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Over 100 awards presented at annual event ♦ Page 5



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Special session starts Monday

Gov. Steve Beshear is calling the legislature back into session starting Monday, seeking a compromise that will lead to a two-year state budget. The legislature adjourned this spring without completing a budget. Rep. Mike Cherry of Princeton says he will give back his pay for the special session. Gov. Beshear has presented a compromise budget, which he outlines in an op-ed piece in this week's Press on page 2.



Author to speak to seniors next week

Author Michael Freeland of Hopkinsville will be at the Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center at noon Thursday, May 27 to discuss his book, *Blood River to Burlin*. He will have books there for sale and will personalize them. Freeland was a medic in World War II and has written about his experiences. He currently resides in Hopkinsville.



Marion High grads gather on July 3

The 30th annual Marion High School all-class reunion will be held Saturday, July 3 at Marion Country Club. The event begins with tall tales at 3 p.m., and dinner will be a 5. No reservations are required. The classes of 1940 and 1950 will receive special recognition. The Fohs Hall Memory Room will be open on July 3.

Academic banquet is Thursday night

The Crittenden County High School Academic Banquet is at 6 p.m., Thursday at the school multi-purpose room.

County approves budget for 2010-11

Crittenden County Fiscal Court approved the county's \$6.9 million budget Tuesday. The spending plan includes a projected carryover of about \$124,000, much more than in recent years.

Meetings & More

- ✓ Crittenden-Livingston Water District's meeting has been moved from May 24 to 7 p.m., Tuesday, May 25.
- ✓ Crittenden County Board of Education will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday at Rocket Arena.
- ✓ Crittenden Hospital Board of Directors will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday at the CHS Annex.

ON THE WEB News Blog Poll

This week's poll on The Press' Breaking News Blog asked readers: "What do you do on Sundays? (Multiple answers accepted)?" Here is what 137 respondents said:

- Attend Church 92 (67%)
- Rest and Relax 90 (65%)
- Recreational Activities 34 (24%)
- Work 20 (14%)

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Newcom wins in landslide

GOP nominee faces 3-way race in fall

BY CHRIS EVANS
PRESS EDITOR

Four of the six magisterial seats on the Crittenden County Fiscal Court will not change over the next four years, and GOP newcomer Perry Newcom is riding a large wave of support toward the fall general election in the widely watched judge's race. Newcom, a 46-year old Southern States Farm Supply Store owner, captured almost 60 percent of the votes cast in a three-way race for the Republican nomination for judge-executive. At his victory celebration at Thom's Sweet Shoppe in Marion following Tuesday's balloting, Newcom received the official endorsement of two-term Judge-Executive Fred Brown, who is not seeking re-election.

"It's obvious that the party is behind him and I believe people as a whole think that Perry will do a great job," said Brown, a Republican.

"I was surprised by the margin of victory," said Brown, who himself won by similar measure in a special election in 2004 and was unopposed four years ago.

Two-term Magistrate Greg West ran second with 21 percent of the 1,284 votes cast in the judge's race. Mike McConnell, a farm owner and school bus driver, was third with 20 percent of the vote.

Newcom received 763 votes, or 242 more than the other two candidates combined.

"I congratulate him. He ran an excellent campaign and I hope the best for him," said West, who didn't completely rule out local politics in the future after having served eight years as the District 5 magistrate.

"This was a blow," he said. "I will have to let the dust settle and see where I am in my life



GOP judge-executive nominee Perry Newcom is congratulated by Ramona Ford, his campaign treasurer, during a victory celebration Tuesday night at Thom's Sweet Shoppe in Marion.

when it rolls around again."

West said Newcom was the "establishment's candidate" and drew broad support from that base.

"He was the candidate – the pick of those who are the pickers," West said, "and I was not. I knew that."

Newcom said his campaign developed a plan early in the race and stuck to it. The strategy included targeting registered GOP voters and holding community meetings across the county.

"I tried to talk to every regis-

tered Republican voter, and for the most part I did. There were some who were not at home and some I couldn't track down, but not too many," Newcom explained.

Newcom is a newcomer to local politics while his opposition was firmly established at the courthouse. West has served two terms on the fiscal court, his brother is a constable and his father once ran for public office.

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Tuesday's Winners
In countywide primary races



Perry Newcom
GOP for Judge-Executive
Will face opposition in general election against Democrat Larry Hearrell and Independent Ken Floyd



Brad Gilbert
GOP for Coroner
No Democratic opposition in general election



Rick Mills
Democrat for Jailer
Will face opposition in general election against incumbent Rick Riley

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General Election
Will be held on Nov. 2
Deadline to register to vote in general election
4 p.m., Oct. 4
Deadline to File
For non-partisan races
4 p.m., Aug. 10

OTHER WINNERS
Magisterial Races

District 1 Republican
JEFF ELLIS
Faces general election opposition against Democrat Danny Fowler

District 2 Democrat
CURT BUNTIN
No general election opposition from Republican Party

District 3 Republican
GLENN UNDERDOWN
No general election opposition from Democratic Party

District 5 Republican
WAYNE WINTERS
Faces general election opposition against Democrat Donnetta Travis

District 5 Democrat
DONNETTA TRAVIS
Faces general election opposition against Republican Wayne Winters

District 6 Democrat
DAN WOOD
No general election opposition from Republican Party

Relay surpasses fundraising goal



Relay for Life's opening survivors' lap got things started Friday night at Marion-Crittenden County Park. Pictured below right is the Hamilton family and friends (from left) Morgan Duff, Jeff Duff, Beverly Sherrell, Franklin Hamilton and Mary Fritts with a check for \$1,200, the money raised from a yard sale in honor of the late Taina Hamilton.



Hamilton family covers grief with fundraising

Counting the money raised for Relay for Life was a bittersweet event for one local family. Taina Hamilton's family was surrounded by friends Friday night as they counted out almost \$2,000 toward the event's \$32,000 total purse. The Hamiltons and friends had dedicated the last few days leading up to Relay to Taina, a 48-year-old Relay supporter, who died unexpectedly on April 22, three weeks prior the American Cancer Society's annual fundraising extravaganza at Marion-Crittenden County Park. "She would have been here participating," said Beverly Sherrell, one of Hamilton's co-workers at Crittenden Hospital. "This is one way we could feel like she was still here helping." Her family held a yard sale in the days leading up to Relay, selling her belongings and donating all

of the money to fight cancer. Her husband, Franklin, and her son, Jeff, were among those at the Relay carrying the mantle like she'd have wanted. In her name, they collected coins, accepted donations and sold items in order to fulfill her wish of being part of the Relay effort. "It just speaks a lot for the type of person she was," Sherrell said. Hamilton had worked tirelessly for Relay because her friend Mary Fritts is a cancer survivor. Ironically, Fritts is her husband's ex-wife. Relay organizers say this year's event was a huge success, eclipsing its goal by almost \$5,000. Sue Padgett, who chaired the event along with



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KY House should be held accountable for failures

Our problems in fighting for religious freedoms, high moral standards and better education are not just in Washington, but also in our Kentucky House of Representatives, which was demonstrated in this past session.

The Bible tells us over and over to be vigilant, watchful on all sides.

If we as citizens, and certainly as Christians, do not care enough to hold politicians responsible for the laws and policies they put on us, or fail to give us, then we deserve what we get. Left to their devices, we usually get the worst and not the best.

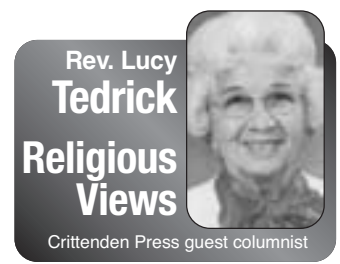
We all are to be diligent in watching over everything that affects our lives in every aspect of it, especially when we not only will benefit or suffer. We are paying the bills, and not just the politicians' salaries and perks, with our hard earned money, but paying with our own well being and happiness.

House Bill 440, a state

constitutional amendment that would re-establish the primacy of religious freedom for all citizens in the face of the heightened judicial encroachment demonstrated by court rulings of the last two decades, died in the House without even a hearing. This is unbelievable.

The Bible Literacy Bill, or Senate Bill 142, established a public school social studies course that familiarizes students with the content, characters, poetry and narratives of the Bible, recognizing that such exposure is essential to a proper understanding of contemporary society and culture, including literature, art, music, mores, oratory and public policy. It passed the Senate 37-1, then died in House without even a hearing.

The Ultrasound Bill, or Senate Bill 38, would have required that abortionists offer to turn the ultrasound screen around so that the woman could see her unborn child. It also would



have provided face-to-face counseling instead of the tape-recorded messages that some use. It passed in the Senate 32-4, then died in a House committee with 7-7 tie vote.

This bill was amended into several House bills in order that it might have a second chance of passing in the House, but the powerful 10 leaders in the House would have no part of it.

The Public Decency Act, House Bill 413, would have banned total nudity in sex businesses and prevented patrons from groping or touching performers. Already 116 of Kentucky's 120 county governments have

implemented such standards. This bill died in the House without a hearing.

Public School Academies, or House Bill 63, would have created an alternative for parents who wanted another public school option for their children. As it is, 45 percent of Kentucky's college-bound seniors are taking remedial classes. Supporters believe this would raise standards. This died in the House without a hearing.

The Intellectual Freedom Act, or House Bill 397, used language similar to a bill approved in Louisiana last year. It would have encouraged local school officials to foster an environment that promoted objective discussion of the strengths and weaknesses of scientific theories such as evolution, the origins of life, global warming and human cloning. However, it died in the House without a hearing.

The Taxpayer Transparency Act, or Senate Bill 40, requires state agencies to

provide their budgets on the Internet. If passed, the bill would have brought about more accountability and transparency in government. It passed the Kentucky Senate on Feb. 2 by a vote of 37-0, then died in the House without a hearing.

Kentucky taxpayers need to be asking their Kentucky House of Representatives, who we hire to do our bidding, what is going on up there because the Senate understands and the House does not.

We need to demand of House leadership a reason as to why they are not giving hearings on these important bills and bringing them to a vote. We need to know why the other House members stand back and let them get away with this.

Now we are told that the legislature is being called back for a special session. This is a good time to ask them, "What in the world for?"

The Gambling Amend-

ment Resolution, House Concurrent Resolution 180, requires the General Assembly to follow the constitutional amendment process, which is the law, in order to expand gambling. This includes allowing all the people to ratify or reject any new gambling policy proposal the legislature advocates. But as usual, the House would not even give it a hearing.

So is the extra session – which we all have to pay for – just more time for the governor to do some arm twisting to try to ram through expanded gambling in his proposed budget, which was defeated twice in the regular session?

My information for this article can be found at The Kentucky Citizen Web site, www.kentuckyfamily.org.

Rev. Tedrick is a Marion minister. She shares her views weekly in this newspaper. Her opinions are her own, and are not necessarily those of the newspaper.

Governor calls for House, Senate compromise on May 24

BY STEVE BESHEAR
GOVERNOR OF KENTUCKY

If we don't have a state budget come July 1, Kentucky families and businesses across the Commonwealth are going to suffer.

As governor and elected leader of this state, I refuse to sit quietly and watch our families be deprived of the services and programs they need to survive this tumultuous economy and prepare themselves and their children for the future.

That's why I'm coming forward yet again to try to help the General Assembly resolve its differences and reach agreement on a budget that addresses a \$1.5 billion shortfall while preserving as best we can our priorities.

Ever since the legislative session came to a close on April 15 without a budget, I've been meeting privately with leadership in both the House and the Senate, urging them to reconcile the last few issues that seem to be preventing agreement.

Recently they admitted they were stuck and suggested I come forward with a tangible plan that could break the impasse.

So that's what I've done.

Let me be clear: My plan is not a new budget.

