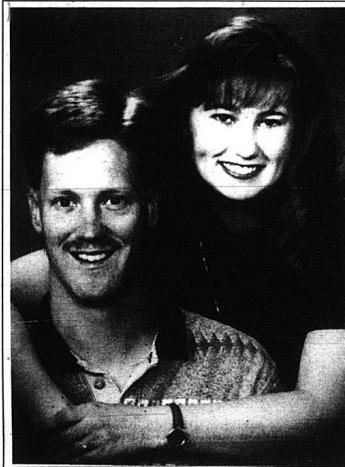
Gray - Brown

Lowell and Emma Gray would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Lora Marie to Abe Harrison Brown, son of Jasper and Fayrene Brown of Eubank. The wedding will be an event of July 10, 1999 at 3 p.m. at the couple's soon to be home. No formal invitations will be sent. All friends and relatives are invited to attend. A small reception will follow after the ceremony.



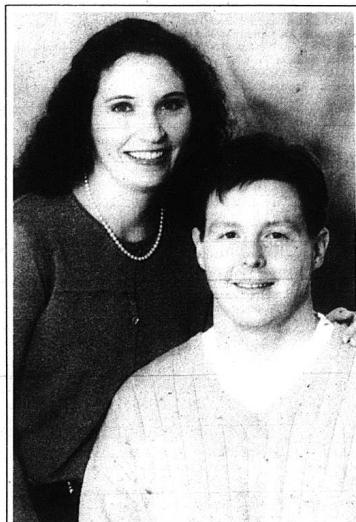
73rd Wedding Anniversary

Rev. and Mrs. W.J. Hamilton will celebrate their 73rd wedding anniversary on July 3. They are the parents of six children, grandparents of eight and great grandparents of eight. The Rev. Hamilton is a Baptist minister.



Payne - Whitaker

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Payne of Eubank and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Whitaker of Shopville are proud to announce the forthcoming marriage of their children, Trina Jeanette Payne and Kevin Lee Whitaker. The ceremony will take place at Pleasant Run Baptist Church on Saturday, July 3rd at 3:30 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to celebrate with the couple. No formal invitations are being sent.



Riggins - Gregory

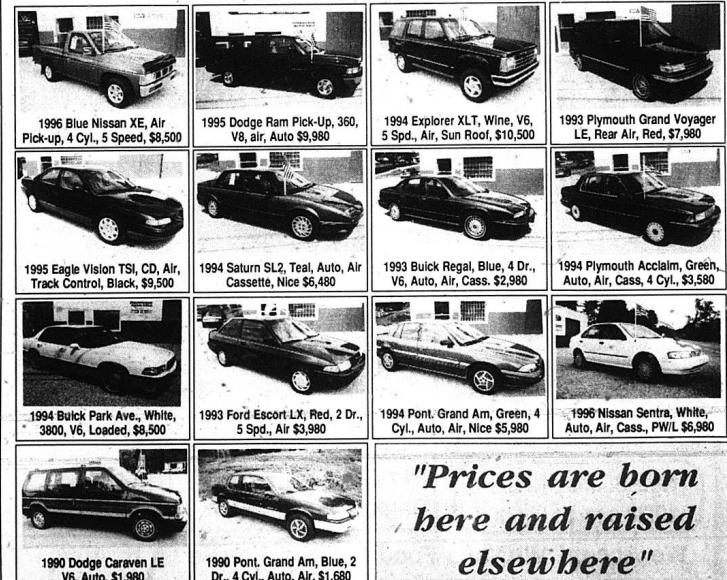
Mr. and Mrs. David Sorrells of Birmingham, Alabama, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Riggins, Jr., of Alexander City, Alabama, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dr. Wendy Michelle Riggins, to Dr. Joseph Granville Gregory, son of Attorney and Mrs. William D. Gregory of Mt. Vernon.

Dr. Riggins is a graduate of Birmingham Southern College and a graduate of the University of South Alabama College of Medicine and a member of the Alpha Omega Alpha Society. She is an obstetrics and gynecology resident at the University of South Florida in Tampa. Dr. Gregory is a graduate of Rockcastle County High School, the University of Kentucky and a graduate of the University of Kentucky College of Medicine. He is a resident physician in the University of South Florida Psychiatry Department in Tampa.

The wedding is to be held on August 28th at the Dawson Memorial Baptist Church in Birmingham.

The LEAP-sponsored Rockcastle Farmers' Market opens Wednesday, June 23rd at the Brodhead Fairgrounds and Saturday, June 26th at Renfro Valley. Locally grown, farm fresh produce will be available through November at these locations. Come help support your regional farmers by purchasing wholesome food at bargain prices. WIC accepted.

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County Statistics

Deeds Recorded

Benton and Theresa Bullock, land contract for real property located in Dusty Trails Subdivision, to Joe and Donna Messam, Tax 4.50.

Marshall Scoggin, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Dale Scoggin, No tax.