We are not starting from

scratch.

This proposal is a reasonable compromise that represents my understanding of both the areas of general agreement between the House and the Senate and the major concerns that divide them. Those concerns, primarily, are levels of debt and funding levels for priority areas, chiefly the K-12 education programs funded by the formula known as SEEK.

The proposal meets the basic needs of our people over the next two years, but it is predicated on the understanding that the General Assembly is not willing to raise significant new recurring revenues at this time.

The proposal:

Does not rely on any new taxes, which neither our families nor our businesses could handle.

Cuts most state agency budgets as the Senate proposed by 3.5 percent in Fiscal Year 2011 and 4.5 percent in Fiscal Year 2012, as compared to Fiscal Year 2010. But it makes much smaller cuts to priority areas such as education, health care for our most vulnerable and public safety.

Funds the House-proposed SEEK per pupil guarantee of \$3,845 in Fiscal Year 2011 and

\$3,881 in Fiscal Year 2012.

Maintains the required classroom instructional days at 177 for both years of the biennium. Two of those days were in question. Under this proposal, the state would fund one of those days and the local school districts the other.

Limits debt by bonding for a limited number of projects to honor prior commitments, address critical needs and create jobs. The proposed \$441 million in projects – including state equalization funding for 14 Category 5 school building projects – would be the lowest amount of General Fund-supported bonds in a biennial budget since 1996.

•Is a biennial budget that gives agencies, schools and local governments that rely on state funding the certainty they need to plan for those two years.

Continues efforts to shrink state government through efficiencies, contract spending cuts, reduction in non-merit personnel spending and other strategies.

Addresses the state's skyrocketing Medicaid costs while including the significant cost containment measures in my original budget proposal.

•Reduces our structural imbalance

by about \$400 million.

And carries forward \$279 million from Fiscal Year 2011 to Fiscal Year 2012 to mitigate deeper cuts.

Do I like this budget?

No, I don't.

The budget I proposed last January was far better for the citizens of the commonwealth because it used video lottery terminals at our racetracks to create significant new recurring revenues to better fund our priorities.

Any budget that emerges from this process will be disappointing and difficult because of the \$1.5 billion shortfall we must address ... but an austere budget is better than no budget at all.

And this proposal is a reasonable compromise on the remaining issues dividing the House and the Senate.

I will be calling the General Assembly into special session on May 24 to pass a budget. The call will include the Executive Branch Budget, the Transportation Cabinet Budget, the Biennial and Six-Year Road Plans, and a revenue-related bill that both the House and Senate relied upon to balance the budget.

I strongly urge the House and

Senate to sit down immediately and reach an agreement, either using this proposal or some variation of it, and be prepared to act on it by May 24.

Let me stress that we must enact a budget by June 1 so we do not miss the opportunity to capture \$113 million in debt service savings from restructuring bonds and other savings.

I see no reason why the special session should last longer than five days, the minimum amount of time to pass a piece of legislation.

The consequences of inaction – for Kentucky and for Kentuckians – are unacceptable, and I am doing everything in my power to avoid that scenario.

However, in the end, only the House and Senate can pass a budget under the law. It is their responsibility to get the job done, and the citizens of Kentucky will neither forgive nor forget a failure to do so.

Governor Steve Beshear is serving his first term as governor of Kentucky. This op-ed piece is being published at the request of his office.

Letters to the Editor

Reader thanks those who have helped at Walk

To the Editor:

The Veteran's Walk of Honor committee would like to thank Mr. Jeff Ellis and the Rogers Group for their recent contribution of 300 tons of gravel to be used on the new parking lot under construction at the Blackford Walking Trail.

In the past, Mr. Ellis and Rogers Group have donated over 260 tons of rock to help construct the site for the Veterans Walk of Honor Monument.

Last but not least, they have provided a 20 x 30-foot tent to help provide shade and comfort to the 200-300 people who attend our Memorial Day weekend and Veterans Day services.

The Woodman of The World will be providing the American flag for our service this year at 2 p.m., May 29. We salute these gentlemen for their patriotism and their generosity. It is with the deepest humility and pride that we accept these donations on behalf of the 500 plus veterans who have a brick in our memorial.

We also thank the many other donors whose names are too numerous to mention for their generosity and patriotism. A very special thank you to Judge-Executive Fred Brown and the workers of the Crittenden County Road Department.

Brenton H. Witherspoon
Blackford, Ky.

State police ask for help in fight against underage drinking

To the Editor:

We are nearing the time when many young people will celebrate a

lifetime of accomplishments as they graduate from high school and move toward their life goals. Family and friends will gather together for a festive occasion to commemorate this awesome milestone.

Traditionally, this is also a time when alcohol enters into the mix and brings tragic results for all involved. Alcohol is the most commonly used drug among American youth and it kills 5,000 teens every year.

Some consider underage drinking a rite of passage. In Kentucky, we consider it against the law. Last year, 4,014 teenagers under the age of 20 were arrested for driving under the influence and 22 of those were under the age of 14.

Think about \$750 million. That's a lot of money. It's the amount that was offered to purchase the Facebook Internet domain. It is the amount of funding NASA requested to send a solar probe to the sun. It is the gross domestic product of Turkey.

It is also how much underage drinking costs Kentucky taxpayers every year.

With the continued emphasis on our state budget to conserve every dollar, it is more important than ever to reduce the financial burden that underage drinking places on our stretched-thin state.

As a state trooper, I have seen first-hand the consequences that result from youth alcohol related incidents, including driving under the influence, underage drinking parties and alcohol poisoning. Any law enforcement officer will tell you that notifying a parent that their child has been killed in a senseless accident is one of the hardest things we must do.

As a father, I implore parents to talk to children about the dangers of underage drinking. Sixty-five percent of kids who drink alcohol say they get it from their own home. As parents, we are the greatest influence in our children's lives. The more you connect with them, the less likely they will be to give in to peer pressure.

It is my sincere hope that we all will celebrate the achievements of our Kentucky youth during gradu-

tion 2010. Please join with me in making every effort to let our children know the dangers of underage drinking and where we stand on this important issue.

Lt. David P. Jude
KY State Police Headquarters
Frankfort, Ky.

Thanks for your help at Salem

To the Editor:

We would like to say thank you to every business, person and organization that supported the Salem Garden Club in celebrating Salem's Bicentennial. This event had been in the planning for the last year. With 42 vendors present, it was our largest event ever. As we began to set up early in the morning, people who are not even members of the garden club, fire department or employed by the city began to stop and help set up canopies. I saw community spirit in all of them. Congratulations to Chairperson Marty Kaiser for a job well done.

Happy 200th Birthday Salem!

Janet Hughes
Salem, Ky.

Trinity is indeed in the Bible that I own

To the Editor:

I recently visited a church outside of Marion and had a discussion with the pastor regarding the Fleur De Li's, which is a flower symbolizing the Trinity, also known as the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. He informed me and my wife that the Trinity was not in the King James Bible. I stated that it was in fact in the Bible.

The pastor then wished to place a \$100 bet with me on the Bible. He told me and my wife that I would have to prove it was in there to him. During our conversation, he quoted a passage from the book

of Matthew defining the Trinity and still stating that the Trinity is not in the Bible.

After the bet was made, the pastor said the Bible's concordance doesn't count. However, my description of the Trinity wasn't coming from there, but in fact from the biblical encyclopedia within my Bible – much different from the concordance, he was talking about during our discussion.

I have had this Bible ever since I attended Rev. Lucy Tedrick's Christian School, which was a very good school to attend. I know Rev. Tedrick and I don't see eye to eye on a lot of issues with her, but her school taught me a lot about the Bible and I do appreciate it and always have.

All I ask is, look up Trinity in the Thompson Chain Reference Bible, King James Version, and pastor, you might be surprised that I was right, because if Trinity doesn't mean the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, I guess halt or wait doesn't mean stop or yield either. If in fact that is the way things truly are...

I look forward to any insight from other pastors. Thank you.

Eric Tabors
Salem, Ky.

Teachers have logistics of zoo trip to science

To the Editor:

I would like to commend our Crittenden County kindergarten teachers. I recently had the pleasure of transporting their classes to the Evansville zoo. I was impressed with the organization of the teachers. The children were dressed in matching colors to identify each group; therefore, ensuring they would be easy to spot and keep up with.

When we arrived at the zoo, there were numerous other schools there with children of similar age as our students. They were not

dressed in group colors and were difficult to identify.

Our teachers also had made name tags for each child, and included on them what each student would eat for lunch. The children were very well behaved on the bus ride to and from Evansville, and we returned with the same number of students we left with. That was a big accomplishment.

Our teachers have a tough job and are underpaid. Please take the time to let your child's teacher know how much you appreciate everything they do.

Tina Gass
Marion, Ky.

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Above, Allyson Bradham, Tessa Potter and Seth Guess watch as Jenna Newland opens some of the prizes Elmer's Glue sent Angel McDonald's morning preschool class for winning the poetry contest. Below, teacher's assistant Angie Way and parent volunteer Denise Guess share the excitement with Pari's Anderson, Hannah Long, Allyson Bradham and Alyssa Woodall as they open more classroom supplies.

CCES preschool class wins poetry contest

Angel McDonald's morning preschool class had a very exciting surprise last week when they found out the poem they wrote as a class won the Elmer's Glue Crew poem writing contest.

As a result of winning, each student received pencils, markers and of course glue.

The following is their winning poem:

"We want to keep the world clean" by Angel McDonald's morning preschool class

*We want to keep the world clean
I want to clean the whole world
Everyone can work together
We can all be friends forever*

*Put our toys up every day
Clean dishes as we work and play
Help our dads if they need help
Work together as a team*

*Throw trash and garbage in the can
We can! We can! We can! We can!
Everyone can work together
We can all be friends forever*

The students who collaborated on the poem are Pari's Anderson, Evan Belt, Wyatt Hodge, Marissa Stoltzenberg, Alyssa Woodall, Harvey Yoder, Vega Maxfield, Hannah Long, Levi Piper, Seth Guess, Natalie Boone, Marley Phelps, Jenna Newland, Allyson Bradham, Brayden Williamson, Tessa Potter and Abi Bragdon.



PHOTOS BY PAMELA STRINGER



Take me out to the ball game

Gabe Mott and Kyle Boone, both 7, practice their major-league style home-run-saving catches the fence during a Rookie League practice session last week at Marion-Crittenden County Park.

PHOTO BY CHRIS EVANS

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SUPER NICE NEIGHBORHOOD - Very nice brick 4 bdr, 2 bath, lots of kitchen cabinets, dining area, full basement w/kitchen. Attached 2 car garage and detached garage. Close to city limits. Appointment only. go

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NICE & NEAT - Clean 2 bdr brick home well maintained, spacious bedrooms, some hardwood floors, eat-in kitchen and central heat & air, big lot and detached garage, \$59,000.00. hh

NEED TO LOOK AT - This 2 bdr, 1 bath home w/central heat/air, new metal roof, storage shed, 2 + acres. Moving. Owner want's offer.

READY TO MOVE INTO - 3 bdr, 2 full baths, kitchen, living rm/dinning rm combo, metal roof, central heat/air, 1 car attached garage, large deck, 2 car metal carport, 24x32 pole type bldg. & enclosed storage bldg. Home is selling completely furnished. Lawn mower, hand tools. Won't last long. Reduced to \$125,000.00. dg

CLOSE TO SCHOOL - 2 or 3 bdr home w/ 2 bathrooms, dining rm, full basement, storage rm, 2 car carport, covered cooking area & large storage bldg. \$59,000.00. rd

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Obituaries

Chester

Emma Dorothy Harrison Chester, 87, of Marion, formerly of Gallatin, Tenn., died Wednesday, May 12, 2010 at Salem Springlake Care Center.