Simon Byrd, and others, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Georgia Col., Tax 7.00.

Cleus Brown and others, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Clinton Brown and others, Tax 7.00.

Greta McClure Thompson and Larry Thompson, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Tom Sandlin, Tax 2.00.

Frank Himes and others, real property located in Scaffold Cane, to Opol Durham, Tax 3.00.

Jean Smith, real property located in Rockcastle County, to James and others, Tax 7.00.

Coleene Roberts, Tax 43.00.

Jack and Jean Skeen, real property located on Sand Springs Road, to Robert Leo and Debbie Hayes, Tax 12.50.

Henry Dale and Phyllis Coffey, real property located on U.S. Hwy. 25, to Raju Rama, and others, Tax 75.00.

Edith Vanhook, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Greg and Debra Poynter, Tax 20.00.

Joshua Bills, real property located on waters of Clear Creek, to Timi Reedy, Tax 25.00.

Rite-Aid of Kentucky, Inc., real property located on U.S. Hwy. 25, to John Eaton, Jr., David Eaton, Sr., and Pauline Eaton, Tax 175.00.

Sherman and Christine Allen, real property located in Rockcastle County, to James and Kimberly Allen, No tax.

Gordon Bray, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Louis Noe, Tax 68.50.

Woodrow Whitaker, real property located on Freedom School Road, to Ronald and Phyllis Whitaker, No tax.

Dallas Norton and Cota, real property located on waters of Skeggs Creek, to Larry W. Clouse, Tax 12.50.

Dallas Norton and Cora Norton, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Leonard Clouse, Tax 50.00.

Norma Jean Mullins, real property located West Main Street, Mt. Vernon, to Billy Dewayne White, 21, Irvine, factory, June 23, 1999.

Stacy Leighann Mullins, 18, Orlando, Data Entry, to James Joseph Stagg, 19, Somerset, student, June 21, 1999.

Marriage Licenses

Patricia Gail Isaacs, 19, Crab Orchard Rockcastle Manufacturing, to John David Taylor, 18, Crab Orchard, construction, June 26, 1999.

Amanda Michelle Osborne, to Jason Clay Brown, 20, Crab Orchard, Progressive Systems, Inc., June 26, 1999.

Jennifer Lynn Houk, 21, Bradhead, Rockcastle Manufacturing, to Roy Lee Bullock, 22, Mt. Vernon, self-employed, June 26, 1999.

Deborah Kay Pratt, 42, New Carlisle, Ohio, housewife, to Roy Keith

Wickel, Jr., 37, New Carlisle, Ohio, ice worker, June 23, 1999.

Armandina Sue Philbeck, 19, Irvine, home, to Billy Dewayne White, 21, Irvine, factory, June 23, 1999.

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District Civil Suits

Dicie Marie Mullins vs. Betty Jasper, eviction notice, 99-C-00083.

Circuit Civil Suits

Trinicia Nicely vs. Timothy L. Nicely, petition for dissolution of marriage, 99-CI-00172.

Kentucky Medical Services Foundation, Inc., vs. Casey Lee Faulkner, \$7,526.00 claimed due for services, 99-CI-00173.

Janet L. Hughes vs. Christopher G. Hughes, petition for dissolution of marriage, 99-CI-00174.

Jason R. Saylor vs. Catherine Sue Saylor, petition for dissolution of marriage, 99-CI-00175.

City of Brodhead, Kentucky vs. Russell Bullock, and others, complaint, 99-CI-00176.

Jeff Hunt, et al., vs. Pauline C. Hunt, et al., complaint, 99-CI-00177.

District Court News

Hon. Michael L. Henry

June 21, 1999

Daniel N. Blackburn: No drivers license, \$100 and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.

Seth W. McFord: Speeding and Failure to wear seatbelt, paid \$153.15. John H. Ballard: Fines due (\$30.50), issue warrant/suspend license.

Philip B. Bennett: Operating motor vehicle under influence, \$350 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$20 victim compensation fund, 90 days/no serve 20/balance probated two years; Possession of marijuana, \$100 fine and 10 days/concurrent; Drug para-

phernalia use/possession, \$25 fine.

Vernon E. Denney: Speeding, state traffic school.

Freddie D. Denny: Fleeting or evading police, 2nd, 30 days/crash any time served; Driving on DUI suspended license, amended, 30 days/concurrent/\$50 PD fee and court costs.

Bennie W. Doan: Res Hunt/fish/trail w/o license/stamp, issue warrant for failure to appear.

Charles F. Fritts, Jr.: Fines due (\$244.75), issue warrant/suspend license.

Vernon Wade Graves: Alcohol intoxication, issue warrant for failure to appear.

Timothy Hayes: Violating special permit, \$20 and costs.

Floyd D. Himes: Faulty equipment, \$30 and costs.

Patricia A. Irwin: Speeding, \$38 and costs.