Surviving are her grandchildren, Tim and wife Mandi Harrison of Marion and Tommy and wife Regina Harrison of Princeton; and great-grandchildren, Dani, Maggie, Quentin and Kristen Harrison.

Preceding her in death were her husband, Thomas Oscar Harrison; children, John and Roy Harrison; and two brothers.

Funeral services were Sunday, May 16 at Family Heritage Funeral Home in Gallatin, Tenn. Burial was at Sileom Missionary Baptist Cemetery in Westmoraland, Tenn.

Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion was in charge of local arrangements.

Millikan

Mildred Pearl Millikan, 51, of Eddyville died Sunday, May 16, 2010 at her residence.

She was a housewife.

Surviving are her sons, James E. Millikan of Eddyville, Roy Wayne Millikan and Thomas Millikan, both of Marion; a sister, Brenda Fox of Belton, Ky.; brothers, Roy Hazel of Morganfield and David Hazel of Henderson; a half brother, Gordon Hazel of Marion; a half sister, Katrina Hazel of Marion; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Gordon and Dorothy Kennedy Hazel; her husband James "Clem" Millikan; and a grandchild.

Funeral services were Wednesday, May 19 at Myers Funeral Home in Marion. Burial was at Frances Cemetery.

Hurley

Mildred Lorene Hurley, 89, of Carrsville died Sunday morning, May 16, 2010 at Livingston Hospital in Salem.

She was of the Pentecostal faith.

Surviving are two sons, Dwayne Hurley and Deon Hurley, both of Carrsville; two brothers, Alvin McDonald of Carrsville and Trice McDonald of Salem; four grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her son, Don R. Hurley; three brothers, Lawson, Gordon and Joe McDonald; a sister, Tula Nelson; and her parents, Arthur and Grace Belt McDonald.

Funeral Services were Wednesday, May 19 at the chapel of Boyd Funeral Directors with Pastor Chris McDonald officiating. Burial was at Carrsville Cemetery.

Howard

Billy C. Howard, 80, of Smithland, formerly of Salem, died Friday, May 14, 2010 at Crittenden Hospital in Marion.

Howard attended Potter's House Baptist Worship Center in Smithland. He was a veteran of the Korean War and retired from Arkema after 33 years of service. He was also an auctioneer with Belt Auction and Realty for 25 years.

Surviving are his sons, Michael Howard and wife Joy of Gilbertsville and Mark Howard and wife Heidi of Salem; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Howard was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Howard; two brothers; and a sister. He was the son of Bradley Brown and Tressie Wring Howard.

Funeral services were Monday, May 17 at the chapel of Boyd Funeral Directors in Salem with Rev. Fred Lowrance officiating. Burial was at Tyner's Chapel Cemetery.

Gilland

Jerry Glenn Gilland, 60, of Marion died Monday, May 17, 2010 at Crittenden Hospital.

Gilland was a former Crittenden County jailer, a veteran of the United States Army and member of Second Baptist Church. He was originally appointed county jailer then won the 2002 election and served about a year and half before resigning.

Surviving are his wife, Rose McNeely Gilland of Marion; a son, Stuart Gilland of Campbellsville, Ky.; daughters, Sandy Jennings and Susan Gilland, both of Marion; a brother, Tommy Gilland of Murfreesboro, Tenn.; and sisters, Linnie Holloman and Mary Jones, both of Marion; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Tom and Vancie Gipson Gilland.

Funeral services are at 11 a.m., Thursday, May 20 at the Myers Funeral Home in Marion with Rev. Danny Starrick officiating. Burial will be at Mapleview Cemetery.

Heady

Paul Davis Heady, 70, of Crittenden County died Sunday, May 16, 2010 at Deaconess Hospital in Evansville, Ind.

He grew up around the Blackford community and graduated from Clay High School in 1957. He worked as a coal miner for 27 years and retired from Peabody Camp 2 in 1995. Heady was a member and Deacon of Sullivan Baptist Church. He was also a Mason and active in the Wheatcroft Masonic Lodge. Following retirement he was instrumental in the completion of the Veteran's Memorial Walk of Honor and Blackford Bridge Project, donating land and access to the bridge. He was a fisherman, hunter, trapper,

farmer, gardener and master sorghum maker.

Surviving are his wife of 51 years, Frieda; their children, Ronnie Heady and Tanya, and her husband Terry Simpson, all of Crittenden County; grandchildren Travis and wife Tiffany Simpson, Amber Heady, Megan Heady and Kelsey Simpson; sisters Bobbie Witherspoon of Marion and Nancy and husband Dennis Lacy of Marion; a brother, Marshall and wife Katie Heady of Blackford; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, George Robert and Carrie Olean Heady; a brother Doug Heady; and granddaughter, Sarah Simpson.

Funeral services are at 11 a.m., Thursday, May 20 at Sullivan Baptist Church with Rev. Noble Cobb and Rev. Daniel Wilson officiating. Burial will be at Rosebud Cemetery. Whitsell Funeral Home in Sturgis is in charge of arrangements. Visitation was Wednesday night at the funeral home and from 9 a.m., until service time at the church.

Ball

Kenneth L. Ball, 63, of Crawfordsville, Ind., died Saturday, May 15, 2010 in Crawfordsville.

Ball was born Jan. 13, 1947 in Marion to Cora Mae and James D. Ball. He lived in Penn Hall Group Home in Crawfordsville for over 20 years.

Surviving are his sisters, Sandra and husband Don Case of Alegen, Mich., and Barbara Polk of Portage, Ind.; brothers, Jimmy and wife Kay Ball of Portage, Danny Ball of Chesterton, Ind., and Leon Ball of Anahuea, Texas; sister-in-law, Donna Ball of Chesterton, Ind.; and several nieces, nephews and other family.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and a brother, Vernon O. Ball.

Funeral services were Tuesday, May 18 at Rees Funeral Home in Portage, Ind., with Rev. John Allen officiating. Burial was at Angelcrest Cemetery in Valparaiso, Ind.

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200 years and growing strong: Salem celebrates its bicentennial

Submitted by Janet Hughes

The City of Salem celebrated its 200th birthday on May 8. The Bicentennial Celebration was sponsored by the Salem Garden Club with the help of many businesses and organizations.

The pride of Salem was shining that day as kids enjoyed free entertainment and family and friends from afar came to celebrate.

Many politicians were on hand for the cake auction and parade. First place float entry went to Hunters Motorsports café, second place went to Farmers Bank and third place went to Cub Scouts Pack 51.

The grand marshalls of the parade were J.W. Clarke, Charles Taylor and Hazel Robertson, the three oldest citizens of Salem.

Because it was Mother's Day weekend, the garden club gave the first 100 mothers a free plant.

Chairperson Marty Kaiser worked for several weeks coordinating the day and reported over 40 vendors were on hand.

We are already looking ahead to our next project. The garden tour is scheduled for June 13 on Sunday afternoon.



Right, Club Scout Pack 51 won third place in the contest with its camping-theme float. Above, Farmer's Bank won second place with its 200th birthday cake float.



Hunter's Motorsport Cafe's float with a '50s soda shop theme won first place in the float contest.



Community Calendar

Thursday, May 20
•Crittenden County Elementary School will be having its transition day for students in grades kindergarten through fifth on Thursday, May 20 at which time students will spend the day in their assigned classroom for the next year. Entering kindergarten students need to arrive at 8:45 a.m., and be picked up at 10:45 a.m. There will be an informational session for parents starting at 9 a.m., lasting approximately 30 minutes. The session is not mandatory.
•The Crittenden Health Systems Auxiliary will meet at 4 p.m., May 20 in the hospital education room.
•The PACS Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center will be closed Thursday, May 20 for training.
•Crittenden County High School academic banquet is at 6 p.m., today (Thursday) at the CCHS multipurpose room.
•The Livingston County EMS is having an open house from 10 a.m., to 2 p.m., today (Thursday) at 1441 U.S. 60 East in Burna and at 1227 luka Road in Smithland.
•Marion United Methodist Church will be hosting a blood drive from noon to 5 p.m., today (Thursday).
Friday, May 21
•The Soles for Souls used shoe drive spearheaded by Holland Medical will end May 21. The collection effort has netted more than 700 pairs during the local, two-month effort.

• The PACS Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center will host bingo at 10:30 a.m., and chair exercises at 12:30 p.m., Friday.
Saturday, May 22
•The May orders of Angel Food can be picked up at noon on Saturday in the lobby of the Marion Baptist Family Life Center.
Monday, May 24
•Monday is the last day for Crittenden County schools.
•The PACS Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center will be having a trip to the Amish Community after lunch at 11:30 a.m., Monday.
Wednesday, May 26
•Preschool screening for Crittenden County Elementary School will be at 9 a.m., at CCES. Kindergarten screening will be at 1 p.m., at CCES.
•The PACS Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center will host blood pressure checks provided by Lifeline Home Health before lunch at 11:30 a.m.
Upcoming
•Fredonia Lions Club will host a barbecue at Fredonia's Legion ballpark from noon to 4 p.m., Saturday, May 29. Elbert Bennett will be cooking. Chicken will be \$5 for whole and \$3 for half, rack of ribs is \$15. To order, call Linda Bennett at 545-3305 or Hanna Brasher at

545-3347. All proceeds benefit Lions Club projects.
• The Veterans Walk of Honor will conduct its annual Memorial Day service at 2 p.m., May 29 at Blackford Church Road, off U.S. 60 about 13 miles east of Marion. Refreshments will be available.
• The 30th Marion High School reunion will be on Saturday, July 3 at the Marion Country club. Tall tales will be at 3 p.m., and dinner will be at 5 p.m. WA is the master of ceremonies. There will be special recognition of the classes of 1940 and 1950. The memory room at Fohs Hall will be open on July 3.

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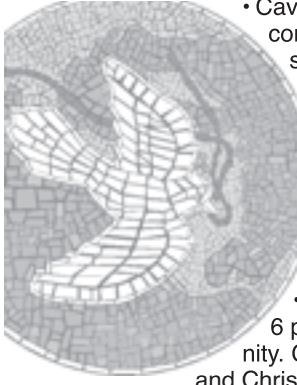
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Churchnotes



- Cave Springs General Baptist Church will be celebrating its 75th homecoming on Sunday with Sunday school at 10 a.m., and morning worship at 11 a.m. A noon meal will follow with Abundant Praise to sing in the afternoon.
- Cave Springs General Baptist Church will be having vacation Bible school from 9 a.m., to 3:30 p.m., June 5. The theme will be "Guide to the 10 Commandments." To pre-register or for more information, call Sharon Martin at 965-3766 or 704-0349.
- The 2010 Crittenden County High School graduates will be honored at 11 a.m., Sunday at Deer Creek Baptist Church. A meal will follow.
- The Deer Creek Baptist Church will host a "Dare to Care" event at 6 p.m., Sunday. The service will address drug issues in the community. Guest speakers include attorneys Brandi Rogers, Rebecca Johnson and Chris Moore, Pennyrile Narcotics Task Force chaplain. For more information, call 965-2220.

- Sulphur Springs Baptist Church, 528 Mexico Road, Marion, invites you to a pot luck dinner after morning services on Sunday. Come meet their new pastor and his wife, Bro. Jim and Vickie Compton.
- Shady Grove Baptist Church Bible school will be from 9 a.m., until 1 p.m., Saturday, with registration beginning at 8:30 a.m. It is open to ages 3 and up. A meal will be served after the school.
- Enon Church's vacation Bible school will be from 9 a.m., until 3:30 p.m., June 5. Preschool through high school-aged students are invited to attend. The theme is "I am a Promise." A family picnic will follow. The church van will run for pick up and drop off from Five Star in Marion at 8:20 a.m., and 5:20 p.m. To reserve a spot or for more information, call Mary Lynch at 952-5092.
- Sulphur Springs Baptist Church in Marion is hosting a potluck dinner after service on Sunday to welcome the new pastor, Bro. Jim Compton, and his wife, Vickie Compton.
- Shady Grove Baptist Church in Marion will be having vacation Bible school from 9 a.m., until 1 p.m., Saturday. Registration is at 8:30 a.m. Ages 3 and up are welcome.
- Harvest House UPC will have its annual friends and family day on May 30. Sunday morning service and Sunday school will start at 10 a.m., and food and fellowship will follow. There will be no evening service.
- Harvest House UPC invites everyone to worship for Pentecost Sunday. Services are at 10 a.m., and 6 p.m., Sunday.
- Mt. Zion Freewill Baptist Church in Salem is selling barbecue at 8 a.m., Saturday. Homecoming service will be at 3 p.m., Sunday. Bro. David Cozart will be the speaker.
- Miracle Word Church is sending eight teens on a mission trip to Mexico this summer. If you would like to sponsor or donate, please call 988-3844 or Bro. Joey at 836-9048. Contributions are tax-deductible.
- Hurricane Camp Meeting dates are June 7-13.
- Work Days for Hurricane Camp Meeting will be Saturday and June 5 at 9 a.m.
- Donations are needed for the care of Lovelace Chapel Cemetery. Please send donations to Thelma Kirk, 2028 U.S. 60 E., Salem, KY 42078. For more information, call 988-2356.
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Lula Mae Gostley Devotions

Crittenden Press guest columnist

meaningful and fulfilled or void of satisfaction. When the rich, young ruler asked Jesus what he should do to inherit eternal life, Jesus answered him. But the Bible says, "he went away sorrowful." Jesus wants each of us to experience abundant life, but we have to do it on His terms and in His way.

Jesus said, "I have come that they might have life, and they might have it more abundantly." John 10:10 Each Christmas we are able to watch Jimmy Stewart in "It's a Wonderful Life." At the end of the story he discovers that life indeed is worth living.

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He said, "Thou shalt have no other gods before me." When we serve the one true God and lend a hand to help our brother, life will be worth living.

The ultimate test for a meaningful life is to have a faith to live by. All too often we put our faith in people, possessions and pleasure. They satisfy for a brief period of time, but at the end we have to say with Solomon, "Vanity of vanities, all is vanity."

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Marion Days: A time for businesses to prosper

Back in 1931 the city of Marion wanted a way to promote and advertise its many places of business. It decided to have a special three-day event, which would be Nov. 14-17, and it would be called Marion Days. For this special event many of the businesses put special ads in The Crittenden Press. Many of them included some history of their stores. These ads are really special today because they tell us the history of our town 79 years ago.

From the files of The Crittenden Press Nov.13, 1931: **Yandell and Gugenheim is Oldest Store**

Yandell-Gugenheim Company, local dry goods dealers, has the oldest mercantile establishment in Marion, this business being well over 40 years old.

Years ago Samuel Gugenheim was the owner of a dry goods store here and Pierce and Yandell another. Several years before the beginning of the 20th century, these two stores were consolidated and became known as Pierce, Yandell and Gugenheim.

The Pierce referred to is the late J.P. Pierce, who later retired from the business, which since that time has gone under the firm name of Yandell-Gugenheim Company.

Partners in the business were W.B. Yandell, Samuel Gugenheim and R.B. Cook, who are assisted in the business by Samuel A. Gugenheim and Ernest Butler. Cook first became connected with the business about 35 years ago. Butler has been with the store 24 years.

Every individual connected with the store has for years been connected actively with community affairs and by their business policies they have won the warm friendship of their fellow citizens. Their store stands on one of the business corners in Marion.

Yandell-Gugenheim and Company has long been one of Marion's most successful stores and it is prophesied that continued good patronage will follow them.



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Cochran's Is The Oldest Hardware Business

T.H. Cochran and Company is the oldest hardware store in Crittenden County.

This business is well and favorably known throughout this entire trade territory, not only for the high grade of materials in which they deal but for the progressiveness and public spirited attitude of the owners, Cochran and L.E. Crider.

Assistants in the store are Clara Nunn, bookkeeper, Miley Hill and L.D. Little. Both Cochran and Crider are Kiwanians, and take a leading part in the work of that organization.

Cochran's store occupies two floors of their building on South Main Street. A large line of farming implements, stoves, kitchen ware, fencing, roofing and hardware staples is kept on hands at all times.

Carnahan Store On Court Square

Sam Carnahan, owner of a bargain store on the south side of the courthouse square, carries a half page advertisement announcing special sale prices beginning during Marion Days.

Carnahan has been in business here for many years. Until recently he was in business with Douglas Carnahan. On many Saturdays and on every county court day he holds auction sales in the courthouse yard or at his place of business on Carlisle Street.

Stewart's Store Is Always Busy

The Stewart Dry Goods Company, one of Marion's few cash stores, is always busy. Rarely does one find this store, which is located on Main Street, without cus-



Above, Yandell and Gugenheim Company Dry Good Store was located in Marion on East Carlisle Street, where the Greenwell and Frazer law office is located today. Pictured above are (from left) G.C. Gray, Sam Gugenheim, Louis Clifton, Bill Yandell (at case), Ernest Butler (middle) and Robert B. Cook Sr. (leaning against case). Above right, Mildred Moore (right) and Elvah Pickens are pictured in Moore and Pickens store on Carlisle Street. Right, pictured is the City Service Station on the corner of Main and East Bellville streets.

tomers. Their cash policy, which permits them to sell high-grade merchandise at "depression" prices and their consistent advertising campaign brings these customers to them.

Charles H. Stewart, owner of the store, has been operating his business under the present name for the past five years. Previous to that time he was in the dry goods business for four years in partnership with W.T. McConnell, vice president of the Farmers Bank and Trust Company. Assistants in the store are Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. E.L. Harpending. His stock includes dry goods, ready-to-wear, shoes and novelties.

R.S. Elkins Is Proprietor of Marion Hardware Company

The Marion Hardware and Grocery Company, the only such combination store in Marion, is holding a sale to close out the stock of hardware.

R.S. Elkins is owner of this store, which he moved early in the spring from Belleville Street to a Main Street location.



Until he entered the hardware business, Elkins had been in the coal business in Marion for a long time. His coal business is now owned and operated by S.H. Phillips.

Elkins's years of square dealing with the people of Crittenden County have won for him their confidence. He is assisted in his store by M.L. Morse, Paris Davidson and members of the Elkins family.

Moore and Pickens Have Beautiful Merchandise Line

An attractive line of ladies ready-to-wear and millinery is on display at all times in the store of Moore and Pickens on Carlisle Street.

This store was started a number of years ago by Mildred Moore and Elvah Pickens, now Mrs. Weems Croft and Mrs. Frank Bennett.

Since the establishment of the business, these two young ladies have had a satisfactory business due to the kind of merchandise they handle and to the personality they put into the management of their business.

Moore and Pickens store is neatly and attractively

arranged at all times and is artistically decorated.

Both Croft and Bennett are actively identified with local women's organizations.

Chevrolets Are Sold Here By W.W. Runyan

The present Chevrolet dealer, W.W. Runyan, first came to Marion from his former home in Alabama, 13 years ago, and was at first employed by a Crittenden County flourspar company.

In 1923, Runyan organized the W.W. Runyan Motor Company, which sold Hudson-Essex Cars.

This agency was continued after the firm name was changed to the R & D Motor Company, when Ray Daugherty purchased an interest in the business. Although Runyan has since bought out his partner, the name R & D Motor Company is still used.

Two months ago, Runyan gave up the Hudson-Essex agency to become the local Chevrolet dealer. More Chevrolet cars are sold in Crittenden County than any other make of automobile, with the possible exception of the Ford.

The dependability of this car and its low price make it popular.

City Service Station In Good Location

Probably the best location for a service station in Marion is that occupied by the City Service station on the Northeast corner of Main and Bellville streets.

This station, which sells Gulf products, has a nice patronage and is known for the courtesy shown to its customers. Owners of the business are P.R. Taylor and F.B. Nunn, two popular young businessmen.

Home Owned Grocery Has Big Trade

One of the biggest grocery businesses in Crittenden County is done by C.W. Grady at his store on South Main, where he has been in business since coming to Marion 10 years ago from Weston, where he formerly operated a general merchandise business.

Associated with Grady in the operation of his business are Aubrey Grady, Theodore Grady, Henry Mayes, Miss Orzilla Farmer, Miss Hazel Ward, Thomas Rushing, Duke Glore, Orville Grady and Delmar Mayes. The last two are only employed on Saturday and other busy days.

Grady's store is busy at all hours with its large volume of business. Grady consistently advertises high-grade merchandise at a low price range.

The Owl Makes Tasty Sandwiches

The Owl Sandwich Shop is "sandwich headquarters" of Marion and the vicinity. This place, owned and operated by Emmett Koltinsky with the assistance of his wife, makes a specialty of various kinds of sandwiches, chili, etc.

Until recently Mr. Koltinsky lived in California but nearly a year ago returned to his boyhood home and went into business here on Carlisle Street opposite the courthouse. The culinary products of the shop soon made it well known.

Legals

Legal Description:

A tract of land in Crittenden County, Kentucky, located on the West side of the Nunn Switch Road approximately One Forth mile East of its intersection with US Highway 60, bounded on the North by property of Cole and Cudnik and Birchwell, bounded on the West by property of Cowan, bounded on the South by property of Newcom, and is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a 1/2 inch steel concrete reinforcing bar with a plastic cap inscribed Jack Williams, PLS #1963, (rebar-set) in the Southerly right-of-way (R/W) of the Nunn Switch Road (road), and being S 46 deg. 35' 21" W 32.71' from a surveyors P-K nail (set) in the centerline of the road, said P-K nail being the Southeasternmost corner of Birchwell, and further being S 32 deg. 14' 21 W 274.92' from a surveyor's P-K nail (set) in the centerline of the road, said nail being Birchwell's Northeasternmost corner, thence along the Westernly R/W line of the road parallel with and 30 feet from its center

1. S 21 deg. 20' 35" E 43.93 feet, thence
2. S 15 deg. 22' 32" E 47.27 feet, thence
3. S 10 deg. 40' 50" E 77.98 feet, thence
4. S 07 deg. 06' 51" E 157.43 feet, thence
5. S 06 deg. 09' 54" E 237.54 feet to 1/2 inch rebar (set), a common corner of Morris and Newcom in the Westernly R/W of the road, thence leaving the R/W along a common boundary of Morris and Newcom
6. S 83 deg. 15' 00" W 558.20 feet to the center of a creek flowing to the South; thence upstream with the meanders of the creek
7. N 03 deg. 45' 30" E 64.15 feet, thence
8. N 08 deg. 35' 30" E 37.82 feet, thence
9. N 10 deg. 25' 56" E 37.10 feet, thence
10. N 26 deg. 34' 25" E 26.20 feet, thence
11. N 04 deg. 13' 20" W 54.77 feet, thence
12. N 10 deg. 20' 35" W 74.66 feet, thence
13. N 33 deg. 44' 07" W 91.83 feet, thence
14. N 41 deg. 36' 19" W 95.72 feet, thence
15. N 52 deg. 57' 26" W 122.55 feet, thence
16. N 28 deg. 12' 19" W 85.95 feet to an aluminum cap inscribed Jack Williams, PLS #1963 set in the rock bottom of the creek on the Northernly side of the old abandoned Marion-Sturgis Road, a common corner of Cowan, Cole and Cudnik, and Morris; thence leaving the creek along the Northernly side of the abandoned Marion-Sturgis Road, a common boundary of Cole and Cudnik and Morris
17. N 71 deg. 34' 18" E 217.96 feet to a steel fence post (found), an apparent common corner of Morris and Birchwell in Cole and Cudnik's Southerly boundary; thence along a common boundary of Morris and Birchwell 18. S 42 deg. 34' 56" 411.01 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar (set); thence continuing along a common boundary of Morris and Birchwell
19. N 39 deg. 50' 47" E 348.99 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar (set), the true Point of Beginning; Containing 6.51 acres and subject to legal highways and legal easements of record and in existence, A drawing titled Plat of Survey of Cecil W. Morris Property dated July 16, 1997 (Project No. 9750) is attached and

made a part of this description.