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Kentucky Medical Services Foundation, Inc., vs. Casey Lee Faulkner, \$7,526.00 claimed due for services, 99-CI-00173.

Janet L. Hughes vs. Christopher G. Hughes, petition for dissolution of marriage, 99-CI-00174.

Jason R. Saylor vs. Catherine Sue Saylor, petition for dissolution of marriage, 99-CI-00175.

City of Brodhead, Kentucky vs. Russell Bullock, and others, complaint, 99-CI-00176.

Jeff Hunt, et al., vs. Pauline C. Hunt, et al., complaint, 99-CI-00177.

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Court News!

(Cont. from B2)

Gregory K. Johnson: Fines due (\$56), issue warrant.

Wendell Jones: Alcohol intoxication, issue warrant for failure to appear.

Colby L. Keim: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

Joseph M. Kelley: Operating motor vehicle under influence of intoxicants, \$200 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$20 victim compensation fund, 2 days/time served; Speeding, \$50 fine.

Alfred H. Kirby: Speeding, issue warrant/suspend license for failure to appear.

Gregory S. Lewis: No operating license in possession, \$50 and costs; Operating ATV on Roadway, \$50 fine.

Shannon Martin: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs; Possession of marijuana, \$100 fine and 10 days/

conditionally discharged one year/ confiscate and destroy all contraband; Drug paraphernalia use/possession, \$100 fine/confiscate and destroy contraband.

Scott D. McFerron: Speeding, state traffic school.

Charlene Napier: Speeding, \$20 and costs/state traffic school authorized.

Kevin W. Parrett: Fines due (\$174.75), issue warrant/for failure to appear.

Tracy L. Phillips: Speeding, state traffic school.

Karl Wayne Pittman: Assault 4th, dismissed on payment of court costs (2 counts).

Robert M. Poynter: Faulty equipment, \$20 and costs.

Michael E. Quinley: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs.

Jimmy Dale Robbins: Fines due (\$110.25), issue warrant.

Dallas O. Wood: No Res. Hunt ETC w/o License stamp, issue warrant

for failure to appear.

Anthony Dale Huff: Speeding, suspend license.

Billea Jo Smith: Speeding, state traffic school.

Anthony S. Vitare, faulty equipment, \$25 and costs.

Richard T. Beeler, II: No motorcycle operators license in possession, \$25 and costs.

Sheila Renee Bradley: No headgear motorcycle, dismissed on payment of court costs.

Julis S. Lawton: Reckless driving, \$30 fine/No insurance, \$500 and costs/suspend \$450.

Ronald S. Adams: Faulty equipment, \$20 and costs.

Shannon C. Burton: Speeding, \$30 and costs.

Karen S. May-Dinen: Speeding, \$44 and costs.

Robert B. Anderson: Operating motor vehicle under influence, \$350 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$20 victim compensation fund, 90 days/no serve 1/0/balance probated two years;

Driving/DUI suspended license, \$100 and costs and 10 days/concurrent.

Terford D. Cameron: Operating motor vehicle under influence of drugs, \$200 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$20 victim compensation fund, 2 days/time served; Operating on suspended license, \$100 fine; Possession of marijuana, \$100 fine and 10 days/conditionally discharged one year/conditional and destroy contraband; Drug paraphernalia use/possession, \$100 fine and 10 days/concurrent/conditionally discharged.

Johnathan W. Compton: Public intoxication, \$50 and costs and 2 days/time served; Possession of marijuana, \$200 fine and 10 days/consecutive/conditionally discharged one year/conditional and destroy contraband; Drug paraphernalia use/possession, \$100 fine and 10 days/concurrent/conditionally discharged.

Earl Harvey: Alcohol intoxication, \$25 and costs; Disorderly conduct, \$50 fine and 10 days in jail/conditionally discharged.

Timothy King: Faulty equipment, \$25 and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.

Douglas E. Lewis: Nonpayment of fine, 30 days in jail in lieu of payment.

Christopher S. Martin: Operating motor vehicle under influence drugs, \$200 and costs, \$200 service fee, \$20 victim compensation fund, 2 days/time served.

Brian D. Muse: Operating motor vehicle under influence, \$350 fine, \$200 service fee, \$20 victim compensation fund, 30 days/no serve 1/0/balance probated one year.

June 23, 1999

Harold J. Anderson: Operating on suspended license, \$50 and costs and 10 days/probated on condition.

Diane Bryant: Fines due (\$285.25), issue warrant for failure to pay or appear.

William B. Evans: Reckless driving, \$100 and costs.

Kim Honeycutt: Speeding, \$30 and costs.

Virginia Kelley: License to be in possession, \$25 and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine; No insurance, \$500 fine.

Alisa Mulline: Operating on suspended license, issue warrant/suspend license.

Kimberly L. Perkins: No operators license in possession, \$25 and costs; Contempt court slander/libel, \$50 no; No operators license, \$25 and costs; Contempt of court slander/libel, \$50 fine.

Randy Philpot: Criminal littering, \$50 and costs and 30 days/probated on condition.

Kenneth W. Powell: Possession of marijuana, \$100 and costs and 90 days/no serve 1/0/balance probated on condition; Drug paraphernalia use/possession, \$100 fine and 90 days/concurrent.

Virginia R. Smallwood: Owes 90 hours of community service work, issue warrant for failure to appear.

Brent A. Williams: Theft by deception, dismissed on payment of court costs/restitution.

Elizabeth Wooten: Fines due (\$177.15 and \$174.75), issue warrant/suspend license.

Robert R. Carter: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear (2 counts).

Gary I. Shaw: Speeding, suspend license for failure to appear.

Randy W. Chastee: No Ky. Reg. Plates, \$25 and costs; No insurance, \$500 fine; Operating on suspended license, \$100 fine and 30 days/no serve 1/0/balance probated on condition.

John Michael Clark: Driving DUI Suspended License (amended), \$100 and costs and 10 days/probated on condition; Failure to or improper signal, \$25 fine.

Frank L. Fain: Faulty equipment, \$25 and costs.

Anna D. Mathews: No Ky. Reg. Plates, \$25 and costs; Inadequate silencer, \$25 fine; Failure to wear seat belt, \$25 fine; Failure to reg. transfer, \$25 fine; Improper registration, \$50 fine; Failure to or improper signal, \$25 fine.

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Farm News

By: Tom Mills
County Extension Agent
for Agriculture

What Is Blackshank?

Blackshank is a fungal disease which affects the roots and lower stem of tobacco plants. By damaging the root ability to absorb water and the stems ability to move water up into the plant, this disease can lower production or even kill plants.

The first signs of blackshank are very similar to blight. A wilted plant, scalds and discoloration affected plants will wilt during afternoons but return to normal overnight. After 2 to 4 days wilting, many plants will scald and die. Upon further investigation, the roots and lower stem may show dark brown to black discolored areas. The key to positive identification is

splitting the stem and finding pitch separated in disk. You could describe this as if dimes were stacked one upon the other with a small space between. A lab test is available to confirm visual identification. Only weathering normally causes disking of lower stem pitch. When lightning strikes tobacco, disking occurs. However, the mid-vein of leaves will turn black, distinguishing it from blackshank.

The fungus which caused blackshank was moved from one infected field to another by several methods. Anything that can move dirt or plant trash can move the black-

shank fungus. Most typically, we see blackshank moved to a farm by borrowing infected transplants from a farm with blackshank. However, this is not the only means. Sharing plow, disk harrow and setts can allow soil from one field to be moved to another. Mud and dirt clinging to tires can move soil from infected fields. Even cattle can possibly move soil from fields, fields located in flood prone areas, allowing the pathogen to streamline as well as downstream fields in the flood plane. Farmers themselves can be the biggest mover as they spread stalks and stripping roots trash on fields.

Blackshank has the ability to survive in soil for many years. Farmers consider this a major problem of tobacco diseases because it stays around and causes such high losses.

The best method for control is to return infected fields to sod. Move to fields that have not been in tobacco and use resistant varieties.

If you are limited in land for rotations, use resistant varieties plus Ridomil.

Since blackshank can cause large losses, require lower yielding resistant varieties and expensive amounts of chemicals, the best control method is one of prevention. Do not borrow plants and clean all equipment used in other tobacco fields.

The Family Room

By Dr. Don Whitehead

Allowing Children to Leave is Difficult

My son spent some time with us this summer and then returned to Northern Kentucky University where he is a student. His leaving reminded me of our leave-taking four years ago when we left him standing in the parking lot of his dorm at the beginning of his freshman year. My dad told me that the hardest thing he ever did was leave me standing outside the dorm at Georgetown College on the first day of my freshman year. When children leave for college or a job or marriage or the military, we parents hurt.

The only thing worse than having your children leave home is having your children not leave home. The following quote is from the play *Dear Departed*:

One thing about tiny, that boy's a worker. He mowed the front yard, the side yard, the back yard, plus them six acres I've got out behind the house, restacked the firewood, cleaned out the garage, and hoed in the garden until it was too dark to see. Since his birthday is coming up next week, I gave him three dollars instead of the usual two. It's hard to believe Tiny will be turning forty-seven. They grow up so fast.

Few parents want a thirty-seven year old around the house permanently.

The teenage years are an impos-

tant time of preparation for leaving for both parents and children. The struggle between parents who want to help (and control) and young people who want to be independent are often a part of these years. Adolescence can become a power struggle which both sides sometimes take to the extreme.

I remember the "Cereal Bowl War" at our house. It began over whether the boys would put their cereal bowls in the dishwasher. It ended as a power struggle as I laid down the law, "Oh yes, you will take that bowl to the sink, because I told you to!" This battle had little to do with cleanliness and responsibility and a lot to do with who was in control.