Bearings used in the foregoing description are based on the recorded bearing of monuments marking the Westerly boundary of the 2.06 acre tract of Newcom.

The foregoing description was prepared by Jack S. Williams, PLS #1963 from surveys made in the field under his supervision and completed in July 1997.

Being the same property conveyed to Ricky Graves and his wife, Cecilia Graves who acquired title, with rights of survivorship, by virtue of a deed from Cecil W. Morris and his wife, Regina L. Morris, dated August 1, 1997, filed August 4, 1997, recorded in Deed Book 178, Page 282, County Clerk's Office, CRITTENDEN County, Kentucky.

Address: 317 Nunn Switch Road, Marion, Kentucky 42064

Parcel Number: 087-00-00-024.04

Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highways and easements.

Commonly known as: 317 Nunn Switch Road, Marion, KY 42064

The description provided herein was provided by the parties and is contained in the Judgment and Order of Sale.

1.The Master Commissioner will sell same at public auction to the highest and best bidder at the Courthouse door for cash or a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

The successful bidder shall be required to give a bond with good surety for the unpaid purchase price with said bond bearing interest at 12 % per annum from the date of the sale.

In the event Plaintiff is the successful purchaser, Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit of its judgment against the purchase price and shall only be obliged to pay the Court costs, fees and costs of the Master Commissioner and any delinquent real estate taxes payable pursuant to the Order of Sale.

2.The Purchaser shall be required to assume and pay any ad valorem taxes and all taxes assessed against said property by any City, State, County or any school district which are due and payable at any time during

the year 2010 or thereafter. Said sale shall be made subject to: all easements, covenants and restrictions of record; assessments for public improvements; and any facts which an inspection and accurate survey may disclose. Said property shall be sold with the improvements thereon "as is".

3.The purpose of this sale is the satisfaction of a Judgment entered on April 16, 2010 on behalf of the Plaintiff, Wachovia Mortgage Corporation against the Defendants, Ricky L. Graves and Cecilia C. Graves et al, for the sum of \$59,322.00 plus interest on the principal sum at the rate of 11.05% per annum from May 28, 2009 until paid, plus costs and fees of this action, attorney fees, and sums advanced in payment of ad valorem taxes, insurance premiums, winterization or in preservation of the real estate

Dated this the 28th day of April 2010.

ALAN C. STOUT
MASTER COMMISSIONER, CRIT-
TENDEN CIRCUIT COURT
P.O. Box 81
Marion, KY 42064
(270) 965-4600
Fax: (270) 965-4848

LEGAL NOTICE
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WEALTH OF KENTUCKY
CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT
CASE NO. 09-CI-00181
JAMES D. MYERS AND
MERLE MYERS
PLAINTIFF
V.

CERATECH MEDIA INC.,
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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
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COUNTY OF CRITTENDEN, KEN-
TUCKY CITY OF MARION DEFEN-
DANTS

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of an Order of Default Judgment, Summary Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the Crittenden Circuit Court on April 16, 2010, I will on Friday, May 28, 2010 at the hour of 9:30a.m., prevailing time, at the Courthouse door in the City of Marion, Crittenden County, Kentucky, proceed to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, the real estate (hereinafter described and all the right, title, and interest of the parties hereto, to-wit:)

Property Description: Address: 307 S. College St., Marion, Kentucky 42064 Parcel: 058-20-32-005.00

A parcel of land located on the west side of South College Street approximately 117 feet south of the intersection of East Depot and South College Street, being in the town of Marion, Kentucky, lying in Crittenden County, Kentucky, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a set 1/2" iron rod and cap on the west right of way line of South College Street, said point being 117.00' south of the intersection of said right of way line with the south right of way line of East Depot Street, said point also being the southeast corner of Shirley Mae Hinchee, as described in deed book 183, page 4; Thence from said Point of Beginning and with the west right of way line of South College Street, S 03o 32'44" W a distance of 58.00 feet to a set 1/2" iron rod and cap, said point being on the north side of a 15.5' driveway owned by James and Merle Myers, as described in deed book 155, page 530; Thence, with the north line of Myers, N 86°05'29" W a distance of 75.00 feet to a found iron rod with no identification, said point being a common corner with Myers; Thence, with the east line of Myers, N 03o 32'44" E a distance of 58.00 feet to a set 1/2" iron

rod and cap, said point being a common corner with Myers and the aforementioned Hinchee property; Thence, with the south line of Hinchee, S 86°05'29" E a distance of 75.00 feet back to the Point of Beginning of the herein described tract;

The above-described parcel contains 0.10 acres more or less as surveyed under the supervision of Jacob C. Selph, Kentucky Professional Land Surveyor No. 3810, of Four Rivers Land Surveying on October 14th, 2008. See Plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.

All bearings referred to are based on magnetic north as observed on October 14th, 2008. All iron pins referred to as set in the above description are 18" long 1/2" ribbed steel rebar with a 1" plastic cap marked "FRLS LS 3810".

Also conveyed herein is an easement for the purpose of laying, constructing, and maintaining a water line across the west boundary line on Depot Street of the property conveyed to the grantors herein by Merle Efling, a single person, by Deed dated July 14, 1989 and recorded in Deed Book 155, at Page 530, Crittenden County Court Clerk's Office.

SOURCE OF TITLE: This being the same property conveyed to Ceratech Media, Inc., a Georgia Corporation, by James D Myers et ux, by Deed dated October 31, 2008 and recorded in Deed Book 212, at Page 735, Crittenden County Court Clerk's Office.

The description provided herein was provided by the parties and is contained in the Judgment and Order of Sale.

1.The Master Commissioner will sell same at public auction to the highest and best bidder at the Courthouse door for cash or a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

The successful bidder shall be required to give a bond with good surety

for the unpaid purchase price with said bond bearing interest at 12 % per annum from the date of the sale.

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3.The purpose of this sale is the satisfaction of a Judgment entered on April 16, 2010 on behalf of the Plaintiff against the Defendant, Ceratech Media, Inc., for the sum of \$43,900.44 plus interest at the rate of referred to in the promissory note until the date of Judgment; and interest at the statutory rate per annum from the date of Judgment until paid, release fee of \$9.00, costs and fees of this action, attorney's fees, and sums advanced in payment of ad valorem taxes, insurances premiums, winterization, or in preservation of real estate.

Dated this 28th day of April, 2010

Alan C. Stout, Master Commis-
sioner
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Chamber of Commerce
37th Annual Meeting*

**You are cordially invited to attend the
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**Cost per Chamber Member - \$25 • Non-Member - \$30
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**Dinner - Tuesday, June 1, 2010
6:30 p.m. - Fohs Hall Auditorium**

*Featured guest speaker is Kim Huston, author of "Home
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Manager & Economic Developer in Bardstown, KY.*

**Contact Susan Alexander, Chamber Executive Director
213 South Main Street, Marion, KY 42064
Phone: 270-965-5015 • Email: susan@crittendenchamber.org**

Swimming

Stingrays Swim Team starts June 1

The Marion Stingrays Swim Team will begin practice June 1 at Marion Country Club. Sign-ups will begin at 8:30 a.m., June 1, with practice each weekday at 8:30 a.m.

New members are welcome, and you do not have to be a member of the Country Club to participate. Registration fees are \$35 for non-Country Club members; \$25 for Country Club members; and \$5 off for each additional swimmer per family.

Sherry Frazer is a 21-year veteran coach, with assistance from Ann Greenwell and Kathleen Guess.

Swimmers ages four and older and welcome; however, young swimmers must have basic swimming ability or not be afraid of the water.

Meets will be scheduled through June, some at the local pool and some in surrounding counties.

For information, call Frazer at 704-0768.

District tourney starts Monday in Marion

The Fifth District Tournament kicks off Monday at Marion-Crittenden County Park.

The schedule for baseball is as follows:

Crittenden (seed 1) vs. Lyon (seed 4) at 5:30 p.m., Monday.

Livingston (seed 2) vs. Trigg (seed 3) at 7:30 p.m., Monday.

The championship will be played at 6 p.m., Tuesday.

The schedule for softball is as follows:

Livingston (seed 1) vs. Trigg (seed 4) at 5:30 p.m., Monday.

Lyon (seed 2) vs. Crittenden (seed 3) at 7:30 p.m., Monday.

The championship will be at 6 p.m., Tuesday.

Rocket Baseball Statistics	
Crittenden 10, Webster 0	
Webster	000 00 -0 3 3
Crittenden	008 02 -10 10 3
Gilbert and Gray; Lowry, Douglas (5) and Brown. 2B C-Pluskota. W-none. 3B C-Gray. W-none. HR C-Berry 5th and none on. W-none. WP Gilbert. LP Lowry. Records Crittenden 13-12, Webster 9-12.	
Ballard Memorial 20, Crittenden 7	
Ballard	351 56 -20 19 1
Crittenden	204 01 -7 8 2
Adams; Gough (4) and Prince; Oliver, Pluskota (4), Clark (5) and Gray. 2B B-Adams, Shelley. C-Oliver, Porter, Willis, 3B none. HR B-Gough 1st and 1 on, Abell 2nd and 2 on, Abell 3rd and none on. C-Porter 3rd and none on. WP Adams. LP Oliver. Records Ballard Memorial 19-12, Crittenden 16-13.	
Crittenden 13, Madisonville 12	
Madisonville	042 060 -0 12 13 5
Crittenden	102 220 6 -13 14 4
Pluskota, Porter (3), Clark (5), Gray (5) and Gray and Oliver (5); Huddleston, Hayden (7), Murphy (7) and Lykins. 2B C-Thornton, Pluskota M-Lutz, Young, Murdock. 3B none. HR C-Pluskota 1st and none on, Pluskota 4th and 1 on. M-Lutz 1st and 3 on. WP Gray. LP Murphy. Records Crittenden 15-12, Madisonville 12-14.	
Crittenden 10, Trigg 0	
Trigg	000 00 -0 5 1
Crittenden	222 13 -10 10 0
Oliver and Clark; Hunter, Stallions (5) and Sholar. 2B C-Porter. T-none. 3B none. HR C-Porter 4th and none on. T-none. WP Oliver. LP Hunter. Records Crittenden 14-12, Trigg 9-15.	

Upcoming games	
May 20	Baseball at Madisonville, 6 p.m. Softball at Dawson Springs, 5:30 p.m.
May 21	Baseball hosts Dawson Springs, 5 p.m. Softball hosts Webster, 5:30 p.m.
May 24-25	Baseball and Softball District Tournaments (see above schedules)
May 25-29	Track Regionals
May 30 - June 8	Baseball and Softball Regional Tournaments

Ballard stomps Rockets' 4-game winning streak

BY CHRIS HARDESTY
PRESS SPORTS WRITER

Ballard Memorial proved to be rude guests for the Rockets Monday at Gordon Blue Guess Field, pounding out 19 hits and ending their four-game winning streak with a 20-7 blowout.

The Bombers, who just finished competing in the Class A State Baseball Tournament a day earlier, got their offense started in the first inning with three hits and three runs, capping it off with a two-run homer for a 3-0 advantage.

But Crittenden (16-13) didn't blink in the bottom of the first as Casey Oliver doubled and Joey Pluskota walked to give them a golden scoring opportunity.