The father in the Parable of the Prodigal Son (Luke 15) knew how and when to let go. When his younger son asked for his inheritance and wanted to leave, the father allowed him to do so. Even though he knew his son was making a mistake and even though it broke his heart, he did not turn this into a power struggle.

The father could have berated his son, "You're not going anywhere! You're going to stay here and work on this farm like your brother does.

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Knowing how and when to let the child go is one of the difficult parts of parenting. Letting go too soon is not good. I have seen thirteen-year-old children who have no parental guidance, and this is not fair to the child. On the other hand I have seen thirty-five-year-olds still looking to Mom and Dad to make their decisions. And I have seen parents who continually interfere in the lives of their adult children, making it difficult for these young adults to grow up and causing misery for everyone involved.

As the parents of two fledgling adults, I know the difficulty of keeping the proper balance. I pray for the wisdom of the father in the parable, so that I can discern when it is time to let them go.

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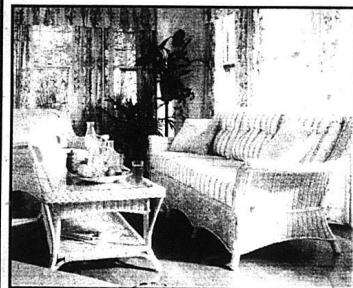
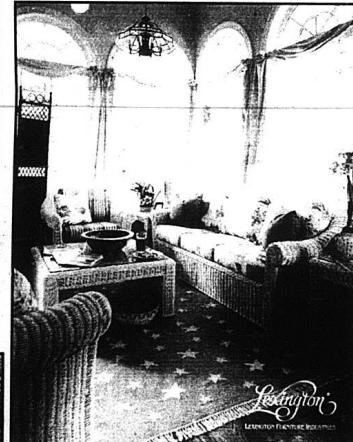
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The following first appeared in the *Mt. Vernon Signal* on February 15, 1907. It was recently transcribed from microfilm of that issue of the *Signal*. With these submissions, I am sharing these gleanings with the *Signal's* present readers.

PERSONAL NEWS

Mrs. Alice Tate is on the sick list. Mrs. D. J. Agnew, who had been among the sick, U.G.C. members in Louisville this week, was again on the sick list yesterday. Mrs. R.B. Mullins is visiting in Livingston and Corbin. Miss Maud Graham is recovering from a two week illness. Dr. S.W. Adkins reports Mrs. Raymond Dowell very sick. Mrs. Charlotte Jarrett is visiting Jailer and Mrs. C.R. Jarrett. Judge J.T. Adams was in Crab Orchard and Stanford Monday. W.A. Davis is spending a few days at Somerset and Burnside. Miss Virgie Dolan is visiting her sister, Mrs. R.A. Welch of this place. Elvert Hiant, of Indiana, is visiting the home of his uncle, G.S. Hant. Mr. W.H. McRae, son of Reaney, spent yesterday in the city shopping. James Davault, L&N brakeman is spending a few days with homefolks. Clay Gentry has job butchering his run between the cities Whitney children of Lexington. Miss McIntyre, of the Brown Memorial Faculty, will leave today for Cincinnati where she will visit her mother for a week. Miss Jennie Davis is providing a most satisfactory acquisition to this office. As a composer she is almost breaking the record. Beginning last Friday afternoon, she

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Albert Butler. Mrs. Cleo Brown will be tomorrow to Louisville for weeks getting the latest styles in millinery. Deputy Sheriffs, T.J. Nicely and John Root took care of the Children's Orphan Home in Louisville, the home Whitney children of Lexington. Miss McIntyre, of the Brown Memorial Faculty, will leave today for Cincinnati where she will visit her mother for a week. Miss Jennie Davis is providing a most satisfactory acquisition to this office. As a composer she is almost breaking the record. Beginning last Friday afternoon, she

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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Vernon can boast of having one of the finest Masonic lodges in the state. J.M. Craig sold at Stanford Monday a nice bunch of cattle at \$3 and 3 1/2 Cents. NOTICE: You owe and have never paid your taxes and costs. G.T. Johnson, of Licking, Richmond and Main streets North and South of the railroad have begun. Three cheers for the board of trustees. Let the good work go on. Rev. Campbell, for one year the pastor of the Christian Church at this place, will preach at Buckeye Saturday afternoon, Sunday morning and Sunday evening. Nelson Bank and Robert Chandler, the two young men who froze to death in South Dakota, on Feb. 1, were never citizens of this county. Their homes were in North Carolina and about five years ago while on the road to the West stopped off here and stayed with their Uncle S.E. McRae, who lives near Level Green for several months. The bodies arrived here Saturday afternoon, but were taken on to North Carolina for burial, the brothers of the deceased boys, having decided to go on after reaching this point. HANSEL. At eight o'clock Monday evening the death angel knocked, and the spirit of Mrs. Sarah Hansel, wife of Mr. Z.T. Hansel, took its flight to God who gave it. Mrs. Hansel was 57 years of