One batter later, hot-hitting Alex Porter smashed an RBI-double scoring both of them and trimming the lead to 3-2.

But the Bombers, who scored in every inning and were never retired in order, continued their hot hitting against Oliver in the second. They sent 10 men to the plate in that frame and added five more runs for an 8-2 lead.

Trailing 9-2 entering the home half of third, the Rockets attempted to continue to slug it out with the Bombers. Porter connected for a one-out solo homerun, cutting it to 9-3. Dylan Clark reached on a free pass, Dyllan Thornton was hit by a pitch and Brian Berry reached on an error to load the bases with only one out.

Designated hitter Bryce Willis laced an RBI-double scoring Clark and Thornton, making it 9-5. Berry came across to score on a sacrifice groundout by Justin Lee, cutting the deficit to 9-6.

Although Pluskota relieved Oliver to begin the fourth, Ballard's bats did not cool off one bit as they added five runs in the fourth to take a commanding 14-6 lead that was never threatened.

Rocket skipper Vince Clark pointed to both the first and second innings when his team was shaky in the field, giving the visitors extra chances.

"They are an exceptional team. It wasn't that we pitched badly," he said.

With the three home runs the Bombers hit and the one hit by Porter, it is one of the very few times in the existence of City-County Park that there have been that many homers in a high school contest.

Gilbert 7-0 as starting pitcher

Travis Gilbert improved to 7-0 as a starting hurler going 5 ½ innings at Hancock County Saturday as his team gave him plenty of run support in a 12-2 win in five innings.

With the victory, the eighth grader surpasses the six-game winning streak of former Rocket pitcher Jason Guess, who accomplished that feat in 2004.



Eighth-grade phenom Travis Gilbert hurls the ball in to catcher J.D. Gray during the win over Webster County. With that win and the win over Hancock County, Gilbert has a 7-0 starting pitcher record.

mer Rocket pitcher Jason Guess, who accomplished that feat in 2004.

Pluskota recorded his second straight game of connecting for two home runs as his team ran off its fourth consecutive win.

Leadoff hitter J.D. Gray also had a productive day, going 3-for-4, with two stolen bases and a pair of runs scored.

Crittenden puts Madisonville away in 3-hour game

In a marathon game that lasted 3 hours and 14 minutes, the wait was worth it for the Rockets as they scored six runs in the seventh inning to upset Madisonville 13-12 last Thursday at Gordon Blue Guess Field.

Pluskota had one of the best games of his varsity career going 3-for-4, with a pair of home runs, while also reaching on an error and a walk.

However, he wasn't nearly as successful on the mound, surrendering a grand slam to the Maroons' number nine hitter as they took a 4-1 lead in the second inning.

After being unable to get through the third, Porter relieved him and did a good job of keeping his team in the game.

Trailing 6-3 entering the

home half of the fourth, Pluskota connected for a two-run shot - his second homer of the contest to cut the lead to 6-5.

The visitors added six runs in the fifth to take a 12-7 lead as Clark and Gray both followed Porter to the hill in that frame.

Both teams were victimized by free passes during the contest as Rocket pitchers combined for nine walks and three Maroon hurlers combined for six.

Madisonville starting hurler Michael Huddleston, who threw 138 pitches, was finally lifted in the sixth inning.

Leading 12-7 entering the bottom of the seventh inning, the visitors were victimized by some poor fielding as Pluskota and Clark reached base on errors.

After Thornton fanned, Berry reached on a walk and followed by an RBI-single by Willis.

With two outs and runners on second and third, Pluskota capped off his big night at the plate with a game-winning RBI-single, scoring Justin Lee and giving his team the come from behind upset win.

Despite stranding 15 runners in the game, Crittenden was able to do what it took to score only their second win ever against Madisonville - the other coming during

coach Clark's tenure back in the 1990s.

Though not being as disciplined as he would have liked during the game, Clark was glad they were able to do enough things correctly to get the win.

"In baseball, you have to be patient. There is nothing this team can't do if they put their minds to it," he said.

Oliver throws 5-hit shutout

In a makeup game against Fifth District foe Trigg County last week, Casey Oliver tossed a five-hit shutout as his team had no trouble winning 10-0 in five innings.

After Pluskota reached on a fielder's choice in the first inning, Porter brought him around with an RBI-double giving his team the only run they would need. Porter had a perfect 2-for-2 day at the dish and also reached on an error and a walk.

Oliver fanned six Wildcat batters, while not allowing a hitter past first base as they had an easy time in claiming the win.

With the win, Crittenden finishes 6-0 in league play, possibly the first time in school history a Rocket baseball team has accomplished that feat.

But they will try to do it

when it matters the most, beginning next week when the Fifth District Tournament gets underway at Gordon Blue Guess Field.

Gilbert leads boys to 10-0 win

Rocket eighth-grade starting pitcher Travis Gilbert continues to impress, tossing his second-straight three-hitter Tuesday against visiting Webster County as they avenged an earlier season setback, winning 10-0 in five innings.

Pitching on three days rest for the first time this season, Gilbert was still very sharp, improving to 6-0 this year.

With the game in a scoreless deadlock, Justin Lee and Gray began the third inning by both reaching on singles. Two batters later, Rocket third baseman Pluskota recorded an RBI-double, scoring both Lee and Gray, giving his squad a 2-0 lead.

Crittenden (13-12) sent eight straight batters to the dish in that frame before the Trojans were able to record an out. Before the dust had settled, the hosts had claimed an 8-0 lead in the blowout win.

Another highlight in victory was the first varsity career home run by DH Berry to lead off the fifth, which made it 9-0.

Lady Rockets on 7-game losing streak

STAFF REPORT

Despite a solid show at defense on Tuesday, the Lady Rockets were unable to stop visiting Murray, losing 5-3.

Crittenden had only one error, coming in the first inning with two outs. That runner and the subsequent runner crossed the plate off an RBI-double.

However, after that mishap, the Lady Rocket defense settled down and didn't see another Tiger cross the plate until the fifth inning.

Unfortunately, Crittenden wasn't able to put any numbers on the board until the fifth inning when Torey Baker hit an RBI-double to plate Kelly Williams, who reached on a single and was batted around by Sammie Jo

Quisenberry's single.

Entering the home half of the seventh inning, the score was 5-1. Crittenden made a valiant attempt to upset Region 1 Murray. After Taylor Keister reached on a walk with one out, Quisenberry stepped to the plate and knocked a two-run homer to bring the score to 5-3. However, despite Baker and Kayla McDonald's singles, the lower half of the line up was unable to bring them around, ending the game on two strikeouts.

Girls' errors cost them another game

Another game filled with errors and cold streaks at the plate, earned the

Lady Rockets a 3-1 loss at Carlisle County on Monday.

Despite a good showing on defense in the third inning with consecutive batters being retired, only one run plated by Carlisle in the fifth inning was earned.

Crittenden were cold on the offensive side, too, only recording three hits and not taking advantage of the two errors Murray committed.

The Lady Rockets' only run came in the sixth inning when Keister hit a double and was moved around on a walk by Quisenberry and a fielder's choice by Baker.

Crittenden plays its last home game of the regular season tomorrow (Friday) against Webster and then starts district tournament play on Monday.

Rocket Softball Statistics	
Crittenden 1, Carlisle 3	
Crittenden	000 001 0-135
Carlisle	010 020 1-432
Ginn and Morris; Quisenberry and Williams. 2B Critt. - Keister; Car. - none. 3B none. HR none. WP Ginn. LP Quisenberry. Records - Crittenden 5-11, Carlisle 9-16.	
Murray 5, Crittenden 3	
Murray	200 011 1-570
Crittenden	000 010 2-391
Quisenberry and Williams, Alvesy and Armstrong. 2B Critt. - Odom; Murray - Armstrong. 3B Critt. - none; Murray Duchleman. HR Critt. - Quisenberry. WP Alvesy. LP Quisenberry.	

Lady Rocket track team takes first at Caldwell meet

The girls track team took first place at last week's meet at Caldwell County High School. The boys finished third at the meet.

The local results are as follows:

Girls

Teams: Crittenden 96, Union 84, Hopkins Central 24, Caldwell 3.

100-meter hurdles: Ashley Collyer 2, Ruth Gobin 3.

100-meter dash: Kaitlyn Moss 3, Whitney Johnson 4.

1600-meter run: Lacey McConnell 3, Annabelle Stringer 4.

400-meter dash: Lauren Hunt 2.

300-meter hurdles: Ashley Collyer 1, Ruth Gobin 2.

800-meter run: Lacey McConnell 4, Jordan Millikan 5.

200-meter dash: Laken Tabor 4, Michaela Williamson.

3200-meter run: Zoie Black 3.

Triple jump: Lauren Hunt 1, Ashley Collyer 3.

Long jump: Kaitlyn Moss 1, Whitney Johnson.

High jump: Laken Tabor 3.

Shot put: Kaitlyn Moss 2, Khyla Moss 3.

Discus: Kaitlyn Moss 1, Khyla Moss 3.

1600-meter relay: Crittenden (made up of Annabelle Stringer, Jordan Millikan, Ragon Dossett and Ruth Gobin) 1.

800-meter relay: Crittenden (made up of Whitney Johnson, Laken Tabor, Lauren Hunt and Kaitlyn Moss) 1.

400-meter relay: (made up of Whitney Johnson, Laken Tabor, Lauren Hunt and Kaitlyn Moss) 1.

3200-meter relay: Crittenden (made up of Lacey McConnell, Jordan Millikan, Annabelle Stringer and Diana Bradford) 1.

Boys

Teams: Hopkins Central 71.5, Union County 62.5, Crittenden County 55, Caldwell County 45

100-meter dash: Andrew Freeman 3.

1600-meter run: Allen Kirk 4.

400-meter dash: Andrew Freeman 2, Lasse Thunbo 3.

800-meter run: Max Busche 3, Zach Tinsley 4.

200-meter dash: Patrick Nielsen 6.

3200-meter run: Jacob Berry 4.

Triple jump: Zach Tinsley

High jump: Max Busche 2, Robert Cudnick 3.

Shot put: Robert Cudnick 2, Elliot Day 4.

Discus: Devin Wallace 4

800-meter relay: Crittenden (made up of Andrew Freeman, Patrick Nielsen, Robert Cudnick and J.R. Adams) 2.

400-meter relay: Crittenden (made up of Patrick Nielsen, Ethan Hill, Lasse Thunbo and J.R. Adams) 2.

3200-meter relay: Crittenden (made up of Allen Kirk, Lasse Thunbo, Max Busche and J.R. Adams) 2.

1600-meter relay: Crittenden (made up of Andrew Freeman, Allen Kirk, Robert Cudnick, J.R. Adams) 1.

Area News Briefs

Salem teen hurt when car runs into tractor

A Salem teen was injured Sunday afternoon when her vehicle slammed into a tractor on Ky. 855 North.

According to Kentucky State Police reports, Ashley Riley, 17, was driving a 1997 Dodge Stratus, northbound between Frances and Salem when the accident occurred, about two miles south of U.S. 60.

Jason Thomas, 40, of Morganfield, was operating a 2010 Case farm tractor southbound on Ky. 855 when the two met in a curve.

As Riley's vehicle rounded the curve, she slid into the southbound lane and struck the farm tractor. Her vehicle went down an embankment and overturned, coming to final rest on its top in a creek.

Riley was transported by Crittenden ambulance to Crittenden Hospital for bruises and lacerations. She was wearing a seat belt.

Thomas was not injured, but he was cited to court for violation of escort of safety requirements, movement of over dimensional loads.

Trooper Chris King investigated the crash that occurred at 12:50 p.m.

Pharmacists to honor Cherry for legislation

Recognizing the leading role that state Rep. Mike Cherry played in giving pharmacists greater responsibility during times of emergency, the Kentucky Pharmacists Association will present him with its highest award during a June 11 ceremony in Louisville.

The association's 2010 Meritorious Service Award is given each year to someone outside of the profession who has



Rep. Mike Cherry is standing next to Gov. Steve Beshear during the signing of the pharmacist legislation for which he will be honored next month.

gone above and beyond to provide service and support to pharmacists. Executive Director Brad Hall wrote in a letter to Rep. Cherry that he was chosen because "your leadership on House Bill 300 during the 2010 Session as well as your leadership on many important healthcare topics proves your dedication to the citizens."

"This is truly an honor to be recognized, and I want to thank the pharmacists for their role in helping to pass the legislation I was more than happy to sponsor," said Rep. Cherry, D-Princeton. "This will undoubtedly prove to be extremely important the next time we face a natural disaster like 2009's winter storm or the recent H1N1 outbreak."

Under the legislation, governors will now have the authority to expand a pharmacist's responsibilities during times of emergencies. When this occurs, pharmacists will be able to dispense up to a 30-day supply in medication, administer immunizations to children and temporarily operate a pharmacy in a location not otherwise authorized.

Police looking for pot growing this spring

State and local law enforcement officers are asking area residents to help identify locations and persons growing marijuana indoors or outdoors.

Police are asking landowners to be aware of possible marijuana growing operations on their land. They should watch for worn trails that lead to roads and trails leading to sources of water. Many growers operate at night. State Police are warning landowners to watch for people trespassing at night by listening for the sound of machinery such as four-wheelers, tillers, mowers and chainsaws. They should also be aware of lights coming from areas that are not normally lighted and vehicles parked in odd places.

Should you suspect possible illegal activity on your land or find marijuana while hunting or farming, please contact the Kentucky State Police at 1-800-DOPE-TIP or your local sheriff's department at 965-3400 and remain anonymous.

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County appropriates funds to improve damaged roads

STAFF REPORT

Crittenden County magistrates will be sharing about \$180,000 in their six districts to repair or upgrade county roads.

Judge-Executive Fred Brown discussed the financial details of the matter with the fiscal court Tuesday during their regular meeting at the courthouse. Brown said the county has about \$1 million in its road fund. He suggested that spending a portion of that would not jeopardize the department's budgetary obligations.

The county is advertising for bids in this week's newspaper, requesting price

quotes from contractors to do the chip and seal work. The county road department will participate by preparing roads and providing oil and aggregate.

The fiscal court will meet in special session at 9 a.m., Friday, May 28 to open the bids.

"We hope to have the work done by the end of June, but it could take all summer," Brown said, pointing out that weather and other factors could play into the schedule.

Brown estimates that the funds being earmarked for chip and seal could repair or

improve about 12 miles of county roadway.

Magistrates will divide the money equitably among their districts based on a priority list.

Brown said the money could be used to upgrade gravel roads to chip and seal.

Recent harsh weather has created plenty of trouble spots across the county, Brown said.

The judge pointed out that an additional \$187,000 will be released by the Kentucky Department of Highways in July to improve other roads in the county.

Judge sentences three to prison; one man released

STAFF REPORT

Three individuals were sentenced to prison last Thursday in Crittenden Circuit Court, another's bond was revoked and one man's bond was reduced.

Circuit Judge Rene Williams accepted guilty pleas from four suspects, David J. Bradford, 19, for drug violations; Timothy Grant Adams, 25, for drug violations; Michael Hawkins, 28, for arson; and Michelle M. Blanchfield, 32, for DUI and assault.

Blanchfield will be formally sentenced next month. Commonwealth Attorney Zac Greenwell is recommending she serve two years for a second offense DUI and four counts of third-degree assault. Blanchfield was arrested March 11 by Trooper Darron Holliman for driving under the influence. Once at the jail, Blanchfield allegedly struck Holloman and hit or bit three jail deputies.

She was originally indicted on two counts of first-degree wanton endangerment, having no operator's license, failure to maintain insurance and being a second-degree persistent felony offender. Those charges were dropped in return for a guilty plea, which she entered last week.

Adams pleaded guilty to four class D felony charges of trafficking in drugs. He was sentenced to four years in prison. In return for his guilty plea, a persistent felony offender charge was dismissed.

Bradford pleaded guilty to a variety of charges, some of which were reduced from the original indictment which included a firearms enhancer. Bradford admitted guilt on three counts of trafficking in a controlled substance, possession of a controlled substance, trafficking in marijuana (less than eight ounces), manufacturing methampheta-

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mine, possession of drug paraphernalia by complicity and possession of a defaced firearm. He received five-year sentences on the trafficking in a controlled substance convictions, 10 years for meth making and five years for possession of a controlled substance, the felonies. The other counts were misdemeanors for which he received 12-month sentences. All of the time will run concurrent for a 10-year sentence.

Adams and Bradford were arrested after investigations by the Pennyryle Area Narcotics Task Force and the Crittenden County Sheriff's Department.

Judge Williams revoked an appellate bond on Tyrone Tracy Peek, 53, sending him back to jail. According to the court, Peek had been convicted of an earlier drug offense while on parole from another conviction. He was out of jail in March while his attorney, Billy McGee of Smithland, was appealing a sentencing issue. On March 10, Peek was arrested along with two others for allegedly taking items from the old Cerro Mine and Mill near Salem.

Despite pleas from his attorney for his continued freedom while the recent burglary charge and appeal continued in court, Judge Williams upheld a motion by the commonwealth attorney to revoke Peek's bond. His attorney told the judge that Peek suffers from a serious heart condition and shouldn't be jailed. However, she revoked his bond and Peek was taken to jail.

Judge Williams sentenced Hawkins to eight years in prison for arson and wanton endangerment. Hawkins admitted that he set fire to a home where he was living on Nipper Road in

August of 2008, endangering another person living there. Hawkins, who spent a year at Western State Hospital in Hopkinsville following the incident, has been incarcerated at the Crittenden County Detention Center since March of 2009. He received credit for time served at both locations and was immediately eligible for probation after Judge Williams sentenced him to a total of eight years on the two charges. The commonwealth attorney is opposing probation at this time.

Judge Williams denied a motion for bond reduction by Gary Tabor, 25. His court-appointed attorney sought a reduction in the \$5,000 cash bond he is being held on for a charge of second-degree burglary.

The judge granted bond reduction for Brent Beard, whose five-year-old trafficking in methamphetamine conviction has been overturned by the Kentucky Supreme Court. Beard had served five years of the 10-year sentence when the state's highest court ruled on his motion seeking relief because he alleged his court-appointed attorney had provided inadequate representation. His conviction was previously affirmed on direct appeal to the Kentucky Court of Appeals, but the Supreme Court granted discretionary review and reversed the ruling of the Court of Appeals, remanding the case to Crittenden Circuit Court for a new trial.

At the request of his attorney, Judge Williams reduced Beard's bond to \$1,000 cash. He posted the bond and was released from custody. Beard is scheduled for another court appearance in July as the commonwealth prepares to retry the case.

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Relay for Life eclipses goal



As a good-humored part of Relay for Life, the event held a Mr. Relay Contest, featuring men dressed as women. Voting for the winner took the form of donations to Relay. The manly woman with the most contributions won and it was David Travis, who raised nearly \$500. Pictured are contestants (front from left) David Travis, Ben Grainger, Chris O'Leary, (back) Terry Bunnell and Skipper Robertson. Pictured at top left is local entertainer Ashley Collins singing one of several country songs that captivated the Relay crowd.



RELAY

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Frank Blackburn, said eight of 11 teams set up campsites during the event. That was the most in several years, Padgett said.

Relay collected about \$32,000, Padgett said. The goal had been set by the American Cancer Society at \$27,500, but local organizers set their sights a bit higher.

"We wanted to get to \$30,000 and we even

surpassed that," Padgett said.

Crittenden Health Systems raised the most money of any team, turning in more than \$6,700. Cali Cares' team won Rookie of the Year.

"We would like to thank all of the teams, survivors and individuals who helped make our county Relay for Life a success," said Padgett. "Also, we want to thank Rogers Group for the use of their tent. We hope to see everyone back next year."



Dr. Porter attends optometrist event

Optometrist Dr. Adria Porter recently attended the Kentucky Optometric Association's 108th Annual Spring Educational Congress at the Hyatt Regency in Lexington.

At the conference, Dr. Porter attended lectures on glaucoma, ocular emergencies, treatment of sports injuries and general trauma and anterior/posterior disease management. In addition to four days of continuing education, the conference also included an exhibition hall featuring the latest products and services in optometry.

Dr. Porter resides with her husband, Jody and their children, Carly and Jack, in Marion where she has been practicing since 2004.



Porter

Cunningham to speak at Memorial Day ceremony

Shady Grove Memorial Day Service will be held at 11 a.m., May 31 at the Shady Grove Cemetery.

Kentucky Supreme Court Justice Bill Cunningham will be the keynote speaker. Music will be provided by Judge Tommy Chandler and Berry Cullen of Providence. Taps will be performed by Dillon Todd of Marion.

Refreshments will be served at



Cunningham

the Shady Grove Fire Department after the service. For additional information, call 965-5997.

WKCTC presents degrees, more to area students

West Kentucky Community and Technical College held its 2010 commencement exercises on May 11, 2010 at the Luther Carson Four Rivers Center in Paducah.

Local graduates were Lynda G. Dennis and Amanda Reye Wright, who each received Associate in Arts Degrees; Jennifer M. Carder, Larissa N. Ellis, Madison S. Hadfield, Jennifer Nicole Hardesty, Sarah N. Kinnis, James Buford Travis and Jennifer R. Travis, who each received Associate In Applied Science degrees.

Maddie Saiyrde Topp received a diploma. Certificates went to Mary Yvonne Baughman, Tanner Douglas Beavers, Deborah A. Croft, Kasey Tanner Hale, Melissa Nicole Kirk, Tracey Lynn Lamkin, Melia Lauren Orr, Broderick G. Shuecraft, Pamela A. Todd and Alicia Nicole Wilkinson.

Local students named to list at Mid-Continent

Mid-Continent University has released a list of students who earned President's List and Dean's List honors in the ADVANTAGE Program. Among them are local students, including Stacey Crider, Heather Chaney and Shawna Sunderland. Crider was on the President's List. The other two

made the Dean's List.

To achieve the President's List, students must maintain a 4.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale. To achieve the Dean's List, students must maintain a grade point average between 3.5 and 3.99 on a 4.0 scale.

ADVANTAGE is an accelerated degree completion program. Adults 24 and above with approximately two years of college can earn the last half of their bachelor's degrees by attending class one night per week for 18 months of instruction. Upon completion, students earn a Bachelor of Science in Business Management and/or Christian Ministry.

Mineral museum gearing up for digs, annual show

The Ben E. Clement Mineral Museum is getting ready for another season of digging for minerals at several old mining properties in Crittenden County. The main site is the Eureka Mines property off of Crittenden Springs Road. For the last two years, Wayne Crider of Crider and Sons Construction has volunteered his time and machinery necessary to uncover more of the fluorspar vein so that diggers can find plenty of specimens of fluorspar, lead and zinc.

Ryan White of Grady White Construction Company has also volunteered time and machinery over the last two years.

A group of geologists and rock hounds who call themselves the McRocks have also traveled from cities in Michigan to North Carolina and donated time, money and experience to get the site ready for exploration.

McRocks is not a club. It is a group of people from all walks of life who love minerals. Grandparents and parents bring their children. Digging is educational and fun for a family outing. If you would like to learn more about the

McRocks, visit their Web site at www.McRocks.com.