age and her life a noble, Christian one. For three years she had been a sufficient support to her husband, and as the end drew nearer no one realized it more fully than she, yet with that composure, characterized by the Christians, she met death without a murmur. On January 8, 1878, the deceased were born, Elbert, L&N brakeman, Emmett, section foreman for the L&N at Lawwood, and Misses Maggie and Maud who are with their father. The burial took place Wednesday in the Mt. Vernon cemetery. CARDS OF THANKS TO THE people of Mt. Vernon and vicinity, who were so very kind to us during our recent affliction in the loss of our beloved mother. We thank you all for your sympathy and concern. We desire to express our heartfelt thanks. Z.T. Hansel and Children. Born to the wife of Human Hurd twin babies. One of them lived only a short time. George Owens, the tombstone man, put up a nice monument at the graves of the children of Uncle John Flynn at Brodhead. It was a handsome piece of work. LIVINGSTON NEWS

Mrs. R.B. Mullins is down from Mt. Vernon visiting Mrs. Rome Adams-Mrs. Mullins and Mrs. Adairs will visit Mrs. Luther Mullins at Corbin Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Dock Oliver came down from Lebanon Junction Monday night to attend the funeral of little Herbert Oliver. Mr. and Mrs. James Hocker are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl baby at the 8th. Mrs. Georgia McGinnis attended the funeral of little Herbert Oliver, Tuesday afternoon. Miss Lila, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Argenbright, heard a very quiet tap at the door last Friday evening and expected to see her best beau, rushed to the door very eagerly. But my, what a surprise, for there stood twenty-five or thirty young ladies and gentlemen waiting to welcome her to a "surprise party." An exceedingly good time was reported. Miss Cora Adams has been very sick, but we are glad to say is some better at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bell, residents of Mt. Clinton, West Virginia, were on their way to W.V. Virginia. Mrs. Dudley Rowlett and little son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. James McGuire from Saturday until Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Rowlett will move from Paris to Lexington this week. Mr. Rowlett having a position with the C&O.R.R. at that place. Mrs. Sue Mullins and Mrs. Susie Hicks are still on the sick list.

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TID BITS

A preacher came to a newspaper man this way: You editors do not tell the truth. If you did you could not live, your newspaper would be a failure. The editor replied: You are right and the minister who will at all times and under all circumstances do the work which he does, will never live, die, will not occupy the pulpit more than one Sunday and then he will find it necessary to leave town in a hurry. The press and the pulpit go hand in hand with white wash brushes and pleasant words, magnifying little virtues into big ones. The pulpit, the pen and the grave stone are great saint-making triumvirates. And the great minister went away looking very thoughtful while the editor turned to his work, and told of the unsurpassed beauty of the bride, in fact in she was as homely as a mud fence.

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First, priests under the law died, and new ones had to be appointed. In Heb 7:26-25 we read, "And they truly were many priests, because they were not suffered to continue by reason of death. But this man, because he continueth ever, hath an unchangeable priesthood. Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them." Those priests died, but Jesus is an unchangeable priest, for he ever liveth.

Secondly, those priests had sins of their own, but our high priest is sinless. In Heb 7:26-27, "For such an high priest became us, who is holy, harmless, undefiled, separate from sinners, and made higher than the heavens. Who needeth not daily, to offer his sacrifices, first for his own sins, and then for the sins of the people, for he did once, when he offered up himself." They offered sacrifices for their own sins and then the sins of people. But Jesus was holy, harmless, undefiled, separate from sinners.

Thirdly, the sacrifices those priests offered, was animal blood, but Jesus offered himself. In Heb 9:25, "Nor yet that he should offer himself often, as the high priests entered into the holy place every year with blood of others. For then must he often have suffered since the foundation of the world: but now once in the end of the world hath he appeared to put away by the sacrifice of himself." Again in Heb 10:4, "for it is not possible that the blood of bulls and of goats should take away sins." Animal just could not take care of the sin problem, only the blood of Christ has the power to take away sin!

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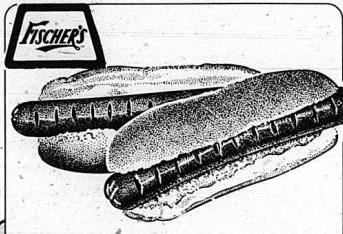
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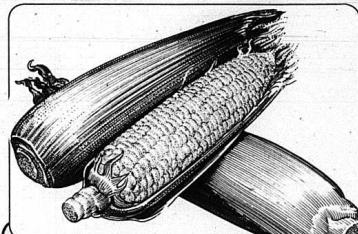
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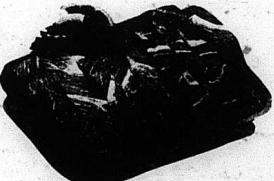
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One Nation Under God America's Christian Heritage

By Andrew Lell

The heritage of this nation is one that historically, has been undeniably intertwined with religion. Beginning with accounts of the Spanish Explorers and going on to the Pilgrims, the Colonists; the Civil War and after, religion had a strong positive effect both on our history and on the successful development of our nation. Our national life is surrounded with the evidence of religion's positive influence on our nation and its people. Our National Anthem - "We the People" to God; our coins reflect our faith in God; the Pledge of Allegiance reflects our testimony to God's importance in this nation. The Supreme Court has made numerous decisions affirming that this country was founded on religious principles and faith. Despite the extended history of God's involvement in this nation on June 17, 1963 Separation of church and state was made a law. Separation of church and state will to work because the constitution was meant to perpetuate a Christian order. Separation of church and state has no legitimate grounds. It was taken from a letter from Thomas Jefferson, and the meaning was twisted to fit the wants of a certain group of people, humanists. Separation of church and state was and will forever be unconstitutional.

It is true, of course, some would say that America was founded by man and not God, but God has never been a factor in America. The Constitutional Convention of 1787 proves that God working through men like Ben Franklin, George Washington, and many others, was the true founder of this country. The early portion of the Convention had been marred by dissension, hopelessness, deadlocks, and each state's unwillingness to submit to the will of others. The Convention manifested all the markings of a complete failure. A portion of the New York delegation had already left in disgust and other delegations were prepared to follow. It was obvious to them that they could not reach such a setting more favorable to a lasting solution to our young nation's uncertain future would be found. It was at this point that the elder statesman, Ben Franklin, rose to speak and quietly said, "In the beginning of this contest with Britain, when we were sensible of danger, we had daily prayers in this room for Divine pro-

tection, balance and timelessness of the Constitution and most of the framers knew it."

Furthermore, our brilliant Constitution and its Bill of Rights, the basis of our on-going Union, could not have come out of the selfish, dissent-filled atmosphere that first pervaded the Convention. It would not have been successful had not Franklin stood and called for prayer. The success of both the Convention and the Constitution was a direct result of the delegates coming to prayer "every morning before proceeding to business."

Moreover, George Washington was also avidly involved in the importance of prayer. Numerous paintings show him in prayer; even the stained glass window in the U.S. Congress Chapel portrays him kneeling in prayer. In his inaugural Address, after his selection as the first President of the United States, he told Congress: "It would be peculiarly improper to omit, in this first official act, my fervent supplication to that Almighty Being, who rules over the universe, who presides in the counsels of nations, and whose providential aids can supply every human defect; that His benediction may concur to the liberties and happiness of the people of the United States. Every step by which they have advanced to the character of an independent nation, has been distinguished by some token of providential agency... We ought to be less persuaded that the propitious smiles of Heaven can never be expected on a nation that disregards the eternal rules of order and right, which Heaven itself has ordained."

For eight years Washington with the help of God wisely and skillfully guided this nation to a position from which it continued strength and development would be assured. In his farewell Address, Washington warned: "Of all the dispositions and habits which lead to political prosperity, religion and morality are indispensable supports." And yet with caution indulge the hypothesis that morality can be maintained without religion... reason and experience both forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail in exclusion of religious principle. This simply is not the case. In fact the phrase "wall of separation" is not found in the Constitution, nor is the term "separation of church and state." Thomas Jefferson used the phrase "wall of separation between church and state," in a letter written in 1802. There is ample historical evidence to prove that the original intent of our founding fathers is exactly what they wrote in. Far from being relevant to the Constitution and not what our courts and legislatures have interpreted it to mean in recent years.

Our forefathers were very adamant that government (the state) not be permitted to: (1) establish a federal, "state" religion, or (2) prohibit the free exercise of religion (according to the dictates of the individual conscience). Today there are those with their liberal ideology that have been successful in twisting the concept of the separation of church and state to mean separation of God from government. They have convinced us that church should not expose corruption and immoral legislation, and that Christians should not be active in "politics." They insist that the moral standards of God's law have no bearing on the law of our land. Yet the "atheists" have asserted their control over the churches! Actually, the Supreme Court and our Congress have violated the guarantees of the First Amendment! Though forbidden from establishing a "state" religion, the federal government is subsidizing the public schools of our nation with millions of dollars to teach

"humanism," which is defined as a religion in a 1961 Supreme Court ruling! Humanism is defined by Webster's Dictionary as a non-theistic, rationalist movement that holds that man is capable of self-fulfillment, ethical conduct, etc., without recourse to supernaturalism. Humanism can be described as the intellectual and spiritual movement that stemmed from the study of classical literature and culture during the Middle Ages and was one of the key factors giving rise to the Renaissance.