Local digs have become well known to rock hounds all over the United States. From April to October, monthly digs are held. During the day the diggers hunt for fluorspar, lead or zinc. At the night, they search for fluorescent minerals using ultraviolet lights.

Local digs can accommodate up to 20 people on a monthly foray. Digs can also be scheduled for private groups such as church, Scouts, 4-H or other groups.

This year's Gem and Mineral Show, sponsored by the Clement Mineral Museum, is June 4-6. Additional properties will open for digs.

Call the museum at 965-4263 for more information, or e-mail beclement@kynet.biz.

Hodges featured in math newsletter

Mary Helen Hodges has been featured in the Kentucky Council of Teachers of Mathematics' April newsletter.



Hodges

The article says Hodges, who lives in Marion, has been a member of KCTM for many years. She currently works for the Kentucky Center for Mathematics (KCM) through Murray State University where she serves as a Regional Coordinator for mathematics intervention teachers and mathematics coaches.

Hodges began this job when the KCM was organized in 2006. She conducts weekly online meetings for teachers and supports them through email in addition to in-person visits to them at their schools, the article said.

The piece included information about Hodges' career and accomplishments. She taught math at Crittenden County High School for almost 30

years.

In the article, Hodges said she is always proud to see students after they have grown up and entered into their careers and become successful. That is among the most rewarding aspects of being a teacher, she said.

Whitt graduates from Murray St.

Shera Cody Whitt of Marion graduated from Murray State University on May 8. Whitt received a master's degree in speech language pathology. She



Whitt

is a 2008 graduate of Murray State University with a bachelor's degree in science and a 2004 graduate of Crittenden County High School.

Whitt is the daughter of Stewart and Brenda Whitt of Marion.

Students earn Farm Bureau scholarships

Robert Clark, LaShea Loveless and Charles Owen, seniors at Crittenden County High School, are the 2010 recipients of a \$1,000 Crittenden County Farm Bureau Scholarship. These grants are three of the 72 college scholarships worth a total of \$107,300 that the Kentucky Farm Bureau Education Foundation awarded this year to deserving students from across the Commonwealth.

After graduating, Clark plans to attend Lindsey Wilson College to major in criminal justice and pursue a career in law enforcement. He is the son of Vince and Alicia Clark of Marion.

Loveless plans to attend Bluegrass Community College and the University of Kentucky to major in psychology and become a lawyer. She is the daughter of Larry and Cindy

Loveless of Sturgis.

Owen plans to attend Eastern Kentucky University to major in political science and history and become a high school teacher. He is the son of Darin and Angie Owen of Marion.

The scholarships, offered annually, are awarded to recipients who display the greatest levels of academic excellence, involvement in extracurricular activities, leadership abilities and financial need. More than 550 high school seniors applied for scholarships from the Foundation in 2010.

Since its inception in 1953, the Kentucky Farm Bureau Education Foundation has distributed more than \$1.7 million dollars of scholarship money to high school students within Kentucky Farm Bureau member families.

Three named to serve on Senior Citizens Board

Crittenden County Fiscal Court has approved the appointment three new members to serve on the Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center Board of Directors.

The newly appointed directors are Minnie Lou Brown, Sue Padgett and Sam Smith. They will be replacing members whose terms have expired or moved to honorary status. Honorary members will be Nelda Phelps and Lois Edwards.

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ELECTION RETURNS	STATE	CRITTENDEN	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Precinct 3	Precinct 4	Precinct 5	Precinct 6	Precinct 7	Precinct 8	Precinct 9	Precinct 10	Precinct 11	Precinct 12	Absentee
U.S. SENATE - REPUBLICAN			STATE TOTALS		COUNTY TOTALS										
C.M. "Trey" Grayson	35%	616	51	64	83	78	8	70	40	15	76	34	36	16	45
Bill Johnson	2%	39	5	1	5	3	0	7	3	2	3	2	7	0	1
Gurley L. Martin	1%	12	1	0	0	2	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	2	0
Rand Paul	59%	532	47	49	71	54	8	77	37	14	62	37	28	33	15
Jon J. Scribner	1%	10	0	0	1	1	0	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	2
John Stephenson	2%	19	0	1	4	2	0	4	0	2	1	2	1	1	1
U.S. SENATE - DEMOCRAT			STATE TOTALS		COUNTY TOTALS										
James Buckmaster	4%	31	3	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	6	1	4	5	1
Jack Conway	45%	360	26	27	41	33	8	42	31	11	43	30	26	32	10
Daniel Mongiardo	43%	516	33	50	53	39	12	57	75	17	54	49	20	39	18
Darlene F. Price	5%	53	2	5	4	7	0	5	4	3	7	3	5	4	4
Maurice M. Sweeney	3%	19	4	3	1	1	0	4	2	0	0	2	1	1	0
JUDGE-EXECUTIVE - REPUBLICAN			COUNTY TOTALS												
Perry A. Newcom		763	59	74	96	100	6	109	49	19	87	57	38	26	43
Mike McConnell		255	25	31	43	25	2	20	9	2	28	17	32	12	9
Greg West		266	23	14	31	22	10	45	28	14	34	10	7	13	15
JAILER - DEMOCRAT			COUNTY TOTALS												
Rick Mills		609	44	53	67	51	15	66	83	16	67	42	35	50	20
Monte Hill		335	17	32	27	30	7	39	33	16	38	39	18	28	11
COUNTY CORONER - REPUBLICAN			COUNTY TOTALS												
Bradley R. Gilbert		648	65	49	86	66	13	83	53	16	90	32	40	27	28
Joe Myers		621	41	68	83	78	7	89	29	19	57	53	34	25	38
MAGISTRATE DISTRICT 1 - REPUBLICAN			DISTRICT TOTALS												
Jeff Ellis		87		57									27		3
Charles "Bubby" Duvall		55		34									17		4
Jeremy Dempsey		55		23									31		1
MAGISTRATE DISTRICT 2 - DEMOCRAT			DISTRICT TOTAL												
Curt Buntin		152									88	56			8
Sam M. Hodge		59									25	32			2
MAGISTRATE DISTRICT 3 - REPUBLICAN			DISTRICT TOTAL												
Glenn Underdown		150					125				20				5
Larry W. Smith		34					17				15				2
MAGISTRATE DISTRICT 5 - REPUBLICAN			DISTRICT TOTAL												
Wayne Winters		123							74	38					11
James "Jamie" Hunt		74							49	22					3
James T. "Jim" DeFreitas		75							45	19					11
MAGISTRATE DISTRICT 5 - DEMOCRAT			DISTRICT TOTAL												
Travis Sosh		86							36	49					1
Donnetta Travis		150							74	76					0
MAGISTRATE DISTRICT 6 - DEMOCRAT			DISTRICT TOTAL												
Dan Wood		125					70							52	3
Richard Daugherty		66					31							32	3

PRIMARY

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Likewise, McConnell's mother, Helen, is a magistrate and his late father, Hayden, was magistrate in District 1 for several years, and once ran for judge.

"They're both great guys and ran good campaigns," Newcom said of his fellow candidates.

Newcom carried 11 of 12 precincts, including those in both of his opponents' home districts.

West carried the Fords Ferry Precinct 5 in District 4, where Percy Cook is magistrate. Cook was unopposed in this election. There were only 18 votes cast in the GOP judge's race in that precinct and West got 10 of them.

None of the three judge candidates could make much sense of that small anomaly; however, McConnell said the balloting was very clear.

"Where the Republicans came out and voted, they chose Perry and I wish him the best," McConnell said.

McConnell was out pulling up campaign signs at 9:30 p.m., three hours after the polls had closed Tuesday.

"I knew Perry would be strong and hard to beat, but I didn't realize he would be that strong," added McConnell. "Honestly, I didn't think our messages were all

that different."

McConnell said he's been a behind-the-scenes type citizen most of his life while Newcom runs a Marion business, which helped to bolster his popularity.

"I was truly surprised at the spread, but that's the way the vote went," McConnell added.

The general makeup of the county court will hardly change. The three incumbent magistrates with contested primaries each won easily Tuesday. Magistrates Curt Buntin, Dan Wood and Glenn Underdown will each return to the court.

Some observers had suggested that recently added new taxes might hurt the incumbents. West used his campaign to point out that he had opposed the implementation of an insurance premium tax. However, that didn't resonate too strongly with voters.

Magisterial races in districts vacated by incumbents were not closely contested either. The winners drew strong support.

Democrat Donnetta Travis will face Republican Wayne Winters in the November general election to decide who gets West's District 5 seat on the fiscal court. In District 1, where Helen McConnell did not run in order to support her son's campaign for judge, Republican Jeff Ellis won a three-way race Tuesday and will face

Democrat Danny Fowler in the general election. Fowler did not have primary opposition.

Buntin received 152 votes, the most of any magisterial candidate in the primary. Travis and Underdown captured 150 each.

Travis, who narrowly lost a race for judge-executive in 2002 against incumbent Pippi Hardin, stepped down recently as chairperson of the local Democratic Party to run for public office again.

Travis said she was not surprised by the relatively low turnout – 37 percent countywide – on Tuesday.

As a former candidate for judge-executive and a party leader, Travis predicts that the three-way race for county judge will be interesting this fall. Newcom will face Democrat Larry Hearrell and Independent Ken Floyd. Hearrell is a union worker who operates heavy equipment and has spent most of his career working out of the county although he has been involved in local politics and civic organizations. Floyd is a political newcomer as well, having managed the Five Star Convenience Center for many years.

"I think they will have to come out and work really hard, meet with people and debate Perry in the fall," Travis said. "They're going to have to get out there and make their differences known, the Democrat and

the Independent."

There were two other countywide primary races Tuesday. Funeral home owner Brad Gilbert edged incumbent coroner Joe Myers by just 27 votes, or about two percent. Myers had run successfully against Gilbert's younger brother, Britt, four years ago. Gilbert will have no Democratic opposition in the fall; therefore, he has likely won the seat. At this point, only write-in candidates could challenge Gilbert or any other party nominee during the general election.

Rick Mills got the Democratic nod to run for jailer in the fall. He and Monte Hill were both seeking political office for the first time. Mills won with 65 percent of the vote. He will face Republican incumbent Rick Riley in the November election.

Crittenden County voters were not aligned with statewide results in the races for U.S. Senate.

Rand Paul, backed by the new Tea Party movement, won the Republican nomination with 59 percent of the vote, based on 98 percent of ballots counted early Wednesday. Secretary of State Trey Grayson led county balloting, but finished second to Paul in the senate race. In the Democratic primary, Jack Conway, whose family has ties to this area, won statewide, but Lt. Gov. Daniel Mongiardo carried the county.



Incumbent County Judge
Chris Lasher wins 3rd term

LIVINGSTON COUNTY RETURNS

Livingston County Judge-Executive - Democrat

	Votes	Percentage
Chris Lasher	1,619	56%
Jeff Armstrong	967	33%
Rebecca Glendening	308	11%

Livingston County Clerk - Democrat

Sonya Williams	1,326	46%
Jerry Bebout	1,017	35%
Jonathan Hubbard	556	19%

Livingston County Sheriff - Democrat

Jim Wilson	937	32%
Jim M. Rundles	832	29%
John Ray Franklin	780	27%
Alan Glendening	358	12%

Livingston County Jailer - Democrat

Benjamin "Benji" Guill	2,082	74%
Bobby J. Dickerson	747	26%

Livingston County Coroner - Democrat

Andrew S. Fox	1,743	62%
Michael Oliver	1,091	38%

Livingston Magistrate 4th District - Democrat

Marvin L. Buford	451	48%
Harry V. Smith	448	47%
Denny Joe Crawford	31	3%
Rodney Fratzke	23	2%

Livingston Constable 4th District - Democrat

Phillip R. Ramage	488	54%
Terry Wayne Cobb	408	46%

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