Also, though forbidden to prohibit the free exercise of religion, our Supreme Court and Congress have outlawed prayer and Bible reading from our schools, which used the Bible as the primary textbook from their inception. The First Amendment was required by the states in order to limit the power of the federal government, and to prevent it from establishing a national denomination, church, as existed in England. It was designed to protect state-established churches and preferred Christian denominations, since at the time of the First Amendment in 1791 over one third of the thirteen colonies had established churches. In his 1805 inaugural address, Jefferson clarified that his statement separation of church and state referred to the separation between

church and the Federal government. He was simply saying that the Federal government should not impose a church upon its people as England had done.

Thomas Jefferson's "wall of separation" phrase has now been grossly misinterpreted in its original context, but it has now been tragically misappropriated to mean separation of God from government. God has never been apart of government explain to my why the phrase, "In God We Trust," appears opposite the President of the Senate, who is the Vice President of the United States. The same phrase, in large words is inscribed in the marble, backdrops in the House of Representatives. Above the seal of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court are the Ten Commandments, with the American eagle protecting them. Moses is included among the great law givers in Herman A. MacNeil's marble sculpture group on the east front. The choir who opens each session closes with the words, "God save the United States and the Honorable Court." Engraved on the metal cap on the top of the Washington Monument are the words: "Praise by to God." Lining the walls of the stairwell are such biblical phrases as "Search the Scriptures," "Holiness to the Lord," "Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it." In the Library of Congress numerous quotations from Scripture can be found within its walls. One reminds each American of his responsibility to His Maker: "What doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and love mercy, and walk humbly with thy God" (Micah 6:8). Another, "The light shineth in the darkness, and the darkness comprehendeth it not" (John 1:5).

At the Lincoln Memorial millions have stood and gazed up at the statue of the great Abraham Lincoln. The sculptor who chiseled the features of Lincoln in granite all but seems to make Lincoln speak his own words inscribed in the walls: "...That this Nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, shall not perish from the earth." At the opposite end, on the north wall, his Second Inaugural Address alludes to God: "The "providence" of God, "Almighty" and "omnipotent" attributes to whom connotes, "As was said 3,000 years ago, it still must be said, "The judgments of the Lord

are true and righteous altogether." At the Jefferson Memorial on the south banks of Washington's Tidal Basin, Thomas Jefferson still speaks: "God who gave us life liberty, Can the liberties of a nation be secure when we have removed a conviction that those liberties are the gift of God? Indeed I know not what else to say. I reflect that God is just, that his justice will not sleep forever." Senator Byrd cited these words of Jefferson as "a forceful and explicit warning that to remove God from this country will destroy it."

Bernie Franklin clearly expressed the need to include Christian principles

in public aspects of our nation when he stated: "He who shall introduce into public affairs the principles of primitive Christianity will change the face of the world. We must return to the place where we believe this wholeheartedly. We had Christian principles in government and experienced benefits. To choose the better way is as easy as having no choice: Christian principles in government benefit everyone. We must return to our roots."

(Editor's Note: Andrew Lell, is the grandson of Bro. Carl Dennis, pastor at Mt. Vernon Church of Nazarene.)

Vanzant participates in clerk's education program

Circuit Court Clerk Teresa Vanzant participated in the Circuit Court Clerks' continuing education program held June 16-18, 1999 at the Radisson Plaza Hotel in Lexington. The program was organized by Administrative Office of the Courts.

The Circuit Court Clerks' Association Education Committee helped develop an agenda for the conference which included a variety of topics. Of particular interest to the clerks this year was a discussion of election finance laws, presented by Rosemary Center, general counsel for the registry of election finance. Other topics included an in-depth discussion of the legislative and budget process;

Hospice Benefit Festival Auction July 24th

The Annual "Music in the Air"

Benefit Festival for Hospice Care Plus on Saturday, July 24 at Indian Fort Theater in Berea will feature a Live Auction, Jakie Rowlette, Festivities Coordinator has obtained Auction services from the office of

John W. Gilliam & Associates for this portion of the event. The Auction will begin at 11:00 a.m. located in the lower grove of the shady Indian Fort Theater.

Festival volunteers and Hospice

Staff are actively collecting donated items for the auction.

If you would like to make a donation for this event call Betty Jo Foster, Hospice Care Plus Chair Person at 256-3377 for pick up of your donations.

All proceeds will go to the Hospice Care Plus organization, a member of the United Way of the Bluegrass, to help care for the terminally ill. Mark your calendar for Saturday, July 24. Come out and help make the event a success.

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So you think you know where your money goes? Well, financial experts say that most people spend about 20 percent more than they think they do. One of the first steps to financial stability is knowing how you spend your money. Here are some tips to keep track:

1. Write it down in a small notebook for at least a month.
2. Save receipts and write what you bought on them.
3. If you have a checking account, use checks, for all purchases above \$10.
4. Record all checks and ATM withdrawals in your check register.
5. Give yourself and all members of the family a small weekly allowance. If you keep track of the total amount, you won't need to account for how every penny was spent.

At the end of the month identify the following:

- Where does most of your money go?
- Are there areas where you're surprised by how much you're spending?
- Are there areas where it would be easy to cut back?

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